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THE RED PIANO

Editorial by Tom Starland, Editor and Publisher COMMENTARY

Next month starts our countdown to 30 years of publishing information about the visual arts community in the Carolinas. Of course it all started in Charleston, SC, in July 1987 with Charleston Arts, but by Jan. of 1997 we were covering exhibits taking place in North Carolina too.

But, the big change came in Jan. 2011 when we transitioned from a print publication to being totally electronic and available worldwide on the internet. There are still a few dinosaurs out there who still wish we were printing the publication, but that's not going to happen - even if I won the lottery I wouldn't go back. I don't miss killing trees to bring you news about exhibits taking place in North and South Carolina - and then filing up landfills when people are finished with those papers. We need those trees for other things - like staying alive.

The publication we put out each month on the internet is so much better than any printed version could be or was. It's available 24/7, in full color, with no limits on size, covers the entire two states, and you don't have to go anywhere to pick up a copy. You can have it anytime you want on your computer, tablet, or smart phone. And you've got access to content from issues as far back as 1999. Didn't see the October 2014 issue? You can check it out at (www.carolinaarts.com) or download it hundreds of people do it every day. In fact thousands of people download individual pages or whole issues of back publications every month.

Art Happens in Summer Too

Some people would think that when Summer comes to the Carolinas all things would come to a halt or at least the pace of a

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snail but it doesn't - at least in the visual art community. Oh yes, some folks might get to enjoy those lazy days of Summer, but here at Carolina Arts, there is still lots of stuff going on that we need to tell you about.

In this issue there are 59 pages of info about the visual art community in North and South Carolina. That's a lot smaller than many of our peak months in the Spring and Fall, but still - that's a lot of stuff going on. So, even when you're on vacation in the mountains or at the beach in the Carolinas - take time to go see an exhibit or two. Art works well with Mother Nature.

Silence Isn't Golden

Some people have wondered what's going on with ArtFields in Lake City, SC? Nothing that I can see or have heard about. Like most years they have gone into hibernation again, instead of working to grow the event. Of course they can always make up more numbers when they need to, but I think they're in for a major shrinking. Like they say - Out of Sight - Out of Mind.

Designate Something That Matters

The SC Arts Commission has spent the last year or two declaring areas around SC. "Cultural Districts". To them, "A cultural district is a geographic area that has a concentration of cultural facilities, activities and assets." The key word here is "concentration". What they call a concentration might be different than what you or I might consider a concentration, depending on where you live or have lived.

I've yet to have anyone in an area that has been designated a "Cultural District" to explain what they get from the Arts Commission other than the title.

Small Works Fine Art Auction to Take Place at The Sylvan Gallery in Charleston, SC - July 16, 2016

Collectors are checking out the catalogue and already submitting absentee bids for the upcoming "Small Works Fine Art Auction" slated for Saturday, July 16, 2016, at The Sylvan Gallery at 171 King Street in Charleston, SC. This live auction event is co-produced by The Sylvan Gallery and Morris & Whiteside Auctions, based in Hilton Head Island, SC. This event will feature 226 lots.

Artists paint specifically for this event with the goal of attracting young collectors hoping to start a collection and also our experienced collectors who may want to add to their collections.

This is the third year for the Small Works Auction which presents a rare opportunity to acquire small works by many of America's leading contemporary artists. All paintings will be estimated at current market, reserves will be set significantly lower and many of the paintings will be offered at no reserve to afford both young and experienced collectors an opportunity to add to their collections. Some works will be sold framed and others, unframed



Artists participating include: Rhett Thurman, Mary Whyte, Mark Horton, Glenn Harrington, Russell Gordon, Dean Mitchell, Scott Burdick, Dan McCaw, Kim English, William Berra, Ted Ellis,



Michelle Torrez, Milt Kobayashi, Andre Kohn and Linda St. Clair. Over 68 artists are participating

The auction on July 16th will begin at 1pm. Seating is limited. Preview hours are July 11th-14th, 10am-5pm, July 15th, 10am-7pm and July 16th, 10am-1pm.

For over fifteen years, Morris & Whiteside Auctions, LLC has produced premier fine art auctions on Hilton Head Island and in Charleston, SC. Offering significant paintings, sculpture and vintage prints by deceased and contemporary masters of the South, the annual Fall event attracts an extensive database of proven collectors from throughout the United States.

The Sylvan Gallery is a traditional gallery featuring nationally and internationally recognized painters and sculptors. The gallery focuses on twentieth and twentyfirst century representational art.

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City of Charleston, SC, Commemorate the Anniversary of the Tragedy at Mother **Emanuel Offering Work by Dr. Leo Twiggs**

One of the nation's leading African-American artists exhibits visually powerful work at City Gallery at Joseph P. Riley, Jr. Waterfront Park in Charleston, SC, to commemorate the one year anniversary of the horrific tragedy at Mother Emanuel.

Requiem for Mother Emanuel, a series of nine paintings by Dr. Leo Twiggs, one of the nation's leading African-American artists, will be exhibited at City Gallery at Joseph P. Riley, Jr. Waterfront Park, in partnership with the Hampton III Gallery, in Taylors, SC, through July 31, 2016. The City of Charleston will dedicate the entire first floor of the Gallery to display the nine

An artist's video commentary of the anies the exhibition. Twiggs shares his artistic vision and gives tribute to the extreme grace displayed by the Mother Emanuel family. The Requiem for Mother Emanuel exhibition is part of a nine-day remembrance hosted by the City of Charleston to commemorate the one-year anniversary of the nine victims who were slain on the evening of June 17, 2015, at the Emanuel African Methodist Episcopal Church, the oldest African Methodist Episcopal Church in the southern United States.

"This series has been the most difficult I have ever done," says Twiggs. "Some of the members of Mother Emanuel are close to my family. No series has been more painful or personal. I want people to look at my works and know that something tragic happened in a Church

... that a horrible thing happened in a Church that changed lives. My paintings are testimonies to the nine who were slain. But I also record another moment: our state's greatest moment . . . a response that moved us from tragedy to redemption. For one shining moment we looked at each Page 6 - Carolina Arts, July 2016



"Requiem for Mother Emanuel #1", 2015 (batik) 26 1/2" x 16 1/2" Photo by Sailwind Pictures

other not as different races but as human beings."

"From the City Gallery I can see the docks where the ships came in carrying my ancestors," adds Twiggs. "Through the decades many of them worshiped at Mother Emanuel. Hopefully, we will not forget but will remember that moment that brought us all together."

One of the symbols that Twiggs has used in his paintings since the 1970's is the Confederate Flag. The flag becomes a reoccurring symbol in the Requiem series as it is splashed across the surface of the

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nizable symbol to a disintegrating form that becomes a cross on a blood stained background and then changes to a cross with the red drained from it. The target and the symbol nine also appear in this series. There is a definite visual transition in the sixth painting as Twiggs recalls the afternoon he entered the Church and stood in front of the stained glass window.

Twiggs produces his paintings using the batik method, an ancient technique of manual wax-resistant dying applied to whole cloth. Twiggs manually dyes and dips each piece of fabric multiple times over the course of several weeks to achieve a look that exhibits remarkable depth, tone and texture.

Leo Twiggs was born in 1934 in St. Stephens, SC. He received his BA summa cum laude from Claffin University, later studied at the Art Institute of Chicago and received his MA from New York University where he studied with Hale Woodruff, the acclaimed African-American painter and muralist. He received his doctorate n art education from the University of Georgia and was the first artist to receive the Verner Award (Governor's Trophy) for outstanding contribution to the arts in South Carolina.

As Professor of Art at South Carolina State University, Twiggs developed the Art Department and I.P. Stanback Museum. He was named Professor Emeritus in 2000. He has had over 70 one-man shows and his work has received international recognition, with exhibits at the Studio Museum and the American Crafts Museum in New York and in US Embassies in Rome, Dakar and Togoland, among others. His work has been widely published in art textbooks and featured in several television documentaries. Myths and Metaphors, a retrospective of Twiggs' work organized by the Georgia Museum of Art in 2004, traveled throughout the Southeast. Twiggs has been represented



"Requiem for Mother Emanuel #7", 2016 (batik) 30" x 24" Photo by Sailwind Pictures

by Hampton III Gallery since the mid - 1970's. He currently resides in Orangeburg, SC, where his studio is located.

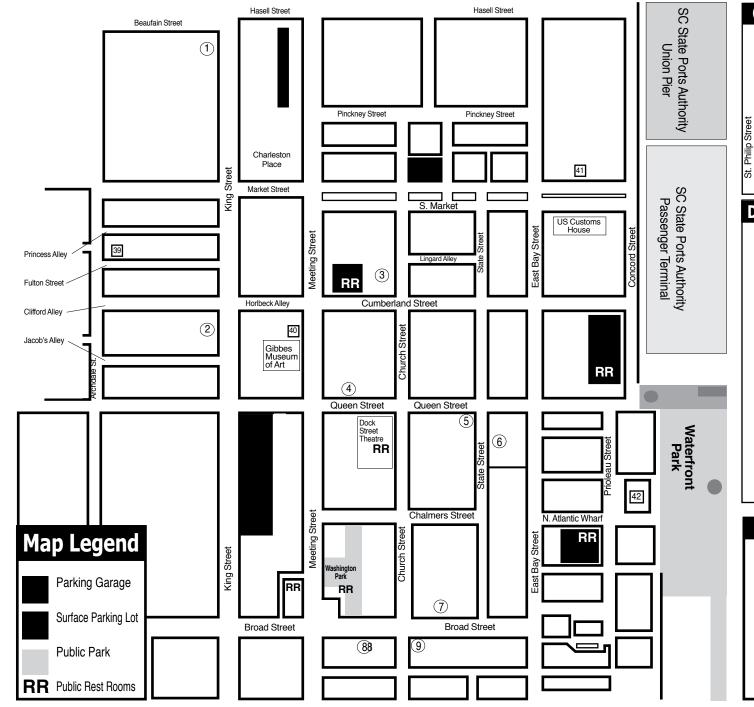
unded in 1970, Hampton III Gallery is South Carolina's longest operating art gallery. It offers the Upstate community and visitors to the area from around the world access to the work of significant national, regional and local artists. With its emphasis on seeking out engaging and thought-provoking works, Hampton III Gallery produces its own exhibitions and hosts traveling shows. Art available at the gallery is selected for visual appeal coupled with a focus on relevance in historical, cultural and social contexts. The gallery also maintains one of the state's strongest artist representations.

The video program was produced by Sailwind Pictures of Greenville, SC, directed and produced by Joe Clark and Ken Beale

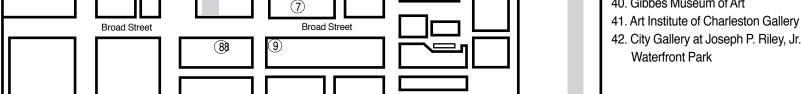
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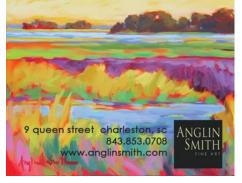
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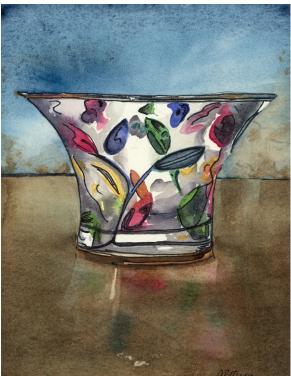
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This year at Ella W. Richardson Fine Art, in Charleston, SC, we are thrilled to be partnering with Anson Restaurant for the 11th annual Palette & Palate Stroll (a ticketed event), taking place July 15, from 5:30-&:30pm. In addition to the great cuisine, we will be featuring new Parisian dining interiors by Lindsay Goodwin, which will remain on view through Aug.

Anne Peterson



Work by Lindsay Goodwin

While you're savoring bites from Anson during our Palette & Palate stroll, peruse Goodwin's works and imagine a quiet night in Paris. A cozy corner, a lavish ballroom, a glass case brimming with colorful french pattiserie...all framed in gold. The newest paintings by Lindsay Goodwin are a sweet display of dining interiors highlighting some of Paris' most beautiful locales.

Internationally acclaimed, Goodwin was born and raised in Topanga, CA, and began studying classical methods of painting at O'Neill's Fine Art Studio in



Malibu. She attended the Academy of Art University in San Francisco, where she became a student of Craig Nelson, another artist Richardson represents. Painting alla prima, or wet-on-wet, Goodwin has a tight deadline to finish works.

"I tend to over-explain things in my life, but never in my paintings. That time limit gives me more confidence in my work, and I make every move count, Goodwin explains. Named as one of the "Top 21 Artists under 31" by Southwest Art magazine, Goodwin has been featured in *Plein Air* magazine, the San Francisco Chronicle, and most recently in American Art Collector's May 2015 issue.

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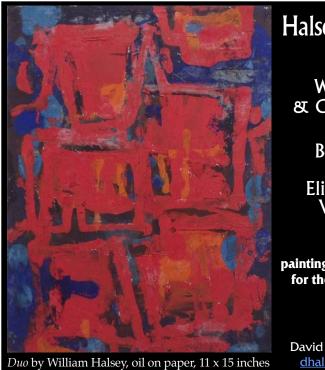
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Corrigan Gallery in Charleston, SC, Offer Collaborative Works on Paper

Corrigan Gallery LLC in Charleston, SC, will present A Response to Paper, featuring a group show by local artists Alan Jackson, Hirona Matsuda, Michael Hayes, and Matthew Dietz, on view from July 1-30, 2016. A reception will be held on July 1, from 5-8pm.

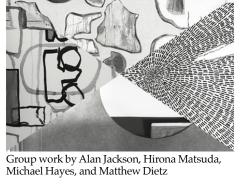
In A Response to Paper, artists Michael Hayes, Alan Jackson, Matthew Dietz and Hirona Matsuda use the everyman's material of paper to create a collaborative abstract work. Their process-oriented approach centers on the organization of spontaneous mark making and while each employs the same intuitive and reactionary response to their materials, the resulting body of work intriguing in its variation.

Michael Hayes is an artist who primarily works with oil based media, creating non-representational compositions that vary in size and subject. In 2014, he moved to Charleston after graduating with a BA in Studio Art from Georgia State University in Atlanta. Heavily influenced by New York School of Abstract Expressionism, his work parallels much of those processes and methodology.

"I like to begin each piece by creating marks and shapes at random. I have found satisfaction in the spontaneous, often compulsive, act of drawing and painting. Sometimes, I recycle imagery from past works as a starting point for new pictures. In an attempt to maintain spontaneity while working, I try to add and destroy layers intuitively until the residue builds up the complexity of the image. This process eventually generates a platform for me to experiment with my materials as well as the formal values of the painting. I like to think of the studio as a laboratory, where my experiments serve in the pursuit of a meaningful painting experience. The end result, I hope, is to create images that are autonomous.

Hirona Matsuda utilizes found remnants to create three dimensional assemblages. Her current work centers on collaborative projects with other artists who challenge and expand her process. She has exhibited her work locally since 2007 and is currently represented by Mitchell Hill Gallery in downtown Charleston.

Alan Jackson is from Savannah, GA. He graduated from the University of Florida, School of Architecture in 1975 and worked in a series of architectural offices in Savannah, Beaufort, Kiawah Island and Charleston. He has lived in Charleston since 1979. He is a LEED accredited



professional architect and formerly a partner in the architecture firm McKellar & Associates, now maintaining a private

Jackson's interest is in abstract expressionism and minimalist artwork. His artistic efforts have developed out of deconstructing architectural drafting and rendering techniques and reassembling them into simply composed and precisely rendered non-representational drawings. His work was included in the Piccolo Spoleto Juried Art Show at the City Waterfront Gallery and has been shown at the Mitchell Hill Gallery, The Vendue Inn and Corrigan Gallery. And most recently in a collaboration with Hirona Matsuda on Wall Line 2 a site specific installation at ArtFields© in Lake City, SC.

Matthew Shoemaker Dietz was raised in the small city of Columbus, IN. There he grew up around interesting architecture and public art, including a Henry Moore sculpture called the *Large Arch*. He attended Herron School of Art in Indianapolis, IN, receiving his Bachelors in Fine Art with concentrations in painting and printmaking. After receiving his degree, he worked as an instructor for the non-profit art centers ARTcolumbus in Indiana, and Around the Coyote after he moved to Chicago in 2004. In 2007, Dietz was accepted into the post Baccalaureate program at the Art Institute of Chicago then pursued his master's degree in painting and drawing at Ohio State University completing it in 2010. He teaches visual art at College of Charleston and is the manager of Artist & Craftsman Supply in Charleston, where he has lived since 2011.

Corrigan Gallery has provided platform to many artists over the last 11 years. It represents the spirit and openness of contemporary fine art from local artists.

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"The event is truly exciting as our attendees get a chance to take a stroll through the historic cobblestone streets and make stops at local galleries where they can view their latest exhibits, mingle with local artists and chefs and taste their gourmet food tastings. We also give them a chance to discover a piece of art that they fall in love with or a new restaurant. It is very intimate," says Vladia Jurcova Spencer, the event organizer. "Chefs typically use local products and produce in season and all galleries prepare something special for the event; either it is a display of new works, painting demonstrations or a VIP reception. This year for the first time, the attendees will be invited to a desert after party at the Vendue, Charleston's first art hotel."

This year's gallery and restaurant pairings are:

Anglin Smith Fine Art – Circa 1886

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Dog & Horse Fine Art – The Darling Oyster Bar

Ella W. Richardson Fine Art – Anson

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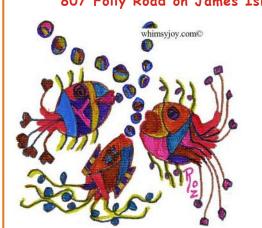
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Participants need to purchase tickets in advance. Tickets are not refundable and will sell out. On the evening of the event, they can check in at any of the participating galleries and enjoy a leisurely stroll through the historic French Quarter, walking from gallery to gallery. Cost is \$45 per

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Charleston Artist Guild in Charleston, SC, Features Works by Mary Wessner

The Charleston Artist Guild in Charleston, SC, will present Thru New Eyes - The World in Black and White, featuring works by Mary Wessner, on view in the Charleston Artist Guild Gallery, from July 1 - 31, 2016. A reception will be held on July 1, from 5pm-8pm.

Mary Wessner mostly photographs in color. She loves color – vibrant sunrises and sunsets, the green leaves of a tree against a dark blue sky, red-faced children playing in the sun. Yet she is drawn to black and white images and loves the drama, emotion, and the ability to look at every aspect of the picture in a more selective and defining way. In this exhibit, Wessner goes out of her comfort zone and looks at the world in a new way – in black

Black and white allows us to conte on the image itself rather than the color of the image. Removing color removes any bias the viewer has that might make them perceive the image in a different way than was intended. Many of Wessner's prints are also new ways of looking at objects we might ordinarily ignore. Smoke burning from an incense stick, a tulip past its prime, and everyday objects and places. We know them so well that we stop looking at the details.



We stop "seeing" the image because we assume what it looks like. You could say Wessner's love of

photography is in her genes. Her parents were both avid photographers and taught her the basics of creating a photograph very early on. It wasn't until she attended school for Spiritual Psychology that her perceptions of the world completely ted and she was compelled to docu ment life in a new and different way. The artist states, "My goal is to capture the inner essence of any subject that I frame, from the soul-searching eyes of an owl to the wilted droop of a past prime tulip. I want every image to evoke some emotion or thought."

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings or call

Dog & Horse Fine Art in Charleston, SC, Offers Works by Abbie Gibson

Gibson will open in conjunction with the Palette and Palate Stroll at Dog & Horse Fine Art in Charleston, SC, on July 15, 2016, from 5:30-7:30pm. The exhibition will continue through Aug. 20.

Gibson's contemporary paintings of horses combine her grasp of equine confirmation and her spiritual connection with these animals. Working in a large Page 10 - Carolina Arts, July 2016

ful emotional impact she experiences with the viewer. Her lyrical brushwork conveys each animal's strength and grace. Born in Charleston, she graduated from Skidmore College and is working in Saratoga Springs, New York.

Highly anticipated by locals and visitors alike, the Palette and Palate Stroll

returns July 15, 2016, 5:30-7:30pm. Join us for an evening dedicated to fine art, unique cuisine and wine, benefiting visual arts educational programs in Charleston, SC. Now in its 11th year, the Palette and Palate Stroll has raised almost \$100,000 for Redux, The College of Charleston, the Gibbes Museum of Art and 11 local high

Dog & Horse has been paired with The Darling Oyster Bar, known for careful attention to local ingredients and sustainability. Begin your stroll at any of the participating galleries. Tickets are \$45 per person. For more info visit (www.paletteand palatestroll.com).

Thirteen participating galleries will be paired with area restaurants, many of whom will incorporate local, seasonal pro-



duce and products into their menus for the evening to give newcomers and visitors a feel for the region.

For further information check our SC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 843/577-5500 or visit (www.

City of North Charleston, SC, **Features Works by Marlene** O'Bryant-Seabrook & Nora Phillips

The City of North Charleston's Cultural Arts Department will present two new exhibits including: Parallel Thoughts/ Single Minded: The Art Quilts of Marlene O'Bryant Seabrook with Prose by EOB3 and Threading Color – Works by Nora Phillips, on view in the North Charleston City Gallery, located in the Charleston Area Convention Center in North Charleston, SC, from July 7 - 29, 2016. A reception will be held on July 7, from 5-7pm.

This retrospective exhibition showcases selected quilts by nationally and internationally exhibited fiber artist, Dr. Marlene O'Bryant-Seabrook. More than a dozen quilts featuring a variety of subjects, along with other small fiber works, will be displayed. A number of the quilts will be accompanied by prose written by the artist's son and published author, Evans O'Bryant, III (EOB3). The works were not created in collaboration, their parallel thoughts were a discovery.

O'Bryant-Seabrook, a third generation continued above on next column to the right | educator, holds a BS from South Carolina



Work by Marlene O'Bryant-Seabrook State College, MAT from The Citadel and Ph.D. from the University of South Carolina. She was a classroom teacher, central staff administrator, and, in 1975. became the first African American and one of only two women on The Citadel's

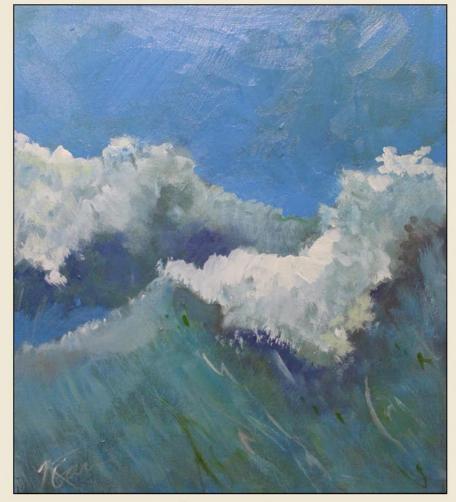
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permanent faculty. O'Bryant-Seabrook has no familial quilters, but took an eight week quilting class in the 1980s and began exhibiting her quilts nationally in 1992. She approaches quilting from the dual focus of an educator and an artist, often slipping "lessons" into her quilts: love of God, family, children; pride in heritage; respect for accomplishments, etc. She has lectured throughout the country and her work has appeared in numerous publications and exhibited both nationally and internationally. O'Bryant-Seabrook was one of 44 nationally recognized fiber artists invited to create a quilt honoring President Obama for an Inaugural exhibition at the Washington Historic Society.

In *Threading Color*, Nora Phillips of Raleigh, NC, presents a collection of mixed media pieces that blend paint, fiber elements, and thread. Phillips has always had a passion for sewing and painting. After much experimentation, she found a way to combine these mediums while maintaining a sense of movement within her work, particularly through the use of thread. Phillips breaks away from thread's traditional function of merely joining or tying things together, and instead uses it as a vehicle for expressing fluency. Thread flows naturally and organically in her art to create various interpretations. From a broader and more cohesive thematic perspective, this flow represents a graceful energy and freedom in creation. From a personal perspective, it connects it to her own feminine nature and personality.

Born and raised in Buenos Aires, Argentina, Phillips comes from a family of artists. After living and working in Argentina and Colombia, she moved to the San Francisco Bay Area in California, where she pursued her interests in contemporary quilting and textile design. In 1995, she relocated to Raleigh, NC, with a strong desire to establish her artistic career



in fiber design and quilting. She began painting in 1997. During these early years she dedicated herself to learn the techniques of fiber painting and after refining her skills began teaching quilting and fabric manipulation classes. Her works have been exhibited in several solo, group, and juried shows at venues such as the North Carolina Museum of Art, the City of Raleigh Museum, and the Greenville Museum of Art, as well as in galleries in the Triangle Area (Raleigh, Durham, Chapel Hill and Cary) in North Carolina and in private art collections throughout the country.

The North Charleston City Gallery is situated in the common areas of the Charleston Area Convention Center, located on Coliseum Drive in North Charleston. Inquiries regarding the artists or purchase information may be directed to the North Charleston Cultural Arts Department at (843)740-5854.

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Society of Bluffton Artists in Bluffton, SC, Features Works by Lauren Terrett

Bluffton, SC, will present Local Color, featuring works by Lauren Terrett, on view from July 5 - 31, 2016. A reception will be held on July 8, from 5-7pm.

Terrett's show is titled *Local Color*, which is appropriate in more ways than one. She is inspired by the vibrant and lush lowcountry atmosphere, customs and features that infuse her surroundings here; and because of her skilled use of "local color" in her paintings – that is the natural color of her subjects. Her work is intuitive and impressionistic. Thick paint, texturing, charcoal lines and many colors define her paintings. Lowcountry seascapes, flora, local people, and local landmarks are her favorite subjects.

Originally from Connecticut, Terrett first discovered her love of fine arts in high school where she flourished with her teacher, who gave her confidence and courage to experiment and start to develop her skills. She went on to pursue a Fine Arts degree from Cazenovia College in upstate New York. While there, acrylics became her medium of choice. She remembers her professor pushing her talent to a new level.

After her first daughter was born, Terrett decided to pursue her lifelong desire to become a Registered Nurse. Along came her second daughter and there proved to be little time to paint. While she found parenting and her nursing career both very rewarding, she longed to get back to her art. In 2015 she married the



love of her life, and with his encouragement, took a leap of faith. She left nursing and immersed herself in her painting.

Terrett credits The Society of Bluffton Artists and The Hilton Head Art Academy for providing varied classes and venues to show her work. Lynda Potter has been her mentor and continues to guide her on her journey. "While nursing has enabled me to help others heal, painting has a healing effect on me." Terrett is back at her canvas as much as time allows as she now splits her time between nursing and painting. She currently calls Bluffton home and her grown daughters live nearby.

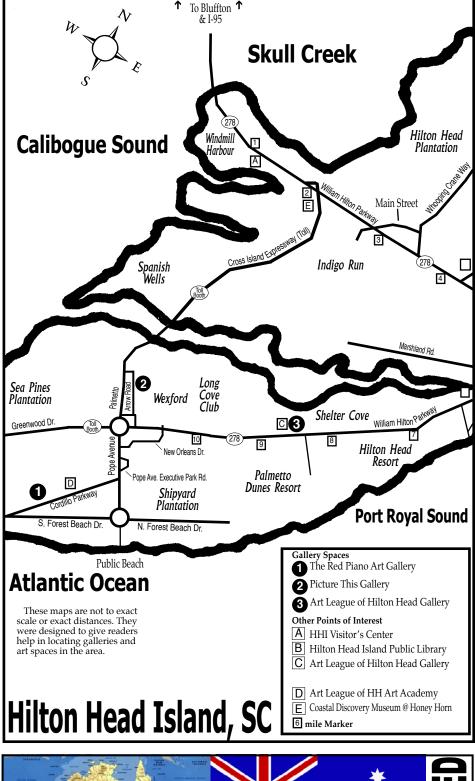
Please join us to meet Terrett, enjoy Local Color, and the work of over 100 other member artists.

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Society at 843/757-6586 or visit (www. sobagallery.com).

The deadline each month to submit articles, photos and ads is the 24th of the month prior to the next issue. This will be July 24th for the August 2016 issue and Aug. 24 for the September 2016 issue. After that, it's too late unless your exhibit runs into the next month. But don't wait for the last minute - send your info now.

And where do you send that info? E-mail to (info@carolinaarts.com).

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Editor's Note: Judith McGrath contributed her writings about exhibits and events taking place in Western Australia to Carolina Arts for about a decade. Although she was writing about events taking place thousands and thousands of miles away, they seemed relevant to what was going on here in the Carolinas. Her contributions were very popular when we first ran them and continue to be popular on our website's archives. We've decide to revisit them from time to time.

A Few Words From Down Under **Reviewing the Critics**

by Judith McGrath, first published in November 2007

Spare a thought for the poor art critic. All we hear is moaning and wailing from artists and galleries about the dearth of art criticism. Yet, when someone dares to write an honest critique of an exhibition, be it praising or denigrating, those same complainants 'chuck a wobbly'. (Australian for 'throwing a tantrum') This leaves the critic stuck between a rock and a hard place, either condemned for being prejudicial or dismissed as lacking knowledge and/or understanding of the newest inspirational art.

With that in mind you'll understand why I classify myself a Reviewer rather then Critic. No, it's not to protect me from the slings and arrows of irate readers it's more the case of correctly defining what I do. As a 'reviewer' I need only record my reaction to, and interpretation of, the

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art on exhibition. If the work is good it should be explained why; if it's imperfect but shows promise 'corrective' criticism can be offered; if it's bad ignore it. (As they say, there's no such thing as bad publicity!) It's about helping the artist and the viewer, it's not about ego.

For example, I recently attended an exhibition of new sculptures by a respected ceramic artist in this town. It had been years since she'd presented her work at home as she'd been exhibiting and participating in workshops around th world. She creates androgynous figures with exaggerated proportions to suggest the uniqueness of humanity.

Recalling her first show many years back I could see the thread that linked these new efforts to her primary forms and how her style had evolved within her theme. It was also obvious that, like me, just about every other viewer in the gallery could pin a personal narrative to at least one figure. People were discussing the works with other attendees, whether they were acquainted or not. One woman approached me to relate what she read in one form and wondered if I felt the same. We were joined by a gentleman and each delighted in the other's reading of the work. The exhibition was a wonderful experience and I reviewed it accordingly.

The following weekend the Sunday newspaper's relatively new art critic wrote about the same show. He considered the figures deformed, the designs etched into the white slip on some forms too busy, the flattened busts derivative of Modigliani

A Few Words From Down Under

then compared the artist's efforts in clay to another more celebrated local practitioner, who works in bronze! It was blatantly obvious that all he saw were odd figures, not the universal truths they presented.

Most art 'critics' view an exhibition through eyes clouded by what they know. They see all that's gone before - in art history, in the artist's career, in the local scene but not what's in front of their eyes. They feel it is their responsibility to place the artwork within a socio-political environment believing their academic credence allows them to fix the boundaries of the art scene. On the other hand, art 'reviewers' leave the backpack full of local prejudices or academic references at home. Instead of analyzing the work with reference to politics, history, culture, personalities or whatever, they look at the work to see what it is saying and relate to it in a personal manner. Yes, our response to fine art is enhanced by knowledge, however it should not be swayed by concepts that lay beyond the artwork, or the self.

As an art reviewer I try to see what the artist is saying, in relation to life and/ or art. When attending an exhibition my overall response to the whole is noted prior to recording my interpretation of particular works. Sometimes I'll chat with, or listen to the comments by other visitors in the gallery to glean their reactions to the exhibition as visual art communicates on different levels to different viewers.

I recall one show by a respected artist in this town and how, after going through the exhibition jotting down my responses, I tuned into the comments of a brace of ladies perusing the paintings. I heard ooos and ahhs as they approached each exhibit, and how they were students of the artist some years back. As they viewed the work they chatted about the artist's good looks, his teaching methods and how much they enjoyed art school. They never once discussed the object in front of them in the present instead they reminisced about the past and considered where to have lunch in the immediate future.

There was another woman in the gallery, sitting on a settee quietly absorbed in one of the larger works. Her attention caused me to focus anew on the particular painting. The artist produces abstract works often inspired by the colours of the 'outback' landscape as seen from an aerial view. When I looked the second time I discovered a painted line I had not noticed previously. It was a continuous, single brush mark that seemed to meander through the whole composition, sometimes boldly sometimes barely there, like a train of thought. When the woman rose from her reverie, we discussed this one brush stroke and each of us discovered a whole new meaning in the work. And yes, we both knew the artist but wasted no time chatting about him rather we talked about the work around us.

The first two ladies are like many art critics. They were not engaging with the art, they were discussing history and their personal encounters with the artist. They had formed their opinion of the exhibition prior to entering the gallery. On the other hand, the lone woman who immersed herself in the art, to concentrate on its concepts, composition, colour and tactile surface, to discover a personal response to the work, was actually 'reviewing' it.

We can't all be art critics but we should all learn to be honest art reviewers. Artists are interested in, and often want to know, if they are reaching their audience. They accept 'corrective' criticism that comes from their peers and/or feedback from the informed viewer, as there are times they cannot see their own shortcomings.

Let's all become art reviewers. We won't make much money but we'll find riches beyond compare.

Judith McGrath lives in Kalamunda, Western Australia, 25 minutes east of Perth. She received a BA in Fine Art and History from the University of Western Australia. McGrath lectured in Art History and Visual Literacy at various colleges around the Perth area, and was an art reviewer for The Sunday Times and The Western Review both published in the Perth area. McGrath was also a freelance writer and reviewer for various art magazines in Australia. She also co-ordinated the web site Art Seen in Western Australia

(http://pandora.nla.gov.au/tep/25381). McGrath is currently enjoying retirement.

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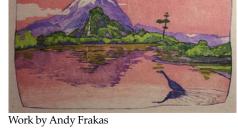
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Erik Haagensen of Greenville, TN, ereates sturdy functional pottery that combines traditional firing methods and materials with odd little illustrations inspired by science fiction and fantasy. His stoneware pottery provides a delightful canvas for fine line drawings of happy, confused, drunken and lovesick monsters

Kat Moser of Snowmass, CO, is a photographer who explores the potency of the | the heritage of Southern African American female form and the otherworldly aspects of earth and water through her elegant, ethereal and often enigmatic photographs. Using a converted infrared camera, she often depicts women as wholly integrated elements of the natural environment.

Beth Tarkington of Marietta, GA, makes handmade ceramic pieces of earthenware clay using slab, coil and mold techniques. They are one-of-a-kind narrative works, incorporating painterly images and occasionally words. Each piece tells a story, relates an experience or relives a memory and encourages a connection between the viewer and the work.

Yuko Nogami Taylor of Raleigh, NC, is a Tokyo native whose artistic inspiration comes from modern western art and historical Japanese art. She skillfully merges



culture and Japanese culture into oil paintings, creating harmony between nature and people.

Guests will get the opportunity to take A Closer Look at the exhibition on Thursday, July 28, beginning at 5:30pm. The free event will include a behindthe-scenes tour of the exhibition and the opportunity to meet other art lovers.

The Galleries are located in the Historic Cabarrus County Courthouse on Union Street S. in Concord. Tours and hands-on, exhibition-related activities for children are available. Admission and activities are free.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Council at 704/920-2787 or visit (www. Cabarrus Arts Council.org).

Jerald Melberg Gallery in Charlotte, NC, Features Works by Nicholas Napoletano and Matthew Steele

Jerald Melberg Gallery in Charlotte, NC, will present Two to Watch, featuring works by sculptor Matthew Steele and painter Nicholas Napoletano, both of Charlotte, on view from July 16 through Sept. 10, 2016. A reception will be held on July 15, from 6-8pm.

Two to Watch aims to celebrate these two young Charlotte artists and introduce them to our collectors. Melberg decided to showcase the work of Steele and Napoletano after making numerous studio visits

and considering the work of over fifty artists. He found that the superior craftsmanship, as well as the intriguing visual components found in both artists' work, is certainly worthy of recognition.

Napoletano has earned a strong reputation for hyperrealist paintings replete with allegory and symbolism. Rich color and idealized figures populate his compositions which are stylistically in line with Mannerism and the High Renaissance.

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Cabarrus Arts Council in Concord, NC, Offers Exhibit of Works That Tell a Story

The Cabarrus Arts Council in Concord, NC, is presenting Unresolved, an exhibition exploring contemporary notions of storytelling, on view at The Galleries, through July 29, 2016.

Unresolved includes paintings. photographs, ceramics and mixed media artworks by 10 artists: Tami Bone, Pattie Chalmers, Robert Crum, Denise Duong, Andy Farkas, Harriet Marshall Goode, Erik Haagensen, Kat Moser, Beth Tarkington, and Yuko Nogami Taylor.

Tami Bone of Austin, TX, grew up in deep South Texas where she spent a childhood oftentimes free and driven by her imagination. Her photographic work today pulls from impressions made during these early beginnings that make their way into her narrative images.

Pattie Chalmers of Carbondale, IL, is a ceramic sculptor who creates narrative tableaus using images culled from childhood tales, four-for-a-dollar comic books, movies-of-the-week, and personal experience. She is on the art faculty at Southern Illinois University.

Robert Crum of Salisbury, NC, is a classically trained artist who works out of a studio at ClearWater Artist Studios in Concord. He is known for working in a variety of media, including oil paintings, sculptures, mosaics, murals and watercolors. He often paints using the same materials and methods used by the Old Masters.

Denise Duong of Oklahoma City, OK, is a Vietnamese-American mixed media artist working with paper, acrylic, and different printing techniques. Many things

inspire her, including traveling, discovery and adventure. The spontaneity of life drives her imagination. Andy Farkas of Asheville, NC, is a

Work by Harriet Marshall Goode

print and book artist who works with wood engraving, drypoint and etching techniques to create detailed, evocative images. He considers the true nature of his work storytelling. Harriet Marshall Goode of Rock Hill.

SC, can't imagine her life without painting. She is a figure painter because she is intrigued by the shape and form of human creatures. Although they often appear amorphous, the figures are always women

who represent people she knows or people continued above on next column to the right

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2012 to participate in the artist residency

Innovation. Recently, he was honored

with a solo exhibition at Pease Gallery

at Central Piedmont Community College

and an artist residency at Skyline Artists

in Residence in uptown Charlotte. During

"To me, functional objects, large or

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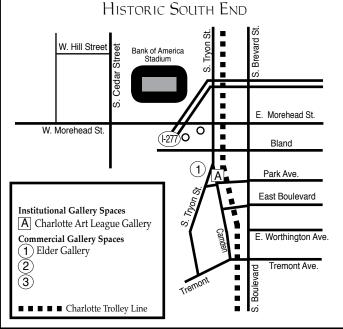
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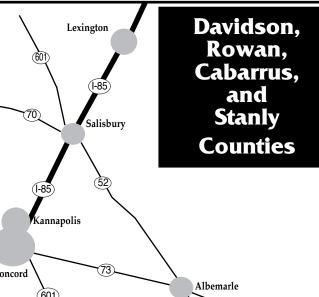
tions," says Steele. "Through no small

this residency he created a 70 foot site

specific installation made of steel.

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He believes the human figure "provides a vehicle to explore and document various facets of the human condition as they relate to both the individual and the universal whole"

After graduating from the University of Hartford in CT, Napoletano continued his art practice with renowned egg tempera painter Fred Wessel, an experience that further defined his modern and creative take on allegorical realism. Having moved to Charlotte in 2015, his work is already recognizable, aided by an ArtPop billboard and new collaborative mural in the Plaza Midwood neighborhood, both in Charlotte. Napoletano has been commissioned by private collectors and institutions and his work can be found in the collections of Amway, the Detroit Institute of Arts and the New Britain Museum of American Art.

"The new work identifies systems, narratives and objects that were conceived with a certain function that has evolved over time. What is left is a remnant that sustains beyond the original purpose, giving these entities new meaning. Using figures and symbols, I show the relationship between these relics and their everchanging contexts within a contemporary framework."

Matthew Steele's wood sculptures find stylistic balance between elegance and industrialism, as he is enamored with the efforts of humanity to transcend earthly obstacles with infrastructures such as highways, dams and bridges. It is his intent to personify our internal technologies through sculptural depictions of these utilitarian endeavors. All of the work on view is made with sawed and squared planks of soft, grainy walnut, tacked together with tiny nails.

After graduating with a BFA in sculpture from Indiana University in Bloom-

Elder Gallery in Charlotte, NC, Features Works by Leon Makielski and Ernest Walker

Elder Gallery in Charlotte, NC, will present *Ernest and Leon*, featuring works by Leon Makielski and Ernest Walker, on view from July 1 - 30, 2016. A reception will be held on July 1, from 6-9pm.

Long after their deaths an exhibition is planned for the art of two artists who left an indelible mark on the 20th century American art scene. Leon Makielski and Ernest Walker captured a moment in history that looks as fresh today as it did in the first half of the 20th century.

Makielski was born in Morris Run, PA, in 1885. He studied at the Art Institute of Chicago and spent his summer months at Eagle's Nest Camp, situated west of Chicago in Oregon, IL. The camp was considered the most important summer art center in Illinois and attracted notable sculptors, painters and writers.

Makielski was awarded the Art Institute's John Quincy Adams Traveling Scholarship in 1908 for four consecutive years to study in Paris. While there he enrolled at the Academie Julian and the Grande Chaumiere, studied with Henri Martin and Richard E. Miller, and was selected to exhibit his work at the prestigious Paris Salons of 1911 and 1912.

Makielski spent his spare time painting in the city's parks, on the Seine, and the countryside around Paris, especially Giverny and Versailles. He was a member of the second wave of American artists to study and paint in Monet's beloved town of Giverny. Makielski was included in William Gerdts' book, *Monet's Giverny:*An Impressionist Colony (New York: Ab-

beville, 1993.)
Ernest Walker was born in Rochdale, England in 1892 and moved to the United States in 1913 where he attended the Art Students League in New York



Work by Leon Makielski

City. He worked as a freelance artist and, after serving in the United States Army, returned to England, married and painted throughout Great Britain. In 1930 Walker returned to Long Island, became an art contributor to Fortune Magazine, Woman's Home Companion, McCall's, Country Life and Pictorial Review.

In 1935 Walker was commissioned by House & Garden Magazine to paint interiors of manor homes in England for the covers of the magazine. He was invited to exhibit his work at the Chicago Art Institute in 1938 and at the Philadelphia Museum of Art Watercolor Exhibition in 1939 and was included in the Whitney Museum's 1940 Exhibition for Contemporary Art.

Elder Gallery's exhibition contains a number of watercolor paintings of Walker's interiors and scenes in and around New York during the 1930s and 1940s and Makielski's oil paintings from his time in Europe and those completed upon his return to America's mid-west.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings or visit (www.elderart.com).

701 Center for Contemporary Art in Columbia, SC, Features Works by Janke Klompmaker

For its Summer 2016 exhibition, 701 Center for Contemporary Art in Columbia, SC, is presenting works by Dutch artist Janke Klompmaker, the center's current artist in residence, on view through Aug. 14, 2016. For her exhibition, Klompmaker will create a gallery wide installation called *Shelter*. At the end of the exhibition, on Sunday, Aug. 14, sculptural objects in the exhibitions will be sold at a public auction.

Through *Shelter*, Klompmaker addresses the Syrian refuge crisis in the United States and Europe, including her home country, The Netherlands. The artist will create two large shelters with grass floors. The shelters will be surrounded by ritualistic and symbolic offerings – all objects made of paper. The objects include small houses, pod- and cocoon-like objects, small bowls, larger bowls with beans or rice and cooking pots with lids, Klompmaker invites viewers to rest, take off their shoes and socks, walk into the shelters and contemplate the complexities of accepting or rejecting strangers in our midst.

