The Howard Gallery, 532 West Broadway St., Myrtle Beach. Ongoing - Featuring a frame Shop and gallery of local award winning artists with cards and small gifts as well. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm & 3rd Thur. of the month from 5-7:30pm. Contact: 843/626-3118 or at (www.thehowardgallery.com).

The Loft at The Howard Gallery, 532 West Broadway St., Myrtle Beach. Ongoing - Featuring a gallery of award winning artists, featuring paintings by Carol Belcher, Elaine Bigelow, Sue Coley, Judy O'Brien and Jan Wurst, with collage, origami and ceramics by Millie Doud, ceramics by John Bolicki, photos by Suzanne Gaff, and photos and jewelry by Kelly Mezzapelle. Also a fine selection of framing by The Howard Gallery. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-5-:30pm & 3rd Thur. of the month from 5-7:30pm. Contact: 843/626-3118 or at (www.thehowardgallery.com).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Myrtle Beach Chapin Park, 1400 Kings Hwy and 16th Ave. N., Myrtle Beach. June 18 & 19; Oct. 8 & 9; Nov. 5 & 6, 2011, from 10am-4pm - "39th Annual Art in the Park - Show & Sale," sponsored by Waccamaw Arts and Crafts Guild. We will have over 60 artists from the East Coast, as far away as TN, with about 20 of those artists from our local area. Typical art will include Paintings, Woodworking, Photography, Jewelry, Fabric, Glass, Metal, Pottery, Leather and Stone. Free admission and Kid friendly. For info call JoAnne Utterback, 843/446-7471 or at (www.artsyparksy.com).

Valor Park, 1120 Farrow Parkway, Market common, Myrtle Beach. Nov. 12 & 13, 2011, from 10am-4pm - "Waccamaw Arts and Crafts Guild's 39th Annual Art in the Park". We will have over 60 artists from the East Coast and as far away as Tennessee with about 20 of those artists from our local area. Typical art will include paintings, woodworking, photography, jewelry, fabric, glass, metal, pottery and stone. No admission charge. Child and Pet Friendly! Contact: JoAnne Utterback at 843/446-7471 or (www.artsyparksy.com).

North Charleston/Goose Creek

Artistic Spirit Gallery, 10 Storehouse Row, The Navy Yard at Noisette, North Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring original visionary artwork by people who are driven to produce as a form of self-expression or release. In addition to pieces by long departed anonymous artisans, work by Southern folk artists and contemporary visionaries such as William LaMirande, Casey McGlynn, Davy Marshall, Ed Larson, Alfred Eaker and Jerome Neal are featured. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 843/579-0149 or at (www.artisticspiritgallery.com).



Work by Steve Hazard

Steve Hazard Studio Gallery, 3180 Industry Dr., Suite A, Pepperdam Industrial Park, enter business park at Pepperdam from Ashley Phosphate Rd., North Charleston. Ongoing - Show & sale of contemporary fine craft and fine art. A gallery and working studio featuring works by Steve Hazard including 2-D & 3-D wall art, sculpture, vessels, accessories and iewelry in fused glass and etched clear glass welded metal tables. Commissions accepted for gates and custom projects. Works in various media by local & guest artists include original paintings, sculpture and reproductions. Thursday - Saturday, 2 - 6 PM and by appoint Hours: Thur.-Sat., 2-6pm (call ahead). Contact: 843/552-0001 or e-mail at (afgraffiti@aol.com).

Wild Goose Gallery, 119-H North Goose Creek Blvd., Goose Creek. Ongoing - The gallery carries original art by primarily local and regional artists, pottery, and some unique hand-crafted gift items, as well as some limited edition prints. We also create etched glass and mirror designs, and do custom framing. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/553-6722.

