

SC Institutional Galleries

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Newberry

Newberry Arts Center, 1200 Main Street location, Newberry. **Ongoing** - The Newberry Arts Center was established in 2014 and is operated by the City's Parks, Recreation and Tourism Department. In less than a year a solid arts program was established that includes programs for all ages. The mission of the Newberry Arts Center (NAC) and Newberry Arts Program is to provide quality arts experiences to all interested citizens and increase support for working artists while creating appreciative current and future art patrons by involving the diverse population and fostering local economic growth while enhancing the quality of life for all residents. The NAC also established and hosted the first ever South Carolina Clay Conference, an annual conference for clay enthusiasts held in Newberry each year. Hours: Call for hours. Contact: 803/597-1125 or at (www.NewberryArtsCenter.com).

North Charleston



Work by Saila Milja-Smyly

Park Circle Gallery, formerly the Olde Village Community Building, 4820 Jenkins Avenue, in the bustling Park Circle neighborhood of North Charleston. **Feb. 1 - 25** - "Found Wandering – Photography by Dan Jones". A reception will be held on Feb. 3, from 5-7pm. In his exhibit Charleston photographer Dan Jones presents images that highlight the art surrounding us in our everyday lives. **Feb. 1 - 25** - "Cultivating Clay: Ceramic Sculpture by Saila Milja-Smyly." A reception will be held on Feb. 3, from 5-7pm. The exhibit features a collection of 20 single-fired stoneware ceramic pieces by Mount Pleasant-based artist Saila Milja-Smyly. **Ongoing** - In addition to the monthly exhibitions, the "gift shop" at the North Charleston City Gallery, which features a variety of items by local artists, will also be moved to PCG. Cultural Arts will also continue to host art workshops and recurring meetings for art groups and guilds in the space once gatherings are safe to resume. Admission: Free. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., noon-4pm. The gallery will be closed on June 10 & 11. Contact: 843/740-5854, or at (<https://www.northcharleston.org/residents/arts-and-culture/>).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - North Charleston **North Charleston Riverfront Park**, 1001 Everglades Dr., The Navy Yard at Noisette (former Charleston Naval Base), North Charleston. **Through Mar. 19** - "16th National Outdoor Sculpture Competition & Exhibition". View 14 thought-provoking outdoor sculptures by established and emerging artists from 6 different states in this annual juried competition and exhibition. Selections and awards made by the juror, Dr. Julie Sasse, Chief Curator at the Tucson Museum of Art. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: 843/740-5854 or at (<https://www.northcharleston.org/residents/arts-and-culture/>).

Orangeburg

Cecil Williams Civil Rights Museum, 1865 Lake Drive, Orangeburg. **Ongoing** - Established in 2019, the exquisite ultra-modern facility displays 1000 images of the Civil Rights Movement, but from the perspective of The EPOCHAL South Carolina Events That Changed America. The massive archives comprise the largest collection of images of this type among all museums in the United States; including the Atlanta based High Museum which archives 300 images. The images were created by the founder, Cecil Williams, who began photography at age 9 and covered almost all historically significant events in South Carolina; from 1950 Briggs v. Elliot in Summerton, thru the 1969 Charleston Hospital Workers' Strike...and Beyond. From 1955 through 1969, Williams was a freelance journalist for "JET" magazine. His images have appeared in thousands of magazines, newspapers, historical publications, and motion picture productions. The museum design itself is part of the founders' DNA because; upon graduating from high school,

Williams wanted to attend Clemson University to study architecture but denied because of his race. He then purchased a drafting board and through the years, designed three residences; including one featured in "EBONY", and the museum's design which has evolved into a living history facility. Hours: call ahead for hours. Contact: call 803-531-1662 or at (www.ceciliawilliams.com).

Lusty Gallery, Orangeburg County Fine Arts Center, Edisto Memorial Gardens, 649 Riverside Drive, Orangeburg. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8:30am-4:30pm & Fri., 8:30am-noon. Contact: Vivian Glover at 803-606-7770 or at (<https://orangeburgarts.org/>).