"Worldwide, the number of displaced people is growing, as is the challenge to care for them," Klompmaker says. "It's hard to come to terms with potential cultural conflicts or the economic and social ramifications of opening borders. Shelter suggests that Mother Earth does not differentiate between people; the feeling and scent of the grass under our feet is the same for every human. Perhaps the shelters represent the dream of a warm and welcoming world, of Utopia."

Klompmaker (born 1944, The Netherlands) has been in residence at 701 CCA since April 1, when she arrived from her hometown of Groningen in The Netherlands. The artist first conducted lantern-making workshops for Columbia residents, then led a large lantern parade during this year's Artista Vista. The



Work by Janke Klompmaker parade was among the highlights of the event. During the rest of her stay, Klompmaker has been creating the objects that will be part of her exhibition, *Shelter*.

Klompmaker came to making art later in life, completing her studio art degree when she was in her mid fifties, after a career as a secretary. She has had solo exhibitions in The Netherlands, Spain and the United States, including at the Helene Wurlitzer Foundation in Taos, NM, and Furman University in Greenville, SC. Klompmaker also completed residencies in Taos and Greenville. She has had several residencies in Spain.

701 CCA is a non-profit visual arts center that promotes understanding, appreciation and enjoyment of contemporary art, the creative process and the role of art and artists in the community. The center also encourages interaction between visual and other art forms.

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Center at 803/238-2351 or visit (www.701cca.org).

Richland Co. Public Library in Columbia, SC, Features Works by Claire K. Farrell

The Richland County Public Library in Columbia, SC, is presenting *A is for Art*, an exhibition of mixed media Monotypes by Claire K. Farrell, on view in the Library's lower level atrium, through Aug. 12, 2016.

The show consists of 26 monotypes, one for each letter of the alphabet. The 26 mixed media monotypes, all works on paper, employ a variety of printmaking and photographic techniques, including monotype, collage, etching, drawing, stencils, templates, photography, and chine collé.

Farrell is an artist who enjoys exploring a variety of media. She is an experienced painter and printmaker, with an advanced degree in Art Studio from the University of South Carolina. Additionally she has studied printmaking at Santa Raparata Art School in Florence, Italy and Penland School of Art in North Carolina. She has also taken workshops with several well known artists. Farrell maintains a studio at her home in Columbia and she works in a variety of media including mixed media printmaking and oil painting.

Farrell's work has been accepted in numerous national and state juried exhibitions. She has received "Best in Show" awards in the South Carolina Watermedia Association (2009), the Florence (SC) Statewide Juried Exhibition, South Carolina State Fair, and the San Diego Watercolor Society Exhibit. She is a past



Work by Claire K. Farrell

president of the South Carolina Watercolor Society and a signature member of that organization.

Farrell if represented by City Art in Columbia. Additionally, her work may be seen on her website at

(www.clairefarrell.com), an she can be reached by e-mail at (cfarrell@sc.rr.com). For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Library

at 803/988-0886 or visit (www.richland.lib.sc.us).

The deadline each month to submit articles, photos and ads is the 24th of the month prior to the next issue. This will be July 24th for the August 2016 issue and Aug. 24 for the September 2016 issue. After that, it's too late unless your exhibit runs into the next month. But don't wait for the last minute - send your info now.

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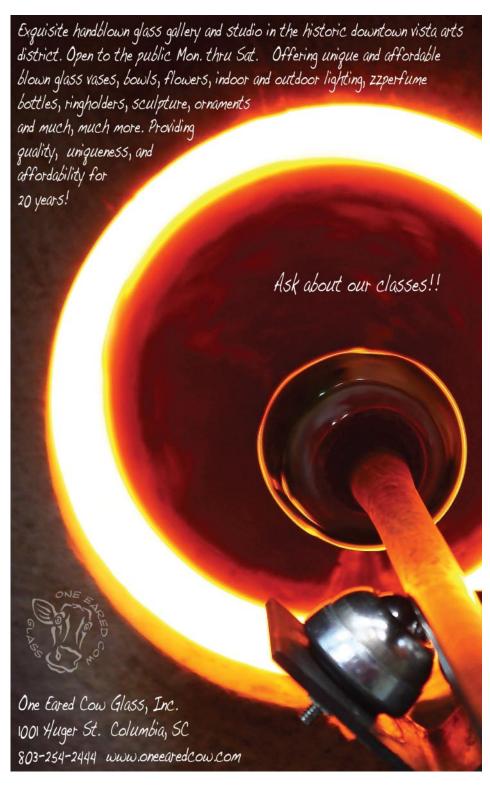


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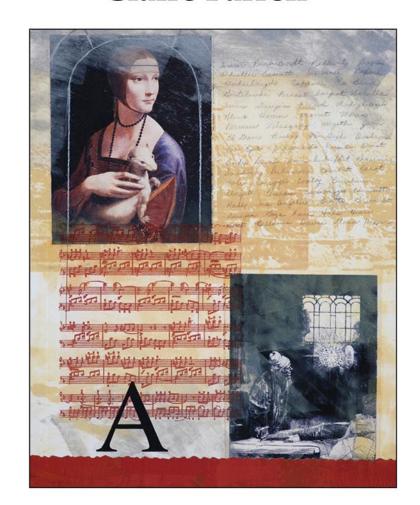
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City Art Gallery in Columbia, SC, Offers Work by Family of Photographers

present McElveen Clan: Photographs & Images by Fred McElveen, Sandy McElveen, and Clay McElveen, on view from July 24 through Sept. 3, 2016. A reception will be held on July 24, from

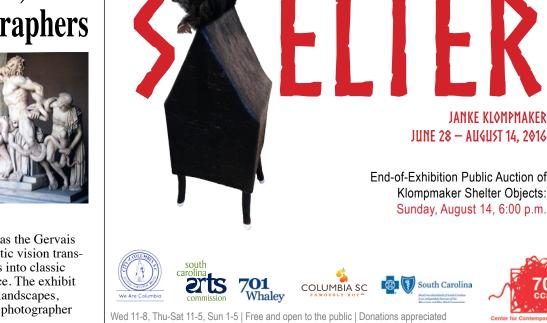
Dr. Fred McElveen is a retired Columbia-based physician with a specialty in dermatology, but he is also an awardwinning photographer. Though largely self-taught, the artist has studied with Ansel Adams, Cole Weston, Phil Davis, and Alan Ross, among others. Working in black and white, color, and computerassisted manipulation, Fred builds upon established practices of American documentary photography and European fine art photography while inventing his own artistic voice.

The exhibit includes several of Fred's



Work by Dr. Fred McElveen

images of Columbia such as the Gervais Street Bridge, but his artistic vision transforms these familiar sights into classic and romantic icons of place. The exhibit will include streetscapes, landscapes, close-ups, and images the photographer captured on his travels.



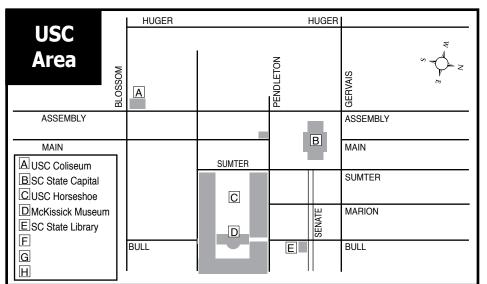


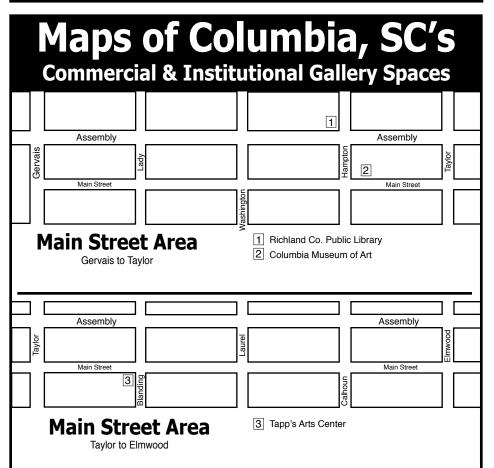
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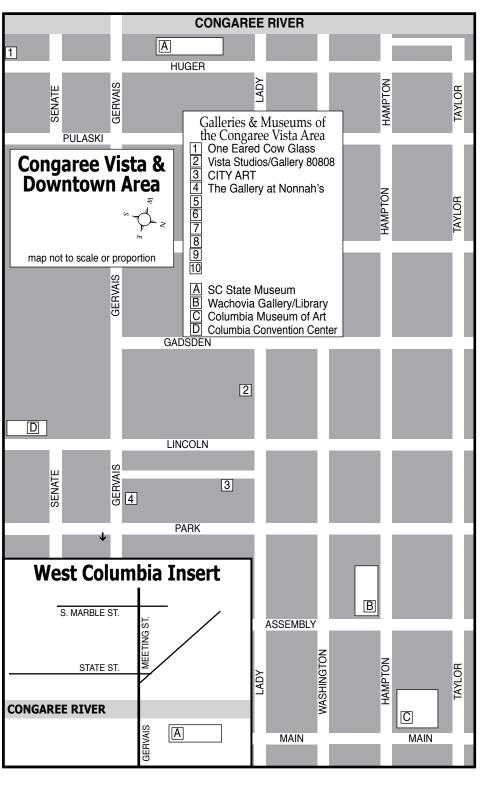
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City Art Gallery

Sandy McElveen is a South Carolina native, who now lives in Landrum, SC. He likes to say that he "grew up in a darkroom". He spent many hours learning the fundamentals of photography under the close tutelage of his father, Fred McElveen. He remembers assisting him with film and print developing long before he could see over the stop bath tray, or reach the enlarger adjustments. Sandy went on to take many other courses in black and white and color photography in subsequent years, while honing his own unique perspective on his surroundings

Sandy is a traveler that always has his photo equipment at the ready to capture images that include landscapes, street scenes, candid portraits, and detailed studies. Sandy believes that each photograph continued on Page 18



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City Art Gallery in Columbia, SC

has an exclusive story to tell, and hopes that they can invoke a sense of mystery, a hint of adventure, or simply become a special destination within a frame that can be visited over and over. Sandy would like to give credit to his father for lighting the photographic fire long ago, and for teaching him to see another exciting world through the lens.

Clay McElveen is a native of Columbia, SC, who got his first inspirations for photography from his father Fred McElveen, helping him in the darkroom as a child. With his vivid imagination and desire for it to come to life, Clay began working with film photography and capturing the character and personalities of toy miniatures in still life scenes. As the beginnings of the digital age came about, he started exploring the powerful tools of Photoshop to literally bring his imagina-



tion to the paper. Important influences on his work are the surrealistic paintings of Salvador Dali, and the children's books of Richard Scarry

For more info check our SC Commercial Gallery listings, call Wendyth Wells, Gallery Director, City Art, at 803/252-

Center for Craft, Creativity & **Design in Asheville, NC, Features Exhibit on Sound and Weaving**

Center for Craft, Creativity & Design in Asheville, NC, is presenting WARPED featuring six internationally based textile artists exploring connections between sound and weaving, on view in the Benchspace Gallery & Workshop, through Aug.

"WARPED brings together an innovative selection of art works from the US and the UK," Says exhibition curator and CCCD Assistant Director Marilyn Zapf. "Asheville's thriving music scene will appreciate the groundbreaking ways these artists, designers, and composers are working at the intersection of sound and

Practitioners have long observed the relationship between sound and weaving. Appalachian master weaver Lou Tate (1906-1979) remarked how the weaving draft pattern resembles the five line musical staff. Both composing and weaving are time-based endeavors that require significant planning, and are often recorded with the intention of being repeated, replayed,

The artists in the exhibition continue to investigate this intersection. Artist Alyce Santoro takes a material approach; weaving audiocassette tapes into an audible cloth. Nadia-Anne Ricketts and Christy Matson work with spectrograms, or the visual representation of sound waves, in their wall hangings. Conversely, composer Chris Kincaid translates weaving techniques, drafts, and patterns into sound, creating a six-movement arrangement for strings and electronics. Finally, Alayna Rasile-Digrindakis and Raisa Kabir investigate the loom as an instrument that can be used either to silence or give voice to



Christy Matson, "Millsounds", 2009. Photo

the maker.

Featured artists include: Raisa Kabir (London, UK), Chris Kincaid (Louisville, KY), The Little Loomhouse (Louisville, KY), Christy Matson (Los Angeles, CA), Alayna Rasile-Digrindakis (Philadelphia, PA). Nadia-Anne Ricketts (London, UK), and Alyce Santoro (Fort Davis, TX).

Founded in 1996, The Center for Craft Creativity & Design (CCCD) is a national 501c3 nonprofit organization dedicated to advancing the field of craft through fostering new ideas, funding craft scholarship, and backing the next generation of makers, curators and critics. CCCD has developed a strong national reputation as a significant resource for artists, museums academic researchers, university students and arts organizations. Each year, CCCD administers over a quarter million dollars in grants to those working in the craft

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Center at 828/785-1357 or visit (www. craftcreativitydesign.org).

UNC Asheville in Asheville, NC, **Celebrates Middle School Student Art**

UNC Asheville in Asheville, NC, will present the third annual Celebrating Middle School Success exhibition, featuring works of art by 40 students from area middle schools, on view in the Highsmith Art and Intercultural Gallery, from July 1 - 31, 2016. A reception with the artists, hosted by UNC Asheville Chancellor Mary K. Grant and featuring many education leaders from the region, will take place on July 20, from 4:30-6pm. To attend the July 20 reception, please RSVP by e-mail at (oscopp.unca.edu/cmss).

The exhibition will showcase the talents of students from Asheville Middle School, Charles T. Koontz Intermediate, North Buncombe Middle, Charles D. Owen Middle, and Valley Springs Middle.

The United Way of Asheville and Buncombe County's Middle School Success initiative works to increase access to and the quality of after-school and summer programs at the middle school level, as a means of increasing high school gradu-Page 18 - Carolina Arts, July 2016



Mosaic by Anna Marie Reid, 8th grade, Valley rings Middle

ation rates. UNC Asheville faculty and students play active roles in area afterschool programs and in-school tutoring. Partners in Middle School Success include Asheville City Schools, Buncombe County Schools, UNC Asheville and its Department of Education and Juntos

For more info, contact Georgia Mason, program coordinator for Community and Schools Outreach, by e-mail at (gmason@ unca.edu) or call 828/251-6563.



Asheville Gallery of Art in Asheville, NC, Offers Works by Joyce Schlapkohl

Details at www.caldwellarts.com or by calling 828-754-2486

NC, will present Colors of Summer, featuring works by Joyce Schlapkohl, on view from July 1 - 31, 2016. A reception will be held on July 1, from 5-8pm.

The exhibit will showcase summer flowers, the Carolina landscape, still life, and African animals. Schlapkohl describes her style as, "painterly realism, with an emphasis on the focal point using light and shadow and their interaction on a variety of subjects.

Primarily known for her work in oil, the artist started as a watercolor artist, and taught in that medium. Her permanent move to North Carolina changed the way she worked. "The landscape seemed to call for the texture of oil. I found such freedom with oils and love the buttery feel of applying each stroke. Oils are versatile and forgiving and the texture can vary from thin to impasto using a palette knife," Schlapkohl said.

The artist says of her work, "I'm inspired by our beautiful nature and objects that I find aesthetically beautiful. My paintings are to be uplifting and a pleasure for the viewer to enjoy. It is my hope that my talent and acquired skill will provide the viewer an emotional attachment to



Work by Joyce Schlapkohl

my painting." Schlapkohl is a signature member of the North Carolina Watercolor Society and is Asheville Gallery of Art, Seven Sister's Gallery in Black Mountain and The Cindy Saadeh Gallery of Fine Art in Kingsport, TN.

Schlapkohl's work and that of the other 31 gallery members will be on display and for sale through the month during regular hours. The gallery is located on Patton Avenue in Asheville, across from Pritchard Park.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the gallery at 828/251-5796 or visit (www.ashevillegallery-of-art.com).

Woolworth Walk in Asheville, NC, **Features Works by Olga Dorenko**

Woolworth Walk in Asheville, NC, will present Where the Sun Meets Meadow, featuring paintings by Olga Dorenko, on view in the FW Front Gallery, from July 1 - 30, 2016. A reception will be held on July 1, from 5-7pm.

Olga Dorenko's paintings highlight color and light, and they are inspired by local, national, and international landscapes. She has always had a deep appreciation for color. As a classical art student in the former Soviet Union, she spent a considerable amount of time mixing and blending colors. This longstanding and intense relationship with color in her artistic training is displayed in Dorenko's current work.

Through her use of color, Dorenko is able to lend a contemporary interpretation to her otherwise realistic landscapes. In addition to color, she also has a deep appreciation for Asian art techniques and styles. In particular, she greatly admires the gentle light, vivid brushwork and painstaking detail of the Russian artist Ivan Shishkin.

Dorenko strives to pay homage to these inspirations in her own work. Nature also plays an important role in her paintings. She is continuously inspired by nature's variable colors and the beauty found in

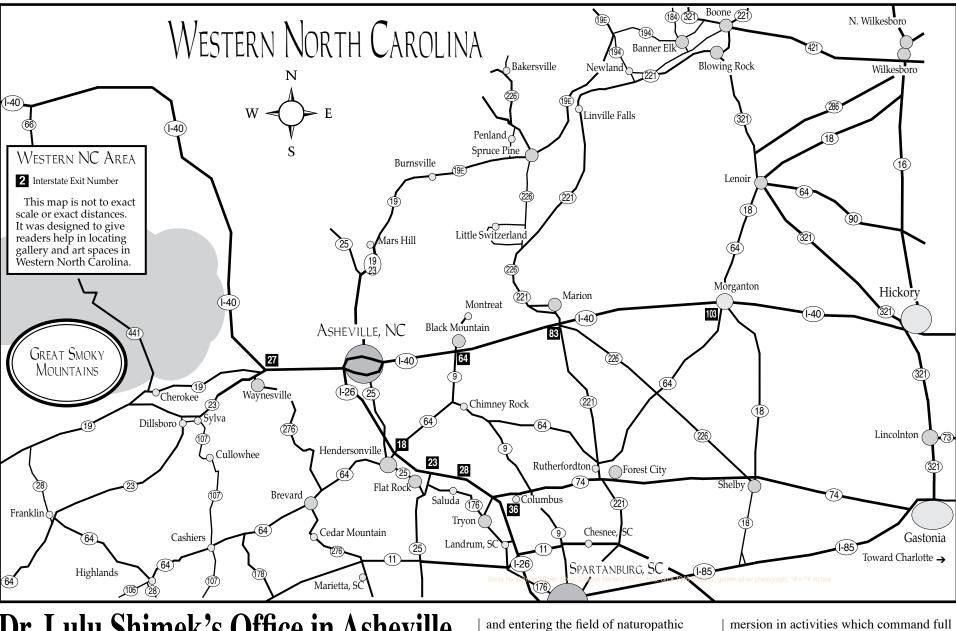


both rural and urban landscapes. Her most recent work has been a celebration of the natural beauty found throughout Western North Carolina

Dorenko has experienced many changes in her life, and her art reflects these changes. As a child, her family moved throughout the Soviet Union. Later, as a young mother, she immigrated to the United States. Nature's beauty was the constant throughout all of these changes. Flowers and trees, sunsets and snowfall are beautiful on both sides of the ocean and in any corner of the world. Life is ever changing. Her paintings pursue the everlasting.

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Dr. Lulu Shimek's Office in Asheville Offers Works by Virginia Pendergrass

NC, will present The Art of Healing, featuring urban sketches of Western North Carolina by Brevard, NC, artist Virginia Pendergrass, on view from July 1 - 30, 2016. A reception will be held on July 8,

Pendergrass worked in the practice of neuropsychology before turning seriously to art. Dr. Shimek studied art before reversing her professional path

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medicine. Although they ultimately chose different paths, both believe that art and the processes involved in its creation can be important contributors to healing and

Their backgrounds prepared them both to use similar techniques to relieve some of the unease of dysphoric feelings and physical symptoms when things go awry in our daily lives. They agree that im-

mersion in activities which command full attention and reduce internal chatter are helpful, such as meditation and relaxation training. They also know the curative effect of immersion in the natural beauty of the environment, and beauty in art, music and other creative expression.

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right (visual and spatial) functions of the left brain. The experience of painting may share some commonalities with a mild trance state. It is a fairly common occurrence that artists will have difficulty shifting attention to a telephone call which interrupts their work, and may forget the conversation entirely afterwards.

As part of their art, plein air painters regularly seek out beautiful landscape scenes, which are known to produce relaxation and pleasure. The viewer of beauty in art shares some of the same pleasure as the hiker, plein air painter, and other aficionados of the great outdoors. This experience of pleasure reduces blood pressure, muscle tension and anxiety.

Painting with a professional goal can, in itself, be stressful, but the elimination of all stress does not lead to healthy living - some exciting and fulfilling experiences, such as marriage or a promotion at work, can be stressful. Rather, choosing involvement in the creative process, and seeking out beautiful art and natural environments simply can provide a restorative respite from the rush of modern life.

The paintings in this show depict another major source of healing - friendly home towns with long-term residents who know another, and which provide support of family, friends, churches, small businesses, familiar police and fire, schools and clubs in times of need.

The career choices made by Pendergrass and Dr. Shimek reflect their appreciation for art in our lives - Pendergrass



through creation of art, and Dr. Shimek through showing artists' work in her of-

Pendergrass' artwork can also be seen at the Asheville Gallery of Art in downtown Asheville, Trackside Studios in the River Arts District of Asheville, Art Works of Brevard NC, and the Silver Fox Gallery in Hendersonville, NC

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, visit (www. doclulu.com) or (www.virginiapender-

Wine Down on Main in Brevard, NC, Offers Works by Noelle Brault

Wine Down on Main in Brevard, NC will present Southern Living ... From The Low Country to the Mountains, featuring original oil paintings by Columbia, SC, artist Noelle Brault, from July 22 through Aug. 19, 2016. A reception will be held on July 22, from 5-8pm.

The exhibit will feature original impressionist oil paintings on linen panels. This will be an excellent opportunity to view and purchase stunning landscapes filled with light and vibrant colors from one of South Carolina's finest impression-

Brault was born and raised in Columbia, SC, but loves to travel and paint beautiful places. Whether she is painting a bustling urban scene, an idyllic mountain village, or the sunlight as it drenches a majestic live oak, her artwork makes one feel as if they are there to share the moment. Brault has studied under a "who's who" of nationally known artists such as Michel McNinch, Dee Beard Dean, Rick Reinert, James Richardson, Bill Davidson, Larry Moore and Kim English. She currently has a painting hanging in the small drawing room of the South Carolina Governor's mansion as part of their permanent

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beautiful mountain town of Brevard, enjoy specialty wines, and soak in all the lovely original art.

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ART Works Brevard NC in Brevard, NC, Features Works by Cathyann Lautier Burgess

ART Works Brevard NC in Brevard, NC, will present Over Head and Hills- Sky Dancing, featuring works by Cathyann Lautier Burgess, on view from July 1 - 31, 2016. A reception will be held on July 22, from 5:30-7pm, during Brevard's Gallery Walk.

Burgess' show of pastel paintings was inspired by the air currents moving the magnificent clouds over Western North Carolina mountains

A native of New York City, Burgess, along with her husband, Roger, now makes Hendersonville, NC, her home. "Upon moving to Western North Carolina two years ago, the awesome wonder of the skies and clouds here captured my imagination," Burgess says. "I unpacked Page 20 - Carolina Arts, July 2016

"It matters little what I paint. It matters much that I paint" is Burgess' motto. "A certain glance, attitude, light or mood communicates enough to motivate me to speak back. Then I go to my studio and pick up chalk or brush.'

Burgess is a first generation American child of immigrant parents displaced from the Mediterranean island of Malta by World War II. She credits her father, a carpenter, for instilling in her a love of

Although primarily a pastelist, she also paints in oils and cold wax. Study

my pastels determined to record my feelings. That was the beginning of my artistic journey in my new life."

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of paintings by Sargent, Henri, Sorolla and Caravaggio stimulated her interest in mastery of drawing, and in the quality and drama of light on form. A lifelong learner, Burgess regularly pursues workshops with nationally known painters, notably Daniel Greene and Matthew Mancini.

In addition to her own painting, Burgess has a background in education as an art teacher, then chair of the Fine Arts department at Benedictine High School in Richmond, VA. She currently offers art instruction here in her North Carolina studio. Her compassionate teaching style reflects her belief that continued study, practice and attention to quality will result

Burgess' paintings have been selected for numerous national and regional juried shows in Virginia, North Carolina and New York City, where she has earned awards for excellence for several of her paintings. She was a recipient of a Mary Morton Parson Foundation grant to further her art teaching career. Her works are in



Ork by Cathyann Lautier Burgess

both corporate and private collections. She currently shows her work at the Asheville Gallery of Art in Asheville, NC.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 828/533-1063 or e-mail to (artworksbrevardnc@gmail.com).

Appalachian State University in Boone, NC, Offers Works by Brazilian Artists

NC, will present Contemporary Artists from Brazil: Brígida Baltar, Raul Mourão, Sérgio Sister and Vik Muniz, on view at the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts' Main Gallery, from July 1 through Dec. 3, 2016. A reception will be held on July 1,

In previous years, the TCVA Biennial International Series has brought artwork from South Africa (2014), Poland (2012). Mexico (2010) and China (2008).

"The Turchin Center is honored to work with Alexandra Garcia Waldmen, Galeria Nara Roesler's international artistic director, to bring the artwork of four important contemporary Brazilian artists to Appalachian State University," says Mary Anne Redding, TCVA curator and assistant director. "Each of these artists makes work that is autobiographical, finding unexpected beauty in reshaping their environments with found objects."

Brígida Baltar lives in Botafogo, Rio de Janeiro. She is interested in creating quiet poetic gestures using material gathered from her home and studio. Her sense of home is both deeply personal and acutely physical: brick dust scraped from the walls of her family home before she moved out has become her signature material in both installations and drawings.

Raul Mourão lives and works in both Rio de Janeiro and New York City and is deeply influenced by the cacophony and frenzy of these big-shouldered cities. Since 2010, he has worked on kinetic sculpture that reflects the tenuous balance between the chaos and the structure imposed by corrupt politics and unstable economies - the urban geometry of social order. The steel bars represent a ubiquitous material in urban landscapes - often used to fence people out, or in.

Vik Muniz was born in São Paulo and is undoubtedly one of Brazil's most well known artists on the international art scene, maintaining high-profile studios in both Rio de Janeiro and New York. Muniz repurposes everyday materials in various playful and witty series that also offer a searing comment on contemporary life: we are what we consume - chocolate, spaghetti, peanut butter and jelly, curry and pepper. In his Postcards from Nowhere series, the artist recreates popular travel scenes from collaged postcards and then re-photographs them - a comment on the ubiquitous tourists of the world, indiscriminately collecting postcards and



Raul Mourão, "me + you + one", 2015, Photos courtesy of the artist and Galeria Nara Roesler.

Sérgio Sister lives and works in São Paulo. Since 2009 he has manipulated the detritus of the city, using wooden fruit crates in an ongoing series: Caixas. The crates - or slatted wooden boxes - are taken apart, painted in saturated monochromatic colors and recombined in various configurations that closely resemble the original structure; haunted by their intended utilitarian use they are transformed into minimalist statements of rough-hewn color and form. The first Caixas were found objects. Presently, they are dressed in a woodshop, primed and painted and

a simulacra. Galeria Nara Roesler is one of the premier contemporary art spaces in Brazil, with locations in São Paulo, Rio de Janeiro and a new satellite showroom in New York City. Upon reading curator Redding's previous descriptions of each artist. it is easy to imagine the spark and compelling depth this exhibition will bring to the lineup of shows being featured at our Summer Exhibition Celebration on July 1

assembled for the first time, a simulacra of

Also on view at the Center are the exhibits: Mezzanine: Color Me This: Contemporary Art Jewelry, on view through Oct. 8, 2016; Community Gallery: A Sense of Place: Eliana Arenas, on view through Oct. 8, 2016; Gallery A: Melting: Marietta Patricia Leis & David Vogel, on view through Aug. 6, 2016; and Gallery B: Show Me the Way to Go Home: Brad Thomas, on view through Aug. 6, 2016.

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tower cranes and delicate art-installation maneuvers, the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts and An Appalachian Summer Festival are delighted to present the 30th Rosen Outdoor Sculpture Competition & Exhibition - a national, juried competition presented annually on the Appalachian State University campus in Boone, NC, on view through Apr. 1, 2017. The popular Rosen Sculpture Walk is scheduled for July 23, from 10am-noon.

The ten monumental works were selected by this year's juror Willie Ray Parish, the Mississippi-born artist and educator who ran the University of Texas at El Paso's Sculpture Program for almost 30 years and whose own works are in numerous public and private collections

Featured sculptures included are by: Mike Roig, Hanna Jubran, Stephen Klema, Shawn Morin, Kyle Van Lusk, Mike Hansel, Adam Walls, Walter Early, Bob Turan, and Davis Whitfield.

All ten sculptures are now officially up for the viewing, but a summer highlight for the Boone art world is always the Rosen Sculpture Walk, part of An Appalachian Summer Festival, which offers participants a fascinating journey into the world of contemporary sculpture through the eyes of the juror.

This year the walk takes place on Saturday, July 23, from 10am to noon, and starts at the Schaefer Center. It is free and open to the public and includes stops at each of the ten selected sculptures, providing an opportunity to learn more about each work and its artist. The walk includes a reception for the naming of the top winners, who will be designated Martin & Doris Rosen 30th Anniversary Award Winners, and will receive cash prizes: \$3,000 for First Place, \$2,000 for Second Place and \$1,000 for Third Place.



And an exciting bonus on this 30th Anniversary year: the beautiful mosaic totem poles created by the noted local artist Pam Brewer, with a community focus group and Avery High School students, as part of an NEA grant: "Building Sculpture, Building Community: Extending the Reach of the Rosen Outdoor Sculpture Competi-

"Through the use of totems," Brewer explains, "we create sculptural stacked forms, telling the story of who we are as community." The five totem poles are installed at Wey Hall, next to the Schaefer Center for the Performing Arts.

For more information and a preview of this year's Rosen Sculpture Competition artists, go to (http://www.rosensculpture.

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Upstairs Artspace in Tryon, NC, Offers Works of Clay, Basketry and Drawings, in 3 New Exhibits

The Upstairs Artspace in Tryon, NC velcomes summer with a powerhouse of three shows featuring large works of clay - think up to seven feet tall - exquisite baskets, and the results of a two-day drawing marathon featuring a dozen artists from the region.

Clay Four Ways features work from our masters of clay sculpture: artists Eric Knoche, Rob Pulleyn, Mike Vatalaro, and Megan Wolfe; The Art of Fine Basketry Jennifer Zurick; and Drawing Marathon II. All will be on view through July 29,

"The large clay works are a spectacular demonstration of how large pottery can who has ever thrown a coffee mug or small vase," says Nancy Holmes, curator for the exhibit.

Large-scale clay exhibitions are unusual, as firing and presenting the pieces proves challenging. Each of the four artists has addressed the challenge with his or her own unique vision.

"I love the basic material of ceramics: wet clay," says Rob Pulleyn. "I have for some wonderful reason become comfortable with the language of clay, so that working with it is exhilarating, frightenng, mysterious, and totally satisfying."

Mike Vatalaro states that it is the power of natural form that imbues his work. "I have become more focused on how natural forces are impacting populations throughout the world...some of the environmental forces that most interest me are resilience, fragmentation, and adaptation. These images are generated from natural forms combined with the manipulation of the rich raw terracotta clay."

Eric Knoche's says his pieces in the exhibit "excavate the subconscious" with



Work by Mike Vatalaro

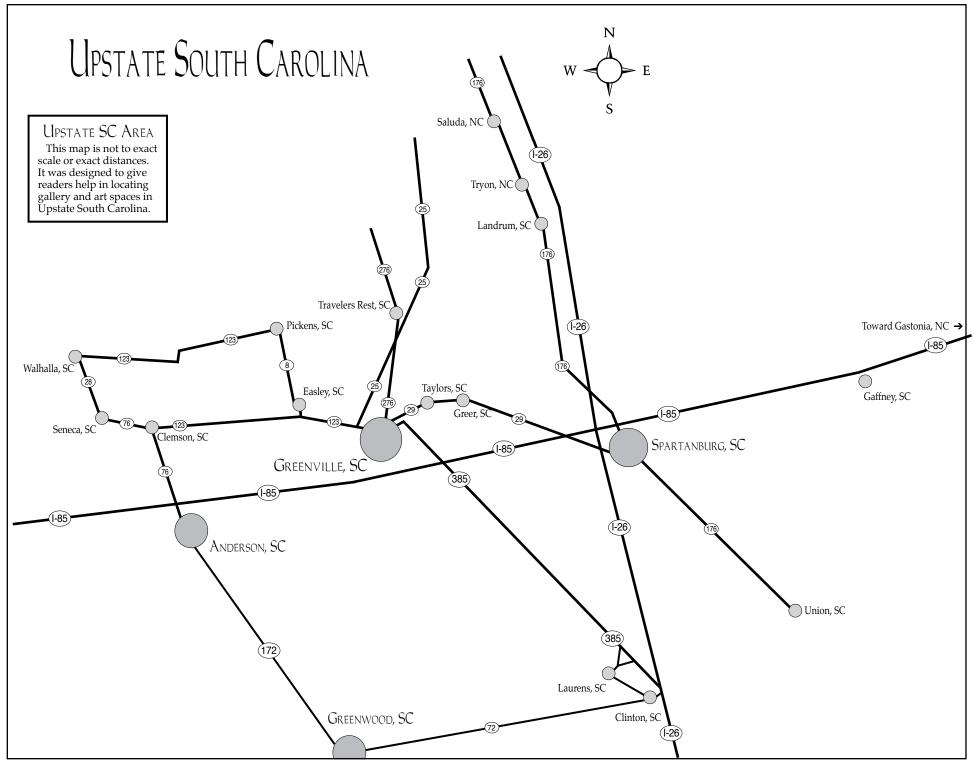
their distillation of fundamental movement and energy into three-dimensional form. "The objects I create are distillations of fundamental movements of energy into state three dimensional forms."

Clay Four Ways is rounded out by new work from Megan Wolfe. Associate Professor of Art at UNC Asheville, Wolfe's work has been in numerous exhibitions, including group exhibitions at the Greenville Museum of Art, University of Notre Dame, and Clayspace in Miami.

"The basket work of Jennifer Zurick features finely woven, simple but elegant vessels reminiscent of early Native American and contemporary Japanese basketry," says Holmes. "They are intricate, textile-

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like woven forms that take your breath

Drawing Marathon II features the talents of Connie Bostic, Margaret Curtis, Patricia Cole-Ferullo, Linda Gritta, Diana Gurri, Linda Hudgins, Carol Beth Icard, Dale McEntire, Linda McCune, Lindsey Moore, Bob Neely, and Paul Yanko. Works will be created over a 2-day period.

Combine the "wow" of large works of clay, the elegant basketry exhibit in the small gallery, and the results of a two-day drawing marathon in the Underground, add to that the complimentary Small Clay One Way exhibit's tandem exhibit at Tryon Arts and Crafts and you have a true Tryon "happening."

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Work by Jennifer Zurick

USC-Upstate in Spartanburg, SC, Offers Works by Catherine Schlingmann

present Collateral Color, a selection of paintings and collages by Spartanburg artist and musician Catherine Schlingmann, on view at the Upstate Gallery on Main, from July 7 through Aug. 27, 2016. A reception will be held on July 21, from

This exhibition showcases Schlingmann's vibrant monochromatic paperworks, paintings, and pieces from her mathematic and scientific-themed series. On view is one of her chromosome artworks from "The Unbelievably Fascinating Small Parts that We Are Made of and Share," which explores the biological connections between humans and animals.

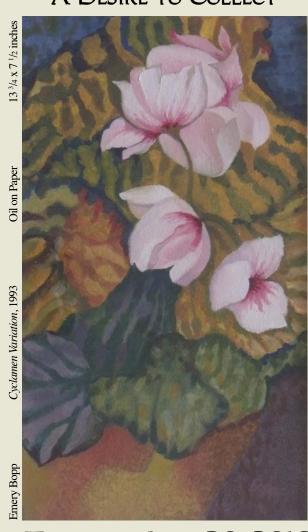
Schlingmann's unique and playfully idiosyncratic working process begins with Page 22 - Carolina Arts, July 2016



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clipping (and in a sense, harvesting) small, cut-out paper sections of nearly the same color from a large cache of old magazines, brochures and paint swatches in her studio. These clippings, which she refers to as "found color," are then reassembled piece by piece into luminous, glowing expanses of pure color even as the individual squares, retaining the memory of their origin, engage in an introspective and chromatic dialogue with each other.

"The repetition of color and shape works like a chant: to reinforce an idea by repeating it over and over," says Schlingmann. "Chanting can be both meditative and hypnotic, effects that I hope can be

Schlingmann, originally of Aledo, IL, has participated in more than 20 exhibitions both nationally and internationally. She is a member of several artists' organizations throughout the United States and Germany, and is featured in various catalogues and books including "Ueber Grenzen Gehen" (2000) and "figura magica: den kreis geschlossen" (2010).

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, contact Jane Allen Nodine, director, at 864/503-5838 or e-mail to (inodine@uscupstate.edu) or Mark Flowers, exhibitions coordinator, at 864/503-5848 or e-mail to (mflowers@uscupstate.edu)

RIVERWORKS Gallery in Greenville, SC, Features Works by Anne Lemanski, Meghan O'Connor, and Alice Sebrell

RIVERWORKS Gallery in Greenville, SC, will present Critters, created by sculptor, Anne Lemanski, printmaker, Meghan O'Connor, and photographer, Alice Sebrell, on view from July 15 through Aug. 21, 2016. A reception will be held on Aug. 5, from 6-9pm.

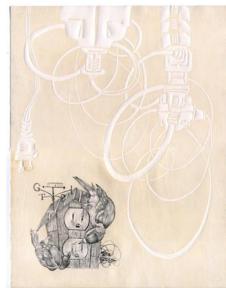
Trapped in the surreal, forced to adapt to human-made forces yet retaining our idealization of cute, maybe even warm and fuzzy, these are the critters. Critters offers fetching, humorous images with a sad and frightening commentary on human power over nature. Each artist questions the relationship of human kind with the natural world and each demonstrates the possibility of our action and inaction on the future of the natural world.

The artist included in *Critters* has also drawn or photographed or built appealing, smile-eliciting animals. Their appeal opens our imagination to the artists' cautionary tale and invites us to replace these critters with ourselves, fellow inhabitants of the natural world and also affected by the power of a selfish, short-sighted, consumer culture.

21st CENTURY SUPER SPIECIES: Jack-Dor is a mixed media rabbit stitched by Anne Lemanski to sci-fi dimensions of 10 feet. Lemanski comments "The 21st Century Super Species is a new breed of animal in reaction to extinction... As consumers, we need to acknowledge the need for balance, and renegotiate our constantly shifting relationship with the natural world."

Meghan O'Connor's prints are masterfully drawn, sweet little birds that grab you with an "ahh". You smile as you rush up to admire all that cuteness to be whammed by the subtle site of them tangled in electrical wires or scissoring their own wings.

According to O'Connor, "Animals become a stand-in for the human figure and mechanical forms are metaphor for harmful systems of power. The level of detail within the forms is a representation



Work by Meghan O'Connor

of control; whereas, the embossed layers of loose mark-making symbolize letting go... to evoke empathy toward the human condition and show that outside variables are ultimately out of our control.'

In contrast to Lemanski's and O'Connor's definable mediums, Alice Sebrell builds sculpture utilizing eerie, grinning taxidermy forms combined with objects or images and questions. She then photographs her sculptures as ghostly, floating images each combined with text. Each photograph asks a question, "Where do you hide your affection? Where do you hide your beauty? Where do you hide your innocence?"

RIVERWORKS Gallery is operated by and for the faculty and students of the Department of Visual Arts at Greenville Technical College. RIVERWORKS Gallery is located on River Street, Suite 202, along the scenic Reedy River in downtown Greenville, SC.

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Florence County Museum in Florence, SC, Features Works by IlaSahai Prouty

Florence Regional Arts Alliance in Florence, SC, is presenting A Social Construction, featuring works by IlaSahai Prouty, on view in the Waters Gallery, through Sept. 30, 2016.

This exhibition offers the possibility of reclaiming and redefining the language we use to construct the categories of race. It includes the "Paper Bag Test", an interactive installation that invites the public to define and reclaim skin tones and color as associated with race.

Historically, the paper bag test was said to have been used to separate black people into two categories – those lighter than a paper bag, and those darker. Access to parties and clubs was assigned based on this criteria. The artist remembers think-



Work by IlaSahai Prouty

ing, "Which paper bag are we using?" when she first heard about the test.

The artist's goals are to engage people in thinking about how we use words to describe, imply and evaluate race, to ask

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them to reflect on how they see their own skin tone and the skin tones of others, and to present race as a social, as opposed to scientific, construction. "I want to add back the nuance and discovery that comes when we truly try to understand and know

Prouty's work prompts us to contemplate how we define and give power, develop identity and build the narratives

Prouty is an Assistant Professor of Art at Appalachian State University. She received her MFA from the California College of Art in the Bay Area, and teaches Art for Social Change, Senior Studio among other courses. She is co-author of three books about experiential education, and trains people on facilitation techniques through Project Adventure, Inc. Prouty was a resident artist at the Penland School of Crafts and has exhibited throughout the United States. Her public

works include pieces for the Charlotte, NC, Medical Examiners Office and the Waring School in Beverly, MA.

This exhibition is part of a solo-exhibition award the Florence Regional Arts Alliance in presented to a participating ArtFields® artist this year in collaboration with the Florence County Museum. The support of Florence Downtown and Diversity Works Magazine makes this exhibit possible.

The Florence Regional Arts Alliance is a community-based local arts agency that serves the citizens of Florence County and the Pee Dee. It is funded in part by the South Carolina Arts Commission, which receives support from the National Endowment for the Arts.

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Arts Council of Moore County in Southern Pines, NC, Offers an **Exchange Exhibition of Pottery**

The Arts Council of Moore County and Raven Pottery & Craft Gallery proudly presents, East Meets West, an international pottery exhibit and cultural exchange festival. The pottery exhibit will be on display at the Campbell House Galleries in Southern Pines, NC, from June 3 through July 15, 2016.



For the past few years, potters from the Seagrove, NC, area have been invited to travel to the Mungyeong district of South Korea, as guests of this famous Korean pottery region, during their annual May "Harmony of Chasabal (tea bowl) Festival." In an effort to reciprocate, the Arts Council of Moore County and Seagrove potter, Jeff Brown, have invited three well-known Korean potters from



the Mungyeong district to visit Seagrove and the Sandhills area for an exchange of ideas, styles, and traditions.

Three Korean potters (Jong Pil Kim, Kyeong Hee Lee, Yeontae Park) and five Seagrove potters (Jeff Brown & Michele Hastings, Fred Johnston, David Stumpfle, and Phillip Pollett) will exhibit their works along with three fiber artists (Diane Wolman, Linda Fasules, Sharon Richards) who will display their Pojagi quilts.

The Arts Council would like to thank those who have made generous contributions in support of this exhibition.