Pawleys Island, Litchfield & Murrells Inlet

Art Works, Litchfield Exchange, 2 miles south of Brookgreen Gardens, behind Applewood's House of Pancakes, Pawleys Island. Ongoing - Featuring original work by 60 local artists in regularly changing displays. Paintings by Judy Antosca, Elaine Bigelow, Nancy Bracken, Ruth Cox, Mary Dezzutti, Dottie Dixon, Ernest Gerhardt, Susan Goodman, Kathleen McDermott, Hal Moore, Martha Radcliff, Nancy Van

Buren, Nancy Wickstrom, Jane Woodward and others, as well as works in mixed media by Gwen Coley, Millie Doud, Sue Schirtzinger and Savana Whalen, clay by Rhoda Galvani, Scott Henderson, Elizabeth Keller, Jan Rhine, Oscar Shoenfelt and Caryn Tirsch, wood by John King and Johnny Tanner, bronze by Leez Garlock and Gayle Cox Mohatt, stained glass by Royal Elmendorf, painted glassware by Nancy Grumman, and gullah fabric art by Zenobia. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/235-9600

(www.classatpawleys.com).

Ebb & Flow Art Co-op, 4763 Hwy. 17, across from Thomas Supply, right before the Wachesaw Rd. intersection, Murrells Inlet. Ongoing - a new art gallery in Murrells Inlet that boasts a hefty array of local talent. The gallery features many different mediums from established artisans who have been working in the area for years as well as fresh new talent, including works by: Lee Arthur, Adrian Dorman, Gaston Locklear, Chuck May, Keels Culberson Swinnie, Ted Watts, Sara McLean, Larry Bell, Jason Moore, Amy Cox, Amy Locklear, Graham Lawing, Glen Grant, Susan Williams, Wes Gordon, Mary Manz, Allison Creagh, Kristen Montsinger, Bobbie Holt, Rich Kuhn, Jolyn Kuhn, Danny Foley, Dot Hannah, Tom Hora and many more! Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/446-7076 or e-mail at (kellykeels@aol.com).

The Cheryl Newby Gallery, 11096 Ocean Hwy 17., in The Shops at Oak Lea, Pawleys Island. Ongoing - Representing Sigmund Abeles, Ellen Buselli, Ray Ellis, Joseph Cave, Laura Edwards, Claire K. Farrell, Kathy Metts, and Mike Williams; also sculptors Gwen Marcus and Catherine Ferrell. A large inventory of original antique natural history prints and engravings by Mark Catesby, John J. Audubon, John Gould, and others. Also original antique maps and charts from the 16th through the 19th centuries. Hours: Tue-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 843/979-0149 or (www.cherylnewbygallery.com).

Waccamaw Nature Photography Centre, 13089 Ocean Hwy., Building D-1, behind the Mayor's House Restaurant, Pawleys Island. Ongoing - Featuring the photographic works by Mark Hilliard and Sean Thompson. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/467-0774 or at (www.WaccamawNaturePhotography.com).

Rock Hill

Gallery 5, a contemporary artspace, 131 East Main Street, Suite 506 on fifth floor, downtown Rock Hill. Ongoing - Representing awardwinning American artists, over 40 from 18 states, including paintings, sculpture, glass, ceramics and functional art. Hours: by appt., call 803/985-5000 and e-mail at (galleryfive@comporium.net).

The Frame Shop and Gallery, 570 N. Anderson Rd., Rock Hill. Ongoing - Offering original fine art, limited edition prints and posters as well as custom framing services. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803-328-8744.

Seneca

Patina on the Alley, 114 Ram Cat Alley, Seneca. Ongoing - Featuring limited edition prints, giclees, originals, pottery and sculptures by local and regional artists such as Beti Strobeck, Wanda Heffelfinger, Gale McKinley, Diana Pursch, Fran Humphries, Paul Frederick, Connie Lippert, Kate Krause, Karen Dittman, Sue Grier, Bob Doster, and Brandy Weiner. We also have baskets by Pati English and Nancy Basket. Photography by Jack Kates, Carl Ackerman, Dede Norungolo, and Witt Langstaff. Also the working studio of Michael Brown. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 864/888-1110 or at (www.patinaalley.com).

The Artist's Loft, 121-B Townville St., (upstairs) Seneca. Ongoing - Gallery and studio space for local artists/members including Edie Hamblin (winner of the "Blue Ridge Arts Council 19th Annual Juried Exhibition)" and the new pARTy. Social Art Classes. Hours: Wed.-Sat. ,10am-5pm. Contact: 864/882-2711, e-mail at (theartistsloft@yahoo.com).