Pawleys Island, Litchfield & Murrells Inlet



"Study of Torso of the Walking Man" by Auguste Rodin

Brookgreen Gardens, 1931 Brookgreen Garden Drive, US 17, south of Murrells Inlet. **Wall Lowcountry Center Auditorium, Through Mar. 31** - "Collectively Disconnected," an exhibition by South Carolina native and folk artist Arun Drummond. Drummond's multimedia work, depicting Gullah Geechee people and 3-D sweetgrass baskets, celebrates the Gullah Geechee culture of the South Carolina Lowcountry. Drummond is a South Carolina native residing in the Lowcountry. As the former manager of the Chuma Gullah Gallery, he has spent nearly 20 years educating guests about the rich and unique culture of the coastal south. Her art premiered at the Chuma Gullah Gallery in 2018 and can now be found in the outdoor section of the historic Charleston City Market and at the Lybensons Art Gallery at the Gullah Geechee Visitors Center on St. Helena Island. **Rosen Galleries, Through Apr. 23** - "Rodin: Contemplation and Dreams – Selections from the Iris and B. Gerald Cantor Collections". Featuring 45 works by French sculptor Auguste Rodin, celebrated as the greatest sculptor of the 19th century, this exhibition brings world renowned sculptures to America's first sculpture garden. "We are thrilled to display works from such a celebrated and talented sculptor," says Page Kiniry, president of Brookgreen Gardens. "Bringing the works of one of art history's most influential great masters to South Carolina's coast furthers our mission to display the finest sculptures and will offer visitors an exclusive chance to experience Rodin's bronzes in an esteemed sculpture garden." The exhibition is made up of 45 works from the prestigious Cantor Collections, including nine life-size statues, portraits, full figures, torsos, fragments, and reliefs. **The Stanley and Naomi Bleifeld Gallery, Ongoing** - All the works on view in the Bleifeld Gallery are from the collection of Brookgreen Gardens. The gallery showcases the work of historic and contemporary sculptures whose subjects are taken from the natural world. It includes work by Anna Hyatt Huntington, Gertrude Lathrop, Stanley Bleifeld, Grainger McKoy, Sandy Scott, Kent Ullberg, and numerous other prominent sculptors, past and present. The gallery officially opened in February 2017. **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 - Litchfield

Gallery at Applewood House of Pancakes, 14361 Ocean Highway, Litchfield Beach. **Ongoing** - features works of accomplished local artists and photographers who are members of the Seacoast Artists Guild of South Carolina dedicated to advancing excellence in the visual arts through teaching, exhibits, workshops, art shows & sales. Hours: daily 6am - 2pm. Contact: at (www.seacoastartistsguild.com).

Richburg

Olde English District Visitors Center & Market, 3200 Commerce Drive, Suite A, Richburg. **Ongoing** - This is your one stop shop for finding specialty food products, art (pottery, jewelry, etc.) and many other local, unique items from our region. We also carry a variety of South Carolina souvenirs. Hours: daily, 9am-5pm. Contact: 803/385-6800 or at (www.oldeenglishmarket.com).

Ridgeland



Work by Kirkland Smith

Morris Center for Lowcountry Heritage, 10782 Jacob Smart Blvd. S., on US 17, in a 1937 historic Sinclair Service Station, Ridgeland. **Through July 15** - "The (In)disposable Art of Kirkland Smith". The art installation is a playful collection of assemblages. Drawing on her love of realism and portraiture, Smith creates 3-dimensional works that speak to environmental responsibility in a fresh, evocative way. For example, to portray the problem of overconsumption and its effects on society, she uses everyday disposable objects as her medium rather than the subject of her work. The artist hopes to spark an awareness of consumer habits and attitudes, driving home the message that while what we throw away says much about who we are, what we choose to cherish and protect says more in the end. **Ongoing** - Morris Center for Lowcountry Heritage hosts exhibitions on local history, art, and culture. We also provide hands-on art workshops throughout the year. Admission: FREE. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm and Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 843/284-9227 or at (www.MorrisHeritageCenter.org).

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** - The Center contains works in a variety of media by: Ron Buttler, D.S. Owens, Carolyn Boatwright, Betsy Connelly, Kedryn Evans, Jessica Goodman, Melanie Knight, John Zullo, Donna Minor, Joanne Crouch, Gloria Grizzle, Linda Lake, Gwen Power, Deborah Reeves, Marion Webb, and Barbara Yon. It is also home of the Ridge Quilt Trail. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: 803/685-5577 or e-mail to (artass-ridgespring@gmail.com).

Rock Hill

The Rock Hill Pottery Center, Getty's Art Center, 201 East Main Street, in Old Town Rock Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Bob Hasselle, Christine White, Katherine Petke, Hope Fregerio, and Brian Schauer. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm and Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: call 803/370-8109 or find then on Facebook.

