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trip to Bedford, MA. The rope's heft and tattered state immediately suggested an exciting series of drawing investigations. Beyond its former utility at sea, this industrial-strength tether serves as an elegant model for graphical musings on the strands of our human strengths and fralties. Through May 10 - "Film Art from Behind the Iron Curtain," on loan from a larger movie poster collection owned by Dr. Matthew Johnston, an avid collector. The exhibition features posters from Poland, the former Czechoslovakia, Eastern Germany, Romania, Russia and Cuba. The movies that are featured in the posters date from post WWII to 1991. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: Gallery Director, Jane Nodine at 864/503-5838 or e-mail at (inodine@uscupstate.edu).

Guild Gallery, Artists' Guild of Spartanburg, Chapman Cultural Center, 200 East St. John St. Spartanburg. Mar. 8 - 27 - "Focus on Youth Art Exhibit". In celebration of National Youth Art Month, the Artists' Guild of Spartanburg will sponsor a juried exhibit of artwork by high school students in Spartanburg County. A reception will be held on Mar. 21, from 6-9pm. The work was submitted by art teachers and judged by a third party for inclusion in the show. Contact Robin H Els at 864/764-9568 or at (www.artistsguildofspartanburg.com).

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. Contact: 864/596-9181 or e-mail at (artdesign@converse.edu).

Martha Cloud Chapman Gallery, Raines Center, Wofford College, 429 North Church St., Spartanburg. Through Mar. 28 - "Wofford's Desegregation Decade". The decision by Wofford's Board of Trustees to admit all qualified applicants regardless of race came after a period of careful study, and in the South Carolina of 1964, proved to be controversial. While the state's public colleges had desegregated in the previous year, no private colleges in South Carolina were integrated. Wofford's announcement made headlines around the state and brought both applause and strong condemnation. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9-pm; Sat., noon-6pm & Sun., noon-9pm. Contact: 864/597-4300.

Milliken Art Gallery, Converse College, Spartanburg. Through Mar. 14 - "Human Nature," featuring works by Harry Boone. A reception will be held on Mar. 7, from 6-8pm. Mar. 21 - 28 - "2013 Juried Student Art Show". A reception will be held on Mar. 21, from 6:30-8pm. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 864/596-9181.

Sandor Teszler Library Gallery, Wofford College, 429 North Church St., Spartanburg. Through Mar. 29 - "Japan Wrld Heritage Sites". By 2011, Japan and 186 other countries had signed the World Heritage Convention pledging to the world that they would preserve the designated significant natural and cultural sites within their lands for future generations. This exhibition highlights the remarkable structures and landscapes that Japan has committed to preserving. Hours: Mon.,-Th. 8am-12am; Fri.,8am-7-pm; Sat.,10am-5pm; Sun.,1pm -12am. Contact: 864/597-4300.



Work by Carl Plansky

Spartanburg Art Museum, Chapman Cultural Arts Center, 200 East St. John Street, Spartanburg. Mar. 5 - May 4 - "Carl Plansky: 30 Years of Painting". Planksy, artist, teacher, paint maker, maintained studios in Brooklyn and East Meredith, New York and Budapest, Hungary. Born in Miami Beach, Carl studied at Maryland Institute College of Art and moved to New York in 1970 to attend Hans Hofmann's New York Studio School. He also studied with artist Joan Mitchell, a close personal friend who was a strong influence on his work. Admission: Yes. Hours: Wed.-Fri, 10am-5pm; Sat.,10am-5pm; and till 9pm on 3rd Thur. of each month. Closed on national holidays. Contact: 864/582-7616

(www.spartanburgartmuseum.org).

West Main Artists Cooperative, 578 West Main St., Spartanburg. Through Mar. 10 - "Life Circle," featuring an exhibit of works by USC-Upstate students, by Meghan Ford and Katie Garland. Mar. 11 - Apr. 14 - "Fresh Imagination: Jewelry, Poetry, and Textile Art," featuring works by Dr. Lois Ann Hesser. A reception will be held on Mar. 14, from 6-8pm. Ongoing -Featuring a twenty thousand square foot facility offering affordable studio space and featuring works by 50 local artists. Come to see works from local artists, attend workshops, shop in the retail store, or meet any of the artists in their studios. Hours: Thur., 3-6pm; 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 (www.westmain-

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Spartanburg Campus of University of South Carolina Upstate, 800 University Way, Spartanburg. Ongoing - "USC Upstate Outdoor Sculpture Collection". Available to viewers year-round, these 13 works can be seen in front of the Campus Life Center, the Humanities and Performing Arts Center, the Horace C. Smith Science Building, Tukey Theatre and the Kathryn Hicks Visual Arts Center. While the majority of the outdoor sculptures belong to internationally acclaimed artist Bob Doster, other artists included are Jim Gallucci, Daingerfiled Ashton, Winston Wingo, Dan Millspaugh, Adam Walls, and Hanna Jubran. Cell phone tour info at (864-607-9224). For more info contact Jane Nodine at 864/503-5838 or e-mail to (inodine@uscupstate.edu).



