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of prints, particularly for its poignant social and political commentary," said Elizabeth Hamlett, Furman's university collections manager. The exhibit is sponsored by the Art Department and the Furman University Decorative Fine Arts Committee. Hours: M-F, 9am-5pm. Contact: 864/294-2074.

Centre Stage Theatre, 501 River Street, Greenville. Ongoing - Featuring works by visual art members of MAC. Exhibits are offered in collaboration with the Metropolitan Arts Council. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 2-6pm & 2 hr. prior to shows. Contact: MAC at 864/467-3132 or at (www.greenvillearts.com).

Whole Foods Market, café area, 1140 Woodruff Rd., Greenville. Ongoing - Featuring rotating exhibits of works by members of Upstate Visual Arts (changing every 60 days). Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8am-9pm; Fri. & Sat., 8am-10pm & Sun., 9am-9pm. Contact: 864/232-4433 or at (www.upstatevisualarts.org).

Greenwood

CountyBank Art Gallery, The Arts Center @ The Federal Building, 120 Main St., Greenwood. Dec. 3 - Jan. 31, 2013 - "Contemporary Conversations II," featuring works from the South Carolina Arts Commission's 448-piece State Art Collection. Curated by Eleanor Heartney, author and contributing editor to "Art in America" and "Artpress," the exhibition is composed of works by contemporary South Carolina artists. The exhibition is designed to suggest both the quality and diversity of the state's cultural heritage and includes everything from hard-edge geometric abstraction to surrealist tinged dreamscapes. Works are inspired by social issues, memory, local and national history, imagination, art of the past and aesthetic theory. Together they reflect the many voices and diverse concerns of South Carolina artists. Ongoing - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 864/388-7800 or at (www.greenwoodartscouncil.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greenwood Lander University Campus, Greenwood.
Through Dec. 1 - The University has kicked off it's new public art initiative with the unveiling of two outdoor sculptures. The two sculptures created and installed by Lander visual art students, Anne McKinney and Amy Walde, can be found on the Lander campus. Contact: Doug McAbee by e-mail at (dmcabee@lander.edu).

Hartsville

Black Creek Arts Council Gallery, Black Creek Arts Center, 116 West College Ave., Hartsville. Jean & James Fort Gallery, Dec. 6 - 28 - "Coker College". Coker faculity and students showcase a joint exhibition of fine art. Ongoing - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-1pm and 2-5pm; Fri., 10am-2pm and 1st Sat. of the month 10am-1pm. Contact: 843/332-6234 or at (www.blackcreekarts.org).

Hilton Head Island Area

Hilton Head Regional Healthcare Gallery, Coastal Discovery Museum, at Honey Horn, off Highway 278, across from Gumtree Road, Hilton Head Island. Through Jan. 6, 2013 - "Lowcountry, Plein Air - Impressions of the Lowcountry". Presented by the Low Country Plein Air Society, the members have gathered to paint together in various picturesque Low Country settings since 2008. The group's membership includes artists from around the region, from Beaufort to Savannah. In addition to the artistic mission of working together in the outdoors, the Low Country Plein Air Society promotes the conservation of waterways and landscapes around the region. Ongoing -This beautiful 69-acre site will serve as the Museum's base for programs highlighting the cultural heritage and natural history of the Lowcountry. And, it will provide a signature venue for community events for people of all ages. The opening includes the renovation of a 6,000 sq. foot former hunting retreat, renamed the "Discovery House," containing the Museum's new interactive exhibits, temporary gallery space and community meeting rooms. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-4:30pm & Sun., 11am-3pm. Contact: 843-689-6767 ext. 224 or at (www. coastaldiscovery.org).

Walter Greer Gallery, at the Arts Center of Coastal Carolina, 14 Shelter Cove Lane, Hilton Head Island. Through Dec. 30 - "Fine Art Craft Guild & Holiday Show," featuring a juried fine art craft show and holiday sale brought to you by the Art League of Hilton Head. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/681-5060 or at

(www.artleaguehhi.org).