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Rock Hill **White Street Gallery**, 130 West White Street, Rock Hill. **On Permanent Display, until the material on which they are printed begins to deteriorate** - "ALLEYS AS GALLERY'S". The Arts Council of York County implemented the Alleys as Galleries program with an exhibition in Cotton Alley on East Main St. in Rock Hill in 2018. This new project serves as the second Alleys as Galleries installation. Alleys as Galleries transforms York County, South Carolina's well-traveled alleys into art galleries that feature works by local and regional artists. Works by six York County high school students, Bruna Coelho, Luc Mercado, Paige Evans, Heather Lenti, Ashley Walsh, and Hunter Sigmond, were selected for a public art installation on the fence between Dust OFF Brewing Company and the Lowenstein Building along the Williams & Fudge fence line that faces White Street. More info visit (<https://www.yorkcountyarts.org/alleygalleries>).

Contact: 803/328-2787 or at (<http://www.yorkcountyarts.org/>).

Spartanburg

Throughout downtown Spartanburg's Cultural District, Ongoing - The Creative Crosswalk Project is a public art initiative in which local artists and designers design and paint a series of crosswalk murals, transforming the crosswalks into works of art, on Main Street in Spartanburg, SC. The downtown cultural district area is often bustling with events and pedestrians, and the pedestrians rely heavily on a multitude of crosswalks to safely traverse the downtown Spartanburg area. The problem is that crosswalks are incredibly easy to overlook, they are rarely visually appealing, and they can even be quite dangerous. In an effort to remedy these issues, Chapman Cultural Center, the City of Spartanburg, and the Spartanburg Area Chamber of Commerce came together to organize the Creative Crosswalk Project. For more info visit (<https://www.chapmanculturalcenter.org/pages/blog/detail/article/c0/a1555/>).



Work by Adam Burgess

Artists Collective I Spartanburg (formerly West Main Artists Cooperative), 578 West Main St., Spartanburg. **Gallery II and Gallery III, Through Feb. 25** - "Slice: Scattered, Covered and Smothered," featuring works by Hague Williams. A reception will be held on Feb. 16, from 5-8pm, during the Spartanburg ArtWalk. This exhibit, "brings together disparate methods of printmaking by creating unique prints that defy the traditional methods of printmaking while still relying on the pull of ink through a screen," says Williams. "For more than 25 years, I have been exploring the mediums of screen-printing, multimedia, installation and collage," Williams continues. "Combining computer-generated images from symbols, motifs and signifiers throughout different periods – contemporary and ancient and everything in between – a sort of mining of symbology throughout time." **Solomon Gallery, Through Feb. 25** - "Pushing Pop," featuring works by eight Upstate artists, including: Adam Burgess, Steve Garner, Andy Adams (who signs his work) A-N-D, Kent Ambler, Peggy Tanner Day, Ryan Roth, Kym Day and Carey Morton, who responded to the changes within popular culture since the original "pop art" movement of the early 1960s. "The first time the term 'pop art' was officially used was in 1962, when A Symposium on the Pop Art was held by the Museum of Modern Art," says artist Steve Garner. "The art of popular culture, also known then as popular realism, new realism, neo-Dadaism and factualism, placed meaning and value on products of mass culture and contemporary life, creating a dichotomy between high- and low-brow aesthetics. Today, art is certainly more integrated into popular culture through modes of communication, thus the lines between high- and low-brow are considerably more blurred." **Ongoing** - The Collective features a twenty thousand square foot facility offering affordable studio space, retail space, three galleries, a full ceramics studio, printery, and works by 50 local artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm; with extended hours on the 3rd Thur. of each month until 9pm for Spartanburg's Art Walk. Contact: 864/804-6501 or at (artistscollectivespartanburg.org/).

Curtis R. Harley Art Gallery, Performing Arts Center, USC-Upstate, 800 University Way, Spartanburg. **Ongoing** - Featuring selections from the permanent collection by artists Andy Warhol, Jerry Uelsmann and Beatrice Riese. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: Gallery Director, Jane Nodine at 864/503-5838 or e-mail at (jnodine@uscupstate.edu).

Justine V.R. "Nita" Milliken Wing, Milliken Fine Arts Building, Converse College, Spartanburg. **Ongoing** - Featuring a collection of 52 prints, given by Spartanburg resident Frank Toms which includes works by Joan Miro, Salvador Dali, Alexander Calder, Helmut Newton and others. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Con-

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