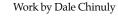
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Alamance Arts in Graham, NC, **Presents Works by Dale Chihuly**

Alamance Arts at the Captain James and Emma Holt White House in downtown Graham, NC, will present Chihuly Venetians, a stunning exhibition of 47 vessels, 12 drawings and a monumental chandelier in the Venetian style from the George R. Stroemple Collection. The exhibition will open free to the public starting July 1 and continue through Oct. 15, 2016. Alamance County, NC, is the only place on the Eastern Seaboard to see this rare private collection.

Featured are works from Chihuly's Venetians series – intricately formed and brilliantly colored objects inspired by Art Deco Venetian glass vases from the 1920s and '30s. Nearly four dozen vessels from the series will be on view, as well as a number of the artist's drawings, which serve as independent works of art and "blueprints" to bring his designs to life. Art critic Donald Kuspit called the Venetians a "toast to life"!

The highlight of the exhibition is the Laguna Murano Chandelier, a magnificent installation composed of more than 1,500 individual pieces of glass. With two elements suspended from the ceiling and three rising from the floor, the chandelier will be installed by a specially trained crew from Seattle. Many critics consider this work to be the most important Chi-Page 24 - Carolina Arts, July 2016



huly chandelier in existence.

There are few contemporary artists whose names are as synonymous with the medium in which they work as Dale Chihuly. He is widely regarded as the most innovative glass artist working today. Chihuly has presented one-man exhibitions and glass installations in museums and botanical gardens around the world continued above on next column to the right



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and his work is included in the permanent collection of hundreds of major museums worldwide. He has been the recipient of many awards including twelve honorary doctorates and two fellowships from the National Endowment of the Arts.

The exhibition is on loan from George R. Stroemple, a businessman from Portland, OR. The George R. Stroemple Collection is internationally recognized as the foremost collection of artwork documenting the studio glass movement in the Pacific Northwest. He has amassed the most significant collection of work by Dale Chihuly ever assembled. Alamance Arts' exhibition will focus exclusively on Stroemple's collection of Chihuly's

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University of North Carolina in Greensboro, NC, Features Works by Alex Hubbard and the Collection

The University of North Carolina in Greensboro, NC, will present Single-Channel Catalyst: Alex Hubbard's "Eat Your Friends" and Selections from the *Collection*, on view in the Leah Louise B. Tannenbaum Gallery of the Weatherspoon Art Museum, through Aug. 20, 2016.

Humorous and tense, systematic and chaotic - these seemingly mismatched descriptors capture the playful complexity of Alex Hubbard's video works. In his 2012 piece, Eat Your Friends, the artist experiments with stacking full cups of coffee, climbing precariously balanced ladders, arranging coat hangers and walking canes, and pouring and spraying paint. He describes these disjointed endeavors as explorations that are similar to a child's taking apart a toy to see how it works: each presents a formal puzzle or problem to be solved.

This summer, Hubbard's video serves



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as the catalyst for an installation of artworks chosen from the Weatherspoon's collection. Each selection resonates with Eat Your Friends differently in terms of materials, processes, subjects, or formal properties. Like Hubbard's layered scenes, their collective installation serves as an experiment - one that offers the possibility of seeing each of the artworks in a new light and discovering connections among

University of North Carolina in

Greensboro, NC, is presenting three new ւջ: Matisse Drawings: Cu rated by Ellsworth Kelly from The Pierre and Tana Matisse Foundation Collection; Plant Lithographs by Ellsworth Kelly 1964-1966, featuring works by Ellsworth Kelly; and Henri Matisse: Selections from the Claribel and Etta Cone Collection. All are on view at the Weatherspoon Art Museum, through Sept. 18, 2016.

The main exhibition, Matisse Drawings: Curated by Ellsworth Kelly from The Pierre and Tana Matisse Foundation Col*lection* provides the unique opportunity to view the work of a modern master through the eyes of one of the greatest abstract artists of the twentieth century. Through a selection of 45 works, Ellsworth Kelly surveys Henri Matisse's drawings from 1900 through 1950 - from sketches to finished pieces - and reveals Matisse's process and creativity as a draftsman. The exhibition was organized by the American Federation of Arts and the Mount Holyoke College Art Museum in collaboration with The Pierre and Tana Matisse Foundation.

To accompany Matisse's drawings, nine works from Kelly's own Suite Page 26 - Carolina Arts, July 2016

The project was organized by Emily Stamey, Curator of Exhibitions. The series is supported by a generous gift from Nancy Rubins in honor of her late husband, Chris Burden.

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Greensboro, NC, Features Works by Henri Matisse and Ellsworth Kelly The University of North Carolina in

York. Courtesy American Federation of Arts. of Plant Lithographs (1964–66) will be shown in an adjacent gallery in an exhibition entitled *Plant Lithographs by* Ellsworth Kelly 1964-1966. The coupling suggests both the sympathies and distinct differences between the two artists.

Henri Matisse, "Study of woman" (Étude de

femme), n.d., pencil on paper, $9 \frac{13}{16} \times 12$

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Matisse drew constantly throughout his life. With a deceptively simple line, he conveyed shape, volume and composition, and expressed emotion. His direct continued above on next column to the right and elegant renderings inspired Kelly and continue to inspire countless others. In an interview with John Stomberg (reproduced in the catalogue that accompanies the exhibition), Kelly stated, "Picasso made me want to paint, but Matisse drawings made me want to draw.'

Kelly discerningly chose for exhibition both exemplary drawings and works that reflect Matisse's drawing process. Included are studies of body movements, repeated views of a single detail, and fully realized renderings, as well as sketches related to major works, such as The Dance (1931). Selected from the collection of The Pierre and Tana Matisse Foundation, many of these drawings have rarely, if ever, been displayed in public.

Kelly arranged Matisse's drawings in a single row, evenly spaced, with identical off-white mats and pale wooden frames, and chose not to use wall labels. Reflecting on Kelly's installation in the accompanying catalogue, John Stomberg states. "While every Matisse drawing was shown to its best advantage, Kelly's aesthetic added dramatically to the experience of the exhibition. Viewers walked through an Ellsworth Kelly composition to see Henri Matisse drawings." This minimalist presentation allows the works to be viewed without distraction

This is echoed in the separate display of nine works by Kelly in an adjacent gallery. In 1969, Kelly stated: "The plant drawings... are exact observations of the form of the leaf or flower or fruit seen. Nothing is changed or added: no shading, no surface making. They are not an approximation of the thing seen nor are they a personal expression of an abstraction.... My lesson was to see objectively to erase all "meaning" of the thing seen. Then only, could the real meaning of it be understood and felt."

Realized in 2014, when Kelly was 91 years old, Matisse Drawings was one of his last projects. Although the artists never met, comparisons have been drawn between the two. After Kelly's death in December 2015, the art critic Jerry Saltz described him as "the artist I now think of

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as the American Matisse."

In conjunction with Matisse Drawings and Plant Lithographs by Ellsworth Kelly 1964-1966, the Weatherspoon will present works from its permanent collection in an exhibition, Henri Matisse: Selections from the Claribel and Etta Cone Collection. Working in different media often helped Matisse sort out compositional and stylistic problems as well as formulate new ideas. This focused exhibition of bronzes and lithographs will explore one of Matisse's enduring themes, the female body.

One of the most important practitioners of abstract art in the United States, American artist Ellsworth Kelly (1923– 2015) gained an international reputation by the early 1950s. Over the course of six decades, he created an extraordinary body of work comprising abstract painting and sculpture, as well as figurative drawings and prints. Kelly's work has been featured in numerous solo exhibitions at institutions including the Museum of Modern Art, New York (2007), the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art (2002) the Metropolitan Museum of Art (1998), the Guggenheim Museum (1996), and the Whitney Museum of American Art (1982)

The exhibition is accompanied by a fully illustrated catalogue published by the Mount Holyoke College Art Museum in association with the American Federation of Arts. It features a new interview with Kelly and reproductions of all of the works in the exhibition.

Matisse Drawings: Curated by Ellsworth Kelly from The Pierre and Tana Matisse Foundation Collection was organized by the American Federation of Arts and the Mount Holyoke College Art Museum in collaboration with The Pierre and Tana Matisse Foundation.

The exhibition was made possible by the generous support of the Eugene V. and Clare E. Thaw Charitable Trust and The Pierre and Tana Matisse Foundation Additional support provided by the JFM Foundation, and Mrs. Donald M. Cox.

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The two exhibitions were presented at the Mount Holyoke College Art Museum (August–December 2014). After the only Southeast appearance at the Weatherspoon Art Museum in Greensboro, North Carolina (June 25–September 18, 2016), the tour continues to the Katonah Museum of Art, in Katonah, New York (October 23, 2016-January 29, 2017), the Audain Art Museum, Whistler, British Columbia, Canada (February 24–May 21, 2017), and the University of Michigan Museum of Art, Ann Arbor, Michigan (November 18, 2017–February 18, 2018).

The American Federation of Arts is the leader in traveling exhibitions internationally. A nonprofit organization founded in 1909, the AFA is dedicated to enriching the public's experience and understanding of the visual arts through organizing and touring art exhibitions for presentation in museums around the world, publishing exhibition catalogues featuring important scholarly research, and developing educa-

The Mount Holyoke College Art Museum aims to spark intellectual curiosity and ignite a lasting passion for learning and creativity through direct engagement with art and material culture. Founded in 1876, MHCAM stewards, displays, and interprets a permanent collection of over 24,000 objects and generates thoughtprovoking exhibitions, publications, and programs

The Weatherspoon Art Museum at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro acquires, preserves, exhibits, and interprets modern and contemporary art for the benefit of its multiple audiences. including university, community, regional and beyond. Through these activities, the museum recognizes its paramount role of public service, and enriches the lives of diverse individuals by fostering an informed appreciation and understanding of the visual arts and their relationship to the world in which we live.

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Fine Art at Baxters in New Bern, NC, Offers Works by Jean Grunewald

Fine Art at Baxters Gallery in New Bern, NC, presents an exhibit of works by classically trained artist Jean Grunewald. The exhibit will be on view from July 8 through Aug. 8, 2016. A reception will be held on Friday, July 8, 2016, from 5-8pm, during the downtown Art Walk.

Grunewald was born in New Orleans, LA, and was inspired by her father, a talented classically trained artist. At an early age she started painting, winning numerous awards before college where she received a degree in Fine Art. When not painting, she studies art, lately the old illustrators and colorists.

In her professional life, Grunewald has taught art, been a cartoonist, designed commercial art renderings and neon signs, painted portraits, executed large wall murals and exhibited and sold paintings throughout the East Coast and California. After living in California and loving the California Impressionist and the Irvine Museum, she was mainly interested in "Plein Air" painting.

Moving to North Carolina, Grunewald has gone back to portraiture and figures, inspired and honored to have won two awards for the 2015 Portrait Society of



Work by Jean Grunewald

America Members Show

Always a soft spot in her heart for horses, you can find her other paintings at the American Academy of Equine Art shows in Kentucky.

Grunewald is a member of PAINTNC. org, Portrait Society of America and has been juried into Oil Painters of America, American Impressionist Society and Women Painters of the South East.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 252/634-9002 or visit (www.fineartatbaxters.com).

Craven Arts Council in New Bern, NC, Offers Two New Exhibitions

The Craven Arts Council in New Bern, NC, will present two new exhibits including: Point of View: Opinions, featuring works by six Eastern North Carolina artists, on view in the Bank of the Arts' Main

Gallery, from July 5 through Aug. 27, 2016; and works by Nada Behr, on view in the Director's Gallery at Bank of the Arts, from July 5 - 30, 2016. Reception

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will be held on July 8 and Aug. 12, from 5-8pm.

Points of View: Opinions, explores concepts of identity, gender, and the role of government. The show will feature the work of Kiki Farish, Geevee Meyer, Elizabeth Spencer, Chris Wagner, Catherine Connolly, Chris Morgan, and Vik Sexton working in a variety of styles and media. Each artist has been given the opportunity to choose their central concept or theme relating to the idea of identity and dialogue. The goal of the show is to promote healthy discussion on the topics raised, including gender roles, isolation, body image, government power, and mortality.



Work by Catherine Connolly

The artists' works serve to stimulate sustained dialogue around these issues and inspire others to find their creative voice. Through art and discourse, people broaden and develop their own perspectives. This reflection and exploration can lead to a more active citizenship as people transform the way they see themselves in relation to their community and their world. Page 28 - Carolina Arts, July 2016



Work by Chris Morgan

To foster this dialogue the show will feature a statement by each artist on their work, and QR codes that will connect to a digital forum to allow discussion to occur throughout the length of the show.

All six artists have ties to New I and eastern North Carolina. Kiki Farish is an accomplished artist teaching at East Carolina University and former juror of the Twin Rivers Artist Association Show at Bank of the Arts. Chris Morgan lives in New Bern and received her BFA in Sculpture from ECU, where she is currently working on her MFA. Chris Wagner and Geeve Meyers both reside in New Bern and have studios at Baxter's Gallery. Vik Sexton works and lives in Greenville, and has participated in past Juried Shows here at Bank of the Arts. Catherine Connolly is the winner of the 2015 Bank of the Arts Juried Show.

The Craven Arts Council will also present the work of Nada Behr in the Director's Gallery at Bank of the Arts this July. Behr's work focuses on landscapes and natural life in the medium of watercolors and acrylics.

Speaking of her work, Behr says, "art is discovery... color is happiness." This philosophy is evident in her body of work, which makes marvelous use of bright,

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intense colors combined in a manner that reveals a detailed understanding of color theory. Her work makes use of both wet and dry techniques, showing technical finesse in her chosen media. Behr works vary in scale from miniature to medium scale, with themes of landscapes, flora, and rural scenes. She feels that through observation and exploration art becomes a growing, learning, and changing experience, "Skills in using color relationships, shape, contrast, harmony, and composition result in the reflection of one's own rewarding experience."

Behr received her BA in Arts Educa-

tion from Adelphi University. Her work has garnered recognition from the Eastern Watercolor Society of North Carolina, Twin Rivers Artist's Association, Greenville Museum of Art, and signature membership in the Watercolor Society of North Carolina. Her work is included in numerous private business and collections throughout Eastern North Carolina and beyond.

For further information check our

NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Council at 252/638-2577 or visit (www. cravenarts.org).

Carolina Creations in New Bern, NC, Offers Works by Sally Anger

Carolina Creations Fine Art and Contemporary Craft Gallery in New Bern, NC, will present *Coda*, featuring works by Sally Anger, on view from July 8 through Aug. 31, 2016. A reception will be held on July 8, from 5-8pm, during the New Bern ArtWalk.

CODA <noun> "The concluding passage of a piece or movement, typically forming an addition to the basic structure." Following the show about her cross country travels, Sally Anger returns to her beloved coastal North Carolina waters and marshes

Anger walks with her dog Theo daily in the Croatan Forest, observing the changing light and colors through the seasons. Many of her canvases are painted en plein air, with acrylics, oils, and mixed media.

Anger grew up in the coastal town of Beaufort, NC, after moving there at the age of nine. She has loved art all her life, and attended workshops and painted for many years. In 2002 she took the plunge and left a career as a nutritionist to pursue art full time.



Work by Sally Anger

Anger obtained her associate's degree in fine arts from the local community college and then studied for several semesters at a ECU'S art school before heading off on her own. She continues to explore new ways to express herself through art by experimentation, life drawing classes, critiques with other artists and workshops.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 252/633-4369 or visit (www.carolinacreations.com).

The deadline each month to submit articles, photos and ads is the 24th of the month prior to the next issue. This will be July 24th for the August 2016 issue and Aug. 24 for the September 2016 issue.



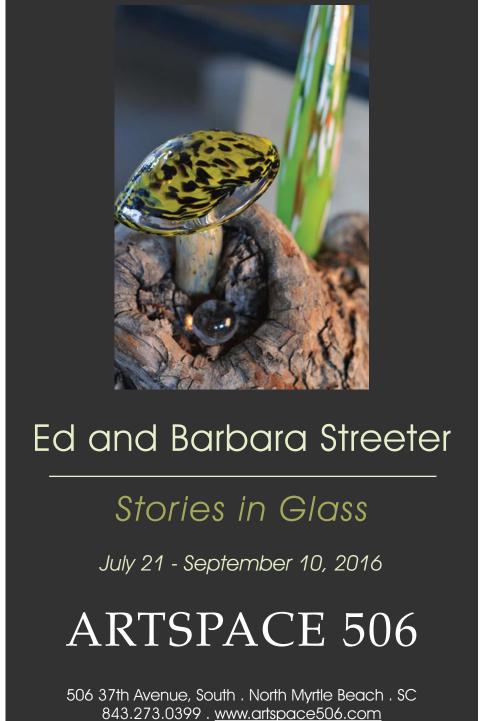


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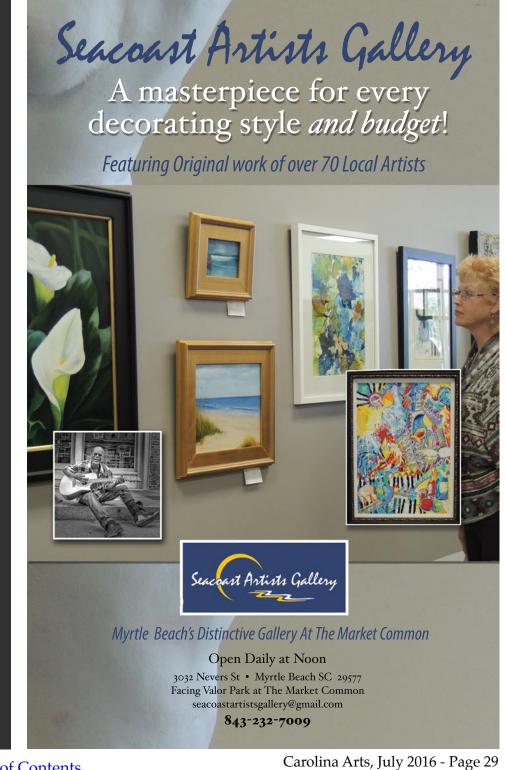


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Hillsborough Gallery of Arts in Hillsborough, NC, will present Colorful Language, featuring new works by Nell Chandler, Ali Givens, and Michele Yellin, on view from July 25 through Aug. 21, 2016. A reception will be held on July 29,



Work by Ali Givens, photo by Mort O'Sullivan

Jewelry artist, Nell Chandler describes her thoughts about the show: "When we first settled on the title Colorful Language for our show I felt an immediate connection. Even way back before I ever thought of making jewelry I had been telling stories through painting and printmaking. Now I paint and etch on my jewelry and I'm still telling little narratives.'



Work by Nell Chandler, photo by Francis Chandler This year Chandler is exploring the melding of techniques from her past. She is creating "story bracelets" with brand new messages by using visual images to tell the story. Chandler is presently working on a Matriarch Bracelet that she sees as a contemplation of heritage and ancestors. She adds, "My new work feels playful yet intense.

Painter and assemblage artist, Michele Yellin, often begins her work by placing a quote in the underpainting as a way to start the process. Color is the language she uses with great boldness to say the things that cannot be expressed in words. As she layers the canvas with color she finds that figures and shapes begin to emerge. Much like a writer developing a cast of characters, she lets these shapes and figures tell her who they are. Yellin moves from the sublime to the whimsical with deftness and a strong sense of her own artistic

Fabric artist Ali Givens, who creates quilted textile collages, is exploring an en tirely different pallet of colors following a year of work and study in a small town in the Italian piedmont. Her first work, Ivrea Windows, was inspired by the views from her apartment, but she soon realized that a view from one window could not express the essence of the town. She began taking photographs and marrying their elements to create more holistic representations.

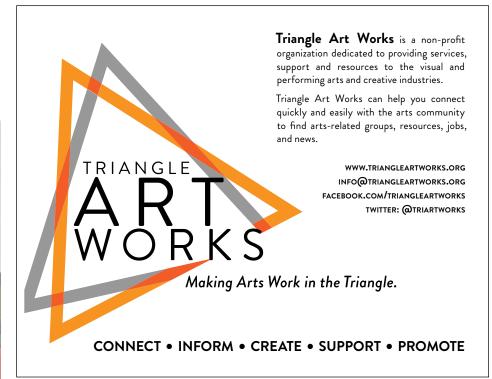
Givens says, "As I was combining these photographs, I had something of an epiphany and realized that my photographs of home (Hillsborough) contained much of the richness and culture that I was finding in Ivrea. It is my hope that I can bring these observations to the Colorful Language show."

The Hillsborough Gallery of Arts (HGA) is owned and operated by 22 local artists and represents these established artists exhibiting contemporary fine art and fine craft. HGA's offerings include acrylic and oil paintings, sculpture, ceramics, photography, textiles, jewelry, glass, metals, encaustic, enamel, and wood.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings or visit (www.HillsboroughGallery.com).

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ENO Gallery in Hillsborough, NC, Features Works by Donn Young

ENO Gallery in Hillsborough, NC, s presenting a 46 year *Retrospective of* Photo Essays, by Donn Young, on view through July 24, 2016. This exhibition pays tribute to Young's upcoming permanent installation in The Power of Place Gallery at the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and

As an assignment photographer, his work has appeared in over 100 national publications including Time, Newsweek, USA Today, The New York Times, The New Yorker, Paris Match, Mother Jones, The Los Angeles Times, Village Voice and The Washington Post.

Young's work has been exhibited in 59 museums and galleries. The list of honors and awards are too numerous to list in a

The gallery knows Young from their mutual New Orleans backgrounds. In 2005, Hurricane Katrina ravaged his studio in New Orleans. For nearly four and half weeks the body of work Young created over more than 35 years was submerged 10 feet below the muddy waters of the Mississippi river that inundated New Orleans. 1,350,000 images were lost to failed levees – a life's work. There are many tragic stories - most importantly the loss of homes and life. How could one complain of losing a life's work when others lost their lives and loved ones? However, the loss was significant and life

Although he lost his home, his possesions and his life's work, Young pushed on. In July of 2008 with the endorsement



Work by Donn Young

of the Lieutenant Governor of Louisiana, he completed a 3-year photo essay titled 40 Days and 40 Nights, an exhibition documenting the effects of Hurricane

The exhibition grew to include over 100 Louisiana artisans of many disciplines, all telling the story of Hurricane Katrina through their art. The Louisiana State Archives produced and exhibited the 40 Days essay, with Young as director.

The exhibition was the largest and most well attended exhibition in the history of the Louisiana State Archives.

Additionally, the Louisiana State Archives established the Donn Young Collection, as a reference of images for future generations to study. Donn Young is the only living photographer of his generation to be so honored.

We are honored to present this significant retrospective of selected works created during Young's 46 year career.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 919/883-1415 or visit (www. enogallery.net).

FRANK Gallery in Chapel Hill, NC, Features New Exhibitions

ing: Abstract Territory, featuring works by Lolette Guthrie and Sandy Milroy; Summer Invitational, featuring works by Janet Cooling, Drew Deane, Laura Hughes, Jenny Eggleston, Mary Kircher, and Jim Lee; and *Creative Recovery*, featuring work by Gravson Bowen. All will be on view from July 5 through Aug. 7, 2016. A reception will be held on July 8, from 6-9pm.

Some FRANK favorites, and some new friends join them this July for their most exciting summer yet. FRANK is excited to feature artists Sandy Milroy and Lolette Guthrie for their featured exhibition, Abstract Territory. They will also be presenting six new-to-FRANK artists for our Summer Invitational.

FRANK Gallery is pleased to present six carefully selected local artists who are being featured for their first exhibition at the gallery. Painters Janet Cooling, Drew Deane, Laura Hughes, mixed media artist Jenny Eggleston, fiber artist Mary Kircher, and photographer Jim Lee will be presenting small bodies of work in the gallery's

FRANK Gallery in Chapel Hill, NC, | first ever Summer Invitational. This group media, each bringing to FRANK a fresh voice and new point of view.

Lolette Guthrie and Sandy Milroy will be joining together for a stunning exhibition of abstract pieces that all carry a suggestion of nature and views of the earth. Guthrie draws from memory and experience in creating her work, striving to capture the ephemeral nature of light and atmosphere. This series is a reflection of her time on Ocracoke, NC, based on the geometry of the island. Milroy begins with the materials and builds a composition with the design elements of primarily geometric rectangles, squares, and stripes of various visual weights, going for an overall asymmetrical balance.

The Michael and Laura Brader-Araje Community Outreach Gallery presents Creative Recovery, an exhibition of work by Grayson Bowen. Bowen is a mixed media expressionistic artist, focusing on color, contrast, and delicate line work. His artwork comes from a desire to approach expressionism from a standpoint of "cre-

Colorful Language

Nell Chandler Ali Givens Michele Yellin

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ative recovery.

Bowen is the coordinator of the Brushes with Life Arts Program, with the Center for Excellence in Community Mental Health

FRANK gallery is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit operated by member artists of the Franklin Street Arts Collective, with support from community leaders and art lovers.

The mission of the Franklin Street Arts Collective is to support the arts community of Chapel Hill and the region, strengthen community appreciation of the arts through educational outreach, and promote Chapel Hill and North Carolina as a major arts destination. FRANK offers workshops, salons, and innovative programs that reach out to diverse groups within the community.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings or visit (www.frankisart.com).



Some Exhibits That Are Still On View

Our policy at Carolina Arts is to present a press release about an exhibit only once and then go on, but many major exhibits are on view for months. This is our effort to remind you of some of them.

The Greenville County Museum of Art in Greenville, SC, is presenting *Horace* Day in South Carolina, on view through July 10, 2016. Born in China to American missionary parents, Horace Talmage Day (1909 – 1984) graduated from the Shanghai American School and began his formal art training in 1927 at the Art Students League in New York. In 1936, after serving as artist-in-residence at Manhattan's Henry Street Settlement, Day accepted the position as the first director of the Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art in Augusta, GA. Five years later, the artist joined



Horace Day (1909 - 1984) "Ionic Facade" 1955, watercolor on paper. From the Collection of the Greenville County Museum of Art.

the faculty of Mary Baldwin College in Staunton, VA. During World War II, Day served as an ambulance driver and cartogcontinued above on next column to the right

rapher in France from 1943 to 1945. He returned to Mary Baldwin College, where he continued to teach until his retirement in 1967. For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Museum at 864/271-7570 or visit (www.gcma.org).



"Moonrise over Hernandez, New Mexico," 1941 Photograph by Ansel Adams ©2015 The Ansel Adams Publishing Rights Trust

The Reynolda House Museum of American Art in Winston-Salem, NC, is presenting Ansel Adams: Eloquent Light, on view in the Mary and Charlie Babcock Wing Gallery, through July 17, 2016. Ansel Adams (1902-84), perhaps the bestknown photographer in American history, developed a system for creating luminous, vivid landscape photographs in sharp contrasts of black and white. He then printed his film negatives with meticulous attention to craft. Adams's manner of framing and capturing both magnificent, large-scale landscape formations, and small, exquisite natural objects created icons of the American wilderness. For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Museum at 336/725-5325 or visit (www.reynoldahouse.org).



Greenville Center for Creative Arts in Greenville, SC, will present two new exhibits including: Telling Her Story, featuring works by eleven female artists and The Story Within, an exhibit of artwork created by 10 young women from the Smith House. Both exhibitions will be on view through July 27, 2016. Each of eleven artists in the exhibit Telling Her Story, shares her feminine perspective. The show includes the works of: Alice Ballard, Mandy Blankenship, Camela Guevara, Louisa Pyle Kirk, Michele Maynard, Naomi Nakazato, Emily Neal Michelle Berg Radford, Valerie Zimany and Suzanne Zoole. A special feature of works by April Harrison, who recreates precious memories of love from her childhood through rich tapestries of torn papers, found objects and paint. For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Center at 864/735-3948 or visit (www.artcentergreenville.org).



Work by Henry Taylor

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Mann-Simons Site in Columbia, SC, will present Route to (re)settlement, featuring works by Rashid Johnson, Henry Taylor, Michi Meko, Victoria-Idongesit Udondian, and Fletcher Williams, III, on view through Aug. 1, 2016. Historic Columbia, Palmetto Curatorial Exchange,

and Connelly & Light are pleased to announce the launch of Route to (re)settlement, a four-year exhibition series examining narrative shifts surrounding Black communities in South Carolina - a state which has served as the major gateway between Africa and "African America" and the permeation of these narratives and related multifaceted heritage throughout America. For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call Historic Columbia at 803/252-1770 ext. 23 or to schedule a tour, e-mail to (reservations@historiccolumbia.org)



Bill Traylor, "Blue Rabbit Running", 1939-42, poster paint and pencil on cardboard, 9 x 11 7/8 in. The William Louis-Dreyfus Foundation.

The Weatherspoon Art Museum at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, NC, is delighted to present Inside the Outside: Five Self-Taught Artists from the William Louis-Dreyfus Collection, on view through Sept. 4, 2016. The enigmatic - and often humorous and dramatic - works in this exhibition survey the production of five highly gifted artists: James Castle, Thornton Dial, Nellie Mae Rowe, Bill Traylor, and Willie Young. Prior labels of "outsider" and "visionary" have given way to the more appropriate term, "self-taught" art, though the genre remains one of the most intriguing in modern and contemporary art. Each of these artists has examined an idiosyncratic personal reality to create works full of imaginative and visual power, works that stand beside the canon of the mainstream art world. For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Museum at 336/334-5770 or e-mail to



LEGO Peacock by Sean Kenney

Brookgreen Gardens, near Murrells Inlet, SC, is presenting *Nature Connects*: LEGOS® Bricks Sculpture, on view in Brookgreen's Native Wildlife Zoo, through Sept. 5, 2016. In celebration of its 85th Anniversary, Brookgreen Gardens will host 12 larger-than-life LEGO® brick sculpture installations. Created by Sean Kenney, renowned artist and children's author, *Nature Connects* is an award winning exhibit currently touring the country. Made from almost 400,000 LEGO® bricks, the sculptures bring nature to life with a 6-foot tall humming bird hovering over a trumpet flower, a deer family made from 48,000 bricks, a giant tortoise, a 7-foot long giant dragonfly, and more. For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Gardens at 843/235-6000 or visit (www.brookgreen.org).

The Mint Museum Uptown in Charlotte, NC, is presenting *Here & Now*, marking the first survey exhibition of photography drawn solely from the Mint's permanent collection, on view through Sept. 18, 2016. The exhibition comprises approximately 215 of the Mint's most stunning and provocative photographs. Including recent acquisitions and many never-before-seen treasures alongside signature works, Here & Now offers a fresh perspective on an exciting, diverse, and burgeoning area of strength within the Mint's collection. Most of the works in the Mint's collection were produced after the founding of the museum in 1936, 80 years ago. While relatively modest in scale, the Mint's collection boasts exceptional photographs taken around this time by

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such noted masters as Berenice Abbott and Ansel Adams as well as those taken in the last few years by dynamic contemporary photographers. Global in scope, the Mint's collection and this exhibition feature works by artists with local and re-

gional roots, including William Eggleston, Sonia Handelman Meyer, and Linda Foard Roberts. For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Museum at 704/337-2000 or visit (www.mintmuseum.org).

Salkehatchie Arts Center, 939 N. Main St., Allendale. Ongoing - Featuring a retail store offering works by artists from the Salkehatchie region including Allendale, Bamberg, Barnwell, Colleton, and Hampton Counties. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm.Contact: 803/584-6084.

Aiken

Aiken Center for the Arts, 122 Laurens St., SW, ing artwork from the USC-Aiken faculty. Aiken Artist Guild Gallery, Through July 9 - Featuring an exhibit of works by Ruth Larkin. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/641-9094 or at (www.aikencenterforthearts.org).

Three Landscape Artists - Al Beyer, William

Bay3 Artisan Gallery, located in the Arts watercolors, photography, pastels, collage, glass and jewelry. There is a piece of original

Beaufort Area

Gallery @ ARTworks, home of the Arts Council of Beaufort, Port Royal, & Sea Islands, 2127 Boundary St., near K-Mart, in Beaufort Town Center, Beaufort. Ongoing - Featuring the work and creative processes of new and emerging artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm, Contact: 843-379-2787 or at (www.beaufortcountyarts.

Beaufort Art Association Gallery,913 Bay Street, across the street from the Clock Tower, Beaufort. Ongoing - New works by more than 90 exhibiting members of the Beaufort Art Association Gallery - exhibits and featured artists change every six weeks. In addition to framed paintings in a variety of media, the gallery offers prints, photographs, unframed matted originals, jewelry, sculpture, ceramics and greeting cards. Hours: /lon.-Fri.,10 am-5pm. Contact: 843/521-4444 o

Belton

Belton Center for the Arts, 306 North Main Street, Belton. **Through July 29 -** "Jo Carol Mitchell-Rogers & Jane Dorn Exhibit". Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & 1st Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 864/338-8556 or at (http://www.belton-

Society of Bluffton Artists Gallery/Learning Center, 8 Church Street, corner of Calhoun and Church Street, Bluffton. **Through July 3 -** "A Touch of Blue." featuring a fundraiser to benefit the Bluffton Police Department. SoBA will donate 10% of all sales for the month to the Bluffton Police Department, Chief Reynolds of Bluffton Police and the Department are very honored and happy to be part of the show. This is yet another way for SoBA to have a positive impact on our community! July 5 - 31 - "Local Color," featuring paintings by Lauren Terrett. A reception will be held on July 8, from 5-7pm. She is inspired by the vibrant and lush lowcountry atmosphere, customs and features that infuse her surround-

ings here; and because of her skilled use of "local

color" in her paintings – that is the natural color

of her subjects. **Ongoing -** Featuring works in

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every six weeks. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm &

Sun., 11:30am-3pm. Contact: 843/757-6586 or

Charleston

Avery Research Center for African History

and Culture, at the College of Charleston, 125

Bull St., Charleston. **Denmark Vesey Confer-**

ence Room, Onging - "KABOH: A Legacy of

Twelve." Charleston Quilter Dorothy Montgomery

Onala who donated it to the Avery Research Cen-

ter in July, 2008. Corridor (2nd Floor), Ongoing

- "Esau Jenkins: A Retrospective View of the Man

and His Times" This exhibition was developed

in 1991 by the Avery Institute. After its display in

tact: 843/953-7609 or visit (www.cofc.edu/avery)

Charleston Artist Guild Gallery, 160 East

Bay St., Charleston. July 1 - 31 - "Thru New

Eyes - The World in Black and White," featur-

ing works by Mary Wessner. A reception will be

photographs in color. She loves color - vibrant

tree against a dark blue sky, red-faced children

sunrises and sunsets, the green leaves of a

playing in the sun. Yet she is drawn to black

and white images and loves the drama, emo-

tion, and the ability to look at every aspect of

way. **Ongoing -** Featuring an exhibit of works

by over 80 plus members of CAG who display

a wealth of talent in different media including,

oils, acrylics, pastels, watercolors, photogra-

phy, printmaking & sculpture. The Gallery is

also home for the CAG office. Hours: Daily,

charlestonartistquild.com).

11am-6pm. Contact: 843/722-2454 or at (www.

City Gallery at Joseph P. Riley, Jr. Waterfront

Park, 34 Prioleau Street, Charleston. Lower

Level Galleries, Through July 31 - "Requiem

for Mother Emanuel," featuring a series of nine

paintings by Dr. Leo Twiggs, one of the nation's

leading African-American artists, presented by

Hampton III Gallery in Taylors, SC. The City of

gallery to display the nine paintings. An artist's

video commentary of the series accompanies

the exhibition. Twiggs shares his artistic vision

and gives tribute to the extreme grace displayed

by the Mother Emanuel family. The exhibition is

part of a nine-day remembrance hosted by the

anniversary of the nine victims who were slain

City of Charleston to commemorate the one-year

Charleston will dedicate the entire first floor of the

the picture in a more selective and defining

held on July 1, from 5-8pm. Wessner mostly

made "KABOH" in honor of the "Priscilla" story.

The quilt was in the possession of Dr. Joseph

at (www.sobagallery.com).

SC Institutional Galleries

Aiken. Main Galleries, Through July 9 - Featur-

Anderson Arts Center, located in the Arts Warehouse, 110 Federal Street, downtown Anderson. Through July 22 - "Breaking Ground: Jameson, and Kathleen Wiley". July 29 - Sept. 2 - "Anderson Artists Guild Membership Show". Hours: Tue.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm, Contact: 864/222-2787 or at (www.andersonartscenter.

Warehouse, 110 Federal St., Anderson. Ongoing - Featuring works by Marion Carroll, Carol Cook, Joshua Davis, Lynn Felts, Jane Friedman, Cheryl Gibisch, Ann Heard, Ruth Hopkins, Diann Simms and Lori Solymosi. The work presented in the gallery features oils, acrylics, assemblages, sculpture, mosaics, and stained art for every home or office in a variety of price ranges. Co-sponsored by the Anderson Arts Center. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm, & Sat., 10am-1pm. Contact: 864/716-3838 or at (www. andersonartscenter.org)

Charleston it traveled throughout the state of SC under the auspices of the State Museum Traveling Exhibition Program. Consisting of (15) panels measuring 24" x 36", the exhibit chronicles the myriad of activities Mr. Jenkins was intimately involved in. Additionally, it highlights his leadership skills as a conscious and compassionate community activist, organizer, entrepreneur and Civil Rights leader. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., noon-5pm. Admission: by donation. Con-

at (www.beaufortartassociation.com).

centerforthearts.org/#!exhibits/cfvg).

Bluffton



on the evening of June 17, 2015 at the Emanuel African Methodist Episcopal Church, the oldest African Methodist Episcopal Church in the southern United States. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat.-Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 843/958-6484 or (http://citygalleryatwaterfrontpark.com/)

Gibbes Museum of Art, 135 Meeting Street, Charleston. Through Oct. 9 - "The Things We Carry: Contemporary Art in the South," was organized in response to the horrific Emanuel AME Church shooting and will address the difficult history of the South and how it manifests today. The artists for this exhibition were selected from the list of past finalists and winners of the 1858 Prize for Contemporary Southern Art. Through Oct. 9 - "Beyond Catfish Row: The Art of Porgy and Bess," will present several interpretations of Porgy and Bess created by visual artists through the years, including works by George Biddle, the original illustrator of the Porgy and Bess libretto in 1935, and renowned contemporary artist Kara Walker, the illustrator of the 2013 version of the libretto. This special exhibit coincides with Spoleto Festival USA, which will feature a special production of Porgy and Bess with set and costumes visually designed by artist Jonathan Green. Museum Shop - Now offering the inventory of the Tradd Street Press, reproductions of works by Elizabeth O'Neill Verner amoung other exhibit related art objects. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm; closed Mon. Admission: Yes. Contact: 843/722-2706 or at (www.gibbesmu-

Halsey Institute of Contemporary Art, The Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Center for the Arts. College of Charleston School of the Arts,161 Calhoun St., Charleston. Through July 9 - "Erwin Redl: Rational Exuberance." The title of this exhibition is a play on the famous phrase "irrational exuberance" used by former Federal Reserve Board chairman Alan Greenspan, in a speech to the American Enterprise Institute during the Dot-com bubble of the 1990s. In this case the title is the program. It refers to the artist's strict methodologies which employ binary logic as well as tropes of minimalism to exuberant extremes. As demonstrated in his light installations and most recent kinetic works, a very restrained vocabulary due to the scale, repetition, and variations leads to a sense of deep corporeality. The meaning oscillates between the purely abstract and profound sensuality. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-4pm and open till 7pm on Thurs. Contact: Mark Sloan at 843/953-4422 or at (www.halsey.

Saul Alexander Foundation Gallery, Charleston County Public Library, 68 Calhoun St., Charleston, July 1 - 31 - "Creative Reuse Charleston "featuring works by Deane Valentine Bowers. "My passion for collecting and using found objects was born from the idea of culling the streets and beaches to find broken, fragmented, and discarded pieces and transforming them into something cheerful and uplifting." Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-8pm; Fri. & Sat., 9am-6pm; and Sun. 2-5pm. Contact: Frances Richardson at 843/805-6803 or at (www.ccpl.org).

The Charleston Museum, 360 Meeting Street, Charleston. Founded in 1773, is America's first museum. **Ongoing -** Featuring the most extensive collection of South Carolina cultural and scientific collections in the nation, it also owns two National Historic Landmark houses, the Heyward-Washington House (1772) and the Joseph Manigault House (1803), as well as the Dill Sanctuary, a 580-acre wildlife preserve. Admission: Yes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 843/722-2996 or at (www.charlestonmuseum.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Charleston Ashlev River Tower. Public area at Medical University of South Carolina, Charleston. Ongoing - "Contemporary Carolina Collection @ Ashley River Tower," featuring the largest collection of original, contemporary South Carolina art on permanent display, including 885 works by 53 talented artists, sculptors

and photographers in South Carolina. Artists included are: Lucille Akinjobe, Jack Alterman, Thomas Blagden, Jr., Carl Blair, Patti Brady, Keith Brown, Julia Cart, Eva Carter, Jocelyn Châteauvert, Lese Corrigan, Townsend Davidson, Linda Fantuzzo, Buddy Folk, Squire Fox, Mary Edna Fraser, Cassandra Gillens, Anthony Green, Jon Holloway, Ann Hubbard, Lisa Salosaari Jasinski, Erik Johnson, Kim Keats, Arianne King Comer, Kit Loney, Paul Mardikian, Nancy Marshall, Paul Matheny, John McWilliams, Sue Middleton, Marge Moody, Gordon Nicholson, Jane Nodine, Marcelo Novo, Karin Olah, Matt Overend, Rick Rhodes, Ed Rice, Molly B. Right, Susan Romaine, Kristi Ryba, Virginia Scotchie, Laura Spong, Tom Stanley, Christine Tedesco, Colleen Terrell, Leo Twiggs. Tjelda Vander Meijden, Mary Walker, Sue Simons Wallace, Joe Walters, Sam Wang, Enid Williams, Manning Williams, and Paul Yanko. Hours: daily, 8:30am-5pm. Contact: Kathleen Ellis. Director of National Communications. MUSC, at 843/792.5602 or e-mail at (ellisk@

The Old Slave Mart Museum, 6 Chalmers Street, Charleston. Ongoing - The Museum recounts the story of Charleston's role in this interstate slave trade by focusing on the history of this particular building and site and the slave sales that occurred here. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: The Office of Cultural Affairs at 843/958-6467 or at (http://www.charlestonarts.sc/).