Lancaster

USC Lancaster Native American Studies Center, 119 South Main Street, Lancaster. Dec. 1, 9am-4pm - "Native American Art Show and Sale". Artists throughout the Center. Free admission. Demonstrations, pottery, baskets, books, and more! One of many arts and holiday events in Lancaster on December 1st! Come for the show, stay all day! Ongoing - The Center is 15,000 square foot facility in historic downtown Lancaster. Guests will have the opportunity to tour the NAS Center's gallery spaces, archives, classrooms, and archaeology, language, and audio-visual labs. Home to the world's largest collection of Catawba Indian pottery, the NAS Center will offer exhibits of regional Native American Art, classes and programs focused on Native American history, culture, archaeology, folklore, and language. Hours: Tue.-Wed., 10am-5pm; Thur., 10am-7pm; Fri.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun., 1-5pm; and Mon. by appt. Contact: 803/313-7172 or visit (http://usclancaster.sc.edu/NAS/).

Laurens

The Artist's Coop, 113 E.Laurens St., on the Historic Downtown Square., Laurens. Ongoing - Featuring works by over 50 cooperatiave members, including paintings, jewlery, pottery and weavings. Also art classes for children and adults. Hours: Tue.-Fri.,10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 864/984-9359 or at (www.laurensartistscoop.org).

McClellanville

McClellanville Arts Council Gallery, 733 Pinckney Street, McClellanville. Through Jan. 12, 2013 - "Early Birds & Evening Shadows," featuring works by Cheryl Baskins Butler. Butler's new drawings, paintings, and mixed media pieces are rich with grackle and blackbird imagery. She began birding before she could walk, and the pieces in the exhibit reflect this lifelong passion. They appeal to the ornithologist in some of us, and they speak to the humanity in all of us. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-2pm. Contact: 843/887-3157 or at (www.mcclellanvilleartscouncil.com).

McCormick

The MACK, McCormick Arts Council Gallery, 115 Main Street, located in the historic Keturah Hotel, McCormick. Ongoing, The Artisans Gallery Shop at the MACK - Featuring works of over 30 artisans including paintings, pottery, jewelry, jackets, gourds, woodworking, textiles, soaps and more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 864/852-3216 or at (www.the-mack.org).

Mount Pleasant

Sweetgrass Cultural Arts Pavilion, Mount Pleasant Memorial Waterfront Park, 99 Harry M. Hallman, Jr. Blvd., under the bridge, Mount Pleasant. Ongoing - The pavilion is a tribute to the generations of men and women who have carried on this African tradition for more than three centuries. Kiosks and panels tell the history of this unique craft, and the open-air facility provides a venue for local basketmakers to display and sell their wares. Hours: daily, 9am-5pm. Contact: 800/774-0006 or at (www. townofmountpleasant.com).

Myrtle Beach / Grand Strand

Franklin G. Burroughs · Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 South Ocean Blvd., beside Springmaid Beach, Myrtle Beach. Through Dec. 31 - "An Artist's Eye: A Journey through Modern and Contemporary Art with Sigmund Abeles," featuring 59 works selected by the artist from the Columbia Museum of Art's more than 2,500 modern and contemporary pieces. Through Dec. 31 - "Figuratively Speaking: The Art of Sigmund Abeles," including 23 of the artist's own works. Through Dec. 31 - "Jonathan Green: The Artist as Servant-Leader - A Retrospective of Community Engagement". The exhibition offers a unique glimpse of Green's longtime philanthropy. It features nearly 50 posters created over the past 30 years using images donated by Green in support of regional nonprofit service organizations. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 843/238-2510 or at (www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org).

North Augusta

Arts and Heritage Center, 100 Georgia Ave., intersection of Georgia Avenue and Center Street, North Augusta. Through Dec. 28 - "Fall Into Art," featuring works by members of the North Augusta Artists Guild. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 803/441-

4380 or at (www.artsandheritagecenter.com).