Work by Haley Floyd of Lander University

Headquarters Library, Spartanburg County Public Libraries, 151 South Church Street, Spartanburg. AT&T Exhibition Hall, Through Mar. 8 - "1st Annual Collegiate Invitational Art Exhibition". The exhibition features works by students from Anderson University, Bob Jones University, Converse College, Greenville Technical College, Lander University, and USC Upstate. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm; Sat., 9am-6pm; and Sun., 1:30-6pm. Contact: call Miranda Mims Sawyer at 864/285-9091 or e-mail to (mirandas@infodepot.org). Library at 864/596-3500.

# Summerville

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Summerville Azalea Park, Main Street and West Fifth Street South, Summerville. Ongoing - Featuring 21 pieces of sculpture in Summerville's permanent outdoor collection donated by Sculpture in the South. One of the sculptures is located in Hutchinson Park, Summerville's Town Square. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: 843/851-7800 or at (www.sculptureinthesouth.com).

# Sumter

Gallery 135 (formerly Patriot Hall Galleries), 135 Haynsworth Street, Sumter. Through Mar. 8 - "The Unpainted South - Carolina's Vanishing World". This important exhibit will focus on haunting photography of Seldon B. Hill with accompanying poetry of William P. Baldwin from the book of the same title. The images and remarkable poems resonates with all viewers since it concentrates on remembered lowcounty counties and it's stunning, yet disappearing, landscape of rural, small town life and it's objects. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4pm. Contact: Booth Chilcutt at 803/436-2260 or e-mail to (Patriot\_hall@sumtercountysc. org).

Sumter County Gallery of Art, Sumter County Cultural Center, 135 Haynesworth St., Sumter. Through Apr. 19 - "Sumter Collects II". Artisan Center Gift Shop - Featuring art objects from local and regional artists. Hours: Tues-Sat 11-5pm & Sun., 1:30-5pm. Contact: 803//775-0543 or at (www.sumtergallery.org).

The Über Gallery, foyer of the Nettles Building, USC Sumter, 200 Miller Rd., Sumter. Ongoing - The gallery houses USC Sumter's permanent collection of John James Audubon wildlife lithographs. Audubon is known for his dynamic artistry of American birds and wildlife. He created a rich and timeless legacy and set the

bar for all wildlife art. Jeremiah Miller murals hang at both ends of the gallery; they are 6ft x 20ft in size and fifteen feet in the air. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8:30am-8pm & Fri., 8:30am-5pm. Contact: Cara-lin Getty, Director, 803/938-3727 or e-mail at (cgetty@uscsumter.edu) or the Gallery Assistant, Laurel Jordan at (jordalau@uscsumter.edu).

William J. Reynolds Gallery, USC-Sumter, Administration Building, 200 Miller Road, Sumter. Ongoing - Featuring paintings of William J. Reynolds, an ex-military pilot who's paintings reflect his career. Hours: M-F, 8:30am-5pm. Contact: Cara-lin Getty, Director, 803/938-3727 or e-mail at (cgetty@uscsumter.edu) or the Gallery Assistant, Laurel Jordan at (jordalau@uscsumter.edu).

#### Walterboro

SC Artisans Center, 334 Wichman Street, 2 miles off 195, exits 53 or 57, Walterboro. Ongoing - Featuring work of nearly 450 of the SC's leading artists. The Center offers educational and interpretive displays of Southern folklife. Its mission is to enhance the appreciation and understanding of the rich cultural heritage of South Carolina. Also - "Handmade: A Celebration of the Elements of Craft". Artists and craftsmen from all over the state will sit on the porch of the center creating their artwork. This event takes place every 3rd Sat. of each month 11am-3pm. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 843/549-0011 or at (www.southcarolinaartisan-scenter.org).

# SC Commercial Galleries

#### Aiken / North Augusta

Lee-Johnston Originals and Art, 401 W. Martintown Rd., on the courtyard of the North Hills Shopping Center, Suite 10, North Augusta. Ongoing - Featuring hand-produced fine and decorative art, ranging from limited-edition photographic prints to hand-stitched quilts, by local and regional artists, including: Nancy B. Smith, R.R. Frazier, and Joni-Dee Ross. The gallery also carries books and original greeting cards. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 803/8198533.

**The Artists' Parlor**, 126 Laurens Street, N.W., Aiken. **Ongoing -** Featuring fine American crafts and art objects. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5-:30pm. Contact: 803/648-4639.

Wild Hare Pottery, 1627 Georgia Avenue at the corner of Alpine Avenue, N. Augusta. Ongoing - Featuring handcrafted pottery in porcelain, earthenware, stoneware, and raku by David Stuart. Hours: M-F, 10am-5pm. (Call ahead.) Contact: 803/279-7813.

### Anderson

**Brushstrokes**, 1029 S. McDuffie St., Anderson. **Ongoing -** Uniquely painted furniture, faux finishes and original artwork featuring the works of Pamela Tillinghast Sullivan. Hours: Mon.-Tues. or by appt.; Wed.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 864/261-3751.