Spartanburg

Downtown Spartanburg, May 19, 5-9pm -"Art Walk Spartanburg". Held on the 3rd Thur, of every month art galleries and art spaces in downtown Spartanburg will open their doors. Participating are: Spartanburg Art Museum, HUB-BUB showroom, Carolina Gallery, Crescent Gallery. West Main Artists Cooperative and MYST. For more information call 864/585-3335 (www.carolinagalleryart.com).

Art & Frame Gallery, 108 Garner Road, Spartanburg. Ongoing - Featuring works by local artists, custom framing and art supplies. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 864/585-3700.

Carolina Gallery, 145 W. Main Street. Spartanburg. Ongoing - Featuring fine art originals and reproductions by local, national and international artist including Linda Cancel, Jim Creal, Daniel Cromer, Scott Cunningham, Trey Finney, Isabel Forbes, Bonnie Goldberg, Robert LoGrippo, Virginia Scribner Mallard, Alan McCarter, Joan Murphy, Keith Spencer, and many others. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10:30am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm and by appt. Contact: 864/585-3335 or at (www.carolinagalleryart.com).

Creals Studio and Gallery, Suite 950, Montgomery Building, 187 N. Church St., Spartanburg. Ongoing - Featuring works by Jim Creal. Hours: by appt. only or chance. Contact: 864/597-0879 or e-mail at (jimcreal@mindspring.

Mayo Mac Boggs Studio, 1040 Seven Springs Road, Spartanburg. Ongoing - Limited edition bronze tablets, steel sculpture and computer graphics. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 864/579-2938 or at (www.myartweb.com).

MYST Gallery, 154 W. Main St., on Morgan Square, Spartanburg. **Ongoing -** Featuring art with an edge of innovation, focusing on abstract, surreal and expressive works. Representing Jamie Blackburn, Andrew Blanchard, Betty Bramlett, Jane Doyle, Jack Farmer, Patricia Cole-Ferullo, Bonnie Goldberg, Amy Goldstein-Rice, Heidi Hayes, Carol Beth Icard, Gary Poole, Jim Rabby, and Howard Solomon. Hours: Tue.-Wed., 11am-2pm; Thur.-Fri., 11am-5pm, & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 864/585-

West Main Artists Cooperative, 578 West Main St., Spartanburg. Through May 28 -"Welcome to My Little World," featuring very small works by Joan Wheatley. A reception will be held on May 19, from 5-9pm. Ongoing - Featuring a twenty thousand square foot facility featuring works by 38 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: at (www.Westmainartists.webs.com).

Wet Paint Syndrome, LLC, Hillcrest Specialty Row (on the flip side), 1040 Fernwood-Glendale Rd., Suite 34, Spartanburg. First Thur. of each month, 6:30-9pm - "Pop-Up Gallery Nights." This is an open wall night to show and sell newer works. The Pop-Up event is intended to serve both the established and emerging artists in the region, as well as collectors who are looking for more affordable and the current edge of newer works. It is different every month, and we never know what will popup next! Contact: 864/579-9604 or at (www.wetpaintsyndrome.com).

Summerville

Art Central, Ltd. Gallery, 130 Central Ave., Summerville. Ongoing - Featuring fine art originals, reproductions, one-of-a-kind jewelry and photography by local award winning artists. Representing Helen K. Beacham, Bette Lu Bentley-Layne, Mary Ann Bridgman, Renee Bruce, Christine

Crosby, Judy Jacobs, Alexandra Kassing, Sarah Allums Kuhnell, Yvonne L. Rousseau, June Sullivan, Delaine Walters, Kathleen Wiley and Detta C. Zimmerman. Featuring consignment artists Wilma Cantey/pottery, Gary Nunn/woodworking, Guenter Weber/walking sticks and sweetgrass baskets and gourds by Sharon Perkins. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/871-0297 (www.artcgalleryltd.com).