Clemson Area

The ARTS Center, 212 Butler St., Clemson. July 23 - "Summer Art Camp Closing Exhibit," featuring the work of summer camp student artists. Ongoing - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-5pm & Fri., 10am-2pm. Contact: 864/633-5051 or at (www.explorearts.org)

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Clemson CAAH Dean's Gallery, 101 Strode Tower, Clemson University, Clemson. Through Sept. 1 - "A Hands Width: Photographs by Anderson Wrangle". Wrangle's photographs document his investigation of balanced and constructed objects around his outdoor studio, confronting the physical limitations of the hand and what it is capable of making. Precariously positioned and exposed to the elements, the longevity of these constructions is limited too. The works challenge the viewer's perceptions and ask if the meanings we embrace are also limited and constructed. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-4:30pm. Contact: Contact: call Denise Woodward-Detrich, Lee Gallery Director at 864/656-3883 or at (http://www.clemson.edu/centers-institutes/

Madren Conference Center, Clemson University, Clemson. **Ongoing -** Featuring wood and steel bird carvings by Grainger McKoy. Hours: regular building hours. Contact: Peter Kent at 864/656-0382 or e-mail at (peter.kent@ clemsonews.clemson.edu)

The Fran Hanson Discovery Center, South Carolina Botanical Garden, Clemson University, Clemson. Featured Artists Gallery, Ongoing - Featuring works by Nancy Basket, Sue Figliola, Sue Grier, Sandy King, Jo Ann Taylor and Phil Garrett, on a rotating basis. Elizabeth Belser Fuller Gallery, Ongoing - This collection of watercolors, mixed media and pen & ink drawings was generously donated by a dear friend of the SC Botanical Garden, Elizabeth Belser Fuller. This incredible collection ranges from 1947 to 1992. New pieces have been added this year in celebration of Belser's 97th birthday, Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm, Closed University Holidays and Home Football Game Saturdays. Contact: 864/656-3405 or at (www. ciemson.eau/scbg/)

Columbia Area

Columbia Museum of Art. Main & Hampton Streets, Columbia. Mamie and William Andrew Treadway, Jr. Gallery 15, Through Sept. 25 - "Spoken: Portraits in Black". The exhibit orchestrates a conversation via portraits about the ways in which African-American artists depict the lived experience of black people. Portraits can be literal representations of a person, or they can represent a person symbolically. Portraits in Black features works that might not traditionally be regarded as portraiture but rather show how artists continually stretch the definitions of artistic categories. The pieces chosen for this exhibition not only seek to capture the sitter's physical appearance, but center the black face and body as means for illuminating character, disposition, and even inner psyche. With "Spoken: Portraits in Black", the CMA is highlighting the power and tradition of the portrait as meaningful genre with a nod to the dynamic contributions of African-American artists. Community Gallery, Through Oct. 23 - "Big & Bold: Selections from the Collection". Artists often decide to work large, and when they do, it is for a reason: size

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SC Institutional Galleries

matters. Something big commands our atten-

tion, as opposed to something tiny that might

of possibilities to be enjoyed with outsized art.

The exhibit features several well-known artists,

including Chuck Close, Jim Dine, Philip Guston,

escape our gaze altogether. In this entertaining

new show, we invite you to experience the variety

Vik Muniz, Lorna Simpson, Sandy Skoglund, and Andy Warhol. With a wide variety of contemporary work. Community Gallery, Through Aug. 21 - "DESCENT: Mississippi Delta Photographs. 1999-2014". These photographs consist of work made in the Mississippi Delta over a period of 15 years. In the fall of 2001, Kathleen Robbins relocated from New Mexico to the Delta to live on her family's farm, Belle Chase. She ate from her great-grandmother's china, drank from her crystal, and slept in her bed. Her family's history and their connection to this place were markedly present in her everyday experience. It is not her nostalgia alone that pulls her to this area; it is that of her mother and her mother's mother. **BB&T** of SC Gallery, Through Aug. 7 - "Daufuskie Memories". Through a series of over 60 photographs taken from 1977-1982, Jeanne Moutoussamy-Ashe vividly and poignantly captured African-American life on Daufuskie Island, South Carolina. In that time, Daufuskie Island stood alone as the last South Carolina sea island untouched by the outside world, serving as a home to residents whose Gullah lifestyle, traditions, and language were preserved because of their isolation. Recognizing this unique culture and the need to capture this way of life, Moutoussamy-Ashe used her camera to chronicle the life of the island. Presented by BB&T. Wells Fargo Interactive Education Gallery, Through Aug, 15 - "I, Camera Obscura: Steffi Brinkmann". Each vear. USC hosts a Photography Portfolio Review at the CMA. Established professionals from all over the country serve as reviewers of the students' work and provide feedback, professional opportunities, and advice. From these one-on-one reviews they submit the top three standout photographers to USC Professor and Photographer Kathleen Robbins, who organizes this event. This year, Steffi Brinkmann's work was chosen as best in show. Brinkmann graduated from the University of South Carolina in 2016 with a BA in Media Arts. She is interested in experimental processes and exploring how photography and film can change and expand in response to current platforms and technologies. In this exhibition, Brinkmann seeks to address the personal difficulty of bonding with and understanding others. Galleries 5 & 6, Ongoing - "Modern & Contemporary Art from the Collection". Celebrating some of the CMA's greatest hits, this exhibition features over 30 paintings, drawings, photographs and sculptures from the Museum's collection that have not been on view recently. It offers the visitor experiences both serious and sensual and is designed to both entertain and enlighten. Notable works included are by Jasper Johns, Howard Thomas, Sally Mann and Edward Ruscha, whose famous image of the Hollywood Hills (on view) has become a staple of the art world. Ray Taylor Fair Gallery, **Ongoing -** Featuring a new and permanent installation of its ancient art collection. The installation includes approximately 50 objects that introduce the major ancient civilizations from the Mediterranean and Near East. Examples of the earliest form of writing from 12th century B.C. Mesopotamia, are shown next to Egyptian scarabs and Greek painted vessels. The world of the ancient Romans is represented by 2nd century glass and bronze items and portrait sculpture Many of these works have not been seen since the Museum moved to its location on Main Street in 1998. The collection has grown over the last sculptures in 2002 from Pennsylvania collector Dr. Robert Y. Turner. Admission: Yes, but there is no admission charge on Sun. Hours: Tue.-Fri. 11am-5pm; first Fri., till 8pm; Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 803/799-2810 or at (www.columbiamuseum.org).

McKissick Museum, University of South Carolina, USC Horseshoe, Columbia. Through Aug. **6 -** "Richard Burnside: Who is King?," the first retrospective exhibition of works by this Pendleton, SC-based artist. **Ongoing -** "Diverse Voices: Discovering Community Through Traditional Arts". Dedicated to the late George D. Terry, "Diverse Voices" explores deeply-rooted traditions that help create and maintain the cultural landscape of South Carolina and the surrounding region. Each year the exhibit will focus on a specific theme or tradition. Year one of "Diverse Voices" offers a comprehensive presentation of objects from the museum collection that represent the work of celebrated NEA National Heritage Fellows and Jean Laney Harris Folk Heritage Award recipients. Ongoing - "Highlights from the Permanent Collections of McKissick Museum". Permanent - "Baruch Silver Collection," a collection of the Baruch family silver. And, "Natural Curiosity: USC and the Evolution of

Scientific Inquiry into the Natural World". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5pm & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 803/777-7251 or at (http://artsandsciences. sc.edu/mcks/)

McMaster Gallery, room 119, basement level, McMaster Building, 1615 Senate Street, University of South Carolina, corner of Pickens & Senate Streets, Columbia. Through July 29 - "MFA Summer Exhibition". The exhibition includes work by Jamie Berry, Jeremy Bickford, Allison Dunavant, Julie Hamer, Josh Knight, Marcella Kuykendall, Chad Penner, Sylvia Ady-Potts, Edmari Hernandez-Silen, John Henry Tecklenburg, and Cody Unkart. This exhibition is a survey of works by current graduate students entering their 2nd and 3rd year of the Master of Fine Arts program at the University of South Carolina's School of Visual Art and Design. The wide variety of works include: drawing, installation, painting, sculpture, and video. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4-:30pm. Contact: Shannon Rae Lindsey, Gallery Director by e-mail at (slindsey@email.sc.edu) or



Work by Claire K. Farrell

Richland County Public Library, 1431 Assembly St., Columbia. Through Aug. 12 - "A is for Art," featuring an exhibition of mixed media Monotypes by Claire K. Farrell. The show consists of 26 monotypes, one for each letter of the alphabet. The 26 mixed media monotypes, all works on paper, employ a variety of printmaking and photographic techniques, including monotype, collage, etching, drawing, stencils, templates, photography, and chine collé. Ongoing - Featuring 20 pieces of public art on permanent display. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm; Sat, 9am-6pm; Sun, 2-6pm. Contact: 803/988-0886 or at (www.richland.lib.sc.us).

701 Center for Contemporary Art, 701 Whaley St., Columbia. Through Aug. 14 - "Shelter," featuring a installation of works by Janke Klompmaker, 701 Artist-in-Residence. An End-of-Exhibition Public Auction of Klompmaker Shelter Objects, will take place Aug. 14, at 6pm. Klompmaker (born 1944, The Netherlands) has been in residence at 701 CCA since April 1, when she arrived from her hometown of Groningen in The Netherlands. The artist first conducted lantern-making workshops for Columbia residents, then led a large lantern parade during this year's Artista Vista. West side of the 701 Whaley building, Ongoing - "Herb Parker: Olympia Dialoque." featuring an outdoor, architectural installation by Charleston, SC, artist Herb Parker, His architectural structure is 10 feet tall, 34 feet long and bamboo, reed and mulch. Parker created the work during his May residency at 701 CCA with several volunteer assistants. "Olympia Dialogue" is 701 CCA's first commissioned public art work. Hours: Wed., 11am-8pm; Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 803/238-2351 or at (<u>www.701cca.org</u>).

SC State Museum, 301 Gervais St., Columbia. Through July 4 - "Time and Place: the Artwork of James Fowler Cooper". Beautiful Lowcountry landscapes, farm labor and life growing up in rural South Carolina are all scenes depicted in Time and Place: The Artwork of James Fowler Cooper. This new exhibition tells the story of the Lowcountry through the eyes of South Carolina printmaker James Fowler Cooper, Cooper (1907-1968), a self-taught printmaker who grew up on a farm in Williamsburg, SC, chronicled the people and places near his hometown through his work. Although he depicted scenes, he was not trying to tell a story. Instead, his focus was on his art and not his subjects. He never had the intention of becoming a commercial artist. **Through** 2016 - "ART: A Collection of Collections". The South Carolina State Museum is home to over 4,000 works of art, hand-made objects and various collections within its collection. Many of

within the museum's entire collection. Guests will get to explore works of fine, folk and decorative art made by South Carolina artists that are being grouped into collections within the exhibit based on medium, subject or artist. Each area of focus within the exhibit will also focus on subcollections of a specific artist's work. Additionally, this exhibit will give guests a unique and in depth look at a rare collection of Catawba Indian Pottery. A craft that is over 6,000 years old and native to the Carolinas, Catawba pottery is one of the oldest and purest art forms of its kind. Each piece is hand made from sacred clay without the use of technological advances. The Crescent Café, second floor mezzanine of the Museum. The house menu offers a variety of baked goods, juices, coffee, hot chocolate and tea. Lunchtime offerings include deli sandwiches and alternating daily soups, as well as grilled chicken salads and sandwiches. And let's not forget the house specialty: spectacular fudge, handmade on-site. Museum Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun.,1-5pm. Admission: Yes. Contact: call 803/898-4921 or at (http://scmuseum.org/).

these pieces have never been on display in the

museum. "ART: A Collection of Collections" will

highlight some of these one of a kind collections

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Columbia area Columbia Metropolitan Convention Center, 1101 Lincoln St., Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring works by local artists throughout the convention center, including works by Mike Williams, Liisa Salosaari Jasinski, Tyrone Geter, Peter Lenzo, Jamie Davis, Tom Lockart & Mark Woodham, Angela Bradburn, Virginia Scotchie, Denise Dent, Sue Grier, Brian Rego, Heather LaHaise, Howard Hunt, Robert Campbell, Ernest Lee, David J.P. Hooker, Ralph Waldrop, Elena Madden, Debbie Martin, Blue Sky, Laura Spong, Jean McWhorter, Claire Farrell, Justin Guy, and Jonathan Green. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm; Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 803/545-0001 or at (www.columbiaconventioncenter.com/phototour/phototour/).

Mann-Simons Site, 1403 Richland Street, Columbia. Through Aug. 1 - "Route to (re)settlement," featuring works by Rashid Johnson and Henry Taylor, Michi Meko, Victoria-Idongesit Udondian, and Fletcher Williams, III, curated by Cecelia Stucker of CC: Curating & Collections and cocurated by Kimberly Light of Connelly & Light. Historic Columbia, Palmetto Curatorial Exchange, and Connelly & Light are pleased to announce the launch of "Route to (re)settlement," a four-year exhibition series examining narrative shifts surrounding Black communities in South Carolina - a state which has served as the major gateway between Africa and "African America" - and the permeation of these narratives and related multifaceted heritage throughout America. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 1-4pm and by appt. Contact: call 803/252-1770 ext. 23 or e-mail to (reservations@historiccolumbia.

Still Hopes Retirement Community Gallery, Marshall A. Shearouse Center, One Still Hopes Drive, West Columbia. Through July 29 - "6th Annual Trenholm Artists Guild Summer Juried Show and Sale." A reception will be held on June 9. from 6-7:30pm. Hours: daily from 10am-6pm. Contact: (www.stillhopes.org) or at

Due West

Bowie Arts Center, Bonner St., Erskine College, Due West. Ongoing - Permanent Collections, 19th c. furniture, cut-glass, clocks and decorative arts. Also, 19th & early 20th c. music boxes & mechanical musical instruments. Hours: M-Th 1-4:30pm or by appt. Contact: 864/379-8867.

Elloree

Elloree Heritage Museum and Cultural Museum, 2714 Cleveland Street, Elloree. Ongoing - Stroll Cleveland Street as it appeared in 1900 and delight in the recreated stores, bank and hotel; Explore the train station, logging and butchering areas; Visit Snider Cabin, birthplace of William J. Snider, founder of Elloree: Learn about tenant farming and meet midwife Mary Ella Jones who was responsible for delivering many Flloree babies: Take a rest in the two-seater outhouse; Explore a plantation gin house with its original gin, cotton press, and mechanicals; Learn how cotton is grown, picked and ginned today; See the variety of horse-drawn plows, planters and cultivators that farmers used to work their land: Meet Ruby Doo and learn about the history of mules and the vital role they played in southern agriculture; and Visit the upstairs gallery for the latest show featuring work by local and regional South Carolina artists, a baseball exhibit, a postcard exhibit or any of a variety of changing exhibits. Admission: Yes. Hours: Wed.-Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 803-897-2225 or at (http:// www.elloreemuseum.org).



Works by Tyrone Geter

Florence Florence County Museum, 111 West Cheves

Street, across the street from the Francis Marion

Waters Gallery, located at 135 South Dargan

Street, Through Sept. 30 - "A Social Construc-

University Performing Arts Center, Florence.

tion," featuring works by IlaSahai Prouty, presented in conjunction with the Florence Regional Arts Alliance. The exhibit offers the possibility of reclaiming and redefining the language we use to construct the categories of race. It includes the "Paper Bag Test," an interactive installation that invites the public to define and reclaim skin tones and color as associated with race. Focus Gallery, Through Feb. 26, 2017 - "Arriving South," an exhibit sponsored by McLeod Health, features a selection of paintings, prints, and drawings from the Florence County Museum's existing permanent collection and the museum's Wright Collection of Southern Art. Historical and artistic interpretation guides the museum visitor through the primary themes of labor, leisure, landscape and religion, while revealing the similarities and differences between observation and representations of the South in the art of the 20th century. During the early 20th century, realist artists from diverse backgrounds converged on the American South. Arriving Southsurveys works by these artists whose individual approaches to specific subject matter have influenced the perception and cultural identity of the South. The exhibition features the work of Thomas Hart Benton, William H. Johnson, Gilbert Gaul, Anna Heyward Taylor and Alfred Hutty. Special Exhibit Gallery, Through Aug. 9 - "BLACK! The Art of Tyrone Geter". The exhibition is a provocative and visually rich exhibition which explores historically familiar, yet shifting and pervasive issues of modern American life. In his recent body of work, South Carolina artist Tyrone Geter combines his technical skill as a draftsman with an organic. experimental approach to the medium of paper, resulting in unique works whose formal character is both traditional and contemporary. His larger than life compositions often employ the human figure not only as a subject, but as a surface upon which his own nuanced observations of African American culture are inscribed and abstracted with an iconic, personal vocabulary, inviting us to question our place as individuals in the complex social fabric of society. **Community Gallery**, Ongoing - This exhibit introduces visitors to the history of the museum and its formative collections. This gallery also exhibits the histories and diversity of the City of Florence, and the incorporated municipalities of Florence County. Additionally, the Community Gallery communicates the lives, stories and accomplishments of significant past and present citizens of Florence County and members of it's communities. This gallery is one of two permanent exhibit spaces designed by award winning exhibit design firm, HaleySharpe Design. Pee Dee History Gallery, Ongoing -This is the largest gallery space in the facility, comprising 3,300 sq. ft. of exhibit space. This permanent collections gallery occupies the entire second floor, east wing of the building. Artifacts are supported by historical images and narrative interpretation, giving a comprehensive introduction to the Pee Dee region from prehistory to the present. This gallery is one of two permanent exhibit spaces designed by award winning exhibit design firm, HaleySharpe Design.. Admission: Free, Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 2-5pm. Contact: 843/676-1200 or visit (www.flocomuseum.org)

Hyman Fine Arts Center, Francis Marion University, Florence. Through Aug. 11 - "Connections - Recent Work by Stephanie Imbeau". The exhibition will include fiber art, ceramics, and a unique onsite installation of a structure made of umbrellas. Her practice investigates the way individuals seek community, personal security and a place to belong. She uses representations of protective structures as anthropomorphisms to explore this universal human impulse. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5pm. Contact: 843/661-1385 or at (http://departments.fmarion.edu/finearts/ gallery.htm).

Gaffney

Cherokee Alliance of Visual Artists Gallery, 210 West Frederick Street, located in the former Old Post Office building one street over from the Main Street with the City of Gaffney Visitors Center, Gaffney. **Ongoing -** Featuring works in a varierty of media by Cherokee County artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 8:30am-5pm & Sat., 9am-1pm. Contact: 864/489-9119 or e-mail at (cavagallery@yahoo.com).

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McKoy: Recovery Stroke". Grainger McKoy

age to Sumter, South Carolina. McKoy at-

(born 1947) moved with his family at a young

tended Clemson University, earning a degree in

zoology, while also studying architecture. After

with the renowned bird carver Gilbert Maggioni

graduating, McKoy apprenticed for 18 months

in Beaufort, South Carolina. McKoy initially

gravity-defying sculptures that played with

produced realistic carvings, but slowly began

transforming these intricately carved birds into

form and space, while continuing to accurately

been shown at the High Museum of Art, Bran-

dywine River Museum, Brookgreen Gardens,

and many other galleries. Ongoing - "South

African-American artists from South Carolina

David Drake, William H. Johnson, and Merton

Simpson. Their work echoes the stories of slav-

ery, the struggle for equality, and the Civil rights

movement. Admission: Free. Hours: Wed.-Sat.,

10am-6pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 864/271-

Lipscomb Gallery, South Carolina Governor's

versity St., Greenville. **Ongoing -** We feature

several exhibitions throughout each year - our

own students and faculty, plus many guest art-

ists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Visitors are

front desk before entering campus. Contact:

Augusta Street, Greenville. Ongoing - Featur-

Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 864/467-3132, or

Wade Hampton Boulevard, Greenville. Ongoing

"Likely and Unlikely Pairings," featuring a fasci-

nating juxtaposition of art and mundane objects

special comparative display, the unique presenta-

revealing a variety of viewpoints. Through this

tion serves as an engaging tool for all viewers

interested in understanding the many facets of

art, culture, and thought. Ongoing - Permanent

America, including works by Rubens, Botticelli,

audio-guided tour of over 40 favored works for a

modest fee. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 2-5pm. Contact:

864/242-5100, Ext. 1050 or at (www.bjumg.org).

Museum & Gallery at Heritage Green, Bun-

combe and Atwood Streets, downtown Green-

Sleuthing," inviting sleuths of all ages to explore

the intrigues of forgery, provenance, steganogra-

phy and Nazi-looted art. "It's coming to see art in

a new way," said M&G curator John Nolan. No-

lan's description is accurate as The Art of Sleuth-

ing blends both the creative and scientific aspects

of art together in an enticing manner. A primary

highlight of the exhibit showcases two stellar

examples of forgery, including a loan from the

National Gallery of Art in Washington, DC. Titled

"The Smiling Girl", this piece was originally attrib-

uted to Vermeer until closer investigation proved

it a fraud. Continuing the theme, the forged "Still

Life with Fruit" on loan from the Nasher Museum

of Art at Duke University exemplifies modern art

fakes. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-

5pm and Sun. 2-5pm. Contact: 864/770-1331 or

RIVERWORKS Gallery, Suite 202, Art Cross-

Through July 10 - "Women Under Pressure:

Converse Alumnae Printmakers". A reception

will be held on July 1, from 1-9pm. The pressure

of our time exacerbated by pressures unique to

by the pressure of the squeegee on a screen or

is a union of individual life experiences with the

unique processes of printmaking. July 15 - Aug.

21 - "Critters". Trapped in the surreal, forced to

adapt to human-made forces yet retaining our

these are the critters created by sculptor, Anne

Lemanski, printmaker, Meghan O'Connor, and

photographer, Alice Sebrell. A reception will be

held on Aug. 5, from 6-9pm. Hours: Tue.-Fri.,

1-5pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: call 864/271-

0679 or e-mail to (fleming.markel@gvltec.edu).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greenville

Street, Greenville. Ongoing - Featuring works

by visual art members of MAC. Exhibits are of-

fered 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

Centre Stage Theatre Gallery, 501 River

idealization of cute, maybe even warm and fuzzy,

the tension of the press on paper. This exhibition

women are expressed and maybe dissipated

visit M&G's website at (www.bjumg.org).

ville. **Through July/Aug. 2017 -** "The Art of

and Van Dvck. Offering visitors a 60-minute

exhibition of the finest collection of religious art in

ing works by Greenville area artists. Hours:

Museum & Gallery, Bob Jones University,

Metropolitan Arts Council Gallery, 16

at (www.greenvillearts.com).

asked to sign in at the Administration Building's

School for the Arts and Humanities, 15 Uni-

7570 or at (www.gcma.org).

864/282-3777.

Carolina Icons". Consider the work of three

render each species in detail. His work has

Greenville

Downtown Greenville - "First Fridays," featuring a gallery crawl presented on the first Fri, of the month from 6-9pm. Visit galleries throughout the downtown area. For info: (www. fristfridaysonline.com).



Work by Alice Ballard

Greenville Center for Creative Arts, 25 Draper Street, Greenville. **Through July 27 -** "Telling Her Story" including the works of Alice Ballard, Mandy Blankenship, Camela Guevara, Louisa Pyle Kirk, Michele Maynard, Naomi Nakazato, Emily Neal, Michelle Berg Radford, Valerie Zimany and Suzanne Zoole. A special feature of the exhibit includes a large grouping of works by April Harrison, who re-creates precious memories of love from her childhood through rich tapestries of torn papers, found objects and paint. Hallway Gallery, Through July 27 - "The Story Within", an exhibit of artwork created by 10 young women from the Smith House in Pendleton Place, Greenville, SC. **Ongoing -** Home to 16 studio artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: call 864/735-3948 or at (www.artcenter

greenville.org). **Greenville County Museum of Art**, 420 College Street, Greenville. Through July 10 - "Horace Day in South Carolina". Born in China to American missionary parents, Horace Talmage Day (1909 – 1984) graduated from the Shanghai American School and began his formal art training in 1927 at the Art Students League in New York. In 1936, after serving as artist-in-residence at Manhattan's Henry Street Settlement, Day accepted the position as the first director of the Gertrude Herbert Institute of Art in Augusta, GA. Five years later, the artist joined the faculty of Mary Baldwin College in Staunton, Virginia. During World War II, Day served as an ambulance driver and cartographer in France from 1943 to 1945. He returned to Mary Baldwin College, where he continued to teach until his retirement in 1967. Through Sept. 11 - "Jasper Johns". Jasper Johns is the world's most critically acclaimed living artist. His work bridges the immediate post-World War II modernist trends of Surrealism and Abstract Expressionism with subsequent movements of the 1960s, including Pop art, Minimalism, and Conceptual art. While his reputation is international, Johns has deep roots in South Carolina. Born in 1930, he grew up in Allendale, the Columbia area, and Sumter; he attended the University of South Carolina for three semesters before moving to New York to pursue his career in art. Through Sept. 11 "Right Before Your Very Eyes: Art + History". Drawn from the GCMA's permanent collection, this exhibition invites viewers to consider the narratives of specific people and places that together tell the story of the nation. Organized thematically, the exhibition explores the pottery of potter and poet David Drake, who lived as a slave in South Carolina's Edgefield District. The stories of other slaves and freedmen are highlighted in Stony the Road We Trod, while When Worlds Collide depicts a few of America's most turbulent conflicts, both domestic and foreign. **Through Sept. 11 -** "The Poety of Place". Amid the cacophany of an election year the exhibition offers a respite and reminder that our country, and particularly the South, is home. From the colorful streets of New Orleans to the misty bayou of Louisiana to the undulant Smoky Mountains, "The Poetry of Place" invites you to re-discover America, where a picture is

worth a thousand words. **Ongoing -** "Grainger

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) Hartsville

Black Creek Arts Center, 116 West College Ave., Hartsville. Jean & James Fort Gallery, Through July 29 - "9th Annual Carolinas Photography Exhibit," sponsored by: Sonoco and Darlington County Photo Club, 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.blackcreeka-

Cecelia Coker Bell Gallery. Coker College. Gladys Coker Fort Art Building, near Third Street (on the Home Avenue side), Hartsville. Through Aug. 30 - "11th Annual Student Summer Exhibition". The exhibit features the art faculty's selection of student works from the past year and includes examples of painting drawing ceramics design sculpture and mixed media. Summer Hours: Mon., Wed., & Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/383-8156 or at (http://www.wix.com/cokerart-

Hartsville Museum and Sculpture Courtyard, 222 North Fifth Street, corner of Fifth Street and Home Avenue, Hartsville. Ongoing - Housed in a 1930's Post Office Building, the museum has kept many of the unique architectural features of the building. The skylight, original to the building, has been retrofitted with stained glass panels depicting the flora and fauna significant to the area. The Sculpture Courtyard added in 2000 features many different types of sculpture. The Showcase Gallery presents special exhibits focusing on history, the arts or present day events. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm (closed from noon-1pm on Fri.) and Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 843/383-3005 or at (www.hartsvillemuseum.org)

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Hartsville Hartsville Memorial Library, 147 West College Avenue, Hartsville. Through July 29 "9th Annual Carolinas Photography Exhibit," sponsored by: Sonoco and Darlington County Photo Club. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-8pm; Fri. 9am-5pm; Sat., 10am-2pm; and Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 843/332-5155.

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. **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.

Johnsonville

Artisan Outpost, 151 E. Marion Street, old Johnsonville Public Library, Johnsonville. July 15, 2-7pm & July 16, 10am-4pm - "Christmas in July". Contact: Jackie Stasney at 843/621-1751or e-mail to (jemsbyjackies@aol.com).

Jones-Carter Gallery, 105 Henry Street, next to The Bean Market, Lake City. **Through Aug.** 13 - "Alexi Torres: Pieces of Peace". Torres is a Cuban-American artist who currently resides in Atlanta, GA. The exhibition, Pieces of Peace, combines his latest series Celebration, a group of large-scale oil paintings with words of empathy and celebration, with his Spiritual Security series, a grouping of large scale portraits of police officers in zen-like positions, to have a larger and much needed conversation about empathy, oneness, and the celebration of life within the context of today's world filled with violence. The exhibition also aims to raise awareness of the value of positive thoughts and actions with our younger generations. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: call 843-374-1505 or at (www.jonescartergallery.com).

Lancaster

The Bradley Gallery, James A. Bradley Arts and Sciences Building, USC-Lancaster, 476 Hubbard Dr., Lancaster, Through July 1 - "Conveyors of Culture: A Lineage of Catawba Women Potters, 1829-2015". For centuries, Catawba women have been at the forefront of making pottery

and conveying their skills and knowledge to the next generation. This exhibit traces the lineage of Catawba women potters using the family of Brooke Bauer, a contemporary potter from the Ayers/George/Brown/Harris families. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: call Brittany Taylor-Driggers at 803/313-7036 or e-mail to (taylorbd@ mailbox.sc.edu).

USC Lancaster Native American Studies Center, 119 South Main Street, Lancaster, 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., Fri., & Sat., 10am-5pm; Thur., 10am-7pm; of Mon. by appt only. 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).

Marion

Marion County Museum, 101 Wilcox Avenue, Marion. Ongoing - Changing exhibits are displayed in two galleries downstairs. These can be local exhibits, or traveling exhibits from the South Carolina State Museum's collections. The Magnolia Room of the museum is furnished with lovely antiques once used in the Aiken-Rhett House in Charleston. These pieces were a gift from the Charleston Museum. The upstairs galleries feature a turn-of-the-century classroom, a farm room, and a variety of displays concerning the people and places of Marion County. Hours: Tues.-Fri., 9am-noon & 1-5pm. Contact: 843/423-8299 or at (http://www.marionsc.org/musem).

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 (http://mccormickarts.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

Chapin Park. 1400 Kings Hwy and 16th Ave. N., Myrtle Beach. Oct. 8 & 9, & Nov. 5 & 6, 2016 - "44th 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, 843/446-3830 or at (www.artsyparksy.com).

Valor Memorial Park, 1120 Farrow Parkway, The Market Common, Myrtle Beach. Valor Park, at The Market Common, in Myrtle Beach. Nov. 12 & 13. 2016 - "Waccamaw Arts and Crafts Guild's 44th 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 843/446-3830 or (www.artsyparksy.com).

Franklin G. Burroughs · Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 South Ocean Blvd., beside Springmaid Beach, Myrtle Beach. Through **Sept. 10 -** "The Art of the Brick®," an exhibition featuring large-scale sculptures created out of iconic LEGO® bricks by New York-based artist

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SC Institutional Galleries

Nathan Sawaya. The "Art of the Brick®" is one of | Zagar, and local schoolchildren. Hours: Mon.the largest and most popular art exhibits touring the globe. CNN hailed the exhibition as one of the top twelve "must-see exhibitions in the world." Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 843/238-2510 or at (www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org).

Seacoast Artists Gallery, located at The Market Common, 3032 Nevers Street, Myrtle Beach. On**going** - features the works of over 70 local artists of the Seacoast Artists Guild of South Carolina, a nonprofit visual arts organization dedicated to advancing excellence in the visual arts through teaching, exhibits, workshops and special events. Guild membership benefits include monthly meetings, programs & presentations; and opportunities to participate in Spring & Fall Art Shows and Web Gallery. Artwork includes oil, acrylic, watercolor, fiber art, mixed media, clay, metal engraved jewelry, sculpture, assemblage, and fine art photography. Art classes and workshops offered. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 843.232.7009, e-mail at (seacoastartistsgallery@gmail.com) or at (www.seacoastartistsguild.com).

North Charleston



Work by Nora Phillips

City of North Charleston Art Gallery, North Charleston Performing Arts Center & Convention Center Complex, common walkways, 5001 Coliseum Drive, North Charleston. July 7 - 29 - "Parallel Thoughts/Single Minded: The Art Quilts of Marlene O'Bryant Seabrook with Prose by EOB3". This retrospective exhibition showcases selected quilts by nationally and internationally exhibited fiber artist, Dr. Marlene O'Bryant-Seabrook. July 7 - 29 - "Threading Color – Works by Nora Phillips". Phillips of Raleigh, NC, presents a collection of mixed media pieces that blend paint, fiber elements, and thread. A reception for both exhibits will take place on July 7, from 5-7pm. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 843/740-5854, or at (http:// www.northcharleston.org/Residents/Arts-and-

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - North Charleston Riverfront Park, 1001 Everglades Dr., The Navy Yard at Noisette (former Charleston Naval Base), North Charleston. Through Mar. 26, 2017 - "11th Annual National Outdoor Sculpture Competition & Exhibition". View 12 thought provoking, outdoor sculptures by established and emerging artists from across the nation in this 11th annual juried competition and exhibition. Twelve artists from three different states were selected by the juror, James G. Davis, ASLA, founder/president of Sculpture in the Landscape, a NC based firm. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: 843/740-5854 or at (http://www.northcharleston.org/Residents/ Arts-and-Culture.aspx

Orangeburg

I.P. Stanback Museum and Planetarium, SC State University, 287 Geathers Street, Orangeburg. Ongoing - "The Influence of James Brown: His Imprint on Music, Dance, Style and Politics". In 2008, the Stanback was selected to preserve the legacy of James Brown, when museum curators were invited to Brown's Estate in Beech Island, SC, to retrieve items for preservation. The collection boasts an impressive list of items that capture the life and legacy of the 'Hardest Working Man in Show Business.' The collection features costumes, clothing, instruments, unpublished photographs, early cuts of vinyl recordings, handwritten music, awards, trophies and more. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 803/536-7174 or at (http://

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

www.scsu.edu/researchoutreach/ipstanback-

museumandplanetarium.aspx).

Thur., 8:30am-4:30pm & Fri., 8:30am-noon. Contact: Elizabeth Thomas at 803/536-4074 or at (http://ocfac.net/).

Pawleys Island, Litchfield & Murrells Inlet



LEGO® Peacock by Sean Kenney

Brookgreen Gardens, US 17, south of Murrells Inlet. **Through Sept. 5 -** "Nature Connects: LEGOS® Bricks Sculpture Exhibit". In celebration of its 85th Anniversary, Brookgreen Gardens will host 12 larger-than-life LEGO® brick sculpture installations in its Native Wildlife Zoo. Created by Sean Kenney, renowned artist and children's author, "Nature Connects" is an award winning exhibit currently touring the country. Made from almost 400,000 LEGO® bricks, the sculptures bring nature to life with a 6-foot tall hummingbird hovering over a trumpet flower, a deer family made from 48,000 bricks, a giant tortoise, a 7-foot long giant dragonfly, and more. The exhibit will be open daily and is included in garden admission. 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 wellknown 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

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.

Ridge Spring

Art Association of Ridge Spring Gallery, Art Center in Ridge Spring, located behind the Ridge ivic Center. 108 Maintenance Snob 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 Sept. 11 -** "27th Annual Juried Competition". Judging this year's competition is Seth Gadsden. Gadsden is an artist, educator, and filmmaker living in Columbia, South Carolina where he is the managing director of the Nickelodeon Theatre and director of the Indie Grits Film Festival. 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/).

Edmund D. Lewandowski Student Gallery, McLaurin Hall, Oakland Ave., Winthrop University, Rock Hill. **Through Sept. 5 -** Featuring an exhibition of MFA student works. Hours: M-F, 9am-5pm. Contact: Tom Stanley at 803/323-2493 or at (www.winthrop.edu/arts).

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.

Winthrop University Galleries, Rutledge Building, Winthrop University, Rock Hill. Rutledge Gallery, Through July 1 - "28th Annual Undergraduate Juried Exhibition," juried by Crista Cammaroto, director of Galleries, Projective Eye Gallery, UNC Charlotte.Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: call 803/323-2493, e-mail Karen Derksen, Galleries director, at (derksenk@ winthrop.edu) or at (www.winthrop.edu/arts).

Spartanburg

Downtown Spartanburg, July 21, 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, Artists' Guild of Spartanburg Gallery, HUB-BUB showroom, Carolina Gallery, and West Main Artists Cooperative. For m ore information call 864/585-3335 or visit (www.carolinagalleryart.

Chapman Cultural Center, 200 East St. John Street, Spartanburg. Sundays from 1-5pm -"Sundays Unplugged". All of the exhibits are open and most are free, including Spartanburg Art Museum, Artists' Guild of Spartanburg Gallery, Student Galleries, Spartanburg County History Museum, and Spartanburg Science Center. In addition, local artists sell their artwork in the Zimmerli Plaza at the Sunday Art Market. And, as a final added attraction, a local musician provides a free mini-concert 2-4 p.m. Contact: call 864/542-2787.

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).

Spartanburg Art Museum, Chapman Cultural Arts Center, 200 East St. John Street, Spartanburg. Through Aug. 28 - "Pacts and Invocations: Magic and Ritual in Contemporary Art," is a group exhibition featuring the work of nine contemporary artists. This exhibition features a range of media, including ceramics, painting, photography, printmaking, and sculpture, all of which incorporate themes involving magic and ritual. As noted by the curator, Erik Waterkotte, "the power of symbols and objects is a fascinating archetype of human culture and expression, and this influence remains vehement today in the works of contemporary artists [who] practice a range of traditional and non-traditional media." Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun.,1-5pm; and till 9pm on 3rd Thur, of each month, Closed on national holidays. Contact: 864/582-7616 or at (www. spartanburgartmuseum.org).

UPSTATE Gallery on Main, 172 E. Main Street, Spartanburg. Through July 2 -"ATONEMENT." featuring works by Ruth Ava Lyons which were inspirations from a 2013 artist residency at Heron Island Research Station. Great Barrier Reef, Australia. July 7 - Aug. 27 -"Collateral Color," featuring a selection of paintings and collages by Spartanburg artist and musician Catherine Schlingmann. A reception will be held on July 21, from 5-8pm. The exhibit 843/549-0011 or at (http://www.scartisanscenter. showcases Schlingmann's vibrant monochro-

matic paperworks, paintings, and pieces from her mathematic and scientific-themed series. Ongoing - The gallery is dedicated to contemporary and original exhibitions that include selections from the permanent collection by artists Andy Warhol, Jerry Uelsmann and Beatrice Riese. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-5pm or by appt. Contact: Jane Allen Nodine, director by e-mail at (Jnodine@uscupstate.edu), call 864/503-5838, or Mark Flowers, exhibits coordinator by e-mail at (Mflowers@uscupstate.edu), or call 864/503-5848.

West Main Artists Cooperative, 578 West Main St., Spartanburg. 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.westmainartists.org)

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 (jnodine@uscupstate.edu).

Headquarters Library, Spartanburg County Public Libraries, 151 South Church Street, Spartanburg. AT&T Exhibition Lobby, Ongoing - Displaying exhibitions year round ranging from art exhibits to local history to nationwide exhibits of varying topics. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm; Sat., 9am-6pm; and Sun., 1:30-6pm. Contact: Miranda Mims Sawyer by e-mail at (mirandas@infodepot.org) or call 864/285-9091 or Andy Flynt by e-mail at (andyf@infodepot. org) and call 864/596-3500 ext.1217. The Upper Level Gallery (administrative office on the 3rd floor), Ongoing - Display local artisans artwork. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: Miranda Mims Sawyer by e-mail at (mirandas@ infodepot.org) or call 864./285-9091.

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 and a few others in other locations in Summerville. 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)

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:

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. 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.

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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).

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).

Beltor

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

Calhoun Street Gallery, 44 Calhoun Street, Bluffton. Ongoing - Featuring SC artists Michael Story and Jane Word, and local Bluffton artists Robert Sefton, Judith Beckler, Jay Kenaga, Linda Schwartz, Rima Bartkiene, as well as 18th & 19th century antique art, and many more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., noon-3pm. Contact: 843/837-4434 or at (www. redschoolhouseantiques.com).

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.

La Petite Gallerie, 56 Calhoun Street, adjacent to "The Store" in that charming and historic building Bluffton. Ongoing - Featuring works by five local artists that have combined forces to show their work. It is "an intimate little gallery with fine local art," as the owners proclaim. It features works in oil, acrylic, pastel, watercolor and mixed media by Peggy Duncan, Emily Wilson, Don Nagel, Margaret Crawford and Murray Sease. There is also lovely blown glass art by the Savannah artists at Lowcountry Glass, and whimsical and soulful clay pieces by sculptor Toby Wolter. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/304-2319 or e-mail at (lapetitegallerie9@gmail.com).

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 Knowlton, Marilyn McDonald, Daurus Niles, Linda Patalive, Jim Renauer, Patti Seldes, Michael Smalls, Ellen Blair Rogers, Steve White, Pat Wilcox, Caroll Williams and Irene K. Williamson. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/757-5590.

Preston Pottery Studio, 10 Church Street, Bluffton. **Ongoing -** Featuring above average pottery since 1973 by Jacob Preston. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/757-3084.

Camden

Artists' Attic, 930 S Broad St., Camden. Ongoing - Featuring a new frame shop and Saturday hours, along with our regular gallery, and cooperative open studios shared by 8 professional artists working in various mediums. Including Dot Goodwin, Jane Hannon, Ann Starnes, Emily Houde, Kathy Redner, Benira Sutphin, Tari Federer, and Deb Maza. Commissions are accepted. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm; Sat., 10am-3pm and by appt. Contact: 803/432-9955 or e-mail at (tarifederer@earthlink.net).

Dovetails, 645 Rutledge Street, Camden. **Ongoing** - Featuring custom bench crafted furniture by Jim Rose. Each piece is made by hand to the client's specifications. Jim works in a variety of woods including heart pine, walnut, cypress, maple, and cherry. Jim also works in exotic woods form South America and Africa. Visitors can watch individual pieces of furniture being built. Every piece has its own personality and becomes an instant heirloom. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 770/330-5000 or 803/446-3124.

Rutledge Street Gallery, 508 Rutledge St., Camden. Ongoing - Featuring original works of art from regional and national artists including Clara Blalock, Elizabeth Barber, Anne Bivens, Yong Chu Chang, Marjorie Greene, Joyce Hall, Seth Haverkamkp, Carrie Payne, John Pototschnik, Bob Ransley, Dennis Snell, Maci Scheuer, and many more. Chinese Antique Furniture Pieces. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 803/425-0071 or at (www.rutledgestreetgallery.com).

Charleston

Broad Street, Charleston. July 1, 5-7pm - "First Fridays on Broad," featuring an artwalk with the following galleries: Ellis-Nicholson Gallery, Edward Dare Gallery, COCO VIVO, Mary Martin Fine Art, Spencer Galleries, Ella Walton Richardson Fine Art, and Martin Gallery. Contact: Jeannette Nicholson at 843/722-5353 or at (http://www.charlestongalleryrow.com/).

Downtown Charleston, July 15, from 5:30-7:30pm - "2016 Palette and Palate Stroll." Eleven years ago, several downtown fine art galleries created a partnership with supporting local restaurants to put together an event that would raise funds for local art programs. The Palette & Palate Stroll is also dedicated to the appreciation of delicious food and the amazing variety of fine art that Charleston has to offer.

Participating galleries include: Anglin Smith Fine Art. Atelier Gallery, Atrium Art Gallery, Corrigan Gallery, Dog & Horse Fine Art, Ella W. Richardson Fine Art, Helena Fox Fine Art, Horton Hayes Fine Art, John C. Doyle Art Gallery, Martin Gallery, Meyer Vogl Gallery, Principle Gallery, and Robert Lange Studios. Participants need to purchase tickets ahead of time. Tickets are not refundable. On the evening of the event, they can check in at any of the participating galleries and enjoy a leisurely stroll through the historic French Quarter, walking from gallery to gallery. Cost is \$45 per person. For more information, visit (www.paletteandpalatestroll.com).

Anglin-Smith Fine Art, 9 Queen Street, corner of Queen & State Streets, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring original works by Betty Anglin Smith, Jennifer Smith Rogers, Tripp Smith, Shannon Smith Hughes, Kim English, Darrell Davis, Colin Page, Carl Plansky, and Victor Chiarizia. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 843/853-0708 or at (www.anglinsmith.com).

Ann Long Fine Art, 54 Broad Street, Charleston Ongoing - Classical Realism - still life, figurative work, landscapes and sculpture. The work represented by the gallery spans two generations of contemporary artists trained, in the most prestigious ateliers in Florence, Italy, to use the classical, realist techniques of European Old Master artists: oil paintings and drawings by Ben Long, as well as his studies for fresco; including Charleston artist Jill Hooper's still lifes and recent figure work; and many works by teachers of the Florence Academy, including its founder Daniel Graves. Also, represented are the figurative monotypes from the estate of deceased German Modernist Otto Neumann (1895 – 1975). Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11-5pm and by appt. Contact: 843/577 0447 or at (www.annlongfineart.com).