North Charleston



Work by Jennifer Stoneking-Stewart

City of North Charleston Art Gallery, North Charleston Performing Arts Center & Convention Center Complex, common walkways, 5001 Coliseum Drive, North Charleston. Dec. 1 - 30 - "Window Dressing," featuring an exhibit of works by Indiana based artist, Michelle Peterlin, who will display acrylic paintings of objects and mementos from her travels over the last five years. Dec. 1 - 30 - "Packed Up," featuring an exhibit of works by Tennessee based printmaker, Jennifer Stoneking-Stewart, who will present images of nature reclaiming a place. A reception will be held on Dec. 6, from 5-7pm. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 843/740-5854 or at (www.northcharleston.org).

The Meeting Place, Front Window, Olde North Charleston Business District, 1077 E. Montague Ave., North Charleston. Through Dec. 30 - "Lowcountry Reflections," featuring works by local artist, Lisa Graves, who will feature a collection of landscapes and seascapes inspired by her travels throughout the Lowcountry. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: 843/740-5854 or at (www.northcharleston.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - North Charleston Riverfront Park, 1001 Everglades Dr., The Navy Yard at Noisette (former Charleston Naval Base), North Charleston. Through Mar. 31, 2013 - "7th Annual National Outdoor Sculpture Competition & Exhibition". View thought provoking, largescale sculptures by established and emerging artists from across the nation, juried by Steven Matijcio, curator of Contemporary Art for the Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art (SEC-CA). Participating artists include: Leo Osborne - Anacortes, WA; Carl Wright - Martinsburg, WV; Philip Hathcock - Cary, NC; Corrina Mensoff - Atlanta, GA; Jim Gallucci - Greensboro, NC; Matthew Harding - Greenville, NC; Tom Scicluna -Miami, FL; Bob Turan - Earlton, NY; Adam Walls - Lauvinburg, NC; Davis Whitfield IV - Mountain City, TN; Paris Alexander - Raleigh, NC; and Carl Billingsley - Ayden, NC. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: 843/740-5854 or at (www.northcharleston.org).

Orangeburg

I.P. Stanback Museum and Planetarium, SC State University, 287 Geathers Street, Orangeburg. Through Aug. 31, 2013 - "Africa Revisited: The Art of Power and Identity," featuring works from its major collection of African Art. The Stanback has the largest collection of African Art in South Carolina and is the only museum in the State recognized by the Smithsonian African Art Library for its Airican collection. Recently, a new collection of African art and artifacts was donated to the Stanback by Linda and Simone Gregori, the former Director for The Texaco Corporation in Nigeria. Ellen Zisholtz, the Stanback's Director stated, "With the addition of the new collection, the Stanback's African collection has become one of great national significance." It includes a pair of Terracotta sculptures created by the Nok civilization of Nigeria (500BC-400AD), making them over 2.000 years old and two of the oldest artworks of West Africa. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 803/536-7174 or at (http://www.scsu.edu/researchoutreach/ipstanbackmuseumandplanetarium.aspx).

Lusty Gallery, Orangeburg County Fine Arts Center, Edisto Memorial Gardens, 649 Riverside Drive, Orangeburg. Ongoing - Featuring a permanent display of works by Coan Culler, Pernille Dake, Betty Edmonds, Elsie Fogle, Michiko Johnston, Zita Mellon, Barbara Townsend, Isaiah Zagar, and local schoolchildren. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8:30am-4:30pm & Fri., 8:30am-noon. Contact: Elizabeth Thomas at 803/536-4074.