Four Green Fields Gallery & Gifts, 117-A Central Ave., Summerville. Ongoing - Featuring the new home of Silver Pail Pottery by potters Jillian and Robin Carway. The gallery showcases the work of 45+ American fine craft artists with an emphasis on local and South Carolina artisans. Offering a wide range of talent from the master potter to the emerging silversmith. Other media represented include fiber, wood, photography, baskets, paper, glass, metal, leather and handmade artisan products. Craft artists interested in exhibiting with Four Green Fields can find an "Artist Info Packet" on the website. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/261-7680 or at (www.fourgreenfieldsgallery.com).

Imperial Framing & Specialities, 960 Bacons Bridge Road, Palmetto Plaza, Summerville. Ongoing - Featuring works by Lowcountry artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 843/871-9712.

Miles Gallery, 208 S. Magnolia St., Summerville. Ongoing - Whimsicalities for eclectic personalities. Fun art from local, regional, and international artists. Handmade jewelry, paintings, folk art, pottery and much more. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 843/851-1182 or at (www.milesgallery.us).

People, Places, & Quilts, 129 W. Richardson Avenue, Summerville. **Ongoing -** Featuring fabric, books, patterns, notions, quilts and Folk Art. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm and Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/937-9333 or at (www.ppquilts.com).

Tea Farm Cottage, 808 N. Cedar St., Summerville. Ongoing - Featuring works by the largest group of artisans and crafters in the tri-county area with 90 sellers under one roof, plus locallymade foods and antiques. Monthly arts and crafts shows on our 1/2 acre property. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/871-1113.

The Finishing Touch, 140-A West Richardson Ave., Summerville. Ongoing - Featuring original art, fine crafts, framing and interior design by appt. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/873-8212.

Treasure the View - Sand Carved Glass, 129 1/2 W. Richardson Ave., Summerville. Ongoing -Unique sand carved glass sculptures created by renowned artist Lex Melfi. Each piece is a one-ofa-kind masterpiece produced by cutting images into glass using high-pressured sand. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 843/875-7822 or at (www.lexmelfi.com).

Sumter

Elephant Ear Gallery Fine Arts and Creations, 672 Bultman Dr., Sumter. Ongoing - Featuring works by 23 artists offering every medium from watercolor to angora grown rabbits producing fur for spinning. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 803/773-2268.

NC Institutional Galleries

Albemarle

Falling Rivers Gallery, 119 West Main St., next to Starnes jewelers, Albemarle. May 3 - 21 - " Hop Into Spring Craft Show". May 17 - 27 - "Faces of the "C" Word," featuring a photography exhibit and book launch to benefit Relay for Life, by Albemarle's own Kelly Forrest Story. **Ongoing -** The gallery is a cooperative venue of the Stanly Arts Guild. Member staffed, this gallery offers the very best in local art and crafts including oil and watercolor, photography, pottery and ceramic art, jewelry, native American art, gourd sculpture and much more. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm; Thur. till 6:30pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 704/983-4278 or at (www.fallingriversgallery.com)

Aberdeen

The Exchange Street Gallery, 129 Exchange St., Aberdeen. Ongoing - The Artist's League of the Sandhills currently houses 35 artists-inresidence studios and offers classes by local professional artists and workshops by nationally known artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon -3pm. Contact: Melodie McRae at 910/9443979, or at (www.artistleague.org).

Alamance County

BAL Gallery. Holly Hill Mall and Business Center, 309 Huffman Mill Rd., Exit 141 off of I85/ 140, Burlington. May 1 - 29 - "Burlington Artists League Senior Artists Judged Competition," featuring works by artists who are 55 or older. Ongoing - Since the beginning of Burlington Artists League in 1972, we have grown to represent many local artists in our immediate area. BAL's express purpose is to promote and elevate the area artists and their fine art spirit in Burlington, NC, and surrounding areas, thereby creating outlets for the artists and encourging their continuing efforts to improve and create more art work. Along with wall art and bin reproductions, the BAL Artists Gallery also includes 3-D art such as sculptures and pottery. Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon-8pm; Sat., 10am-9pm, & Sun. for special events. Contact: 336-584-3005 or at (http://balartists.com/joomla/).

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