Artizom Framing & Gallery, 334 E. Bay Street, Suite J, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring the contemporary artwork of Jackie and Charles Ailstock. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 843/723-3726 or at (www.artizom.com).

Atelier Gallery Charletson, 153 King Street, Charleston. Ongoing - The gallery's focus is to support and promote a variety of artists, from the Southeastern region, while merging the classics with the moderns. Traditional portraits and landscapes are displayed alongside contemporary canvases and sculptures. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/722-5668 or at (www. theateliergalleries.com).

Atrium Art Gallery, 61 Queen Street, Charleston. Ongoing - The gallery's open beautiful space in an historic Charleston building shows the works from over 10 artists offering contemporary, abstract, realism, landscape, lowcountry and photography. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/973-3300 or at (www.atriumartgallery.com).

Ben Ham Images, 416 King Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Ben Ham Images recently expanded to its new 2200 square feet of elegant gallery space in Charleston. Located downtown in the "Upper" King Street design district amidst world class shopping and restaurants, the Charleston gallery is truly an unique experience that transports you on a spectacular journey. Hours: Sun.-Mon., noon-5pm and Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 843/410-1495 or at (http://benhamimages.com/).

Bird's I View Gallery, 119-A Church St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring originals and prints of bird life by Anne Worsham Richardson, as well as works by Nancy Rushing, Alice Grimsley, and Detta Cutting Zimmerman. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact 843/723-1276, 843/766-2108 or at (www.anneworshamrichardson.com).

Blue Heron Glass, 1714 Old Towne Rd., Northbridge Shopping Center near T-Bonz Steak House, Charleston. Ongoing - Whether by commissioning an exquisite stained glass panel for home or office, stocking up on hard-to-find supplies for the glass artist, or selecting the perfect gift, Blue Heron Glass is truly a place where light and color blend through imagination. We offer a wide variety of classes. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm, & Sat., 10am-3-pm.Contact: 843/769/7299, or at (www.blue-heron-glass.com).

Carolina Clay Gallery, Freshfields Village, 565 Freshfields Dr., located at the intersection of Seabrook and Kiawah Islands, 15 miles south of Charleston, Johns Island. Ongoing - Carolina Clay Gallery features the work of over 100 North and South Carolina potters and glass artists. Also available are the wonderful, whimsical life size copper frogs of Charles and Zan Smith. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10am-8pm, & Sun., 11am-6pm. Contact: 843/243-0043 or at (www.carolinaclaygallery.com).

Carolina Antique Maps and Prints LLC, 91 Church St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring Antique Maps and Prints from the 16th to the 19th century. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/722-4773 or at (www.

Charleston Art Brokers, AIM on King, 648 King Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Representing emerging and established fine art artists and photographers from Charleston and the Southeast. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: (carol@charlestonartbrokers.com) or at (www.charlestonartbrokers.com).

carolinaantiqueprints.com).

Charleston Crafts, 161 Church Street, across from Tommy Condon's, one block south of Market St., Charleston. Ongoing - Charleston Crafts is the longest operating craft cooperative in Charleston, featuring only items designed and created by SC artists. Gallery showcases a blend of contemporary and traditional craft media plus photography. Hours: Sun.-Thur., 10am-6pm & Fri.-Sat., 10am-8pm. Contact: 843/723-2938 or at (www.CharlestonCrafts.org).

COCO VIVO interior and fine art for relaxed living, Gallery Row, 25 Broad St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring works by Tony van Hasselt, aws, Mitch Billis, Patricia Roth and Roger Milinowski. Also representing jewelry designer Betty Holland and photographer Sandy Logan. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5:30 & Fri. till 8pm. Contact: 843/720-4027.

Coleman Fine Art, 79 Church St., Charleston. Ongoing - Both a fine art gallery, and a gold leaf studio, Coleman Fine Art has been representing regional and national artists for over 30 years. We proudly represent watercolor painter Mary Whyte, whose paintings focus on the life and culture of the indigenous people of the South Carolina Lowcountry. Hours: Mon., 10am-4pm; Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 843/853-7000 or at (www.colemanfineart.com).

Cone 10 Studios, 1080-B Morrison Drive, in the heart of NoMo, Charleston. Ongoing - A studio and gallery of local potters and sculptors. We also offer classes in beginning to intermediate wheel throwing and clay sculpture. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 843/853-3345 or at (www.cone10studios.com).



Work by Alan Jackson, Hirona Matsuda, Michael Hayes, and Matthew Dietz

Corrigan Gallery, 62 Queen Street, Charleston. July 1 - 30 - "A Response to Paper," featuring collaborative works by Alan Jackson, Hirona Matsuda, Michael Hayes, and Matthew Dietz. A reception will be held on July 1, from 5-8pm. In this exhibit, artists Michael Hayes, Alan Jackson, Matthew Dietz and Hirona Matsuda use the everyman's material of paper to create a collaborative abstract work. Their process-oriented approach centers on the organization of spontaneous mark making and while each employs the same intuitive and reactionary response to their materials, the resulting body of work intriguing in its variation. **Ongoing -** Contemporary fine art including paintings, photography, prints and sculpture. Now showing works by Manning Williams. Richard Hagerty, Joe Walters, Sue Simons Wallace, Gordon Nicholson, Jonn Moore William Meisburger, Mary Walker, Kristi Ryba, Paul Mardikian, Kevin Bruce Parent and Judy Cox. Located in the heart of the downtown historic district of Charleston's French Quarter. Artist at work on location - work in progress to be viewed. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by chance & appt. Contact: 843/722-9868 or at (www.corrigangallery.com)

Courtyard Art Gallery, 149 1/2 East Bay Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring works by Veronique Aniel, Melissa Breeland, Mary Ann Bridgman, Renee Bruce, Beverly Brunswig, Wilma Cantey, Carole Carberry, Linda Churchill, Christine Crosby, Judy Jacobs, Alix Kassing, Jennifer Koach, Tug Mathisen, Yvonne Rousseau, Suzy Shealy, Coleen Stoioff, and Tom Tremaine. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 843/723-9172 or at (www.courtyardartgallery.com).

Dog & Horse, Fine Art and Portraiture, & Sculpture Garden, 102 Church St. Charleston. **July 15 - Aug. 20 -** Featuring a premiere exhibition for Abbie Gibson will open in conjunction with the Palette and Palate Stroll at Dog & Horse Fine Art on July 15, from 5:30-7:30pm.

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Gibson's contemporary paintings of horses combine her grasp of equine confirmation and her spiritual connection with these animals. **Ongoing -** Representing more than 30 artists from the US , UK and Europe, Dog & Horse Fine Art offers the finest in animal art and portraiture in a wide range of styles, in almost every medium, from antique to modern day. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/577-5500 or at (www.dogandhorsefineart.com).

East Bay Garden Gallery, 114 E. Bay St., in

Coates Row, near Rainbow Row, Charleston. **Ongoing -** Artist and owner, W. Hampton Brand provides a unique and more complete "Charleston experience" with his art. His primary subject is the significant architecture and beautiful historic buildings of our city. For those who seek the ultimate Charleston keepsake - he puts his art on the increasingly rare artifacts of historic roofing slate and old handmade Charleston brick. In addition to his art, you're invited to browse among the eclectic garden finds in the courtyard including old gates, statuaries, pottery, unique iron pieces and so much more. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 9am-2pm. Contact: 843/958-0490 or 843/327-6282.

Edward Dare Gallery, 31 Broad Street, between Church & State Sts., Charleston, Ongoing - Located on historic Broad Street's GALLERY ROW in the French Quarter of Charleston, SC, the gallery features an extensive variety of fine art including landscape, figurative, still life & marine paintings plus exquisite pottery, photography, fine handcrafted jewelry, unique works in glass & metal plus bronze sculpture - all by some of the most sought after artists in the low country and accomplished artists from across the nation. Many of the artists represented have a personal connection to Charleston and the coastal Carolinas and tend to include pieces that celebrate the colorful tapestry of the southern coastal culture. Visit the gallery to see crashing waves, lush marshes, still lifes of camellias & oyster shells, coastal wildlife and sensitive vet powerful portraits of the south. Hours: Mon. - Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/853-5002 or at (www.edwarddare.



Work by Lindsay Goodwin

Ella Walton Richardson Fine Art, 58 Broad St., Charleston. Through July 11 - "Cosmopolitan," featuring works by renowned contemporary Impressionist painter Jeff Jamison. We are thrilled to invite you to escape into Jamison's timeless realm of long-lost lovers as they reunite in dreamlike cities, cozily tucked beneath the glow of a umbrella. You might feel the urge to suddenly ride your bicycle along a sunny side street in Charleston, or your breath might catch at the sight of couples waltzing in a luxurious ballroom. All of this is normal, in fact, it is the provocation of the senses that Jamison seeks in his works. **July 15 - Aug**. 30 - Featuring featuring new Parisian dining interiors by Lindsay Goodwin. On July 15, from 5:30-7:30pm - 11th annual Palette & Palate Stroll. This year at Ella W. Richardson Fine Art, is thrilled to be partnering with Anson Restaurant. While you're savoring bites from Anson during our Palette & Palate stroll, peruse Goodwin's works and imagine a quiet night in Paris. A cozy corner, a lavish ballroom, a glass case brimming with colorful french pattiserie... all framed in gold. The newest paintings by Lindsay Goodwin are a sweet display of dining interiors highlighting some of Paris' most beautiful locales. Ongoing - Founded in 2001, this internationally acclaimed fine art gallery is located in the historic French Quarter district in Charleston. Richardson represents American, Dutch, and Russian-born artists of the contemporary Impressionist, Realist, and Abstract styles. Sculpture by the award-winning Marianne Houtkamp and photography by Richardson also fill the elegant and inviting space. In addition, the gallery is available as a scenic event venue. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/722-3660 or e-mail to (info@ellarichardson.com).

Ellis-Nicholson Gallery, 1.5 Broad St., Charleston. Ongoing - Paintings by Victoria Platt Ellis, Jeannette Cooper Nicholson, Brian Scanlon and Robert M. Sweeny. Also representing sculptors Alex Palkovich and John Douglas Donehue, Jr.; jewelry designers Rebecca Johnston and Carole McDougal; potter Mary Nicholson and glass blower Michael Barnett. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact 843/722.5353 or at (www.ellisnicholsongallery.com).

Eva Carter's Studio, Wadmalaw Island, Johns Island. **Ongoing -** Offering the bold abstract expressionist oil paintings of Eva Carter. Hours: by appt. only. Contact 843/478-2522 or at (www.evacartergallery.com).

FABULON, A Center for Art and Education, 1017 Wappoo Road, West Ashley, Charleston. Ongoing - Fabulon is a new gallery in West Ashley. It represents encaustic work by Susan Irish, artisan furniture, unique hand crafted jewelry by Chloda and a variety art from new and emerging artists. Fabulon also offers group and private classes for adults, children, and home scholars. We now represent: Julia Deckman, Meyriel Edge, Susanne Frenzel, Alice Stewart Grimsley, Laura McRae Hitchcock, Hampton R. Olfus, Jr., Steven Owen, Steven Owen, Ryan Siegmann, David R. Warren, Kenneth E Webb. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/566-3383 or at (www.fabulonart.com).

Fire & Earth: Fine Pottery, 1417 Ashley River Rd., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring original work by gallery owner Kris Neal, and the Charleston area's most comprehensive pottery classes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/766-2776 or at (www.fireandearthpottery.com).

Galerie on Broad, 29 Broad Street, Charleston. Ongoing - The gallery is dedicated to bringing national and international artists to the art scene. Art collectors from all over find their way into the cozy and quaint atmosphere of Historic Gallery Row. Galerie on Broad features impressionistic landscapes and figurative works by nationally and internationally known artists such as Calvin Liang, Camille Przewodek, Lori Putnam, Dee Beard Dean, Richard Oversmith, Kate Mullin, Katie Dobson Cundiff, James Richards, Giner Bueno, Marc Esteve, and John Michael Carter. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/410-6332 or at (www.galerieonbroad.com).

Gaye Sanders Fisher Gallery, 124 Church St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring original oil and watercolor paintings by Gaye Sanders Fisher. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 843/958-0010 or at (www.gayesanders-fisher.com).

Gordon Wheeler Gallery, 180 East Bay Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Original paintings and limited edition prints of golf, lowcountry landscapes and Charleston scenes by Gordon Wheeler. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun. 11am-4pm. Contact: 843/722-2546.

Grand Bohemian Gallery, inside the Grand Bohemian Hotel - Charleston, 55 Wentworth Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The gallery features an eclectic collecton of paintings, sculptures, glass art and contemporary jewelry. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 843/724-4130 or at (www.grand-bohemiangallery.com).

Hagan Fine Art Gallery & Studio, 27 1/2 State St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring works by Karen Hewitt Hagan. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5-pm. Contact: 843/754-0494 or at (www.Hagan-FineArt.com).

Helena Fox Fine Art, 106-A Church Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring works by West Fraser, Johnson Hagood, Margaret M. Peery, Julyan Davis, and Craig Crawford, along with the stable of artists Helena Fox Fine Art continues to represent including: Sarah Amos, Kenn Backhaus, John Budicin, Terry DeLapp, Donald Demers, Mary Erickson, Joseph McGurl, Billyo O'Donnell, Joseph Paquet, and Kent Ullberg. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/723-0073 or at (www.helenafoxfineart.com).

Horton Hayes Fine Art, 171 King Street, 2nd floor above Sylvan Gallery, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring marshscapes and Lowcountry images of shrimpers, crabbers, clammers, and oyster harvesters in oils and acrylics by Mark Horton. Also works by Nancy Hoerter, Shannon Runquist, and Chris Groves. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5:30pm; 2nd Sun. of each month, 12:30-5pm & by appt. Contact: 843/958-0014 or at (www.hortonhayes.com).

tween Clifford and Queen, Charleston. Ongoing - A unique showcase of photography including LeCroy's vastly enlarged leaves, plants, and flowers - a culmination of photography and technology, as they reveal detail and color that is beyond the reach of the unaided eye. The fine art photography contains a selection of cityscapes, black and whites, international architecture, and others. Unique framed pieces that combine 19th century daguerreotypes, ambrotypes, and tintypes with enlarged images will delight history enthusiasts. LeCroy's photographs are additionally on exhibit at the New York Hall of Science, New York. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 843/577-7501 or at (www.imagingarts.com).

Imaging Arts Gallery, 175 King Street, be-

Indigo Fine Art Gallery, 102 Church St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring artwork by Paula Lonneman and Judith Perry, along with handblown glass seashells, raku pots and the work of special guest artists throughout the year. Stop by and see works-in-progress as well, since the artist/owners are always there & probably painting! Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843-805-9696 or at (www. IndigoFineArtGallery.com).

Julia Santen Gallery, 188 King Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Offering original vintage poster art, encompassing the Belle Epoque, Art Nouveau, Art Deco and Contemporary eras. Hours: open mostly, closed sometimes and by appt. Contact: 843/534-0758 or at (www.juliasantengallery.com).

Lambert Gallery, 749 Willow Lake Road, Charleston. Onging - Featuring the gallery and studio space for Hilarie Lambert. Hours: call, by appt. Contact: 843/822-1707 or at (www. hlambert.com).

Laura Liberatore Szweda Studio, Kiawah Island. Ongoing - Featuring contemporary fine art paintings. Hours: by appointment only. Contact: 843/768-4795 or at (www.LauraLiberatoreSzweda.com).

Lowcountry Artists Gallery, 148 E. Bay St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring works by Norma Morris Ballentine, Helen K. Beacham, Marty Biernbaum, Laura Cody, Lynne N. Hardwick, Rana Jordahl, Rebecca Leonard and Sandra Roper along with 25 additional guest artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-6pm & Sun., 1-5. Contact: 843/577-9295 or at (www. lowcountryartists.com).

Martin Gallery, 18 Broad Street, ground floor of the Peeople's Building, corner of Broad and State Streets, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring paintings by Mitch Billis, Kathleen Billis, Italian master Imero Gobbato, William Crosby, Christopher Schink, Jennifer Spencer, Jared Clackner, and Gilles Charest; sculpture by Leo Osborne, Claire McArdle, and James R. Pyne; and photography by Michael Kahn. Also, offering select jewelry and glass art by America's best artisans, featuring custom designs by acclaimed master goldsmith Glade Sarbach Davis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun., 1-5pm & by appt. Contact: 843/723-7378 or at (www.martingallerycharleston.com).

Mary Martin Gallery, 103 Broad Street, Charleston. **Ongoing -** Mary Martin Gallery has always specialized in representing top contemporary artists, and has also identified and mentored little-known artists to national recognition. MMG is the perfect venue for artists who represent a variety of styles and techniques. Some of the most notable artists of museum quality are Jean-Claude Gaugy, Martin Eichinger, Andre Kohn, Vadim Klevenskiy, Tatyana Klevenskiy, Richard Johnson, Alvar, Pujol, Pietro Piccoli, Baques, Mario, Monica Meuneir, Larry Osso, Mark Yale Harris, Philippe Guillerm, Richard Riverin, Judy Fuller, Graciela Rodo Boulanger, Ann Dettmer, Sangita Phadke, R. John Ichter, John Gregory, and others. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm and Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 843-723-0303 or at (www. marvmartinart.com).

McCallum - Halsey Gallery and Studios, 20 Fulton St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring works by two of the southeast's foremost artists, Corrie McCallum and William Halsey. Including paintings, graphics, and sculptures for the discerning collector. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 843/813-7542; 904/223-8418; or 501/650-5090.

Meyer Vogl Gallery, 122 Meeting Street,
Charleston. July 15, from 5:30-7:30 - "11th
annual Palette and Palate Stroll". Ongoing - Permanently featuring oil paintings by
distinguished artists Laurie Meyer and Marissa
Vogl, we also exhibit works by local and nationally recognized guest artists. These artists are
diverse and unique, ranging from emerging to
established contemporary masters; the unifying
element is that they excite us. By exhibiting
artwork for which we feel an emotional connection, we hope to engage the senses of art lov-

ers and introduce collectors to exhilarating new works. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 843/452-2670 or at (www. meyervogl.com).

Michael Parks Gallery, 35 Broad Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring fine art photography by Michael Parks and a variety of fine artworks by selected artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/348-3202 or e-mail to (michaelparksgallery@gmail.com).

Nina Liu and Friends, 24 State St., Charleston. Ongoing - Group show by gallery artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 843/722-2724 (call ahead to make sure the gallery is open).

One of a Kind Art & Fine Craft Gallery, 74 N. Market Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring unique arts and crafts from over 400 American artists, including many local artisans. Hours: Sun.-Thur., 10am-10pm & Fri.&Sat, 10-11pm. Contact: 843/534-1774.

Paul Silva Gallery, 188 Meeting Street, Charleston. Ongoing - The art and musings of Paul Silva. All mediums from oils and acryllics to mixed media digital art. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 9:30am-6pm. Contact: 843/849-0031 or at (www.paulsilvaart.com).

People, Places, & Quilts, 1 Henrietta Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring fabric, books, patterns, notions, quilts and Folk Art. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/937-9333 or at (www.ppquilts.com).

Photographics - Portrait Photography & Art Gallery, 458 Freshfields Dr., in the Freshfields Village, Johns Island. Ongoing - Representing painters and photographers who exemplify the greatest ability to evoke a mood or sensory impression of a chosen subject matter. This subject matter varies and includes landscapes and still-life depictions of Lowcountry scenes as well as themes and experiences from the travels of its artists. The gallery features original works in oil, watercolor, gouache, mixedmedia and fine-art photography. Representing national artists: Billie Sumner, Fred Jamar, Tammy Papa, Pam Cohen, Vickie Ellis, Aija Sterns, Elizabeth Drozeski, Sharlyne Duffy, and Michael Cyra. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 843/768-3030 or at (www. kiawahislandphoto.com)

Principle Gallery: Charleston, 125 Meeting Street, Charleston. Ongoing - The gallery finds joy in sharing museum-quality works from established American and international artists within the realm of Contemporary and Classical Realism. In its inaugural year, the gallery invites you into its light-filled space for monthly shows featuring fresh, exciting work from the multi-faceted and diverse Principle Family of Artists, along with national invitational shows, and curated events. Hours: Mon.-Tue., 10am-3pm; Wed.-Sat., 10am-6pm; & Sun., 11am-4pm. Contact: 843/727-4500 or at (www.principlegallery.com).

Rebekah Jacobs Gallery, 54 Broad Street, 2nd level, Charleston. Ongoing - Focusing on Southern artists and photographers who have powerful visions of the land of their birth supported by an advanced mastery of their media. The gallery maintains an accelerated exhibition schedule, non-media specific, which features one-person and group shows throughout the year. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm or by appt. Contact: 843/937-9222 or at (www.rebekahjacobgallery.com)

Reinert LePrince Fine Art, 179 King Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring works by local painters Rick Reinert and Kevin LePrince with works by sculptor David Turner. Hours: daily from 10am-5pm. Contact: call 843/793-4765 or at (www.reinertleprince.com).

Rhett Thurman Studio, 241 King St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring original works by Rhett Thurman in conjunction with The Sylvan Gallery. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 843/577-6066.

Robert Lange Studios , 2 Queen St., Charleston. Through July 22 - "Embracing Impermenance," featuring multi-layered paintings and sculptures by Michelle Jader. Traditional and contemporary art will come together at this exhibit of that explore change and the desire for connection. Ongoing - Featuring works by Ali Cavanaugh, Megan Aline, Robert Lange, Nathan Durfee, Kerry Brooks, Jessica Dunegan, Fred Jamar, Michael Moran, Amy Lind, Adam Hall, Joshua Flint, Sean Clancy, and JB Boyd. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 11am-7pm. Contact: 843/805-8052 or at (www.robertlangestudios.com).

Spencer Art Gallery I, 55 Broad St., in historic French Quarter District, Charleston. Ongoing - Offering the works of over 35 award winning artists in a delightfully eclectic mix of subject matter, styles, and media. Hours: Mon.-Sat.,

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10am-5pm. Contact: 843/722-6854 or at (www.spencerartgallery.com).

Spencer Art Gallery II, 57 Broad St., in historic French Quarter District, Charleston. Ongoing - Offering the works of over 35 award winning artists in a delightfully eclectic mix of subject matter, styles, and media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/723-4482 or at (www.spencerartgallery.com).

Studio 151 Fine Art Gallery, 175 Church St., just south of the corner of Market and Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing -** Featuring original art in traditional, realism, wildlife, impressionism collage, and abstracts in a variety of mediums, including photography and hand crafted lewelry Offering the works of Colleen Wiessmann, Rosie Phillips, Shelby Parbel, Bob Graham, Amelia Whaley, Dixie Dugan, Nancy Davidson, Sandra Scott, Jennifer Koach, Michel McNinch, Amelia Rose Smith, Lissa Block, Debra Paysinger, Charles Moore, Roger Tatum, Daryl Knox, Gina Brown and Madison Latimer. We also participate in Charleston's historic French Quarter art walks every March, May, October and December. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm, Fri. & Sat., 10am-8pm; and Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/579-9725 or at (www. studio151finearts. com).

Surface Craft Gallery, 49 John Street in downtown Charleston. Ongoing - The gallery will feature contemporary work from fine craft artisans in the Charleston region and beyond. Works in ceramics, handblown & fused glass, book arts, paper, printmaking, jewelry and wood will be offered. In addition to featuring new craft artists into Charleston, the gallery will also offer a handmade gift registry. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 843/530-6809 or at (www.surfacegallerycharleston.com).

THALO-Working Studio Gallery, LLC, 7 Broad Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Christine Crosby and Katherine DuTremble in their working studio. DuTremble is also a printmaker and brings her knowledge and expertise in the making of monotypes to the public's view. They also have the late glassmaker Herman Leonhardt's work on exhibit and available for sale. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/327-5926 or at (www.thalostudio.com).

The Art MECCA of Charleston, 427 King Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Artists work here, create here, and sell here. On weekends people love popping in to see what type of live art is being created. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-7pm. Contact: 843/577-0603 or at (www.artmeccaofcharleston.com).

The Audubon Gallery, 190 King St., Charleston. Ongoing - "Charleston's only gallery for the Natural History and sporting art enthusiast!" Locally owned, the gallery specializes in the golder age of natural history (1700-1900), emphasizing John James Audubon, one of Charleston's most highly regarded artist. Here, you will find a tour-de-force of Audubon's "Birds of America" as well as other highly acclaimed natural history art. A sportman's paradise with a large selection of antique wildfowl decoys, collectibles, nostalgic paintings, prints of days afield and favorite hunting dogs. We offer museum-quality framing and conservation services for works of art on paper to protect and present your most treasured pieces. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/853-1100 or at (www.audubonart.com).

The Brizard Studio, one King Street, Suite 404, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Original fine oil paintings by Robin Brizard, award-winning impressionist artist. Hours: by appt. only, call 843/577-0964.

The Charleston Renaissance Gallery, 103 Church Street, at St. Michael's Alley, Charleston. Ongoing - Showcasing nineteenth century oil paintings, works on paper and sculpture of the American South. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/723-0025 or at (www.fineartsouth.com).

The George Gallery, 50 Bogard Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Currently representing Gary Grier, Amanda Norman, Paul Yanko, Alan Taylor Jeffries and Evan Armstrong, the gallery presents a feast for the eyes with art that is thought provoking and visual stimulating. In addition to sales, we offer consulting and professional installation services. We are here to make your art collecting experience simple and enjoyable. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/579-7328 or at (www.georgegalleryart.com).

The John Carroll Doyle Art Gallery, 125 Church St., Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring works by the late John Carroll Doyle and Margret Petterson. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/577-7344 or at (www.johncdoyle. com).

The John M. Dunnan Gallery, 121 Church Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring works by John M. Dunnan. Including stylistic gesture drawings, paintings and sculpture. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/720-7425 or at (www.johndunnan.com).

The Silver Puffin, 329 King Street, across from Bob Ellis Shoes, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring unique American and International arts and crafts with emphasis on the work of local artisans. Hours: daily, 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/723-7900 or at (www.silverpuffin.com).

The Southern, 2 Carlson Court, behind the Pissa Hut at 483 Meeting Street, Charleston. Ongoing - Featuring a contemporary art gallery dealing in recent works by artists connected to the American South. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-7-pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 843/580-8905 or at (http://thesouthern.gallery/).



Work by Rhett Thurman

The Sylvan Gallery, 171 King Street, Charleston. July 16 - "A Small Works Fine Art Auction". Preview the art: July 11-14, 10am-5pm; July 15, 10am-7pm & July 16, 10am-1pm. View the catalog at (http://www.morriswhitesideauctions. com/view-catalog). Register to attend by calling 843/842-4433. Fax your absentee bid to 843/842-6211. Sign Up with Invaluable to Bid On-Line at (http://www.invaluable.com/auction-house/ morris-and-whiteside-auctions-llc-37ti65mvo3). Live Art Auction begins Saturday, July 16, 2016, at 1pm. Ongoing - Featuring 20th & 21st Century traditional and representational paintings and sculpture. Featuring works by: Cyrus Afsary, Carolyn Anderson, William "Bill" Berra, Scott Burdick, Nancy Bush, Frank DiVita, Glenna Goodacre, John Austin Hanna, Doug Higgins, William Kalwick, Ramon Kelley, Linda Kyser-Smith, Kent Lemon, Huihan Liu, Sue Lyon, Karol Mack, Eric Michaels, Anthony Palliser, Kate Palmer, Joan Potter, W. Stanley "Sandy" Proctor, Paul Strisik, Sonya Terpening, Barry Thomas, Rhett Thurman, Curt Walters, and Wayne E. Wolfe. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm; Sat., 10am-5pm; & Sun., 11am-4pm. Contact: 843/722-2172 or at (www.thesylvangallery.com).

The Wells Gallery at The Sanctuary, at The Sanctuary on Kiawah Island, about 30 minutes from Charleston, in Kiawah's newest and most luxurious resort. Ongoing - Featuring a selection of paintings, jewelry and sculptures of some of the Lowcountry's finest artists, Betty Anglin Smith, Shannon Smith, Jennifer Smith Rogers, George Pate, Glenn Harrington, Gary Gowans, Karen Larson Turner, Kim English, Felice Killian, Grainger McKoy and Darrell Davis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-8pm & Sun., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/576-1290 or at (www.wellsgallery.com).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Charleston 4th Wall, 815 Savannah Highway, Suite 101, Charleston. Through Aug. 5 - "Visual Alchemy: Afrofuturism," featuring work by Cedric Umoja, Krigga and Roni Nicole Henderson. A reception will be held on June 9, from 5:30-9pm. The exhibit fuses 3 distinct voices who, though working through different mediums, center their works around the elemental function of ritual and magic in black life. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-1pm or by appt. Contact: 843/212-8482 or at (www.4thwallchs.com).

Columbia Area

Main Street, downtown Columbia. July 7, 6-9pm
- "First Thursday on Main". This monthly event
held on the 1st Thursday of the month features
art presentation - up and down Main Street.
Some of the participants include: Tapp's Arts
Center, Columbia Museum of Art, Anastasia &
Friends Art Gallery, Frame of Mind, Artists in the
Arcade, and more. For further information contact
Mark Plessinger of Frame of Mind at 803/9881065, e-mail at (frameofmind@sc.rr.com) or
Lorri-Ann Carter of CarterTodd & Associates at
803/779-4005, e-mail at (la@cartertodd.com).

Vista Area of Columbia. July 21, 5:30-8pm
- "Third Thursday in the Vista," featuring an art
walk of galleries and art spaces in the Vista area
along the Congaree River, including City Art Gallery, Ellen Taylor Interiors, if ART Gallery, Lewis &
Clark, The Gallery at Nonnah's, One Eared Cow
Glass, Studio Cellar, and Vista Studios / Gallery
80808. For further info contact any of the galleries or visit (http://www.vistacolumbia.com).

Alicia Leeke Fine Art Studio, 3821 Edinburg Rd., Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring original acrylic cityscapes, abstracts, monotypes, and drawings on canvas and fiber. Giclee's on canvas and paper also available. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 803/429-5456 or at (www. alicialeeke.com).

ArtCan Studio & Gallery, 108 Beaufort Street, Chapin. Ongoing - Featuring original paintings, handpainted furnishing, and limited and open edition lithographs by Judy Bolton Jarrett. Hours: Thur.& Fri., noon-5:30pm; Sat., noon-4pm or by appt.(call before coming). Contact: 803/345-6588 or at (www.judyjarrettgallery.com).

ART + CAYCE Gallery, 1329 State St., opposite Brookland Cayce High School, Cayce. Ongoing - Our gallery hosts local artists from South Carolina showing works in various media. Every show is different and unique and displays work from abstract painting to mixed media assemblages. Currently we are displaying sculpture by Robin Jones and mixed media assemblage/painting by Andrew Norton Webber. One can expect to visit the gallery during the week and experience a calm atmosphere with engaging pieces. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 1-4pm; Sat., 1-4pm & by appt. Contact: 803/765-0838 or at (http://artpluscayce.blogspot.com/).

Art Studios in the Historic Arcade Building. 1332 Main Street, at the corner of Washington and Main Streets two blocks from the Statehouse, Columbia. **Ongoing -** Including works by Eileen Blyth(mixed media); Sylvia Potts and Richard Lund (sculptors); Page Morris, Beth West, Suzy Shealy, Walton Selig, Martha Thomas, Jan Swanson, Tish Lowe, Bettye Rivers, Debra Paysinger, Meredith Paysinger McKenzie Seav and Leah Wimberly (painters). All studios on the main level have glass-fronts so that visitors can see art and the artists at work. Studio hours vary with each artist. Building hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-6pm or by appt. Contact: Jan Swanson at 803/360-6794, e-mail to (busstop2711@aol.com) or on Facebook.

Artsy Fartsy Art Gallery and Coffee Bar, 906 Knox Abbott Drive, Cayce. Ongoing - Featuring art by local artists and cafe and wine bar. We also have MIND GRAVY which is our poetry night every wed 8-10pm. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 7pm-2am. Contact: 803/7084731 or e-mail at (Ladyartnsoul@gmail.com).

Bella Vista Art & Framing, 705 Gervais St., downstairs of City Market Antiques, Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring original works of art of varied national artists, regional artists, vintage art, antiquarian engravings and etchings, original photography. Also a Mort Kunstler dealer and large selection of SC artists, giclees, and limited edition prints. And, offering a full service custom framing shop featuring professional, quality framing at below industry prices. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 803/765-0808 or e-mail at (bellavistaart@bellsouth.net).

Carol Saunders Gallery, 922 Gervais St., Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring fine art objects and works by local artists, including Mana Hewitt, Stephen Chesley, Carol Pittman, Mike Williams, Laura Spong, Heidi Darr-Hope, Judy Hubbard, Jeri Burdick, Clay Burnett, and Eddie Bryan. Hours: M-F, 10am-5:30pm; Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 803/256-3046.

City Art, 1224 Lincoln Street, Columbia. July 24 - Sept. 3 - "McElveen Clan: Photographs & Images by Fred McElveen, Sandy McElveen, and Clay McElveen". A reception will be held on July 24, from 4-6pm. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Jane Aldridge, Jim Arendt, Randolph New Armstrong, Penny Baskin, Jo Dean Bauknight, Robbie Bell, Kimberly Betchman, Tarleton Blackwell, Angela Bradburn, Betty Bramlett, Joe Byrne, Carolita Cantrell, Kathy Casey, Anne Cunningham, Bob Doster, Gerard Erley, Claire Farrell, Amy Fichter, Tim Floyd, Michael Fowler, Teri Goddard, Harriet Goode, Vanessa Grubbs, Randy Hanna, Shelley Hehenberger, Mana Hewitt, David Kessler, Jan Kransberger, Robert Lyon, Rena MacQueen, Doug McAbee, Fred McElveen, Esther Melton, Max Miller, Lee A. Monts, Marge Loudon Moody, Blake Morgan, Bruce Nellsmith, Heather Noe, Susan Nuttall, Patrick Parise, Ann Hightower-Patterson, Leslie Pierce, Carol Pittman, Sylvia Ady-Potts, Alex Powers, Brian Rego, May Reisz, Tom Risser, Peggy Rivers, Cindy Saad, Sara Schneckloth, Ed Shmunes, Wanda Steppe, Nancy Thompson, Teri Tynes, Yisha Wang, Wendyth Wells, Sam Wilkins, Rod Wimer, and Katarina Zaric. This

represents a rare opportunity to view a very wide range of acclaimed SC artists at one time. City Art features three distinct gallery spaces. A complete fine artists supply store is located on the lower level. Fine custom designer framing is available at City Art. In addition the Gallery is often host to a variety of events hosted by rental clients. City Art is a wonderful space to enjoy and purchase original art, art supplies, fine framing, take art classes and have wedding receptions, etc. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-5pm, & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 803/252-3613 or at (www.cityartonline.com).

Finleaf Gallery, 2323 Devine Street, Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring original artwork by local and regional artists, whose work has been hand-selected for display in our gallery. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 803/254-8327 or at (www.finleaf.com).

Fontenay Fine Art, Antiques and Oriental Rugs, 2716 Devine St., Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring antique and contemporary fine art in our gallery of fine rugs and antiques. We now offer full-service framing. Hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-5pm & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 803/254-1352 or at (www.fontenayondevine.blogspot.com).

Frameland, 619 Harden St., (Five Points, next to Grouchos Deli), Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring local art in Five Points, close to downtown. USC and college art, diploma frames, Columbia and vintage SC prints. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3:30pm. Contact: 803/771-4451.



Work by Iim Hoyle

Gallery West, 134 State Street in West Columbia. Through July 23 - "Captured 2: The Photography of Seven," featuring the works of seven photographers whose work covers a diverse range of subject matter. The original 2015 exhibition was cut short due to flood damage in the prior gallery space. Participating photographers nclude Frank Baker, Jim Hoyle, Russell Jeffcoat, Katie Purnell, Dalvin Spann, Francis Schanberger, and Olaf Wegner. Ongoing - Gallery West shares in Columbia's creative life with art from around the world and across the centuries. Come and discover early prints and paintings. including work from established as well as emerging artists, all staged with antique furniture and objects designed to make you feel "at home." Fine contemporary craft is likewise incorporated into our comfortable and welcoming surroundings. A feature of the gallery is the unusual and beautifully crafted art jewelry from international, national and regional designers. The gallery also specializes in the unique, offering exquisite objects for every budget. Whether shopping for the home, a holiday or your own heartstrings, you will enjoy art, antiques, and artisan-made objects, just across the Congaree. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 803/207- 9265 or at (www.gallerywestcolumbia.com).

Havens Framemakers and Gallery, 1616 Gervais St., Columbia. Ongoing - Exhibiting paintings by local artists: Jamie Blackburn, Diane Gilbert, Betsy Havens, Rob Shaw, Steven Whetstone, James E. Calk and others. Featuring an extensive collection of handcarved museum quality frames. Art and frame restoration. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-6pm; Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 803/256-1616 or at (www.havensframemakersandgallery.com).

HoFP, 2828 Devine Street, Columbia. **Ongoing -** Featuring original works of art from around the world and around the corner. Hours: Mon.-Fri.,9am-5:30pm; Sat.,10am-5pm, & by appt.. Contact: 803/799-7405 or at (www.hofpgallery.com).

if ART Gallery, 1221 - 1223 Lincoln St., Columbia. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Don Zurlo, Paul Yanko, Edmund Yaghjian, David Yaghjian, Mike Williams, Katie Walker, Bram van Velde, Leo Twiggs, H. Brown Thornton, Christine Tedesco, Tom Stanley, Laura Spong, Kees Salentijn, Silvia Rudolf, Edward Rice, Paul Reed, Anna Redwine, Herb Parker, Matt Overend, Janet Orselli, Marcelo Novo, Dorothy Netherland, Philip Morsberger, Joan Mitchell, Eric Miller, Sam Middleton, Reiner Mahrlein, Peter Lenzo, Deanna Leamon, Ger Lataster Sjaak Korsten, Bill Jackson, Alvin Hollingsworth, Klaus Hartmann, Tonya Gregg, Mary Gilkerson, Ralph Gelbert, Phil Garrett, Jacques Doucet, Jeff Donovan, Stephen Chesley,

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Steven Chapp, Ashlynn Browning, Carl Blair, Aaron Baldwin, Karel Appel, Roland Albert and Benny Andrews. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-7pm and Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 803/238-2351 or e-mail at (wroefs@sc.rr.com).

John Miranda's South Carolina Artists Gallery, Dutch Square Mall, next to Belk, 421 Bush River Rd., Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring pastel portraits, pastel paintings and prints by John Miranda, as well as other works by SC artists.

Also - Featuring a large selection of works by Erica Hoyt, including Charleston prints, colleges of South Carolina and numbered reproduction prints. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am -9pm & Sun. 12:30pm-6pm. Contact: 803/750-6750.

Lewis & Clark Gallery, 1001 Huger Street, behind One Eared Cow Glass, Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring work by Clark Ellefson and other contemporary artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm; Sat., 9am-3pm & by appt. Contact: 803/765-2405 or at (www.lewisandclarklamps.com).

Michael Story Studio/Gallery, 116 Brook Trout Ct., Lexington. Ongoing - Featuring traditional landscapes in oil & pastel by Michael Story. Giclee & reproduction prints. Hours by appt. only. Contact: 803/356-4268 or at (www.michaelstory.com).

Mouse House, Inc/Susan Lenz Studio., 2123 Park St. (historic Elmwood Park), Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring the working studio, original fibers, and mixed-media artwork by Susan Lenz. After 14 years at Vista Studios, Susan will now be working at Mouse House. Also offering custom picture framing as well as a wide selection of antiquarian prints and beveled mirrors. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-5pm & most Sat., 10am-2 pm. Contact: 803/254-0842; at (www.susanlenz.com); or (www.mousehouseinc.blogspot.com).

Noble's Fine Art Gallery, 3300 Forest Drive, Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring African-American art, originals, giclees, serigraphs, and lithographs. Portrait artist available. Artists featured include: Jim Wider, Tyrone Geter, John W. Jones, Alice Simmons Bing, Keith Tolen, Lori Starnes, and Carl Crawford. Also high quality African sculptures and handmade baskets. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-6pm; & Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 803-790-5892 or e-mail at (Cnoble3300@netzero.net).

One Eared Cow Glass Gallery & Studio, 1001 Huger St., Columbia. Ongoing - Handblown glass by Tom Lockart & Mark Woodham, including perfume bottles, ornaments, vases, sculpture, bowls, and paperweights, in all price ranges. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 803/254-2444 or at (www.oneearedcow.com).

Portfolio Art Gallery, Five Points area, 2007 Devine St., Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring the work of local, regional & national artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 803/256-2434 or at (www.portfolioartgal.com).

Prompt Designs Art Gallery, 3041 N. Main St., near where the train trussel crosses Main St., Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring original oils and giclees by Porter O'Brien Dodd. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 803/252-2927 or e-mail at (promptdesigns@bellsouth.net).

Redbird Studio & Gallery, 2757 Rosewood Drive, Columbia. **Ongoing -** Redbird was created by artists virginia Scotchie and Bri Kinard who saw a need for a place where experienced and budding artists could work in a supportive and accessible environment and regional artists not yet represented in the community could show their art. The gallery will feature work by some of the best artists of the region in ceramics, wood and metal sculpture, prints, drawings, wearable art and video. Among the artworks are elaborate tea pots and vases by Jim Connell; playful and thought-provoking ceramic sculptures by Paula Smith; the rugged but graceful ceramics of Zak Helenske; wood sculptures and paper collages by Paul Martyka; drawings and performance videos by Jon Prichard; prints and drawings by Tom Nakashima; and wearable art by Courtney Starrett. Work by Virginia Scotchie and Bri Kinard will also be shown at the gallery. Redbird will mount a new exhibition every six weeks. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-8:30pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 803/727-2955 or at (www.redbirdstudioandgallery.com).

Rita Smith Gallery, at Midtown At Forest Acres (formally Richland Mall) across from Barnes & Noble, corner of Forest Drive and Beltline Blvd., Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring original watercolors, acrylics and oil paintings and collector prints by Rita Smith as well as paintings

and photography by 7 other SC artists. Also a selection of pottery, stained glass, wood turnings, jewelry and other original crafts. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10am-6pm & Sun. 12:30-6pm. Contact: 803/790-0328.

Southern Pottery, 3105 Devine St., Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring pottery works by Ken Baskin, Donna Craven, Jeremy Davis, Kim Ellington, Bruce Gholson, Samantha Henneke, David Hooker, Rocky Lewycky, Peter Lenzo, Karen Newgard, Mark Peters, Ron Philbeck, Virginia Scotchie, Gay Smith, David Stempfle, Ben Truesdale and Mike Vatalaro. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-6pm & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact 803/251-3001 or at (http://southern-pottery.com/).

The Gallery at Nonnah's, 923 Gervais Street (right across the street from our old place), Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring works by Edie Biddle, Ingrid Carson, Jan Fleetwood, Donna Rozier, Jennifer Edwards, and Michael Mott, in various media. Hours: Lunch: M.-F., 11:30am-2-pm; Evenings: M.-Th., 5-11pm; F., 5pm-12:30am; Sat., 6pm-12:30am. Contact: 803/779-9599 or at (www.nonnahs.com).

The Great Frame Up, 252-M Harbison Blvd., Columbia. Ongoing - Original works by Edie Biddle and Suzanne Amodio. Variety of work by local and regional artists. Giclee and serigraph reproductions on paper and canvas from some of the world's most collectible artists. Dealer for Somerset House Publishing, Gregory Editions / Washington Green Fine Art, Historical Art Prints and others. Specialists in custom framing. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm. Contact: 803/407-2156 or at (www.columbiasc.thegreatframeup.com).