Pawleys Island, Litchfield & Murrells Inlet

Brookgreen Gardens, US 17, south of Murrells Inlet. Ongoing -"Lowcountry: Change and Continuity," a major new exhibit, tells the story of human interaction with this land over the centuries. It features wall size photomurals by SC naturalist photographer Tom Blagden, along with a range of artifacts tracing the history of man's occupation of this extraordinary landscape. General Gardens, Ongoing - One of the largest collections of outdoor sculpture in America. This preeminent collection of American representational sculpture includes - 560 works by 240 artists - representing such well-known artists as Charles Parks, Daniel Chester French, Carl Milles, August Saint-Gaudens and Anna Hyatt Huntington. Hours: daily, 9:30am-5pm Admission: Yes. Admission to Brookgreen is good for seven days. Contact: 843/235-6000, 800-849-1931, or at (www. brookgreen.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Murrells Inlet/Litchfield Gallery at Applewood House of Pancakes, 14361 Ocean Highway, Litchfield Beach. Ongoing - Features works of over 55 accomplished local artists and photographers who are members of the Seacoast Artists Guild of South Carolina. With over 200 members, the Guild is dedicated to advancing excellence in the visual arts through teaching, exhibits, workshops, art shows & sales. Hours: daily 6am- 2pm. Contact: call 843/947-0668 or at (www.seacoastartistsguild.com).

Pickens



Work by Victoria Blaker

Pickens County Art and Historical Museum, 307 Johnston Street, Pickens. Dec. 1 - Feb. 7, 2013 - "Philip Gott: Explorations in Color". Having grown up in the swamps of South Florida, Philip Gott showed great promise early, garnering attention from stunned relatives and child psychologists alike for refusing to color within the lines. Dec. 1 - Feb. 7, 2013 - "Crossing the Line: Thirty-One Drawings by Thirty-One Artists," featuring works by Matthew Baumgardner, Victoria Blaker, Michael Brodeur, Bruce Bunch, Steven A. Chapp, Dale Cochran, Diane Kilgore Condon, Melody M. Davis, David Donar, Luiz Galvao, Joe Goldman, Suzy Hart, Ryan Heuvel, Ashley Holt, Stephanie Howard, Kevin Isgett, Kay Larch, Dabney Mahanes, Cecile L.K. Martin, Linda W. McCune, David McCurry, Glen Miller, Mark Mulfinger, Kendon Ryan Oates, JJ Ohlinger, Stan Pawelczyk, Adam C. Schrimmer, Patricia L. Sink, Larry Seymour, John Urban and Barbara Van Gelderen. Dec. 1 - Feb. 7, 2013 - "Writing; Putting Pen to Paper". Receptions will be held for all three exhibits on Dec. 1, from 6-8pm. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm; Thur. till 7:30pm & Sat., 9am-4:30pm. Contact: 864/898-5963 or at (www.co.pickens.sc.us/culturalcommission).

Ridge Spring

Art Association of Ridge Spring Gallery, Art Center in Ridge Spring, located behind the Ridge Spring Civic Center, 108 Maintenance Shop Circle, Ridge Spring. Ongoing - Featuring works in a variety of media by: Ron Buttler, Sammy Clark, Christie Dunbar, Donna Minor, Joanne Crouch, Gloria Grizzle, Donna Hatcher, Linda Lake, Samantha McClure, Danny O'Driscoll, Gwen Power, Deborah Reeves, Mary Rogers, Emily Short, Marion Webb, and Barbara Yon. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 803/685-5003, 803/685-5620 or at (http://sites.google.com/site/artassnridgespring/Home).

Rock Hill

Center for the Arts, 121 East Main St., Rock Hill. Dalton Gallery, Through Dec. 31 - "Vernon Grant's Santas - Celebrating a Holiday Tradition," will feature a selection of over 30 reproductions from original artworks published during Grant's career in commercial illustration. Grant was a renowned commercial artist whose illustrations have gained national acclaim. He was best known as the creator of the Kellogg's Rice Krispies characters Snap!® Crackle!® and Pop!® His work has been featured on national magazine covers and advertisements. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-6pm; Fri., 9am-5pm; and on 2nd and 4th weekends, Sat., 10am-2pm; & Sun., 2-4pm. Contact: 803/328-2787 or at (http://www. yorkcountyarts.org/).

Dalton Gallery, Clinton Junior College, located in the atrium of the library in the back of the cam-