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## **6th Charleston Art Auction Takes** Place Nov. 5th in Charleston, SC

The 6th Charleston Art Auction will present over one hundred important paintings, sculpture and vintage prints by living and deceased artists who are generally associated with the South at the Double Tree Guest Suites in Historic Charleston at 181 Church Street in Charleston, SC, on Saturday, Nov. 5, 2011, at 7:15pm.



Work by Shannon Smith

The entire selection of lots can be viewed online at the auction website at (www.charlestonartauction.com). Arrangements to attend may be made at 843/785-2318 or 843/722-2172 or through the website at (www.charlestonartauction.com). All works will be available for preview at the hotel from 10am to 7pm, Saturday, Nov. 5, 2011.

Auction principals Jack A. Morris, Jr., J. Ben Whiteside, David G. Leahy, Janie Sylvan and Joe B. Sylvan have over thirty years experience presenting fine art to collectors throughout the Unites States. "Our objective is to offer a showcase for the finest contemporary, representational work being created today" said Whiteside.

Artists presented will include Ken Auster, Bobby Bagley, Gerald Balciar, William Berra, George Botich, Joe Bowler, Scott Burdick, James Calk, Alan Campbell, Elaine Coffee, Guy Coheleach, John Carroll Doyle, Kathleen Dunphy, Ray Ellis, Ted Ellis, Kim English, Glenna Goodacre, Veryl Goodnight, Russell Gor-

don, Jonathan Green, Walter Greer, Chris Groves, Carol Guzmanj, John Austin Hanna, Michael Harrell, Betsy Havens, Evan Harrington, Mandy Johnson, Karin Jurick, Michael B. Karas, Jeff Legg, Earl B. Lewis, Weizhen Liang, Huihan Liu, Susan Lyon, Dan McCaw, Danny McCaw, Dean Mitchell, Joseph Orr, Robert Palevitz, Addison Palmer, Jim Palmer, George Pate, Guido Petruzzi, Joan Potter, Edward Rice, Jennifer Smith Rogers, Marilyn Simandle, Betty Anglin Smith, Shannon Smith, Loran Speck, Linda St. Clair, Rhett Thurman, Michelle Torrez, Karen Larson Turner, Mary Whyte, Scott Yeager, Stephen Scott Young and Alex Zapata.

Morris, who is also a principal partner in Scottsdale Art Auction, which set a new record with \$15,300,000 in sales on April 1, 2011, is responsible for the expanded ffering of important work by dec Southern masters.



Work by Mary Whyte

"There is a renaissance of interest among collectors for fine Southern works," Morris said, "and our sale offers an opportunity for new and experienced buyers to make significant additions to their collections," pointing to works by William Halsey, Clark Hulings, Alfred



Work by Willian Aiken Walker

Hutty, George Plante, Gigory Stepanyants, George W. Sully, Elizabeth O'Neill Verner, William Aiken Walker and Eudora Welty, among others.

Collectors who are unable to attend the sale in person should contact Charleston Art Auction to make arrangements for absentee and telephone bidding prior to 5pm on Friday, Nov. 4, 2011. Sale results will be posted at (www.charlestonartauction.com) the week following the sale.

For further information call 843/785-2318, 843/722-2172 or visit (www.charlestonartauction.com).

## The Wells Gallery in Charleston, SC, Offers Group Exhibition

The Wells Gallery in Charleston, SC, will present, Metaphoric, a group exhibit using words to inspire new works, on view from Nov. 4 - 26, 2011. A reception will be held on Nov. 4, from 5:30-8:30pm in conjunction with the Charleston Fine Art Dealers' Association's Fine Art Annual Weekend.

A metaphor is a literary figure of sp that uses an image, story or tangible thing to represent a less tangible thing. We asked our artist to create that image or tangible element to express those words that spark



Work by Kim English

Participating artists include: Karen Larson Turner, Russell Gordon, George Pate, Sue Stewart, Sally Tharp, Kim English, Anne Bradford, Maryanne Mitchell, Junko Ono Rothwell, Curt Butler, Sheryl Stalnaker, Mark Bailey, Laurie Meyer, John Michiels and a few others.

Located at 125 Meeting St. next to the Gibbes Museum of Art in historic continued above on next column to the right | downtown Charleston, collectors can feel



Work by Russell Gordon

confident they will find both integrity and expertise at the Wells Gallery, where quality and value are paramount and a wide array of significant art is offered. Works including paintings, bronze sculptures and handblown glass are offered from national, international and emerging artists. An additional gallery is located in The Sanctuary Hotel at Kiawah Island Golf Resort.

For further information check our SC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 843/576-1290 or visit (www.wellsgallery.com). For more details on the events during the Charleston Fine Art Annual, visit (www.cfada.com).

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