The Hive Studio and Gallery, 3310 Harrison Rd., across from Zesto just off Forest Dr., near Richland Fashion Mall, Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring exuberant watercolors by Betty Rivers; soft and emotional mixed media by Martha M. T. Herman; spirited equestrian photography by Tina W. Brown; sculpture by Jessica Barnes Smith, Elizabeth M. Barnes and Darlene Doerr; ceramics by Sonya Wilkins and Janice Sczescy. Also, offering classes ages 5-adult in a variety of mediums. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 1pm-6-pm and by appt. Contact: 803/467-4112 or at (home.sc.rr.com/hivestudio/).

The Picture Place, 4711-9 Forest Drive, next to CVS. Columbia. Ongoing - We have water-colors, oils, acrylics and handmade papers by artist, Alicia Leeke, Lyssa Harvey, Lisa Gibson, Rita Smith, Jim Finch, Jan Swanson, Kathryn VanAernum, Noel Brault, Nita Yancy and F.M. Steingrers. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm and Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 803/782-6138.

Village Artists, Village at Sandhill, 631-8 Promenade Place, next door to Panera, off Two Notch and Clemson Rds., near I-20, Columbia. Ongoing - The gallery features the works of 28 local artists offering: workshops, monthly shows and exhibits. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-9pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 803/699-8886.

Vista Art & Frame, 1752 Airport Blvd., Cayce. Ongoing - Featuring paintings of the South by Stephen O. Gunter. Hours: M.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-4pm; & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 803/794-7252 or at (www.vistaart.com).



Work by Laura Spong

Vista Studios - Gallery 80808, 808 Lady Street, Columbia. Ongoing - Featuring exhibits by artists of the Vista Studios and occasional guest exhibitions. Vista Studio artists: Eileen Blyth, Stephen Chesley, Heidi Darr-Hope, Pat Gilmartin, Robert Kennedy, Sharon C. Licata, Laurie McIntosh, Michel McNinch, Walton Selig, Kirkland Smith, Laura Spong, and David Yaghjian. Hours: Thur.-Fri., 11am-6pm and Sat. & Sun., noon-5pm or by appt. Contact: 803/252-6134 or at (www.vistastudios80808.com).

Webb Rawls Galleries, 5210 N. Trenholm Rd., (Forest Acres, behind First Citizens Bank)

Columbia. **Ongoing -** Featuring fine art and picture framing since 1904. South Carolina's oldest family owned art and frame gallery. Local art, museum framing of fine art at lowest prices. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3:30pm. Contact: 803/787-2787 or at (www. webbrawlsgalleries.com).

Wink Gallery, 911-A Lady St., Columbia.
Ongoing - Featuring a wide range of contemporary art by Midlands artists, including Terri Hutto, Laurie McIntosh, Page Morris, Heather LaHaise, Debbie Martin and Melony Stuckey. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm; Sat., 10am-3pm and by appt. Contact: 803/238-3855.

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Columbia
Frame of Mind, 1520 Main St., across from the
Columbia Museum of Art, Columbia. Ongoing
- The FOM Series is a monthly art exhibition
dedicated to supporting and featuring both
up-and- coming and established local South
Carolina artists. Hours: Mon., 10am-2pm &
Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm. Contact: 803/988-1065 or
e-mail at (frameofmind@sc.rr.com).

Conwa

Conway Glass, 209 Laurel Street, right next to Conway's Farmers Market, Conway. Ongoing - Featuring an open-air gallery and glass educational studio dedicated to raising the awareness of the visual arts in Conway and Horry County, SC. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/248-4527, 843/248-3558, or at (www. conwayglass.com).

Denmark

Jim Harrison Gallery, One South Main Street, intersection of Main Street and Highway 78, Denmark. Ongoing - Featuring works by Jim Harrison including original paintings, limited edition prints and a variety of unlimited edition reproductions, bronzes, etchings and other collectible items from Harrison in his more than thirty-year career as an artist. Hours: Tue., Thur., & Fri., 11am-5pm and Wed. & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 803/793-5796 or at (www. jimharrison.com).

Edaefield

Jane Bess Pottery LLC, 206 Lynch St., just off of Main St., around the corner from Glass Images, Edgefield. Ongoing - Functional stoneware pottery by artist/owner, Jane Bess. Working pottery studio and retail shop featuring many one-of-a-kind items....wonderful entertaining pieces. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm; Sat., 10am-2pm; or by appt. Contact: 803/637-2434 or at (www.janebesspottery.com).

Edisto Island

With These Hands Gallery, 1444 Hwy. 174, next to the Old Post Office Restaurant, Edisto Island. Ongoing - The gallery offers a collection of unique handmade, one-of-a-kind, American craft. Representing over 150 artists, you will find: kaleidoscopes, wind chimes, jewelry, hand blown glass, stained glass, pottery, oil lamps, wooden toys, wooden sculptures & decoys, metal sculpture, fiber to wear, photography, original paintings, giclee's, prints, and more! Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/869-3509 or at (www.WithTheseHandsGallery.com).

Florence

Lynda English Gallery-Studio, 403 Second Loop Rd., Florence. Ongoing - Featuring works by local and regional artists in a variety of media. Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon-5pm and by appt. Contact: 843/673-9144 or at (www.lyndaenglishstudio.net).

Running Horse Gallery (Feather Pottery & Interiors, LLC) 928 Old Wallace Gregg Road, Florence. Ongoing - Featuring ceramic works by Sasha and Tari Federer. Their artwork is one-of-a-kind, hand crafted, using an array of firing techniques and surface decoration. Hours; 10am-6pm daily, but call first. Contact: 843/992-2178 or e-mail at (featherpottery@earthlink.net).

The Clay Pot Coffee Shop, 166 S. Dargan Street, Florence. Ongoing - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Tue., 6:30am-3pm; Wed.-Sat., 6:30am-3pm & 5-9pm; Sun. 8:30am-2:30pm. Contact: 943/407-1646.

Fort Mill/ Tega Cay

Olive's, 229 Main Street, Fort Mill. Ongoing - Olive's exhibits local artist in the Carolina's. It also has a handmade by local artisan, gift shop, as well as a working ceramic studio. Olive's offers workshops and regular classes as well as ceramic parties and events. Presently works by Dottie Leatherwood, Todd Baxter, Rachel Ohls and proprietor Debbie Whitsett among others are being exhibited. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-6pm or

studio open until 8:30pm as reserved. Contact: 704/301-2619 or at (www.olivesmudpuddle.com)

Georgetown

Prince George Framing Co., 805 Front St., Georgetown. Ongoing - Featuring superior custom framing, a broad selection of quality prints and posters and great customer service. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 843/527-8413 or at (http://www.princegeorgeframing.com/).

The Georgetown Art Gallery, 705 Front Street, Georgetown. Ongoing - Original works and prints by 20 artists, including: Mimi Beaver, Ann Boone, Mike Bowers, Agnes Boyle, Nancy Bracken, Barbara Bush, Dottie Dixon, Susan Duke, Phyllis Graham, Dian Hammett, Mark Hilliard, Gail Joley, Audrey McLeod, Myrna McMahon, Hal Moore, Drummond Murdoch, Sue Rutherford, Roy & Carol Smith, Susan Tiller and Nancy van Buren. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/527-7711 or at (http://www.georgetownartgallery-sc.com/index.html).

Greenville Area

Downtown Greenville - "First Fridays," featuring a gallery crawl presented on the first Fri, of the month from 6-9pm. Visit galleries throughout the downtown area. For info: (www. fristfridaysonline.com).

West End area of Greenville, located on Pendleton Street just across from the Clemson Visual Arts Center, every Sat., from 10am-2-pm - The Village Market, a weekly artisan and farmers market. Vendors vary, but typically include arts, antiques and vintage dealers, along with produce and seafood providers and a small army of food trucks. For more information or to request a vendor space, please contact Teresa Slack, organizer, by e-mail at (teresa. slack@vahoo.com).

Art Crossing at River Place, 300 River Street, @ S. Main, along the Reedy River, Greenville, SC, or at (www.artcrossing.org). Ongoing - This site includes: Studio # 105 -Cheryl Combs, call 864/650-6041 or at (http:// www.skylarkstudios.net/); Studio # 111 - Kathy Young, call 864/266-9956 or at (http://www. jewelrybykathyyoung.com/); Studio # 109 -Steve Wallace, call 864/423-8863 or at (http:// www.creativeconceptsfoto.com/); Studio # 107 Jared Emerson, call 864/304-5124 or at (http:// jaredemerson.com/); Studio # 110 - Ron Gillen, call 864/918-3341 or at (http://www.rongillenfinearts.com); Studio # 103 - Larry Seymour, call 864/403-8863 or at (http://larryseymourwildlifeart.com/); Studio # 104 - Al Keiser, call 864/313-1587 or at (http://www.alkeiser.com/); Studio # 106 - Matthew Zedler, call 828/404-6882 or at (http://www.matthewzedlerfineart com/); Studio # 101 B - Mark Mulfinger, call 864/607-2769 or at (http://www.markmulfinger.com/); Studio # 112 - Cece Burnett, call 364/386-6806 or at (http://www.ceceburnett com/); and Studio # 101 A - Judith Machmer, call 201/394-2468. Hours: Tuesday thru Saturday, 11am to 5pm and on 1st Fri., from 6-9pm. Contact: at (www.artcrossing.org)

Art & Light, 16 Aiken Street, Greenville. Ongoing - The gallery brings together visual arts and home accessories to provide a boutique that is at once unique and incredibly usable. This is the first fusion gallery in the area to offer varied and affordable original art along with wonderfully original home furnishings and accessories. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 864/363-8172 or at (www.artandlightgallery.com).

Art Takes Over, a gallery of eclectic elements of style, 5 Smith Street, @ A. Carrier Studio, Pendleton Street Arts District, Greenville. Ongoing - Interior design, furniture, art, jewelry, pottery and lighting. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 864/385-4884 or at (www. atogallery.com).

Artists Guild Gallery of Greenville, 200 N. Main St. Greenville. Ongoing - The eclectic mix of works by the Aritsts members is always on display. Come in and enjoy the works of; Dottie Blair, Laura Buxo, Gerda Bowman, Pat Cato, Dale Cochran, Robert Decker, Kathy DuBose, Pat Grills, Mel Hammonds, Edith McBee Hardaway, Chris Hartwick, Megan Heuse, Russell Jewell, Diarmuid Kelly, John Pendarvis, Miranda Sawyer, David Waldrop and Erin Webb. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 864/239-3882 or at (www.artistsguildgalleryofgreenville.com).

Christopher Park Gallery, 608-A South Main Street, Greenville. Ongoing - Offering handmade and humorous art by North and South Carolina artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., noon-6pm. Contact: 864/232-6744 or at (www.christopherparkgallery.com).

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Liz Daly Designs, 206 East Coffee Street, Greenville. Ongoing - The gallery continues to show many local artisits who work in various mediums, and has expanded to include art from other areas. Liz Daly-Korybski creates jewelry from glass in her on site studio, and other artists can be seen creating in the gallery as well. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-9pm; Sat., 11am-9pm; & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 864/325-4445 or at (www.dalydesigns.com).



Work by Emery Bopp

Hampton III Gallery, 3100 Wade Hampton Blvd., 10 Gallery Center, Taylors. Through July 30 - "Summer Exhibition - A Desire to Collect". Ongoing - works by Sigmund Abeles, John Acorn, Dave Appleman, Jane Armstrong, J. Bardin, Carl Blair, Emery Bopp, Bette Lee Coburn, Jeanet Dreskin, Tom Flowers, William Halsey, Lee Hall, James Kirby, Darell Koons, Paul Matheny, Corrie McCallum, Glen Miller, Daniel Marinelli, Mark Mulfinger, Charles Quest, Ed Rice, Merton Simpson, Laura Spong, Carl Sublett, Leo Twiggs, Art Werger, Harrell Whittington, Enid Williams, Mickey Williams, Paul Yanko, and Jas Zadurowicz Hours: Tue.-Fri., 1-5pm; Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 864/268-2771 or at (www.HamptoniiiGallery.com).

Little House Art Studios, 602 Strange Rd., Taylors. Ongoing - Featuring exhibits of fiber art, mixed media collages and painting by Susan R. Sorrell and Anne K. Taylor's photography, paintings and collages. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 864/517-4023 or at (www.littlehouseartstudios. com)

Ilyn strong, 119 North Main Street, Greenville. Ongoing - featuring the works of over 60 national custom jewelry designers and glass blowers. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am - 5:30pm. Contact: 864/233-5900 or at (www.llynstrong.com).

Mary Praytor Gallery, 26 So. Main Street, Greenville. Ongoing - Exhibit of gallery artists include; Scott Belville, Judy Jones, Kent Ambler, Stephen Dell, Spela Brencic, Jack Burgess, Margaret Dyer, Ashley Norwood Cooper, Jonathan Fenske, Dobee Snowber, Jim Heiser, Mary Walker, Ken Page, Mark Mulfinger, and Mark Anderson. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm; Thur.& Fri. evenings & Sun. afternoons by appt. Contact:

Midtown Artery, 718-A S. Main St., West End, just one block below the Army/Navy Store and one block above The American Grocery Restaurant, Greenville. Ongoing – Featuring contemporary paintings by world renowned Andre Desjardins, Fidel Garcia and Anita Lewis. Also featuring original works by international artists Hengki Pudjianto, Eugenia Mangra, Yogendra Sethi and Victoria Stewart. Bronze sculpture by South Vietnamese artist Tuan and glass sculpture by Barry Entner can also be seen. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-7pm, Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 864/232-0018 or at (www.midtownartery.com).

Olde Towne Galleries, 1300 Laurens Road, Greenville. Ongoing - A fine art gallery featuring works by local, regional and international artists, including watercolor landscapes and florals by Judy Sahm, Celtic landscapes by Donna Nyzio, pottery by Veronica Inman, photography and hand-woven linens and garments by Gail Gray and Russian Gzhel ceramics and handpainted boxes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5-pm. Contact: 864/235-5592.

Ric Standridge Gallery, 1021 S. Main St., Greenville. Ongoing - We feature a continuing series of Standridge paintings and individual artist exhibitions as well as theme and invitational shows by artist from all geographic regions. We represent a diverse group of artistic styles of painting, sculptures and preeminent glass collection. Hours: Tue. & Thur., 10am-4-pm or by appt. Contact: at (www.ricstandridge.com).

Sea Island Gallery, 115 Pelham Road, Pelham Court Shopping Center, Greenville. Ongoing - Original SC & southwest paintings by Douglas Grier, raku pottery by Tim Tyler, oils on paper by Betsy Bayne and a wide selection of prints by many artists. Hours: Tues. - Fri., 10am - 5:30pm; Sat., 10am - 4pm. Contact: 864/271-2007.

10 Central Avenue Studios, 10 Central Ave., is centrally located in the Heritage Historic District of Greenville. Ongoing - The studios is a unique gallery and working space for professional and emerging artists that invites the public inside the artistic process through shows, events, education and conversations with working artists. We also offer services for Giclée reproductions and framing. Featuring works by Laura K. Aiken, Joseph Ambuhl, Jeanne Blinkoff, Larry Coble, Deborah Feiste, Kay Larch, J.J. Ohlinger, Julia Peters, Georgia Pistolis, Jill Patterson Schmidt and Judith Woodward. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-1pm & 2pm-5pm or by appt. Contact: Julia Peters at 864/370-0301 or at (www.10CentralAve.com)

The Art Cellar LLC, 123 B. South Main Street, directly across the street from the Westin Poinsett Hotel, underneath Bellacinos, Greenvile, SC. Ongoing - Unique art gallery in downtown Greenville featuring over 40 local artists in variety of mediums and styles. Hours: Mon., Tue., & Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-9pm; and Sat., 9am-9pm. Contact: 864/419-5032 or at (www. greenvilleartcellar.com).

The Arts Company, 1451-B Woodruff Road, (Shoppes at Woodruff-three doors down from Staples) Greenville. Ongoing - We have hand-crafted items from local and National artists such as Pottery, Stained Glass, Blown Glass, Woodworking, Metalworking, Jewelry, Yard Art, etc. Artists include Warren Carpenter, Chris Pittman, Chris Troy, Bill Campbell, Kent Follette, Katherine Owen, Lee Miller, Sarah Mandell, Lewis Holloway, Paul Anthony, etc. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 864/675-3808 or at (www.artscomp.com).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greenville Coldwell Banker Caine Main Street Gallery, 428 S. Main Street, Greenville. Ongoing - Real Estate gallery with rotating art exhibits quarterly. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: Shelley Windsor at 864/250-2850 or at (http://blog.cbcaine.com/tag/main-street-real-estategallery/) or (www.christopherrico.com).

Hilton Head Island

Camellia Art, 8 Pope Avenue, Hilton Head Island. Ongoing - Featuring custon framing and art gallery with works by Marge Agin, Evelyn B. Ballentine, Vickie Ebbers, Cassandra M. Gillens, Kelly Graham, Ben Ham, Brucie Holler, Bill Little, Louanne Laroache, Lynn Parrott, Laurie McIntosh, Brian Vaughn, and Martha Worthy. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 9am-1pm. Contact: 843/785-3535 or at (http://camelliaart.com).

Fastframe, 95 Matthews Dr., unit A-6, Hilton Head Island. Ongoing - Featuring original work in oils, acrylics, pastels, water colors, and gouache, by David Randall and a variety of local artists. Also a broad mix of limited editions, prints and posters also available. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/342-7696 or at (www.fastframe.com).

Island Ideas Gallery, The Fresh Market Shoppes, Wm. Hilton Pkw., Hilton Head Island. Ongoing - Serving the Lowcountry since 1986. Representing local, regional and national artists in a wide variety of media. Extensive selection of prints, posters, photography, and giclee reproductions. Vast selection of framing matreials. Offering fine art giclee reproduction services with state-of-the-art equipment. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-6pm & Sat., 8am-4pm. Contact: 843/842-6261

jcostello gallery, 8 Archer Rd., red fish restaurant building, Hilton Head Island. Ongoing - Representing an international landscape in compositions of oil, photography and printmaking, from the Lowcountry to Morocco, Budapest, Kyoto, Latin America, and Provence. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 1-9pm & Sun., 5-9pm or by

appt. Contact: 843/686-6550 or at (www.jcostellogallery.com).

Picture This Gallery, Cypress Square, 78 Arrow Road, Suite D, near Sea Pines, Hilton Head Island. Ongoing - Cool bohemian art gallery in the exclusive resort of Hilton Head Island. We offer custom picture framing, original artwork, and art & frame restoration. This adorable space has a comfortable atmosphere that beckons one to stay for a while. Owners Mira Scott & Mark S. Tierney have created a space to exhibit their work and select guest artists, sculptors, jewelers, photographers and writers are represented. Featuring work by Mira Scott, Mark S. Tierney, Steven A. Chapp, Alexis Kostuk, James Herrmann, Sheri Farbstein James Peach, Robert Stark, Terry Richard, Mary C Leto, Kashmira Lodaya, Jeanne Bessette & Barbara Miller. Hours: Tue.-Fri. 9:30am-5:30pm; Sat., 9:30am-12:30pm or by appt. Contact: 843/842-5299 or at (www. picturethishiltonhead.com)

Pink House Gallery, 1503 Main Street Village,, Hilton Head Island. Ongoing - Featuring original art work of regional and nationally known artists; plus unique handcrafted gift items. Also, the best selection of prints and posters in the area. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am - 6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/681-5169.

Smith Galleries, Gallery of Fine Craft, Art, & Framing, in the Village at Wexford, upstairs in Ste. J-11, 1000 William Hilton Parkway, Hilton Head Island. Ongoing - Hilton Head's complete gallery representing more than 300 of the country's finest craftsmen offering the finest in the area of jewelry, kaleidoscopes, wooden jewelry boxes, Sticks furniture, art glass, kitchen utensils, metal and pottery. The gallery carries original art as well as fine prints and reproductions and offers complete framing services. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/842-2280 or at (www.smithgalleries.com).

The Red Piano Art Gallery, 220 Cordillo Parkway, Hilton Head Is. Ongoing - Presenting a broad collection of 19th and 20th century representational American paintings and sculpture. Landscapes, still lifes, genre scenes, figures and historical subjects by many of America's leading representational artists, impressionists and expressionists are available for discriminating private, corporate and institutional collectors. Hours: M-F, 9am-5pm; Sat., 10am-3pm or by appt. Contact: 843/785-2318 or at (http://redpianoartgallery.com/).

Lake City

Olio Studio, 104 West Main Street, Lake City. Ongoing - Olio Studio is an art studio that offers classes, workshops, arty parties, paint your own pottery, local art and other art events & activities. Hours: Mon., 1-6pm; Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm; and Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/374-6546 or at (www.olio-studio.com).

Lancaster

Bob Doster's Backstreet Studio, Gallery, & Garden, 217 E. Gay St., at the intersection of White St. & Gay St., one and one half blocks east of Main St., Lancaster. Ongoing - Featuring works by award winning sculptor Bob Doster, along with changing exhibits of local, regional, and national artists working in all mediums. Hours: by appt only. Contact: 803/285-9190 or at (www.bobdoster.com).

Chastain's Studio Lofts, 107 South Main Street, Lancaster. Ongoing - Chastain's Studio Lofts is a place for artists, wanna-be artists and those who appreciate visual arts or want to learn more about it. It's a place of color and shapes, of imagination and beauty, of heart and soul. Most of the pieces were done by artists from Lancaster County and the surrounding communities, and most pieces are for sale at reasonable prices. Classes are also offered at the gallery. Hours: Tue. and Thur., 1-5pm and by appt. Contact: 803/804-3659 or at (www. chastainsstudiolofts,com).

Latta

RJK Frames and Things, 112 E. Main Street, Latta. Ongoing - Featuring Imperial Russian bone china, exceptional gold trimmed lacquer boxes, Soviet propaganda posters, rare Russian Orthodox Icons and Avant Garde drawings. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 8am-6pm. Contact: 843/752-9319 or (http://www.rjkframesandthings.com/).

Levinaton

Mary Elliott Williams' Studio, 1044 Hope Ferry Rd., Lexington. Ongoing - Precious Faces, artworks mainly in pastel and oil, commissions accepted. Hours: by appt. Contact: 803/356-0381 or at (www.artistsofthesouth.com).

Sandlapper Art & Frame, 711 E. Main St., Suite M, downstairs in Lexington's Historic Old Mill, Lexington. Ongoing - Offering custom picture framing and fine art sales. Also handmade gifts such as pottery, jewelry, metal art, etc. The store has a very "coastal" flair but all mediums and subjects are exhibited. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 10am-3pm; & by appt. Contact: 803/785-4278 or at (www.sandlapperart. com).

Mt. Pleasant - Isle of Palms - Sullivan's Is.

A Simple Tree, 1304 Ercjmann Drive, Suite D, Mt. Pleasant. Ongoing - Framing for artists and art galleries. Ready made frames in stock. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 843/606-0017 or at (www.asimpletree.com).

Accent Framing & Gallery, 1303 Ben Sawyer Blvd., Mt. Pleasant. Ongoing - Original art by many of the Lowcountry's best artists. Hundreds of prints and photographs in stock. We also offer painting lessons by master artists. Hours: M.-F., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/884-5828.

Adele's Pottery Studio & Gallery, 1659 Middle St., Sullivan's Island. Ongoing - Featuring wheel thrown & hand-built clay works by Adele Deas Tobin. Also offering classes for children and teens. Pottery on the wheel Sept.-May. Hours: daily, 11am-5pm & by appt. Contact: 843/883-9545.

Artwerx Framing & Galleria, The Plaza @ Park West, Mt. Pleasant. Ongoing - Featuring a unique, one-of-a-kind collection of original artwork, prints, giclees, hand painted gifts, custom mirrors, hand blown glass lamps, and hand made jewelry by local artists such as Greg Drexler, Susan Hauser, Will Helger, Steve Neff, Richard Rose, Michael Story, and photographer Lea Dales. Also - Professional, on-site custom framing, as well as a space for gifts. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/971-4643.

Complements Gallery, 630 Johnny Dodds Road, Mt. Pleasant. Ongoing - Featuring pottery by Mary Jeffries. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/881-4035.

Karen's Korner, Gateway to the Beach center,1405 Ben Sawyer Blvd., near CVS, Mt. Pleasant. Ongoing - Offering high quality custon framing, originals and prints by Charlynn Knight, Carol McGill, Sabine Avacalade, Kevin Curran, and Carol Ann Curran. Photography by Scott Henderson, Marc Epstein, as well as pottery, stained glass and other fine art objects. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/971-4110 or at (www.karenskornerframeandart.com).

Sandpiper Gallery, 2201 Middle Street, across the street from Poe's Restaurant and beside Station 22 Restaurant, Sullivan's Island. Onging - Minutes from Charleston on charming Sullivan's Island, the gallery features a fresh mix of breath-taking paintings, pottery, exquisite jewelry and unique works in wood, glass and metal. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 843/883-0200 or at (www.sandpipergallery.net).

The Treasure Nest Art Gallery, 1055 Johnnie Dodds Blvd., Hwy. 17 frontage road., Crickentree Village, Mt. Pleasant. Ongoing - Featuring over 700 hand-painted oils and 1,000 frames at wonderful quality and truly superb value. Works by highly accomplished artists from the Southeast, US National, and International locales. Offering a great variety of subjects including: Low-country marschscapes, beachscapes, wildlife, boats, bridges and architecture; other US and European landscapes, cityscapes, and harbors; as well as still lifes, abstracts and much more. Hours: Mon.-Sat.,10am-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 843/216-1235 or at (www.treasurenestartgallery.com).

Myrtle Beach / Grand Strand

Chapin Park, 1400 Kings Hwy and 16th Ave. N., Myrtle Beach. Oct. 8 & 9, & Nov. 5 & 6, 2016 - "44th 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, 843/446-3830 or at (www.artsyparksy.com).

Valor Memorial Park, 1120 Farrow Parkway, The Market Common, Myrtle Beach. Valor Park, at The Market Common, in Myrtle Beach. Nov. 12 & 13, 2016 - "Waccamaw Arts and Crafts Guild's 44th 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

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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 843/446-3830 or (www.artsyparksy.com).

ARTSPACE 506, 506 37th Ave. South, North Myrtle Beach. Through July 2 - "Passages," featuring a solo show of works by Gaston Locklear. Locklear is a long-time resident of Murrell's Inlet, SC where he began his artistic pursuits as a teenager. As a young person and surfer he worked for years at Village Surf Shop in Garden City Beach where he would create designs for Kelly Richards' iconic Perfection Surfboards. It was during a trip to New York City, and an encounter with a painting of a tree by Egon Schiele, that he had an epiphany of sorts and began to devote his energies to art in a more serious way. July 21 - Sept. **10 -** "Stories in Glass," featuring works by Ed and Barbara Streeter of Conway Glass in Conway, SC. **Ongoing -** An alternative art gallery in North Myrtle Beach, South Carolina that provides exhibition opportunities for established and emerging artists. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: at

Collectors Cafe & Gallery, 7726 North Kings Highway, Hwy. 17 and 78th Avenue, Myrtle Beach. Ongoing - 5,000 square foot gallery featuring local and regional artists. Hours: Regular cafe hours. Contact: 843/449-9370.

Southern Portrait and Accents, Village Square Shopping Center, Hwy. 17 & 40th Ave., 3901 N. Kings Hwy., Myrtle Beach. Ongoing - Featuring works by local artists including: Ruth Cox, Bill Strydesky, Susan Duke, Vittorio Santini, Giovanna Picasso, Sarain Gomez, Cheryl Reynolds-Castle, Damien Castle, Tadd Rubin, Marcie Macie-Hill, Claudio Olevido, Frank Ceruzzi, nostalgic photographer, Carlo Artga sculpture. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-7pm; Sat. noon-4pm & by appt. Contact: 843-448-3303 or at (www.southernportraitsandaccents.com).

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.

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.

North Charleston

Steve Hazard Studio & Art Gallery, 4790 Trade Street, located in the business park across from the Festival Center, off Patriot Blvd. between Dorchester Road & Ashley Phosphate Road, Suite H. North Charleston, Ongoing - A new venue for on-going art shows of Contemporary Fine Craft and Fine Art available for purchase. A gallery and working studio featuring works by Steve Hazard including 2-D & 3-D wall art, welded metal furniture, sculpture, functional objects, and jewelry in fused sions & unique design projects accepted. Find art beyond the ordinary, off the beaten path. Contemporary abstracts, nonrepresentational & figurative works created by local, national & international artists including sculpture, objects, original paintings & reproductions. Free admission and free parking. Hours: by appt only. Contact: 843/864 4638 or e-mail to (afgraffiti@

Pawleys Island, Litchfield & Murrells Inlet

Art Works in the Litchfield Exchange, 14329
Ocean Highway, Pawleys Island, 2 miles south of Brookgreen Gardens. Ongoing - Featuring original fine, functional and folk art by a score of local artists in regularly changing displays. Paintings by Nancy Bracken, Sue Schirtzinger, Barnie Slice, and Jane Woodward, as well as works in mixed media by Terry Belanger, Kathi Bixler, Roger Cleveland, Gwen Coley, Millie Doud, Zenobia Harper, Barbara Linderman, Mary Helen Lowrimore and Cindy Valentine, and stained and fused glass by Sharon Knost, Suz Mole and Kathy Welde. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am to 2pm. Contact: 843/235-9600 or at (www.ClassAtPawleys.com).

Island Art Gallery, a Fine Art Gallery, Villages Shops, 10744m Ocean Highway, Pawleys Island. Ongoing - Island Art Gallery is an artist-owned gallery with eight owner artists and twenty-seven exhibiting artists. We represent artists from North and South Carolina in a variety of mediums including oil, pastel, acrylic and watercolor. We offer ongoing studio art classes and workshops from established local and visiting artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: call 843-314-0298 or at (www.pawleysislandart.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, Mike Williams, and Charles 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).

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Art Gallery on Pendleton Square, 102-A E. Main Street, Pendleton. Ongoing - The gallery is operated by the Gallery of the Pendleton Square Artist Coop. Media include: paint in oils, acrylics and watercolor; mixed media; jewelry; pottery and ceramics; sculpture in modern materials; fabric art; photography. Second Friday receptions (6-8pm) present works of a featured (nonmember) artist or selected (member) artist, with refreshments. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm & Sun., 10am-2pm. Contact: 864/221-0129 or at (http://www.artgalleryps.org).

Pickens

Court Street Gallery, 107 Court Street, Pickens. Ongoing - Featuring works by Donald Collins (painting); Kevin Collins (photography); Jamie Davis (ceramics); Joy Spirit Hawk Evans (jewelry); Robin Giddings (painting); Griz Hockwalt (blacksmith); Renee Mendola (jewelry); and Joel Wilkinson (painting). Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm & open until 9pm on the 3rd Fri. of each month. Call ahead to confirm times and dates. Contact: call Kevin at 864/293-9078 or at (www.courtstreetgallery.net).

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.

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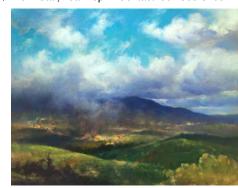
Patina on the Alley, 114 Ram Cat Alley, Seneca. Ongoing - Featuring limited edition prints, giclees, originals, pottery and sculptures by local and regional artists such as Beti Strobeck, Wanda Heffelfinger, Gale McKinley, Diana Pursch, Fran Humphries, Paul Frederick, Connie Lippert, Kate Krause, Karen 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, July 21, 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, Artists' Guild of Spartanburg Gallery, HUB-BUB showroom, Carolina Gallery, and West Main Artists Cooperative. Contact: 864/585-3335 or visit (www.carolinagalleryart.com).

Art & Frame Gallery, 880 East Main, Spartanburg. Ongoing - Featuring works by local artists, custom framing and art supplies. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 864/585-3700.



Work by Gerard Erley

Carolina Gallery, 523 W. Main Street, Spartanburg. Ongoing - Featuring fine art originals by Linda Cancel, Eilenn Blyth, Betty Bramlett, Nikki Caulk, Daniel Cromer, Scott Cunningham, Dottie Dillard, Bonnie Goldberg, Steven Heeren, Bob LoGrippo, Guido Migiano, Henry Nguyen, Richard Seaman, Sylvia Spears, Keith Spencer, Staci Swider, Kate Thayer, Edythe Wise, David Zacharias 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.com).

Gallery East, 512 East Main Street, Spartanburg. Ongoing - The gallery features original art by local artists in various mediums as well as unique items for the home - antique to modern, vintage and eclectic. We will also be hosting art openings and special events for upcomming artists. We welcome you to come by for a visit and as always please support the the local arts! Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm, Sat., 10am-2pm, & for Artwalk Every Third Thursday, from 6 - 9pm. Contact: 864/804-6067 or at (www. thegalleryeast.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: 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 or
at (www.artogalleryltd.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.

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.

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-of-a-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).

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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.

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The Exchange Street Gallery of Fine Art, 129 Exchange Street, in the old Aberdeen Rockfish Railroad storage terminal, Aberdeen. Ongoing - The Artist's League of the Sandhills currently houses 35 artists-in-residence studios and offers classes by local professional artists and workshops by nationally known artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon -3pm, Contact: 910/944-3979, or at (www.artistleague.org)

Alamance County

BAL Gallery, Holly Hill Mall and Business Center, 309 Huffman Mill Rd., Exit 141 off of 185/140, Burlington. 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 com). 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.-2Fri., noon-8pm; Sat., 10am-9pm, & Sun. for special events. Contact: 336-584-3005 or at (http://balartists.com/ joomla/).



Work by Dale Chihuly

1873 Capt. James & Emma Holt White House, 213 South Main Street, 2 1/2 blocks off I85/40, exit#147. Graham. Home of the Alamance County Arts Council. Sisters & SunTrust Galleries, July 1 - Oct. 15 - "Chihuly Venetians," a stunning exhibition of 47 yessels, 12 drawings and a monumental chandelier in the Venetian style from the George R. Stroemple Collection by Dale Chihuly, Alamance County, NC is the only place on the Eastern Seaboard to see this rare private collection. Featured are works from Chihuly's Venetians series – intricately formed and brilliantly colored objects inspired by Art Deco Venetian glass vases from the 1920s and '30s. Nearly four dozen vessels from the series will be on view, as well as a number of the artist's drawings, which serve as independent works of art and "blueprints" to bring his designs to life. Art critic Donald Kuspit called the Venetians a "toast to life"! **Ongoing -** We are committed to shaping the cultural identity of Alamance County by making art a tangible presence in the lives of its citizens. We strive to enhance the quality of life by engaging people in a diverse array education, and through the provision of facilities, advocacy, promotion, and funding. Ongoing -Picasso's Gift Shop, located in the Captain White House, promises unique finds of local, regional, and international art. The beautiful arts and craft items sold in the store help support the artist in the community. Featuring a wide variety of art, pottery and glass. Admission: free. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/226-4495 or at

Mebane Arts and Community Center, 622 Corregidor Street, Mebane. Through July 16 -Featuring works by Jim and Rita Duxbury. July 19 - Sept. 12 - Featuring works by Carolyn Langley. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-4pm. Contact: call the Center at 919/563-3629, ext. 2 or 919/304-3378 or contact the Alamance County Arts Council at 336-226-4495 or at (<u>www.alamancearts.org</u>).

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Paramount Theater, 128 East Front Street, Burlington. Through July 28 - Featuring an exhibit of works by Diane Faison. July 30 - Sept. 24 - Featuring an exhibit of works by Beth Hill. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon-3pm. Contact: call the Theatre at 336/222-8497 or contact the Alamance County Arts Council at 336-226-4495 or at (www.alamancearts.org/)

Falling Rivers Gallery, 119 West Main St., next to Starnes jewelers, Albemarle. 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).

Asheboro

Sara Smith Self Gallery, W.H. Moring, Jr. Arts Center, 123 Sunset Avenue, Asheboro. July 5 -26 - "Show Us Your Doodle". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 336/629-0399 or at (www.randolphartsguild.

Asheville Area

Asheville Art Museum, 2 South Pack Square at Pack Place, Asheville. Ongoing - "Sol LeWitt: Creating Place, Wall Drawing #618." Sol LeWitt (1928-2007) was born in Hartford, Connecticut. As a pioneer of conceptual art, he has had a major influence on 20th century American art. Ongoing - "Community: Sharon Louden". The second work in the Museum's Artworks Project Space. Sharon Louden's innovative installation Community is a continued conversation based on a series of work that she started in 2013 that traces its path through installation, animation, painting and drawing. In each genre, her gestures create an implication of dance - movement and energy — transposed against the resistance of fixed squares and rectangles of color. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Fri. till 8pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/253-3227 or at (www. ashevilleart.org)

Asheville Gallery of Art, Ltd., 82 Patton Avenue, across from Pritchard Park opposite the old location, Asheville. July 1 - 31 - "Colors of Summer," featuring works by Joyce Schlapkohl. A reception will be held on July 1, from 5-8pm. The exhibit will showcase summer flowers, the Carolina landscape, still life, and African animals. Schlapkohl describes her style as, "painterly realism, with an emphasis on the focal point using light and shadow and their interaction on a variety of subjects." Ongoing - Featuring original works of art by 28 local artists in oils, acrylics, watercolor, pastel, encaustic, and prints. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm and first Fri. of the month till 8pm. Contact: 828/251-5796 or at (www.ashevillegallery-of-art.com).

Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center, 56 Broadway, Asheville. Ongoing - An exhibition space dedicated to exploring the history and legacy of the world's most acclaimed experimental educational community, Black Mountain College. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-4pm or by appt. Contact: 828/350-8484 or at (www. blackmountaincollege.org).

Blowers Gallery, main floor of UNCA's Ramsey Library, Asheville. Through July 28 - "Celebrate Brittany!," featuring an exhibition of photographs by Jan Zollars. Celtic Brittany will be presented by Zollars. Hours: regular library hours. Contact: 828/251-6546.

Flood Gallery Fine Arts Center, 109 Roberts St., Asheville. **Ongoing -** Dedicated to advancing the careers of emerging and mid career artists, as well as educating the public and furthering the understanding of contemporary art and its importance within the community and beyond. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/255-0066.

Guild Crafts of Southern Highland Craft Guild, 930 Tunnel Road, Asheville. Ongoing - Work by members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild in various media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/298-7903.

Highsmith Art and Intercultural Gallery, UNC Asheville, Asheville. Through July 31 - "Middle School Success Art Exhibition," featuring works of art by 40 students from area middle schools. A reception with the artists, hosted by UNC Asheville Chancellor Mary K. Grant and featuring many education leaders from the region, will take place from 4:30-6pm on July 20. The reception also is free and open to the public. Hours: 9am-6pm. Contact: (http://arts.unca. edu/artsfest).

NC Homespun Museum, next to Grovewood Gallery, at Grove Park Inn, 111 Grovewood Road, Asheville. **Ongoing -** This museum presents a historical overview of Biltmore Industries, an Arts and Crafts enterprise once renowned for its hand-loomed fabrics. The museum showcases memorabilia including photographs, letters, artifacts, woven samples and tailored suits from the active years of the industry. Located on the historic Grovewood grounds, adjacent to The Omni Grove Park Inn. Admission is free (donations appreciated). Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm, & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/253-7651.

Odyssey Co-Op Gallery, 238 Clingman Avenue, Asheville. July 1 - 31 - Featuring a new show celebrating the ceramic art of Christine Sams, Diana Gillispie and Tara Underwood and other gallery members, July 9 - Second Saturday celebration with food, music, and artists' demonstrations, 11am-5pm. Ongoing - Our Gallery features 24 local clay artists, working in a variety of styles to create functional and nonfunctional pottery and works of figurative and abstract sculpture. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/285-9700 or at (https://www. facebook.com/odysseycoopgallery).

Southern Highland Craft Gallery, 26 Lodge Street, former Biltmore Oteen Bank Building in Biltmore Village, Asheville. Ongoing - Featuring a wide range of work by members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild. including: pottery, glass wood, jewelry, fiber, metal, paper, mixed media and natural materials. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828-277-6222 or at (www.craftguild.org).

The Center for Craft, Creativity and Design, 67 Broadway, Asheville. Benchwork Gallery, Through Aug. 20 - "WARPED," featuring six internationally based textile artists exploring connections between sound and weaving. Featured artists include: Raisa Kabir (London, UK), Chris Kincaid (Louisville, KY). The Little Loomhouse (Louisville, KY), Christy Matson (Los Angeles, CA), Alayna Rasile-Digrindakis (Philadelphia, PA), Nadia-Anne Ricketts (London, UK), and Alyce Santoro (Fort Davis, TX). Hours: Tue.-Sat. 10am-6pm. Contact: call 828/785-1357 or at (www.craftcreativitydesign.org).

The Folk Art Center of the Southern Highland Craft Guild, Blue Ridge Parkway Milepost 382, Asheville. Permanent Collection Gallery, Ongoing - "Craft Traditions: The Southern Highland Craft Guild Collection". The Guild's Permanent Collection is comprised of approximately 2400 craft objects and dates from the late 19th century to present. Beginning with a donation from Frances Goodrich in 1931, the Permanent Collection serves the Guild's mission of craft conservation and education. This new installation will feature over 200 works that highlight our holdings in traditional art: woodcarving, pottery, dolls, basketry, weavings and furniture. The subject of this ongoing exhibition is craft history that of the Southern Highland Craft Guild and the Studio Craft Movement. Focus Gallery, Through Aug. 23 - "Fire & Ice," featuring works by Linda Azar of Waynesville, NC; Julie Merrill of Asheville, NC; Joseph Race of Fairview, NCI Klaus & Susan Spies of Asheville, NC; Kim Thompson of Waynesville, NC; and Paul Weller of Asheville, NC. Hours: daily from 9am-6pm. Contact: 828/298-7928 or at (www.southernhigh-

YMI Gallery. YMI Cultural Center. 39 S. Market Street @ Eagle Street, Asheville. Ongoing - "In the Spirit of Africa". Featuring traditional and contemporary African masks, figurative woodcaryings, beadwork, jewelry, and textiles. Discover the purpose of mask and sculptures, which reflect African ancestral heritage and learn to appreciate symbolism and abstraction in African art. YMI Conference Room. Ongoing - "Forebears & Trailblazers: Asheville's African American Leaders, 1800s –1900s". The permanent exhibit offers a pictorial history of African-Americans from throughout Western North Carolina. Photographs of both influential and everyday people create a panorama of the variety of life among blacks in the mountain region. Here are the young and old, the prominent and the unknown, the men and women who helped create our city's life. YMI **Drugstore Gallery, Ongoing -** "Mirrors of Hope and Dignity". A moving and powerful collection of drawings by the renowned African-American artist Charles W. White. **Entry, Ongoing -** "George Vanderbilt's Young Men's Institute, 1892-Present". Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/252-4614.

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Asheville The North Carolina Arboretum. Milepost 393. Blue Ridge Parkway, 100 Frederick Law Olmsted Way, Asheville. **Ongoing -** The Asheville Quilt Guild features a permanent, rotating guilt exhibit at Arboretum's Education Center. Visitors can also enjoy the Arboretum's Quilt Garden yearround, with plantings and patterns that change with the seasons. Admission: Yes. Hours: Education Center hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/665.2492 or at (www.ncarboretum.org).