# **Beaufort Area**

Bay St. Gallery, 719 Bay St., Beaufort. Ongoing - Offering original works focusing on many different aspects of what is best about the Low-country and celebrating the beautiful fragility of this unique wetlands area. A variety of media, oil, acrylic, pastel, printmaking and sculpture sensitively interprets and conveys the essence of coastal SC. Artists include Jim Draper, Susan Graber, Lana Hefner, Mandy Johnson, Susan Mayfield, Marcy Dunn Ramsey, and Taylor Nicole Turner. South Carolina's finest collection of sweetgrass baskets compliments the other works. Hours: Mon-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/522-9210 or at (www.baystgallery.com).

Charles Street Gallery, 914 Charles Street, @ Charles & Greene Street, Beaufort. Ongoing - Located in a lovingly restored building, we offer custom framing and handcrafted furniture, and feature exhibits by local artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 843/521-9054 or at (www.thecharlesstreetgallery.com).

I. Pinckney Simons Gallery, LLC, 711 Bay Street, historic downtown Beaufort. Ongoing - Featuring fine artists of the South since 1979; paintings, sculpture, jewelry, and mosaic masks. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-4:30pm, & Sat., 11am-3-pm. Contact: 843/379-4774 or at (www.ipsgallery.com)

Indigo Gallery, 809 Bay St., Beaufort. Ongoing - Featuring a gallery of fine art, including a unique selection of paintings by local and regional artists. Represented are: Sandra Baggette, Alison Crossman, Gloria Dalvini, Janet Mozley, and Polly Swenson. Also: Peter Pettegrew, Kelley Sanford & Liz Reitz. Fine custom framing is also available. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: Janet Deaton 843/524-1036

**Longo Gallery**, 103 Charles Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing -** Featuring new works including paintings, collages and constructions by Eric Longo & sculptures by Suzanne Longo. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/522-8933.

**Ly Bensons Gallery & Studio**, 211 Charles Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing -** Featuring the exhibits, "The Gullah/African Link" and "Out of

Africa," featuring rare Shona Verdite sculptures by various artists from Zimbabwe, Africa, and original photographs by Gullah photographer and gallery owner Rev. Kennneth F. Hodges. Also, an array of antiques, batiks, and artworks for the discerning collector. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 843/525-9006 or at (www.lybensons.com).



Work by Nancy Ricker Rhett

Rhett Gallery, 901 Bay St., Beaufort. Ongoing - Featuring prints and paintings of the Lowcountry by four generations of artists, wildfowl carvings by William Means Rhett, antique prints & maps, Audubons, and Civil war material. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5:30pm; Sun. 11am-2pm. Contact: 843/524-3339 or at (www.rhettgallery.com).

The Craftseller, 818 Bay St., Beaufort. Ongoing - Featuring unique works by American artists in pottery, jewelry, metal, glass, textiles, wood, painting and kaleidoscopes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 843/525-6104 or at (www.craftseller.com)

**The Gallery**, 802 Bay St., Beaufort. **Ongoing -** Original contemporary creations including oil on canvas, bronze, stone, and ceramic sculpture, acrylic & ink on paper, and works in glass, wood and photography. Hours: Mon.-Sat.,11am-5pm, or by appt. Contact: 843/470-9994 or at (www.thegallery-beaufort.com).

# Belton

Carlene Shuler Brown Gallery, 3605 Old Williamston Road, Belton. Ongoing - Original watercolor paintings and prints by Carlene Shuler Brown. Also acrylic collages and paper collages using stained papers, oriental papers and lace papers by Carlene Shuler Brown. Commissioned paintings Painting and drawing classes are offered. Custom framing is offered also. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 864/225-3922.

# Bluffton

Four Corners Art Gallery and Fine Framing, 1263 May River Rd., Historic District, Bluffton. Ongoing - Featuring works by 12 artists with an especially local flavor. The works are in acrylic, oil, mixed media, pen and ink, pottery and wire sculture. A real treat. We have a fine collection of custom picture frame mouldings and an experienced staff to work with anything from the unusual to the museum treated piece. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 11am-2pm. Contact: 843/757-8185.

Maye River Gallery, 37 Calhoun St., Bluffton. Ongoing - Featuring works by: Anne Hakala, Barb Snow, Bobsy Simes, Carrol Kay, Diane Dean, Kelly Davidson, Donna Ireton, Jo dye, Joyce Nagel, Cora Rupp, Laura Silberman, Kathy Tortorella, Judy Saylor McElynn, Marci Tressel, Susan Knight, Vickie Ebbers, Julie Yeager. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/757-2633 or at (http://www.mayerivergallery.com/).

**Pluff Mudd Art**, 27 Calhoun St., Bluffton. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Terry Brennan, Bob Berman, Peggy Carvell, Laura Cody, Diane Dean, Cheryl Eppolito, Ed Funk, David Knowl

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