Elizabeth Holden Gallery, Warren Wilson College, Holden Visual Arts Center, 701 Warren Wilson Road, Swannanoa. Through July 2 - "A Show Of Hands 2016, the 35th annual international calligraphy conference, sponsored By Black Mountain Center For The Arts. This is the first time that this conference will be staged in a southeastern U.S. city. Several local calligraphers (known informally as scribes) lobbied very hard to get this prestigious event here, and have been active in planning it. These conferences bring together a large international collection of fine instructors and suppliers to the trade. They are open to people from every skill level, from beginner to master, who have a passion for and or curiosity about the lettering arts. Full details may be found at (www.ashowofhands2016.com). Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: call 828/771-2000 or at (http://warren-wilson. edu/blogs/art/elizabeth-holden-gallery/).

Black Mountain - Swannanoa

Red House Studios & Gallery, of the Swannanoa Valley Fine Art League, 310 W State Street, next to the Monte Vista Hotel, Black Mountain. Through July 22 - "Americana". July 29 - Aug. 29 - "Member Juried Show". Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 828/669-0351 or visit (http://svfalarts.org/).

Blowing Rock



Work by Elliott Daingerfield

Blowing Rock Art and History Museum, corner of Chestnut and Main streets, downtown Blowing Rock. Through July 24 - "Ralph Burns: A Persistence of Vision - Photographs 1972 - 2013". This exhibition was organized by the Asheville Art Museum and is guest curated by J. Richard Gruber, PhD, Director Emeritus Ogden Museum of Southern Art. Ralph Burns has long been recognized as a documentary photographer whose images have captured the diverse and enigmatic nature of ritual and religion, and who has explored the subjective and often defining nature of belief, worship, and culture. Like his predecessors - such as Walker Evans, Diane Arbus, Mary Ellen Mark and Robert Frank - Burns uses his cameras to probe a constantly shifting human landscape and to document the public and private aspects of culture and religion in transition, often working at the unclear and overlapping intersection of both. Through July 24 - "Elliott Daingerfield: Collected". Complementing the Museum's permanent display of Elliott Daingerfield (1859 - 1932) paintings and drawings, this exhibit features Daingerfield paintings from eight private collections across the east coast. The exhibition features many Daingerfield's that have not yet exhibited outside their collectors' homes. Several collections are accompanied by personal reflections and stories from the collectors themselves, inviting viewers to see into the collectors perspective of a Daingerfield. The painter was born in Virginia, but grew up in Fayetteville, NC and became a well-recognized American painter. He first exhibited at the National Academy of Design in 1880 and lived and studied in New York often, but after falling in love with the North Carolina mountains, Daingerfield chose to live in Blowing Rock and built several houses here, including the now historic Westglow. He passed away of a heart attack while in New York, but was buried in Fayetteville, NC. Today, Daingerfield is best known for his family portraits, religious de pictions, and rich landscape paintings. Through July 24 - "The Art of Native Plants". Sponsored and organized in conjunction with the NC Native Plant Society and guest curated by artist and professor Lynn Duryea. North Carolina is rich with plant species, which provide endless subjects for artistic interpretation. Celebrating our plant diversity, the North Carolina Native Plant Society has sponsored and partnered with the Museum to showcase works by contemporary artists inspired by our native plants. Nearly 100 works of art created using a wide variety of media were submitted by 75 artists, and over 40 works are being featured in the juried exhibition. Artists featured in the juried exhibition include Susan Abernethy, Carol Bailey, Nancy Ball, Pam Brewer, Caroline Coolidge Brown, Susan Brusker Knapp, Peggy Bryan, Leigh Anne Carter, Jean Cauthen, Betty Lou Chaika, Nancy Cook, James Davidson, Maria deBruyn, Elizabeth Ellison, Florrie Funk, Stan Gilliam, Justen Harris, Lea Lackey Zachmann, Carolina Lara Corona, Alexis Levine, Christine Lisiewski, Kelly Loughlin, David McAdoo, Trena McNabb, Claire Miller, Preston Montague, Kathy Pruett, Barbara Rohde, Mark Rose, Joan Rutledge, Jim Sams, Kathy Sheerer Gramm, Valerie

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VanVleet, Torey Wahlstrom, and George Wood. Through July 24 - "History of the Horse Show". Horse sporting events have been prominent throughout the history of Blowing Rock, Before the town became the Blowing Rock we know today, it was divided into two villages-the Village of Blowing Rock and the Village of Green Park—and the villages considered themselves fierce rivals. Celebrating this, a horse race was organized, and the track ran between the two villages. Horseback riding was also practiced along trails on the Moses Cone Estate. Tourists came to expect horse sports in this area, so Lloyd M. Tate founded the Blowing Rock Horse Show in 1923. Since then, the horse show has grown to become a nationally recognized event, one of the oldest in the business. Today, the show brings thousands of visitors to the town of Blowing Rock and raises funds for a variety of nonprofit organizations in the region. Ongoing - "Selections from the Collection". The Museum has dedicated three exhibition spaces to its permanent collection. Works in the collection range from prominent American Impressionists, such as Elliott Daingerfield and William Charles Anthony Frerichs, to works by more locally based artists, including Philip Moose and Herb Cohen. The opening display is guest curated by Jonathan Stulhman, Senior Curator of Modern, American, and Contemporary Art at the Mint Museum, Charlotte. Ongoing - the BRAHM will host exhibits, educational programs and classes that promote the visual arts, history and heritage of the mountains of western North Carolina. Admission: Yes. The Museum will be free on Thursdays from 4-7pm. Hours: Tue., Wed., Fri., & Sat., 10am-5pm; Thur., 10am-7pm; and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/295-9099 or at (www.blowingrockmuseum.org).

Parkway Craft Center, of the Southern Highland Craft Guild, at the Moses Cone Manor, Milepost 294, Blue Ridge Parkway, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing -** Featuring the work of members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild members in various media. Demonstrations offered each month. Hours: daily 9am - 5pm. Contact: 828/295-7938 or e-mail at (parkwaycraft@bellsouth.net).

Boone

Appalachian Cultural Museum, University Hall Drive, off Hwy. 321 (Blowing Rock Road), Boone. **Ongoing -** The permanent exhibit area includes. TIME AND CHANGE, featuring thousands of objects ranging from fossils to Winston Cup race cars to the Yellow Brick Road, a section of the now closed theme park, "The Land of Oz". Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/262-3117.

Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, Appalachian State University, 423 West King Street, Boone. Main Gallery, July 1 - Dec. 3 - "International Series: Contemporary Artists from Brazil," featuring works by Brígida Baltar, Raul Mourão, Sérgio Sister and Vik Muniz. A reception will be held on July 1, from 6-10pm. In previous years, the TCVA Biennial International Series has brought artwork from South Africa (2014), Poland (2012), Mexico (2010) and China (2008). "The Turchin Center is honored to work with Alexandra Garcia Waldmen. Galeria Nara Roesler's international artistic director, to bring the artwork of four important contemporary Brazilian artists to Appalachian State University," says Mary Anne Redding, TCVA curator and assistant director, "Each of these artists makes work that is autobiographical, finding unexpected beauty in reshaping their environments with found objects." Gallery B, Through Aug. 6 - "Show Me the Way to Go Home: Brad Thomas". A reception will be held on July 1, from 6-10pm. With his first major solo show since 2004, the renowned artist and curator Brad Thomas marks not only his return to his home state of North Carolina, but also a full-time return to making art. The thrilling new exhibition, a collection of more than 70 brand new mixed-media and collage works, arrives April 1 at the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts. Gallery A, Through Aug. 6 - "Melting: Marietta Patricia Leis & David Vogel". A reception will be held on July 1, from 6-10pm. Inspired by a lifealtering trip to Antarctica, the environmentalist husband-and-wife artists Marietta Patricia Leis and David E. Vogel responded by creating a seamlessly collaborative, dreamlike installation of painting, photography, and sculptural forms. Mezzanine Gallery, July 1 - Oct. 8 - "Color Me This: Contemporary Art Jewelry". A reception will be held on July 1, from 6-10pm. Guest-curated by Eliana Arenas has selected more than a dozen jewelry-makers: Julia Barello, Ashley Buchanan, Kat Cole, Bob Ebendorf, Maria Eife, Teresa Faris, Anne Fiala, Laritza Garcia, Yong Joo Kim, Lorena Lazard, Tara Locklear, Marissa Saneholtz, Rachelle Thiewes, Vincent

Pontillo Verrastro and Laura Wood. "I selected

these artists because I am interested in how

they manipulated their materials and how their use of color helps convey their personal interests and ideologies," says guest -curator Arenas. Community Gallery, July 1 - Oct. 8 -"A Sense of Place: Eliana Arenas". A reception will be held on July 1, from 6-10pm. An up-andcoming artist who elegantly and often whimsically bridges the gap between jewelry and sculpture, Eliana Arenas was born in Cuidad Juarez. Mexico. a border town that was once known as the "murder capital of the world" (but has since seen a dramatic drop in crime). Today, she lives in Charlotte, North Carolina, with her husband and two children. With "A Sense of Place," Arenas uses jewelry and installation work to explore humanity's capacity to adjust to extremely difficult situations—to recover from violence and grief. Her work has been exhibited nationally and internationally and is included in the collection of the Museum of Contemporary Craft in Portland, OR. Arenas has participated in selected prominent exhibitions including the Houston Center for Contemporary Craft's La Frontera, and SOFA's Annual International Expositions of Sculpture and Functional Art. Mayer Gallery, Through Aug, 6 - "Strange Gardens," featuring a multi-layered environment of vivid, translucent color and swirling forms by jeweler and metalsmith Julia Barello, who will transform the walls of the Turchin Center's into a symbolic garden, brightly blooming in the dark chill of winter. It will be the largest, most ambitious works by Barello to date. Hours: 10am-6pm, Tue., Wed., Thur., & Sat. and Fri..noon -8pm. Contact: Hank T. Foreman at 828/262-3017 or at (www.turchincenter.org).



Work by Stephen Klema

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Boone Throughout Appalachian State University campus, Boone. July 23, 10am-noon - "Rosen Sculpture Walk," starting at the Schaefer Center. Through Apr. 1, 2017 - "30th Rosen Outdoor Sculpture Competition & Exhibition,' iuried by Willie Ray Parish, with curator Hank T. Foreman. Featuring sculptures by: Mike Roig, Hanna Jubran, Stephen Klema, Shawn Morin, Kyle Van Lusk, Mike Hansel, Adam Walls. Walter Early, Bob Turan, and Davis Whitfield. Contact: Hank T. Foreman at 828/262-3017 or at (www.turchincenter.org).

Folk School Craft Shop, John C. Campbell Folk School, Olive D. Campbell Building, Brasstown. **Ongoing -** The shop represents more than 300 juried craftspeople and features an impressive collection of traditional and contemporary Appalachian craft, including jewelry, pottery, wood, fiber, ironwork, basketry and other disciplines. You'll find marguetry earrings, clay serving platters. turned-wood bowls, functional fireplace poker sets and many more unique items. The shop is also proud to be the home of the world-renowned Brasstown Carvers, A book room houses hundreds of instructional and celebratory books on everything from basketry to writing. Buy a few art supplies or a CD from our collection of tradia Folk School t-shirt, hat or bag as a souvenir. Find the perfect scenic postcard to tell everyone back home about your visit to the Folk School. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8am-5pm; Thur. til 6pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 800/365-5724 or at (www.

Brevard

Main Street during the Heart of Brevard's 4th of July Celebration. July 4 - "TC Arts Council's 44th Annual Fine Arts & Crafts Showcase". TC Arts Council juries in more than 40+ professional visual artists from the Southeast who sell their artwork on Main Street. For more information call 828/884-2787 or go to (www. artsofbrevard.org). For more information on the downtown festival go to (www.brevardnc.org).

Transylvania Community Arts Center Gallery, 349 S. Caldwell St., Brevard. Through July 4 -"Arts and Culture Celebration 2016," sponsored by: Jerome & Summey Insurance, TC Arts Council, City of Brevard. Enjoy more than 75+ ART events in downtown Brevard and Transylvania County. Example of events: Opening of the Brevard Music Center, Brevard's 4th Friday Gallery Walk, Street Dances, Music Jams, Open Mic Nite, Live Radio Variety Show, Art Show & Sale and the celebration ends with a BANG at the Heart of Brevard 4th of July Celebration and Fireworks Extravaganza! Through July 15 -"Transylvania Art Guild's Summer Arts Showcase". Stop by and VOTE for your favorite piece of artwork. This event is part of Arts & Culture Week 2016. July 22 - Aug. 12 - "Art Spark Preview: 2016 Exhibit," "The Wonderful World of Colors". A reception will be held on July 22, for Brevard's 4th Friday Gallery Walk from 5-8pm. The items in this exhibit at the TC Arts Council will be auctioned off on Sunday, Aug. 14 at a ticketed party called Art Spark at Old Bishop Place Farm in Cedar Mountain, NC. Tickets to that event are \$65. The exhibition at TC Arts is free. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/884-2787 or at (http://www.tcarts.org/).

Burlington

Point of View Gallery, 717 Chapel Hill Road Burlington. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by member artists: Kathy Alderman, Frances Baker, India Cain, John Dodson, Steven Durland, Debra Farmer, Bill Ferree, Brenda Garner, Wendy Gellert, Michael Kennedy, Cheryl Knox, Peggy McCormick, Jacqueline Mehring, Christine Seiler, Lane Watson, and Rose Wenkel. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm and Sat. & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 336/270-4998 or at (www. PointOfViewGallery.com).

Burnsville

Burnsville Gallery, Toe River Arts Council, 102 W. Main St., Burnsville. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by artists from Mitchell and Yancey Counties sponsored by the Toe River Arts Council. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm, Contact: 828/682-7215 or at (www.toeriverarts.org).

Cary

Cary Arts Center, 101 Dry Avenue, Cary. Cary Arts Center Gallery, Through July 24 - "Megan Bostic, Samantha Pell, and Jan-Ru Wan: Resolving the Disguiet". The exhibition uses textiles and textile-influenced processes as well as materials manipulation techniques to further understand grief and the grieving process. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-10pm & Fri.-Sat., 9am-11pm. Contact: 919/469-4069 or at (www.townofcary.org).

Cary Gallery of Artists, 200 S Academy St, Ste 120, Ashworth Square, Cary. **Ongoing -** The gallery offers high quality art in a variety of styles. Paintings, pencil and colored pencil artwork varies from traditional still lifes and landscapes to abstracts. Portraits of people or animals are available. Photographic work captures magnificent landscapes, small moments in life, portraits, and far away places. The pottery and clay art includes edgy handbuilt pieces, thoughtprovoking sculpted masks, and decorative and functional pottery that captures images of nature. Our jewelry artists provide a wide range of hand-crafted necklaces, earrings, bracelets and other ornaments from metals, stones, beads and fused glass. Our glass artist creates stained glass hangings, custom stained glass windows and fused glass art. You can also find unusual hand-made books and hand-painted porcelain both antique and new. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5:30pm. Contact: 919/462-2035 or at (www. carygalleryofartists.org).

Herb Young Community Center, 101 Wilkinson Avenue, Cary. **Through July 25 -** "Kathryn Green Patel: Nature - The Beauty of the Beast". The artist describes this exhibit as "inspired by the world around us as well as the universe that is far past our grasp. Natural phenomena and disaster are beautiful and chaotic and are raely captured in their entirety. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-10pm; and Sat., 9am-6pm. Contact: 919/4604965 or (www. townotcarv.org

Page-Walker Arts & History Center, 119 Ambassador Loop, Cary. Through July 2 - "ART-QUILTSvoices," PAQA-South's member's exhibit. Voices communicate our feelings, our history, our dreams and our images. Artists use the visual language to voice their unique point of view to the world. Using this metaphor as the theme for their current exhibit, members of PAQA-South (Professional Art Quilters Alliance-South) have been challenged to interpret concepts of voices and reveal them in works of textile art. This challenge has resulted in a most powerful and authentic members only exhibit. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-9:30pm; Fri., 10am-5pm; & Sat., 10am-1pm. (It is strongly advised that you call ahead about hours this space will be open.) Contact: 919/460-4963.

Town Hall Gallery, City of Cary Town Hall, 316 North Academy Street, Cary. Through July 25 -"Meera Goyal: People and Places". Meera Goyal enjoys exploring interesting and exciting subjects to paint. This show will feature selections from her travels, featuring places, people, and nature. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: 919/469-4061.

Plaza at 140 West Franklin Street in downtown Chapel Hill. 1st & 2nd Fri. - Every Friday beginning in April we will host our Live and Local Music and Art Series at the 140 West Plaza. Our 2nd Friday events will include visual arts. 2nd Fridays are the Chapel Hill Downtown Partnerships Art Walk. For info visit (www. townofchapelhill.org). Ackland Art Museum, UNC - Chapel Hill, Columbia & Franklin Streets, Chapel Hill. Through Sept. 11 - "All About America: Photographs by

Burk Uzzle," curated by Patricia Leighten, Professor of Art History & Visual Studies, Department of Art, Art History & Visual Studies, Duke University. This exhibition of more than 40 works traces the distinguished career of photographer Burk Uzzle and his observation of American society, from the turbulent politics and countercultural revolution of the 1960s to the present. "All About America" represents six decades of photographs by this North Carolina native thus far, from iconic photos of Martin Luther King Jr.'s funeral, the Woodstock music festival, and anti-Vietnam War demonstrations to his later study of the social landscape of America from coast to coast. Museum Store Gallery (Franklin and Columbia Street), Store hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Museum Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 919/966-5736 or at (www. ackland.org).

Chapel Hill - Carrboro



Work by Lolette Guthrie

FRANK, 109 East Franklin Street, Chapel Hill. Through July 3 - "Karen Youth Art Group: Transplanting Traditions and More...". The Michael and Laura Brader-Araje Community Outreach Gallery will be dedicated to a wonderful and talented group of young artists that have become a much loved part of FRANK. The Karen Youth Art Group was established by FRANK Gallery in November 2013 to foster and embrace the artistic talents of young Karen (Burmese) refugees living in Chapel Hill and Carrboro, NC. July 5 - Aug. 7 - "Abstract Territory," featuring works by Sandy Milroy and Lolette Guthrie. July 5 - Aug. 7 - "Summer Invitational," featuring works by six new to FRANK artists. July 5 - Aug. 7 - "Creative Recovery," an exhibition of work by Grayson Bowen. Ongoing - Featuring work from over 70 artists, Frank offers more than you'd expect from an art gallery. Frank is a collective, founded by the area's finest artists working together to open the door for creative innovation in the arts. Hours: Summer, Wed.-Thur., noon-5pm; Fri., Noon-8 pm: Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun, 1-5pm, Contact: 919/636-4135 or at (www.frankisart.com).

The ArtsCenter, 300-G East Main Street, Carrboro. **Ongoing -** Nurturing the arts in the triangle since 1974 through performance, education and exhibition, Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm and Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/929-2787 or at (http:// artscenterlive.org).

Charlotte Area

North Davidson Arts District Gallery Crawl -From 6-9 or 10pm on the 1st & 3rd Fridays of each month. For info check (www.noda.org).

Jptown Gallery Crawl - From 6-8pm on the Ist Friday of each month.

South End Art Gallery Crawl - From 6-9pm on he 1st Friday of each month.

Bechtler Museum of Modern Art, Levine Cener for the Arts, 420 South Tryon St., Charlotte. Fourth-floor Gallery, Through Sept. 11 - "The House that Modernism Built," presenting the Bechtler Museum of Modern Arts' rich mid-20th century art collection alongside furniture, textile and ceramic holdings on loan from various institutions including Eames Office, Herman

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Miller Archives, the Gregg Museum of Art & Design along with works from private collectors. Ongoing - The Bechtler Museum of Modern Art is named after the family of Andreas Bechtler, a Charlotte resident and native of Switzerland who assembled and inherited a collection of more than 1,400 artworks created by major figures of 20th-century modernism and donated it to the public trust. The Bechtler collection comprises artworks by seminal figures such as Alberto Giacometti, Joan Miro, Jean Tinguely, Max Ernst, Andy Warhol, Alexander Calder, Le Corbusier, Sol LeWitt, Edgar Degas, Nicolas de Stael, Barbara Hepworth and Picasso. Only a handful of the artworks in the Bechtler collection have been on public view in the United States. Admission: Yes. Hours: Mon., Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm; Sun. noon-5pm; and open until 9pm the 1st. and 3rd. Fri. of each month. Contact: 704/353-9200 or at (www.bechtler.

Charlotte Art League Gallery & Studios, 1517 Camden Road, South End, Charlotte. July 1 - 29 - "Beyond Skin and Street". A reception will be held on July 8, from 6-10pm This show is a cultural experience created to showcase the work of talented local tattoo and graffiti artists. **Ongoing -** CAL houses one of the area's largest collections of local professional and emerging artists, offering affordable fine art in a variety of styles and media: acrylics, oil, pastel, watercolor, mixed media. photography and sculpture, and fiber art. Tour studios of working artists. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-3pm; Fri., 5-9pm; Sat. noon-4pm; Sun., 1-5pm. Closed Dec. 22-Jan. 1. Contact: 704/376-2787 or at (www.charlotteartleague.org).

Harvey B. Gantt Center for African-American Arts & Culture, Levine Center for the Arts, 551 S. Tryon St., Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring selections from the John & Vivian Hewitt Collection of African-American Art, one of the nation's most important and comprehensive collections of African-American art. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 704/547-3700 or at (www.ganttcenter.org).

Lake Norman Art League Gallery, 442 S. Main St., located across the street from Wooden Stone, next to Masterworks; enter at the rear of the building, and turn right into the lobby, Davidson. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Lake Norman Art League members. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-7pm. Contact: 704/620-4450 or

at (www.LKNart.org). **Latin American Contemporary Art Projects** (LaCa), 1429 Bryant Street, in the heart of the revitalized FreeMoreWest neighborhood. Charlotte. Through Sept. 3 - "Repetitions," featuring an exhibit of works by Santiago Quesnel. Quesnel's intention to create mutations and variations of the same mental image, resulting in an examination of non-traditional landscapes generated from the intersection of record, experience, and memory. While the ethereal scenes might initially appear conventional, a discoverv occurs—a burst of color in an otherwise subdued palette, an object that seems out of place, or subtle traces of human inhabitance, or perhaps, interference. The landscapes confront the viewer, resulting in a mixed sensa tion of a melancholic absence of something unknown against a vibrant and beautiful scene Quesnel's process is slow and multi-layered, and plays upon his desires to realize his own universe through repetition. Ultimately reaching erous outcomes of work with a play on the same theme, he takes pure and simple spaces where perspective is neither clear or logical, and creates a fascinating reality. Ongoing -LaCa Projects is a platform dedicated to the presentation, development, and promotion of Latin American art and culture within the United States. The gallery encourages cross-cultural dialogue by representing a small group of influential and thought-provoking contemporary, emerging and mid-career artists, as well as exhibiting a broader range of work by established and Master Latin American artists. The gallery, which has expertise in a number of different art media with a significant focus on paintings. will also be part of a larger planned expansion that includes open artist studios and a dining concept. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 1-5pm or by appt. Contact: Neely Verano at (neely@lacaprojects. com) or call 704/609-8487.

Levine Museum of the New South, 200 E. Seventh St., corner of College St & Seventh St., Charlotte. **Ongoing -** "Cotton Fields to Skyscrapers," featuring a permanent exhibition featuring interactive environments that trace the history of the New South from the end of the Civil War until today. Admission: Yes. Free on Sat. Parking: next door in Seventh Street

Station. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 704/333-1887 or at (www. museumofthenewsouth.org).

Mint Museum Randolph, 2730 Randolph Road, Charlotte. Bridges and Levine Galleries, Ongoing - "Contemporary British Studio Ceramics: The Grainer Collection". Focused on the collection of Diane and Marc Grainer, this installation is a survey of contemporary British studio ceramics. Comprising functional and sculptural objects made between the 1980s and today, the show features work by artists either born or residing in Great Britain, including established "contemporary classics" like Gordon Baldwin and Rupert Spira, and cutting-edge ceramicists such as Julian Stair and Kate Malone. Several recentlygifted works from the Grainers are included. Alexander, Spangler, and Harris Galleries, Ongoing - "Portals to the Past: British Ceramics 1675 - 1825". The Mint Museum's collection of eighteenth-century British pottery and porcelain is widely respected for its scope and quality. The collection numbers over 2,000 objects and includes important examples of both salt-glazed and dry-bodied stoneware from Staffordshire: tin-glazed earthenware from Bristol, Liverpool, and London; and cream-colored earthenware from Derbyshire, Staffordshire, and Yorkshire. Notable eighteenth-century porcelain factories represented include Chelsea, Bow, and Vauxhall in London, Longton Hall in Staffordshire, Worcester, Bristol, and others. Individual works in the collection are exceptional because of their rarity, craftsmanship, provenance, or as representative examples of particular types or methods of production or decoration. Ongoing - "American Glass". The nineteenth and early twentieth centuries represented a time of extraordinary growth for the American glass industry. Such companies as Boston & Sandwich Glass Company in Sandwich, MA; Steuben Glass Works in Corning, NY; and Libbey Glass Company in Toledo, OH, began operation and soon developed notable reputations for producing fashionable wares that were coveted by many middle- and upper-class consumers. "American Glass" showcases objects by these and other American glass companies, illustrating the variety of forms and styles that prevailed during this period. Glass-manufacturing techniques will be another focus of the exhibition, with representative examples of pressed, cut, blown, and molded glass. Nearly all of the works on view are from The Mint Museum's permanent collection of glass, which is second in size only to the ceramics collection in the museum's Decorative Arts holdings. **Ongoing -** "Arts of Africa". The African continent is remarkable in its geographic, social, political, and cultural diversity. This impressive diversity is reflected in the visual arts through a variety of media and forms including ceramics, masks, textiles, sculptures, prestige staffs, and shrines. With exceptional loans from private collectors and The Mint Museum's own collection of African Art, the museum is pleased to announce the expansion of its presentation of Arts of Africa, thereby providing visitors a more

in-depth, meaningful, and exciting overview of

works of art, archival documents, and photo-

African art. Heritage Gallery, Ongoing - Feature

graphs documenting the growth and evolution of

the museum, from its beginnings as the original

branch of the US Mint to its founding as an art

museum to the present and beyond. **Ongoing**

- "Art for the Millions: WPA Prints" and "Carolina

Clay," featuring a display of colorful wares made

adapted their works to a market economy. "Art of

from the Mint's permanent collection, including

John Biggers Juan Logan, Tarlton Blackwell,

Radcliffe Bailey. Kojo Griffin, and others. "Art in

the Americas," featuring paintings, precious met-

from the 17th through the 19th centuries illustrate

colonization of the Americas. Crosland Gallery

- Featuring a presentation of portraits with many

fascinating images presented. Rankin Gallery -

Collection, including two "new" Beardens.

Delhom Gallery, Ongoing - The European

Collection of ceramic works. Admission: Yes.

Hours: Wed., 11am-9pm (free admission 5-9pm);

Thur.-Sat., 11am-6pm; & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact:

704/337-2000 or at (www.mintmuseum.org).

Mint Museum Uptown, Levine Center for the

Arts, 500 South Tryon St., Charlotte. **Through**

ing". Whether you prefer simple sneakers or

July 31 - "Pumped: The Art & Craft of Shoemak-

sexy stilettos, every visitor will find something to

enjoy in this fashionable new exhibition. "Shoes

are the finishing touch to your outfit, but they are

also much more than that," said Rebecca Elliot,

Assistant Curator for Craft, Design, & Fashion at

the Mint, who curated the exhibition. "Well-made

shoes are a testament to the talents of many

Featuring a presentation of the Romare Bearden

the unique culture that emerged from the Spanish

alwork, sculpture, furniture and decorative arts

the United States," featuring contemporary works

between 1920 and 1950 as potters from NC

The Civic & Cultural Arts Center of Pineville, 316 Main Street, right next door to "old" Pineville Police Station, Pineville. Ongoing - The CCAC is a 501(C)(3) non-profit organization offering a place where artist of every discipline have an opportunity to network and enhance. their gifts. The CCAC is a gathering place for emerging and established artists of all ages to present, create and collaborate in giving life to their art, with a goal of embracing and promoting the artistic, creative and entrepreneurial possibilities available in our community through classes, workshops and on-going events and programs. Hours: Sat. 9am-1pm and most week nights from 6:30-9pm. Contact: call Lee ccacpineville.org).

Oliver Wasow (American, 1960--). "Dana and

Fortune", 2013, pigment print. Gift of Dana

Martin Davis. 2014.71. Collection of The Mint

Museum, Charlotte, North Carolina. © Oliver

people, whether it's the craftsperson who shaped

the leather by hand to create a unique design or

shoes more widely affordable." Through Sept.

18 - "Here & Now: 80 Years of Photography at

the Mint." The exhibition marks the first survey

the Mint's permanent collection and comprises

approximately 100 of the Mint's most stunning

and provocative photographs. Including recent

acquisitions and many never-before-seen trea-

sures alongside signature works, "Here & Now"

offers a fresh perspective on an exciting, diverse,

and burgeoning area of strength within the Mint's

collection. While relatively modest in scale, the

Mint's collection boasts exceptional photographs

noted masters as Berenice Abbott, Ansel Adams

, Dorothea Lange , and W. Eugene Smith as well

as those taken in the last few years by dynamic

contemporary photographers. Global in scope,

the Mint's collection as well as the "Here & Now"

exhibition also feature works by artists with local

and regional roots as well, including William Egg-

leston, Sonia Handelman Meyer, and Kristina

Rogers. **Ongoing -** The Mint Museum Uptown

Mint Museum of Craft + Design, as well as the

American Art and Contemporary Art collections

and selected works from the European Art collec-

tion. The building also includes a café, a Family

rooms, a 240-seat auditorium, a Special Events

Pavilion with outdoor terrace, and an expanded

Museum Shop specializing in crafts of the Caro-

linas. Admission: Yes. Hours: Wed., 11am-9pm

(free admission 5-9pm); Thur.-Sat., 11am-6pm; &

Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 704/337-2000 or at (www.

mintmuseum.org).

Gallery, painting and ceramics studios, class-

will house the world renowned collections of the

taken at the turn of the 20th century by such

exhibition of photography drawn solely from

the inventor who developed a machine that made

The Light Factory, 1817 Central Avenue, Charlotte. Through July 21 - "Total Immersion," featuring an exhibit of works by Sam Wang. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-6pm or by request. Contact: 704/333-9755 or at (www. lightfactory.org).

The Sonia and Isaac Luski Gallery, at the Foundation for the Carolinas building, 220 N. Tryon Street, (old Montaldo's/Mint Museum of Craft + Design site), Charlotte. Ongoing -Featuring work on loan from Sonia and Isaac Luski including works by: Chuck Close, Lewis Jones, Herb Jackson, Mark Peiser, Richard Ritter, Richard Jolley, Harvey Littleton, Lino Tagliapietra and many more. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 704/973-4500 or at (www.fftc.org).

Cherokee

Qualla Arts and Crafts Mutual, 645 Tsali Blvd., across from the Museum of the Cherokee Indian, Cherokee. **Ongoing -** Featuring basket weaving, pottery, wood carving, finger weaving, beadwork, stone carving and fine

painting by members of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians. Artisans must go through a juried process to become affiliated with the organization and current membership stands at about 300. Hours: open daily, year round, with seasonal hours. Contact: 828/497-3103 or at (www.cherokee-nc.com)

The Galleries, of the Cabarrus Arts Council in Concord's Historic Courthouse, 65 Union Street South, Concord. Through July 29 - "Unresolved," includes paintings, photographs, ceramics and mixed media artworks by 10 artists: Tami Bone of Austin, TX; Pattie Chalmers of Carbondale, IL; Robert Crum of Salisbury, NC; Denise Duong of Oklahoma City, OK; Andy Farkas of Asheville, NC; Harriet Marshall Goode of Rock Hill, SC; Erik Haagensen of Greenville, TN; Kat Moser of Snowmass, CO; Beth Tarkington of Marietta, GA; and Yuko Nogami Taylor of Raleigh, NC. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Closed Sat, in July and Friday July 3. Contact: 704/920-2787 or at (www.cabarrusartscouncil.

Crossmore

The Crossnore Fine Arts Gallery, a North Carolina Fine Art Gallery, is located at The Historic Weaving Room on the Campus of Crossnore School, 205 Johnson Lane, Crossnore. **Ongoing -** The gallery represents regional painters, sculptors and fine craft persons who want to take part in benefiting the children of The Crossnore School Hours: Mon -Sat 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/733-3144 and 828/387-1695 or at (http://www.crossnoregallery.org/).

Cullowhee

Fine Art Museum, Fine & Performing Arts Center, Western Carolina University, Cullowhee Drawing Gallery, Through June 30 - "Vision & Vistas: Great Smoky Mountains," is an exhibition of sixty original photographs and drawings made by photographers and artists inspired by the grand vistas of the Great Smoky Mountains. Professional photographers include such notables as Jim Thompson, George Masa, and George Grant, as well as amateurs who hiked with the Smoky Mountains Hiking Club. Herbert Pelton and Nace Brock created images used by Asheville promoters to advocate for a national park in the Appalachians. Working for the National Park Service, Hiram Wilburn and Charles Grossman documented mountain culture within park boundaries and the road construction projects that forever altered it. Irving Fromer, J.D. Chaffin, and Alan Youngblood, men enrolled in the Civilian Conservation Corps, made pencil sketches of a wilderness previously unknown to them. Together, these artists focused on the grandeur of the landscape to lobby for a national park and promote conservation in the southern US. Without their vision, perhaps the Great Smoky Mountains National Park would not have come into being. Since its inception, the park has been a popular destination, setting visitation records opping 10 million annually. Contemporary Gallery, Through Aug. 26 - "Handmade Landscape". Camp Little Hope is a team of artists. With a combined background in fine arts, education, design, economics, engineering, anthropology, and community engagement, they imagine new worlds through public artworks, curatorial nterventions, designed artifacts, published information, and catalyzed epiphanies. Camp Little Hope presents 'Handmade Landscapes." an arts and research exhibition exploring the geography, botany and the impact of recent human land use on Gribble Gap. Ongoing - "Worldviews," featuring selections from the Permanent Collection and new acquisitions featuring regional national and international artists' works in all media. Hours: Tue.- Fri..10am-4pm & Sat., 1-4pm. Contact 828/227-3591 or at (http://www.wcu.edu/mu-

Dillsboro

Jackson County Green Energy Park, 100 Green Energy Park Rd., Dillsboro. Ongoing Featuring art created with renewable energy featuring blown glass, forge-hammered metals, ceramics. The Jackson County Green Energy Park (JCGEP) utilizes clean, renewable energy resources to encourage economic development, provide environmental protection, and offer educational opportunities that together will help lead towards a more sustainable future for Western North Carolina. Hours: Tue.-Thur.. 1-4pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/631-0271 or at (www.jcgep.org).

Durham

Center for Documentary Studies at Duke University, 1317 West Pettigrew Street, Durham. Juanita Kreps Gallery, Through Sept. 10 - "Useful Work: Photographs of Hickory Nut Gap Farm by Ken Abbott". A reception and artist talk will be held on Aug. 18, from 6-9pm.

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in 1916, Elizabeth and Jim McClure visited a place then known as Sherrill's Inn; they were entranced, so much so that they purchased the inn and surrounding land, rechristening it Hickory Nut Gap Farm. A hundred years later, the "Big House" and property remains a vibrant home and community hub where five generations of McClures and extended family have visited, lived, and worked the land. Photogranher Ken Abbott first visited in 2004 on his daughter's class field trip and was as taken with the site as the McClures had been decades earlier. Abbott's photographs, taken between 2004 and 2009, are featured in the traveling exhibition and book "Useful Work: Photographs of Hickory Nut Gap Farm" (Goosepen Studio & Press, 2015, with essays by Ken Neufeld). Hours: Mon.-Thur, 9am-7pm; Fri., 9am-5pm; Sat., 11am-4pm; & Sun., 1-5pm, Contact; 919/660-3663 or at (http://documentarystudies. duke.edu/).

On a honeymoon trip to western North Carolina

Claymakers, Gallery of Fine Handmade Pottery, 705 Foster St., Durham. Ongoing - Shows an ongoing, but rotating, exhibit of Claymakers Community artists. Current exhibitors include Corinne Fox, Deborah Harris, Laura Korch, Barbara McKenzie, Teresa Pietsch, Elizabeth Paley, Gillian Parke, Savannah Scarborough, and Evelyn Ward. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 1-6pm & 3rd fri. of the month from 6-9pm. Contact: 919/530-8355 or at (http://www.claymakers.

Durham Arts Council Building, 120 Morris Street, Durham. Allenton Gallery, Through July 10 - "Rare Earth." featuring works by Mariorie Pierson. Semans Gallery, Through July 10 -"Our House: Durham Arts Council Instructor & Student Exhibit". Contact: 919/560-2787 or at (www.durhamarts.org).

Liberty Arts Gallery, in the Cordoba Center for the Arts, 923 Franklin Street, behind the Golden Belt complex., Durham. **Ongoing -** Liberty Arts is a nonprofit arts community whose collaborative practice reflects the dynamic personality of Durham. Our mission is to expand access to three-dimensional art and share the skills required to make it. All are welcome to take part through hands-on classes, public events, mentorships, and commissions. Liberty Arts believes in community outreach and encourages visionary thinking. Founded in 2001, Liberty Arts serves an an incubator in which artists work together to teach, learn, and inspire. All artists also take on public and private commissions, in addition to exhibiting and selling their work at the Liberty Arts Gallery. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 919-260-2931, e-mail at (info@ libertyartsnc.org) or at (www.libertyartsnc.org).

North Carolina Central University Museum of Art, 1801 Fayetteville Street, Durham. Ongoing - Permanent collection focuses on African American art of the 19th & 20th century, including works by Edward Mitchell Bannister. Henry Ossawa Tanner, Romare Bearden, Jacob Lawrence, Elizabeth Catlett, and Norman Lewis. As well as more contemporary works by Sam Gilliam, Richard Hunt, William Artis, and Kerry James Marshall. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 9am-4:30pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 919/560-6211 or at (http:// www.nccu.edu/artmuseum/).

Power Plant Gallery at ATC, 318 Blackwell St Durham. Ongoing - The Power Plant Gallery is an off-site extension of the arts at Duke, promoting visual arts engagement with students, faculty and visitors from Durham and beyond. With 1,500 square feet of exhibition space, the gallery is equipped to exhibit a range of media, from photography and painting to video and installation. Featuring a rotating program of work by Duke students, faculty, and visiting scholars, as well as locally, nationally and internationally recognized artists, the gallery is a new and exciting addition to the growing, vibrant Durham art scene. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: call 919/660-3695 or e-mail at (mfaeda@duke.

Room 100 Gallery, Golden Belt complex, Building 2, room 100, 807 East Main Street, Durham. Ongoing - The gallery is committed to promoting the work of emerging local, regional and national contemporary artists. Exhibitions of varying size and theme will be on view throughout the year with openings coinciding with Third Friday Durham. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm and Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/967-7700 or at (www. goldenbeltarts.com).

The Carrack Modern Art, 111 West Parrish Street, Durham. Ongoing - The Carrack Modern Art features work by local artists in group and solo exhibitions, punctuated by a myriad of shorter artistic events that include outdoor projections, slam poetry, film screenings and musical performances. Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon-6pm; Sat., 2-5pm or by appt. Contact: 704/213-6666 or at (http://thecarrack.org).

The Nasher Museum of Art, Duke University

Central Campus, 2001 Campus Drive, Durham.

Through Sept. 18 - "The New Galleries: A Collection Come to Light," is a comprehensive and dynamic reinstallation of the museum's collection. Eight new galleries will be dedicated to specific collection areas highlighting many of the museum's masterworks while illustrating a history of human creativity. The Ancient World covers a broad geographical and chronological reach, featuring works from ancient Egyptian, Greek and Roman cultures. Medieval Europe displays important architectural sculpture, devotional objects and stained glass from the Romanesque and Gothic periods. European Art, 1400-1900, illustrates cultural and aesthetic changes from the Renaissance to the dawn of the modern period through a variety of objects, paintings and sculptures. Through Sept. 18 - "Burk Uzzle: Southern Landscapes," an exhibition in the Incubator, as part of The New Galleries. Based in Wilson, North Carolina, Uzzle has photographed the American South for over five decades, capturing nuanced views in both black and white and color from the mountains to the coast. The 16 photographs selected for this show explore rural life in this region and how southerners have engaged with the landscape over time. This exhibition is part of a collaboration between the Nasher Museum, the Ackland Art Museum at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and the North Carolina Museum of Art Fach museum will present an exhibition of Uzzle's photography covering a broad range of subjects from the artist's extensive career, and each show will be on view during the summer of 2016. Also · Nasher Museum Café and Museum Shop. Admission: Yes, but free to Durham residents courtesy of "The Herald-Sun" newspaper. Hours: Tue.- Sat., 10am-5pm; Thur. till 9pm; & Sun.. noon-5pm. Contact: 919/684-5135 or at (www.nasher.duke.edu)

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Durham Durham Convention Center, pre-function corridor, located next to the Carolina Theatre and the Durham Marriot, 201 Foster Street, Durham. Through Oct. 16 - "Along These Lines," featuring works by Constance Pappalardo. Hours: reg convention hours. Contact: Durham Arts Council at 919/560-2787 or at (www.durhamarts.org).

Edenton

Chowan Arts Council/Your Community Arts Center, 504 S. Broad, Edenton. Ongoing - The Gallery features art from North East NC artists as well as some from within a 5 hour driving radius. You will find our beautiful waterfront location a pleasant destination as well as the fine art that hangs within our walls. Stained glass, pottery, photography, fiber arts, and painting in various media. We have metal art by Jonathan Bowling and Woodrow Slade, various forms of art by Christine Henninger, oils by Jane Perry, wood art by several local artist. You will find your visit to Edenton enjoyable and the Gallery a delight to your artist senses. Hours: Mon.-Fri. 11am-4pm & Sat.-Sun., 10am-2pm. Contact: 252/482-8005 or at (www.chowanarts.com).

Elizabeth City

Arts of the Albemarle, a regional arts partner ties of NC, The Center, 516 East Main Street, (corner of Main & Poindexter Streets), Elizabeth City. **Ongoing -** Our galleries are home to over 250 artists, craftsmen, photographers, potters, fiber artists and jewelers. The AofA at "The Center" hosts solo and shared exhibits once a month followed by opening receptions during Downtown Elizabeth City's First Friday ArtWalk each month, as well as workshops with some of our exhibiting and visiting artists. These workshops are open to members and non-members. Admission: Free. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: Katie Murray, Executive Director (kmurray@artsaoa.com) or Barbara Putnam, Gallery Manager (bputnam@ artsaoa.com). Both can be reached at 252/338-6455 or at (www.artsaoa.com).

Fayetteville

Cape Fear Studios, Inc., 148 Maxwell Street, Fayetteville. **Ongoing -** Exhibits change on the 4th Friday of each month. We are a nonprofit cooperative of 30 local artists employing 2D and 3D media. The studio contains a gallery area where the artists' works are exhibited and where visiting artists can have a show. There are eight individual studios with working artists available to

the public daily. Individual and group classes in a variety of media are ongoing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/433-2986, e-mail at (capefearstudios@mindspring. com) and at (www.capefearstudios.com).

Ellington-White Contemporary, 113 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville. Through July 23 - "Rose-Ann San Martino: Paintings". Ongoing - A visual arts venue for emerging and professional artists with exhibitions of original art and events that reflect and respond to cultural arts diversity. Summer Hours: Thurs.- Sat., 1-6pm. Contact: 910/483-1388 or at (http://www.ellington-white.

Fuquay-Varina

600 E. Broad Street, Fuquay-Varina, 2nd Friday, 5-9pm - "Art after Dark". The Fuquay-Varina Arts Council will showcase local talent. This free event will include live music, an artist market, and kids creative activities. For further info visit (www.FVartscouncil.org)

Gastonia

Arts on Main Art Center, 212 W Main Avenue, at the intersection of Main and South, formerly the historic Citizens National Bank, Gastonia. Ongoing - Home of Gaston County Art Guild and we offer a fine arts gallery, gift shop, 18 working studio spaces and classroom areas. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11:30am-5:30pm and Fri.-Sat., 11am-7pm. Contact: 704/865-4224 or at (www.gastoncountyartguild.com).

Goldsboro



Work by Yvette Cummings

Arts Council of Wayne County, 2406 E. Ash Street, Goldsboro. Through July 15 - "Black & Blue," featuring works by husband and wife artists Jim Arendt and Yvette Cummings. Cummings' mixed media work deals with the effects of childhood abuse on survivors. Arendt's work explores societies' changing relationship with labor. Ongoing - The Art Market is located on the second floor of the Arts Council of Wayne County building. We represent approximatley 50 NC based artists including potters, jewelry designers, wood turners, painters and writers. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-7pm & Sat., 11am-2pm. Contact: 919/736-3300 or at (www.artsinwayne.

Greensboro Area

Throughout Greensboro, first Fri. of the month, till 9pm - "First Friday," featuring a gallery crawl of several gallery spaces in Greensboro. For further info (www.uacarts.org).

Open Air Market, corner of South Elm & MLK in downtown Greensboro. First Fri. of every month. 4-9pm - "Indie Market," a place where local artists and crafts people can come together to offer handmade and vintage goods.

African American Atelier & Bennett College for Women Gallery, Greensboro Cultural Center. 200 N. Davie Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by local, regional and national Atrican American artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am 5pm; Wed., till 7pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 336/333-6885.

Elliott University Center Art Gallery, 221 Elliott University Center, UNC-G, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by student and alumni artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-9pm. Contact: 336/408-3659.

GreenHill, a space for NC art, 200 North Davie Street, Greensboro Cultural Center, Greensboro. Main Gallery, Through Aug. 24 - "Gallery Nomads Asheville," an exhibition highlighting North Carolina's regional art centers. Five Asheville art spaces will set-up camp all summer in The Gallery at GreenHill and present an exhibition of their choosing in 500 square feet of space. Participating art centers include Blue Spiral 1, Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center, Asheville BookWorks, Pink Dog Creative and REVOLVE. Cited as a "Top 25 Small Cities for Art" for the past 12 years, Asheville has been described as an "artist's utopia." This exhibition will look closely at Asheville's art scene, from leading commercial art gallery Blue Spiral 1 representing major southern artists for 25 years to the artist collective studio space Pink Dog Creative, one of the first to be established in Asheville's River

Arts District. In addition to works by contemporary Western NC artists, visitors will be able to see works by 20th century masters such as Joseph Albers and Kenneth Noland from the collection of Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center. InFocus Gallery, Through Aug. 12 - "Coastal Works," features works by painters Robert Irwin and Ellen Hathaway, and sculpture by Robyn Horn. Irwin moved to the coastal city of Beaufort, NC, where he pursued his painting career and his love of sailing. Motivated by his desire to simplify life and live near the water, it appears in most of his paintings. Robyn Horn is influenced by the nature of the material and its resistance to being changed. Ellen Hathaway's paintings calm and temp the senses, using the vibrancy of organic forms found in nature while inviting you within the painting to meditate intimately, imagery dissolves into expressionism, becoming more about paint. gesture and energy. Admission: ArtQuest Studios: \$6 adult/child; children under 1 are free and free admission with Household-Level Membership or higher. The Gallery, InFocus Gallery + the Shop: \$5 (suggested donation). GreenHill hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-7pm; Sat., noon-5pm; & Sun. 2-5pm. ArtQuest Studios are closed on Sun. Group visits can be scheduled online for Tue.-Thur., 9am-12:30pm. Contact: 336/333-7460 or at (www.greenhillnc.org).

Guilford College Art Gallery, Hege Library, 5800 W. Friendly Avenue, Greensboro. Ongoing · Additional galleries feature rotating selections from the College's wide-ranging permanent collection of fine art and craft. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 336/316-

Guilford Native American Art Gallery, Greensboro Cultural Center, 200 N. Davie St., Greensboro. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Carolina's Native Americans. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5-:30pm. Contact: 336/273-6605.

Anne Rudd Galyon and Irene Cullis Galleries. Cowan Humanities Building, Greensboro College, 815 W. Market Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by studen, faculty and others. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 336/272-7102, ext. 301.

NC A&T State University Galleries, 1601 E. Market Street, Dudley Building, NC A&T State University, Greensboro. Ongoing - The Mattve Reed African Heritage Collection seeks to educate people about the culture, history and accomplishments of African societies and peoples of African descent. It achieves this through the development of exhibits drawn from its extensive collection of African artifacts, which represent a cross-section of African cultures from over thirtyfive countries. The collection is made up of fine examples of African material culture including sculptures, masks, figures, household implements, musical instruments, and textiles. The modern collection includes works from Nigeria. Ghana, Ethiopia, Haiti and elsewhere in the African Diaspora. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & sat., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/334-3209.

The Center for Visual Artists Greensboro, second floor of the Cultural Arts Center, 200 North Davie St., Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by member artists from throughout the greater Greensboro area. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm: Weds. till 7pm: & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 336/333-7485 or at (www.greensboro-

Weatherspoon Art Museum, University of North Carolina - Greensboro, Cone Building, Tate and Spring Garden Streets, Greensboro. The Leah Louise B. Tannenbaum Gallery, Through Aug. 20 - "Single-Channel Catalyst: Alex Hubbard's "Eat Your Friends" and Selections from the Collection". Humorous and tense, systematic and chaotic—these seemingly mismatched descriptors capture the playful complexity of Alex Hubbard's video works. In his 2012 piece, "Eat Your Friends," the artist experiments with stacking full cups of coffee, climbing precariously balanced ladders, arranging coat hangers and walking canes, and pouring and spraying paint. He describes these disjointed endeavors as explorations that are similar to a child's taking apart a toy to see how it works: each presents a formal puzzle or problem to be solved. The Bob & Lissa Shelley McDowell Gallery, Through Sept. 4 - "Inside the Outside: Five Self-Taught Artists from the William Louis-Dreyfus Collection". The enigmatic—and often humorous and dramatic works in this exhibition survey the production of five highly gifted artists: James Castle, Thornton Dial, Nellie Mae Rowe, Bill Traylor, and Willie Young. Prior labels of "outsider" and "visionary" have given way to the more appropriate term, "self-taught" art, though the genre remains one of the most intriguing in modern and contemporary art. Fach of these artists has examined an idiosyncratic personal reality to create works full of imaginative and visual power, works that stand beside the canon of the mainstream art world. The Gregory D. Ivy Gallery, The Weath-

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ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greensboro Center For Creative Leadership. 1 Leadership. Place, off Hwy. 220, Greensboro. Through July 28 - "Fine Craft, Fine Art," featuring a collection of fine arts and crafts from the Alamance Artisans Guild, spanning paintingm photography, weavings, metal works, glass, wood and pottery. Hours: by Appt. only. Contact: call Laura Gibson at 336/510-0975

Greenville

Emerge Gallery & Art Center, 404 S. Evans St., Greenville. **Ongoing -** Featuring works in a variety of media by students, faculty, alumni (East Carolina University) and local artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-9pm; Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 252/551-6947 or at (www.emergegal-

Greenville Museum of Art, 802 South Evans Street, Greenville, West Wing and Commons Galleries, Through Aug. 14 - "K-12: Works by Pitt County Arts Students". A reception will be held on June 7, from 5:30-7pm. **The Rachel** Maxwell Moore Gallery, Ongoing - Featuring works by NC artists and American landscape artists including: Nena Allen, Charles Bashum, Charles Burchfield, Jasper Cropsey, Arthur Dove. Daniel Garber, David Johnson and David Kapp. **Look & Learn Gallery, Ongoing -** On display are two and three-dimensional art from the Museum's Education Collection. Young visitors are invited to browse through the gallery and engage in the project sheets found in the Activity Corner. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue., - Fri., 10am - 4:30pm and Sat.&Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 252/758-1946 or at (www.gmoa.org).

Hickory

Full Circle Arts, 42-B Third Street NW, Hickory. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by member artists in a variety of mediums. Full Circle Arts is a not-forprofit educational organization whose mission is to encourage public appreciation and education for the arts. Hours: Wed.Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 828/322-7545 or at (www.

Hickory Museum of Art, Arts and Science Center, 243 Third Avenue NE, Hickory. Coe Gallery, Through Aug. 21 - "On Common Ground: Pastel Paintings from the Mountains to the Sea". 2016 North Carolina Statewide Juried Pastel Exhibition features works from Appalachian Pastel Society, Piedmont Pastel Society and Pastel Society of North Carolina. Windows Gallery, Through Aug. 28 - "Pastels from the Hickory Museum of Art Collection". Pastel paintings from the Museum's collection include works from Charles Basham, Will Henry Stevens, Marguerite Stix, Frederick Craig Franz, Ben Long, Tom Mate, Warren Dennis, Hobson Pittman, William T Turman and Manon Catherine Cleary. Gifford & Regal Galleries, Through July 24 - "Memories of Appalachia: Paintings by Arlee Mains". Guest curator Barry Huffman presents the memory paintings of Boone, NC folk artist Arlee Mains. Exhibition features works on loan from the Art Cellar Gallery and local collectors. **Shuford** Gallery, Through July 24 - "We Are the Music Makers!" Preserving the Soul of America's Music. Multi-media exhibition of photographs, video and audio recordings from Tim Duffy, founder of the Music Makers Relief Foundation. Includes Southern contemporary folk art from the Museum's permanent collection. Shuford Gallery, July 31 - Oct. 9 - "Holy Land Revisited: Works by Norma Suddreth". Includes watercolors and other works inspired by the artist's travels and her faith. Entrance Gallery, Through July 17 -'Image*Ination: Catawba Valley Camera Club's 9th Annual Photo Competition". Whitener Gallery, Through Aug. 14 - "Collecting Starkweather: Then & Now". Features a selection of new and old acquisitions, as well as correspondence between the artist and Museum founder Paul Whitener. Third Floor Mezzanine, Ongoing -"Discover Folk Art: Unique Visions by Southern Self-taught Artists". Explore re-creations of artists' working environments, including a school bus and a barn, family activity stations, more than 250 folk art objects, interactive touch screens and more. Free family guides available at check-in. Little Hands, Big Hands Gallery, Ongoing - "Little Hands, Big Hands". Younger visitors can be imaginative through creative exploration and play. Includes puppet theater, mini art gallery, giant reading throne and more. **Objects** Gallery, Ongoing - "American Art Pottery: From the Museum's Moody Collection" and "Born of Fire: Glass from the Museum's Luski Collection". Admission: Free. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 828/327-8576 or at (www. hickorymuseumofart.org).

Highlands

The Bascom, a center for the visual arts, 323 Franklin Rd., covered bridge entrance at the end of Main Street, Highlands. **Educa**tion Gallery, Ongoing - The Bascom offers our students and instructors an opportunity to display their creative works from workshops and classes. The perspectives of these talented individuals reveal self-expression, cultural awareness and technical discipline. These ongoing displays expose the viewer to the analysis, invention, exploration and decision making processes used by students during the development of ideas into a work of art. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/526-4949 or at (www.thebascom.org).

Hillsborough

The HAC Gallery, Hillsborough Arts Council, 102 North Churton Street, across the street from the Wooden Nickel, Hillsborough. Through July 23 - "Narrative Landscapes," featuring works by Eric Smith. Smith seeks to spark a narrative in the imagination of the viewer and creates lush and lively images through his process of oil painting. July 27 - Aug 20 - "Save-the-Earth," an exhibition of figurative assemblages by Ann Brownlee Hobgood, A reception will be held on July 29. from 6-9pm. Hobgood speaks about her work "I create figurative assemblages from found objects with a particular interest in using materials from historic sites. Until a few months ago, I lived in a restored 1880 cotton mill village called Glencoe, near Burlington, NC, It is a treasure trove of industrial waste and castoffs from history! I have collected barrels and boxes full of scrap metal, wood, ceramic, paper, glass, and plastic from the ground, from under old houses, from the river, and from deserted mill buildings. My friends and neighbors - now in Hillsborough, NC - contribute toward cleaning up the environment by donating their discards to me in piles on the front porch of my separate, much larger studio." Ongoing - Offers a venue for emerging and mid-career artists to show and sell their work. Hours: Wed.-Sat... noon-4pm. Contact: 919/643-2500 or at (http:// ww.niiisborougnartscouncii.org/index.ntmi)

Kings Mountain



Work by Vickie Gill

Southern Arts Society Gift Shop & Gallery, 301 N. Piedmont Ave. (NC 216), located in the old Southern Railway Depot at the corner of Battleground Ave and N. Piedmont Ave in the Kings Mountain Art Center, Kings Mountain. July 1 - 29 - "Earth and Fire Pottery Festival," featuring works regional potters with new work for sale, both functional and artistic. Ongoing -Exhibits, gift shop & classes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm and by appt. Contact: 704/739-5585, visit (www.southernartssociety.org), and Facebook.

Lenoir

Caldwell Arts Council Gallery, 601 College Avenue, SW, Lenoir. Through July 7 - "Caldwell Visual Artists Competition". Satie's Gift Shop, Ongoing - featuring gift items made by local artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 828/754-2486 or at (www. caldwellarts.com)

Lexington

Davidson County Community College, Mendenhall Building, 279 DCCC Road, intersection of I-85 Business Loop & Old Greensboro Road, Lexington. T - ". Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8am-9pm & Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: Call Kathy Kepley at 336-249-8186, ext. 6383.

Marshall

Flow Gallery, 14 S. Main St., Marshall. Ongoing - Flow is a cooperative gallery owned, operated and curated by artists, offering for sale the best of local and regional crafted objects and arts, traditional and contemporary. Hours: Tue.-Sat. 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 828/649-1686 or at (www.flowmarshall.com).

Mooresville

Depot Visual Arts Center, 103 West Center Ave., Mooresville. Ongoing - MAGical Gallery shop, a great source for unique gifts. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 704/663-6661 or at (www.MAGart.org).

Morehead City

Carolina Artist Gallery, 800 Evans Street. corner of 8th, Morehead City. **Ongoing -** As a co-op, the gallery welcomes local established and emerging artists to apply membership. AllI members are juried in and are required to staff the gallery and actively participate in gallery activities - receptions, hangings, publicity, etc. Our strength as a gallery is in offering a diversity of artistic styles, media and techniques. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm, Contact: 252/726-7550 or at (www.carolinaartistgallery.com)

Morganton

KATZ Arts Collective, 116 W. Union Street, Morganton, Ongoing - It is a collective of artists, both online and in-house. It operates as a non-profit; any money left over after expenses goes back into the cooperative. Many different specialties including weaving, painting, photography, pottery, sculpture, and more are represented at the KATZ. Included in its amenities are a free children's area, display galleries and shelves, rental studios, and an event space. Hours: N/A. Contact: visit us on Facebook (https://www. facebook.com/thekatzartcollective) or e-mail us at (thekatzartscollective@gmail.com).

New Bern

Bank of the Arts, Craven Arts Council, 317 Middle Street, New Bern. Main Gallery, July 5 - Aug. 27 - "Point of View: Opinions," featuring works by seven area artists exploring concepts of identity, and social constructs. Receptions will be held on July 8 and Aug. 12, from 5-8pm. The show will feature the work of Kiki Farish, Geevee Meyer, Elizabeth Spencer, Chris Wagner, Catherine Connolly, Chris Morgan. and Vik Sexton, working in a variety of styles and media. Director's Gallery, July 5 - 30 - Featuring an exhibit of works by Nada Behr. A reception will be held on July 8, from 5-8pm, Nada's work focuses on landscapes and natural life in the medium of watercolors and acrylics. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: 252/638-2577 or at (www. cravenarts.org).

Old Fort

Arrowhead Artists and Artisans League

Inc., 78 Catawba Avenue, Suite C-D, next to the parker hosiery building, 2 minutes from Exit 73 on Interstate I-40, Old Fort. Ongoing - The main Gallery space is about 1800 square feet, with an open, industrial feel. Art, ranging from traditional to abstract and mixed media, hangs on the walls. On the main floor are displays of various types of fine crafts, such as jewelry, pottery, fiber art, hand crafted baskets, and hand turned wooden bowls. You might even see a welded "junk yard" critter or two. After viewing all of the various arts and crafts, visitors can walk through a wide archway on the right to view more fine art and craft work and talk to the artists and students in several studios and the AGS classroom. If a studio door is open, visitors are being invited to step inside and enjoy the work. Currently, our Gallery and studio artists and artisans include: Lorelle Bacon, Ann Whisenaut, Karen Piquette, David Kaylor, Dawn Driebus, Len Eskew, Wayne Stroud, Susan Taylor, Cathy Green, Anne Bevan, John Sullivan, Evelyn Chrisawn, Tim Muench, Chuck Aldridge, Charles Davis, Fredreen Bernatovicz, Anne Allison, Darlene

Matzer, Billie Haney, Marguerite Welty, Jean Ryan, Kasha Baxter, Linda Magnus, Kim Hostetter, Bunnie Burgin, Sonya Russell, Helen Sullivan, Janet Bennett, and Sabrina Miller. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 828/668-1100 or at (http://arrowheadart.org/).

Pembroke

A.D. Gallery, University of NC at Pembroke, 1 University Dr, Pembroke. Ongoing - The A.D. Gallery is sponsored by the Art Department of the University of North Carolina at Pembroke. Serving the university and local community, the gallery provides a venue for student and faculty work, as well as that of local, regional, national and international artists. The gallery helps fulfill the department's goal of providing outstanding educational opportunities for its students by bringing quality visual arts to the university and the community at large. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-5pm; Fri., 9am-3pm and Wed. evenings, 5-8pm. Contact: Dr. Nancy Palm at 910/775-4264 or e-mail to (nancy.palm@uncp.edu).

Penland



Work by Kensuke Yamada

Penland Gallery, first building on right as you enter the campus, Penland School of Crafts, Penland Road, Penland. Main Exhibition Gallery, July 12 - Sept. 4 - "Wendy Maruyama: The wildLIFE Project," organized by the Houston Center for Contemporary Craft. FOCUS Gallery, Through June 19 - "Forrest Middelton + Adam Field: Ceramics". July 15 - Aug. 14 - "Kreh Mellick: Painting". **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Penland Instructors and affiliated artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: call Kathryn Gremley, at 828/765-6211 or at (www.penland.org).

Collective Arts Gallery & Ceramic Supply, 8801 Leadmine Road, Suite 103, Raleigh. Ongoing - Featuring works by local and nationally renowned artists on permanent exhibit. Hours: Tue.-Fri. 11am-7pm & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/844-0765

Nature Art Gallery, inside the Museum Store, North Carolina Museum of Natural Sciences, 11 W. Jones Street, downtown Raleigh. Through July 31 - "Nature in Colored Pencil," featuring works by members of the Colored Pencil Society of America, including several loca artists. Admission: Free. Gallery Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-4:45pm & Sun., noon-4:45pm. Store Contact: 919/733-7450, ext. 360 or at (http:// naturalsciences.org/visit/museum-store/natureart-gallery).

North Carolina Museum of Art, 2110 Blue Ridge Road, Raleigh, East Building, North Carolina Gallery, Through Sept. 11 - "Altered Land: Works by Damian Stamer and Greg Lindquist". Lindquist and Stamer, both North Carolina raised, create shimmering landscape paintings, simultaneously abstract and representative, that slide in and out of focus. Their environments-from the natural to the manmade—are haunted by the past, appearing to be in the process of eroding, degrading, or fading into nothingness. Memory and loss, as well as the effects of time and economic and environmental ravages, are at play in these beautiful, melancholy landscapes. East Building, Julian T. Baker Jr. Photography Gallery, Through Sept. 25 - "Burk Uzzle: American Chronicle". Born in 1938 in Raleigh, Burk Uzzle began his career at age 17 as a staff photographer for the "News & Observer". At 23 he was "Life" magazine's young-

est photographer, capturing powerful images

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NC Institutional Galleries

of American life and culture. Uzzle is known for

his iconic photographs of the civil rights move-

is now an independent photographer based in

ment, Martin Luther King Jr., and Woodstock. He

Wilson, NC, and continues to chronicle American life from coast to coast. This exhibition provides an overview of Uzzle's career and is organized in collaboration with the Ackland Art Museum at UNC-Chapel Hill and the Nasher Museum of Art at Duke University. As a tribute to one of North Carolina's most renowned photographers, each museum is focusing on a different aspect of Uzzle's work, and all three shows will be on view concurrently during the summer of 2016. **East** Building, Level B, Studio 3, Through July 10 - "Actual State". The term actual state refers to a painting wherein the old varnishes and restorations have been removed, revealing the true condition of the original paint layer. Throughout its life, a painting can be restored many times, hiding years of damage, accidental or otherwise. As part of a conservation treatment, paintings are cleaned, or returned to their actual state, and revarnished. After revarnishing, areas of damage are blended in with the surroundings using special paints made just for conservators—a process called inpainting or retouching. The extent of damage is very rarely revealed to the museumgoer. **Ongoing -** Featuring 10 additional sculptures by the celebrated French artist Rodin on loan from Iris Cantor's private collection. Ongoing - "John James Audubon's The Birds of America". The state has owned this treasured volume since 1848, but it has never been exhibited. **Ongoing -** The North Carolina Museum of Art has an outstanding permanent collection of more than 5,000 objects spanning antiquity to the present day. On the occasion of the expansion, the Museum has acquired more than 100 new works of art. Representing commissions, gifts, and purchases, the new works encompass important and diverse examples of historic and contemporary art from around the world, and will be installed in the Museum's new building and the surrounding landscape. Highlights include a gift of 28 sculptures by Auguste Rodin, and work by such internationally acclaimed artists as Roxy Paine, Ursula von Rydingsvard, El Anatsui, Jaume Plensa, Jackie Ferrara, Ellsworth Kelly and David Park, among others. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm; Sun., 10am-5pm; & open until 9pm on Fri. Contact: 919/839-6262 or at (www.ncartmuseum.org)

North Carolina Museum of History, 5 East Edenton Street, (between Salisbury and Wilmington Streets), Raleigh. Through July 4 - "Southern Impressions: Paintings from the James-Farmer Collection". The exhibit explores the stories of southern peoples, cultures, and landscapes through museum artifacts and 37 paintings - dating from the turn of the 19th through the middle of the 20th century - loadned from the collection of Dr. Everette James and Dr. Nancy Farmer of Chapel Hill. **Ongoing -** Featuring exhibits dealing with North Carolina's history as a theme. Admission: Free. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 919/807-7900 or at (http:// www.ncmuseumofhistory.org/)

The Crafts Center at NC State University, first floor of Thompson Hall, Jensen Drive, NC State University, Raleigh. R.A. Bryan Foundation Gallery, Through July 27 - "Chatham Artists Guild Exhibit'. More than 30 artists are exhibiting a variety of mediums including paintings, drawings, print making, glass, pottery, sculpture, jewelry and wood. The Chatham Artists Guild (CAG) is an organization of artists with the purpose to maintain artistic excellence among members and its signature event is the annual studio tour. 2016 marks 24 years for the organization. Hours: Mon., Wed., & Fri., 2-10pm; Tue. & Thur., 10am-10pm; and Sat. & Sun., 12:30-5pm. Contact: 919/515-2457 or at (http://www.ncsu.edu/crafts/index.html).

Rocky Mount

Mims Gallery, Dunn Center for the Performing Arts, NC Wesleyan College Campus, 3400 N. Wesleyan Blvd., Rocky Mount. Through Aug. 7 - "The Reid Tradition: Three Generations". A reception will be held on June 3, from 7-9pm. The Mims Gallery at Wesleyan doesn't often get such an opportunity, not only to feature the work a Rocky Mount family, but also a Wesleyan alumna photographer and exhibit curator Lori Mizelle, daughter of senior photographer James Reid. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & one hour before performances. Contact: call 252/985-5268 or at (www.ncwc.edu/Arts/Mims/).

Rutherfordton

Rutherford County Visual Arts Center & Gallery, 160 N. Main Street, at the intersection of W. Court St., Rutherfordton. **Ongoing -** Offering a

changing exhibit of 2D and 3D art including oils, watercolor, scratchboard, calligraphy, fiber, wood, glass, pottery and fine craft by local artists/fine crafters Hours: Tue -Sat 10am-3pm Contact: 828/288-5009 or at (http://www.rcvag.com/).

Seagrove Area

Seagrove Area Pottery Center (Not the NC Pottery Center), 122 E. Main St., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** The former museum organization was founded twenty-five years ago in Seagrove, and is dedicated to preserving and perpetuating the pottery tradition. We strive to impart to new generations the history of traditional pottery and an appreciation for its simple and elegant beauty. A display of area pottery is now offered in the old Seagrove grocery building. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-3:30pm. Contact: 336/873-7887.

North Carolina Pottery Center, 233 East

Avenue, Seagrove. Through July 2 - "Flower

Power: Pottery & Plants". Within the context

of this show, the term Flower Power is not a reference to the movement or ideology of the late 1960s and early 1970s. Here, Flower Power is a visual appreciation of the visceral and aesthetic power of pottery and plants. Individually, pottery, flowers, and plants have the power to affect our thoughts and feelings. When combined, that power sometimes seems intensified, perhaps because of the symbiotic relationship between earth and nature Featured artists include: Garry Childs, Donna Craven, Onay Cruz, Judith Duff, Mary Farrell, Shanna Fliegel, Steven Forbes-deSoule, Michael Hamlin-Smith. Delores Haves. Daniel Johnston, Matt Jones, Michael & Levi Mahan, Rob & Beth Mangum, Zeke McCanless, Jim McDowell, Allison McGowan, Bob Meier, Jim & Shirl Parmentier, Hal & Eleanor Pugh, Rob Pulleyn, Charlie and Linda Riggs, Joseph Sand, Akira Satake, Tom Whitaker, and Julie Wiggins. July 16 - Oct. 29 - "Penland Clay: Shaping North Carolina Ceramics". A reception will be held on July 16, from noon-2pm. This exhibition explores and showcases the Penland School of Crafts clay program's continuing influence on North Carolina ceramics. This story is told through the work of current and former Penland core students and resident artists who live and work in our state. Guest curated by Rob Pulleyn. Narratives by Gay Smith and Carey Hedlund. Featured artists include: Stanley Mace Andersen, Paulus Berensohn, Cynthia Bringle, Geoffrey Calabrese, Cristina Córdova, Jon Ellenbogen, Susan Feagin, Maggie Finlayson, Terry Gess, Michael Hunt, Shawn Ireland, Tom Jaszczak, Suze Lindsay, Jeannine Marchand, Karen Newgard, Marsha Owen, Jane Peiser, Ronan Peterson, Ron Propst, Gay Smith, Tyler Stoll, Tom Suomalainen, and Mark Warren. July 16 - Sept. 10 - "Retrospective: Josh Floyd," artist-in-residence. A reception will be held on July 16, from noon-2pm. This exhibition is the culmination of my work as the Artist-in-Residence at the North Carolina Pottery Center. While continuing to focus on wood firing and salt glazing my own work, I have had the unique opportunity to be immersed in Seagrove's rich and diverse culture of pottery making. If the influence of Seagrove past and present is not immediately evident in my current body of work, my time here will certainly continue to inform my pots for years to come. Many thanks to the staff of the North Carolina Pottery Center in their support of my efforts as Artist-in-Residence. **Ongoing -** Featuring permanent and changing exhibits on the history of North Carolina pottery, "The North Carolina Pottery Tradition" and "Seagrove Area Pottery" The Center also offers information on activities, maps and information about the potteries located in the Seagrove area and across the state. A display of representative works from more than 90 area potteries is also offered. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact 336/873-8430 or at (<u>www.ncpotterycenter.org</u>).

Siler City

Throughout Siler City, July 15, 6-9pm - "Siler City Art Walk," featuring exhibits at many of the city's exhibit spaces, live entertainment, artist demonstrations, food, local wine or beer tastings, offered in town on the 3rd Fri. of the month. Hosted by the North Carolina Arts Incubator. Contact: 919/663-2072 or at (www. ncartsincubator.org).

North Carolina Arts Incubator Gallery, 223 N Chatham Ave., Siler City. Ongoing - Featuring the handcrafted work of over 30 Incubator and regional artists in a variety of mediums including painting, pottery, stained and fused glass, fabric art, cards, photography, wood, jewelry, metal, baskets and more. There is a broad range of items and prices. Hours: Mon.-Sat.,

PAF Gallery, 223 N Chatham Ave., Siler City,

Ongoing - A gallery featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: 3rd Fri. 6-9pm. Contact: 919/663-2072 or at (www.ncartsincubator.org).

10am-5pm: & 3rd Fri., 10am-9pm, Contact:

Southern Pines

Campbell House Galleries, Arts Council of Moore County, 482 E. Connecticut Ave., Southern Pines. Through July 15 - "East Meets West," featuring a cultural exchange exhibit of potters from Mungyeong, South Korea, including: Yeon Tae Park, Kyeong Hee Lee & Jong Pil Kim, and Seagrove, NC, including: Jeff Brown, Michele Hastings, Fred Johnston, Phil Pollet, & David Stuempfle. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/692-4356 or at (www.mooreart.org).

Southport

Franklin Square Gallery, 130 E. West St., Southport. **Ongoing -** Works by members of the Associated Artists of Southport, Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/457-5450 or at (www.franklinsquaregallery.com)

Spruce Pine

TRAC Arts Center, Toe River Arts Council. 269 Oak Avenue, Spruce Pine. Through July 9 - "8x8 Exhibition and Sale". Hours: Tue.-Sat. 10:30am-5pm. Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/682-7215 or at (www.toeriverarts.org).

Gallery One, Main Street, Sylva. Ongoing · Home of the Jackson County Visual Arts Association. The association has also offered workshops: including utilizing social media, book binding, drawing and art history. Exhibitions usually include paintings, photographs, sculptures and occasionally contemporary crafts. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 1pm-4pm and by appt. Contact: Tim Lewis 828/337-3468 or James Smythe 828/507-4248.

Tryon Arts and Crafts School, 373 Harmon Field Rd., in the old Tryon Middle School, Tryon. **Through July 29 -** Little Clay One Way, featuring show-box sized works in clay by regional artists. Gallery & Gift Shop, Ongoing - Gift Shop features juried works by regional artisans to selected work produced by our instructors and students. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat. 10am -1pm. Contact: 828/859-8323 or at (www.tryonartsandcrafts.org).



Work by Rob Pulleyn

Upstairs Artspace, 49 South Trade Street, Tryon. Through July 29 - "Clay Four Ways," features work from four masters of clay sculpture: artists Eric Knoche. Rob Pullevn. Mike Vatalaro. and Megan Wolfe; "The Art of Fine Basketry Jennifer Zurick"; and "Drawing Marathon II," featuring work created over a 2-day period by 12 regional artists including: Connie Bostic, Margaret Curtis, Patricia Cole-Ferullo, Linda Gritta, Diana Gurri, Linda Hudgins, Carol Beth Icard, Dale McEntire, Linda McCune, Lindsey Moore, Bob Neely, and Paul Yanko. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828-859-2828 or at (www.upstairsartspace.org)

Valdese

Valdese Heritage Arts Center, 146 Main Street West, Valdese. Ongoing - The center offers a great selection of unique gifts on exhibit and for sale, including, but not limited to original paintings, pottery, needlework, wood-carvings, hand crafted furniture, ceramic sculptures, stained glass, photography, jewelry, floral

arangements greeting cards, guilts and home 919/663-2072 or at (www.ncartsincubator.org). made soap. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat. 11am-3pm. Contact: 828/874-1849 or at (http:// vhac.webs.com).

Washington

River Walk Gallery and Arts Center, 139 W. Main Street, Washington. Ongoing - All work is done by local artists and has to be juried into the gallery. The gallery includes watercolor, oil, and acrylic paintings, photography, pottery, mixed media, fiber arts, iewelry, wood work, stained glass. and books written by local authors. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 252/974-0400.

Waynesville

Main Street and Depot Street, Waynesville.

July 1, 6-9pm - "First Friday Art After Dark." The Waynesville Gallery Association is excited to present Art After Dark, on the first Friday of every month. Enjoy a stroll through working studios and galleries on Main Street and Depot Street. Members include the Haywood County Arts Council's Gallery 86, Earthworks, The Jeweler's Workbench, Burr Studios, Twigs and Leaves Gallery, TPennington Art Gallery, Grace Cathey Sculpture Garden and Gallery, Cedar Hill Studios, The Mahogany House, Art on Depot, and the Village Framer. We are growing! Historic Frog Level, home to the Mahogany House and Art on Depot is a short walk from Main St., where many artists have working studios. With over 12 galleries participating, everyone is sure to find inspiration through the beauty of art! Contact: 828-456-3517 or at (www.waynesvillegalleryassociation.com).

Little Gallery on Church Street, 37 Church Street, Waynesville. Ongoing - Featuring montly exhibits by regional arts. Sponsored by the Haywood County Arts Council. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/452-0593, e-mail at (info@haywoodarts.org) or at (www.haywoodarts.org).

The Haywood County Arts Council's Gallery 86, 86 N. Main Street, Waynesville. Ongoing -The gallery lends itself to showcase high quality fine art by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm, Contact; 828/452-0593 or at (www.haywoodarts.org).

The Museum of North Carolina Handicrafts. 307 Shelton Street, corner of US 276 So. and Shelton Street, Waynesville. Ongoing - Featuring the handicrafts of North Carolina in the historic Sheldon House. Hours: Museum hours change seasonally, call 828/452-1551.

Wentworth

Dan River Art Market & Gallery, 1122 NC Hwy. 65, Wentworth. **Ongoing -** The gallery offers art and craft by local artists and 6 gallery exhibits throughout the year, workshops and lectures. Hours: Thur., 10am-4pm; Fri., 11am-2pm; and by appt. Contact: 336/349-4039 or at (www.artsinrockingham.org).

Wilmington

ACEs Gallery, Arts Council of Wilmington and New Hanover County, 221 N Front Street, Suite 101, Wilmington. Through July 17 -"Ransacked," featuring new work by Gabriel Lovejoy. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/343-0998 or at (www.ArtsCouncilofWilmington.org).

Ann Flack Boseman Gallery, Fisher University Union, 2nd Floor, UNC - Wilmington, Wilmington. Through Aug. 5 - "Artificial Light," featuring works by Duncan Hill, Artificial light is a ubiquitous feature of modern life, and whether by coincidence or design, it informs evokes, and manipulates the inhabitants of a space. The photographs explore the aesthetic and perceptual implications of lighting by considering why light is focused on certain aspects of a location while other surfaces are left to the dark of night. Hill is a Washington, DC, based photographer and filmmaker, originally from High Point, NC. He earned his BA in Film Studies from the University of North Carolina at Wilmington (UNCW) in 2009 and his MFA in Photographic and Electronic Media from the Maryland Institute College of Art (MICA) in 2014. Duncan currently teaches photography at Loyola University. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 7am-11pm; Sat., 10am-11pm; and Sun., 1-11pm. Contact: 910/962-7972, 910/962-3842 or e-mail at (artgallery@uncw.edu).

Art Gallery at the Cultural Arts Building, ground floor, corner of Randall Parkway and Reynolds Drive, UNC-Wilmington, Wilmington. Through Aug. 11 - "Christopher Thomas Syn*co*pa*tion". Thomas is a professor at UNC-Greensboro. Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon-4pm (closed Fri. during the summer). Contact: call. art dept. at 910/962-3440 or at (www.uncw.edu/ art/gallery).

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Louise Wells Cameron Art Museum, @ intersection of Independence Blvd. & South 17th Street, Wilmington. Through July 10 - "Raise the Curtain!". Considered to be the oldest front curtain for a theatre in the Americas, the original 1858 curtain from historic Thalian Hall Center for the Performing Arts, Wilmington, NC, travels to CAM for conservation, causing pristine galleries to transform into working studios for art conservators and painters. Painted by Hudson River inspired artist, Russell Smith (Glasgow, Scotland 1812 – Glenside, PA. 1896), the 14 x 32 foot curtain features a scene from ancient Greece: A bustling harbor at the foot of Apollo's temple where stripesailed galleys dock to hear oracles read on the eve of the Olympic games. Fully accessible to the public, while art conservation proceeds on this cherished original, visitors can compare old and new in witnessing local artists paint a new full scale replica of Thalian's original curtain in the exhibition galleries. Through July **17 -** "Patchwork North America: Paintings by Virginia Wright-Frierson". From extensive travel by road and by air, Wright-Frierson has created over one hundred paintings framing scenes, as if looking through a window, across the United States and Canada. She describes her intent, "We do see pollution and trash, factories, car accidents and roadwork, graffiti even on cactus and near petroglyphs, and much of North America is prairie that seems empty and unchanging for miles on end. But what I want to paint is the power of nature evidenced in storms, erosion. rock formations, and water; the adaptation of plants and animals to any environment, from the high mountains and glacial lakes of Banff, Ontario to the deserts of Arizona, the unspoiled vastness and endless variation, and the spirit and celebration of survival." Wright-Frierson's broad-ranging career is distinguished as painter, award-winning children's book author, illustrator, and large-scale public installation artist to include her celebrated bottle house inspired by artist Minnie Evans at Airlie Gardens, Wilmington, NC, and her extraordinary ceiling mural of evergreens and aspens reaching for the sunlight, installed at Columbine High School, Littleton, Colorado. Through Sept. 11 - "She Tells a Story". From Mary Cassatt and Minnie Evans to Barbara Chase-Riboud and Shahzia Sikander. The exhibit celebrates the work of women artists from CAM's permanent collection and connects the art forms of visual and literary arts. Highlighting this long historical relationship, CAM has invited fifteen Wilmington-area women writers to contribute text (of their chosen format) on select works from the exhibition. The juxtaposition of the artwork with the written word will illuminate how these artists and writers explore their experiences, perspectives and world views through their chosen medium. Writers participating in this exhibition include: Anna Lena Phillips Bell; Karen E. Bender; Wendy Brenner; Maylee Chai; Cara Cilano; Amrita Das; Nina de Gramont: Dina Greenberg; Malena Mörling; Khalisa Kelly Rae; Celia Rivenbark; Gwenyfar Rohler; Emily Smith; Bertha Todd; and Margo Williams. This exhibition is sponsored in part by Corning. Pancoe Art Education Center. Exhibition Cases, Ongoing - View some of the Seagrove and contemporary pottery from the museum's permanent collection in the cases. These include the works of resident artist Hiroshi Sueyoshi, Ben Owen III and Juqtown

MC Erny Gallery, WHQR Public Radio, 254 N. Front Street, Suite 300, Wilmington. **Through** Aug. 12 - "Diverse Works," featuring works by six women including: MJ Cunningham, Christine Farley, Anne Sinclair, Peggy Vineyard, and Katherine Wolf Webb. A reception will be held on July 22, from 6-9pm, Hours: Mon.-Fri.. 10am-4pm, Contact: 910/343-1640 or e-mail to (whqr@whqr.org).

Pottery among other works. Admission: Yes.

museum.org).

Hours: Tue.-Sun., 10am-5pm and Thur. till 9pm.

Contact: 910/395-5999 or at (www.cameronart-

Wilma W. Daniels Gallery, Cape Fear Community College, 200 Hanover Street, first floor of the Hanover Parking Deck, Wilmington. July 5 - Aug. 13 - "Marvin Saltzman Retrospective". Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: call 910/362-7252 or at (http://cfcc.edu/blogs/ wilmagallery/).

Winston-Salem

Downtown Art District, Sixth and Trade Streets, Winston-Salem. July 1, 7-10pm -"DADA First Friday Gallery Hop," with special artist demonstrations, art exhibits, shops and studios open evening hours. Events are free and open to the public. Gallery Hops are funded and sponsored by the Downtown Art District Association, a non-profit organization,

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and their supporting membership. Contact: 336/734-1864 and visit (www.dadaws.org) for

Artworks Gallery, 564 N. Trade Street, Winston Salem. **Ongoing -** The gallery is the longest running cooperative gallery established by artists for artist members, showing 12 exhibits per year in the heart of Winston-Salem's Art District. Approx. 21 artists show their work in mediums such as painting, watercolor, drawing, photography, sculpture, encaustic wax, and digital art. The gallery features the work of Mary Beth Blackwell-Chapman, E.Faye Collins, Chris Flory, Carl Gericke, Don Green, Nancy Hayes, Ted Hill, Alix Hitchcock, Virginia Ingram, Steven Hull Jones, Lea Lackey-Zachmann, Nanu LaRosee, Kate Magruder, Beverly Noyes, Nelida Otero, Dave Riedel, Ben Rouzie, Inez Ruchte, Virginia Shepley, Ed Shewmake, Mitzi Shewmake, Anne Kesler Shields, Kimberly Varnadoe, Jody Walker, Mona Wu, Tyrie Brown, Mike Foley, and John Hamilton, Hours: Tue. - Sat. 11am-5pm and Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 336/723-5890 or at (www. artworks-gallery.org).

4th Dimension Gallery, Commerce Plaza, 411 W. Fourth St., downstairs from Cat's Corner, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by art students from Winston-Salem's colleges and universities - the NC School of the Arts, Salem College, Wake Forest University and Winston-Salem State University. Hours: Fri., 5-8pm & Sat., 5-8pm. Contact: 336/249-0418.

Piedmont Craftsmen Gallery, 601 North Trade Street, Winston-Salem. Ongoing - Featuring fine art crafts by over 350 of the best artisans of the Southeast. Hours: Tue.-Fri.., 10:30am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm, Contact: 336/725-1516 or at (www.piedmontcraftsmen.org).

Red Dog Gallery, 606 N. Trade Street, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing -** The gallery showcases the work of a consortium of talented local artists and craftsmen from the group Art For Art's Sake. From rich paintings and raku pottery to handmade jewelry and whimsical sculpture, the items and styles on display at the gallery are constantly changing - and there always is something new to discover for every sensibility and budget. Hours: Tue.- Fri., noon-6pm and Sat., 11am-4pm Contact: 336/413-6667 or at (www.theafasgroup.



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Reynolda House Museum of American Art,

Reynolda Road, Winston-Salem. Mary and Charlie Babcock Wing Gallery, Through July 17 - "Ansel Adams: Eloquent Light". Ansel Adams (1902-84), perhaps the best-known photographer in American history, developed a system for creating luminous, vivid landscape photographs in sharp contrasts of black and white. He then orinted his film negatives with meticulous attention to craft. Adams's manner of framing and capturing both magnificent, large-scale landscape formations, and small, exquisite natural objects created icons of the American wilderness. Northeast Bedroom Gallery, Through July 10 -"Reynolda at 100: Reynolda Gardens". Reynolda Gardens, created during the American Country Place Era when most formal gardens were intended for private use, instead reflects Katharine Smith Reynolds's interest in a landscape open and easily accessed by the surrounding community. Initially planned by landscape architect Louis Miller, the designs were finalized and perfected by Thomas Sears. The four-acre formal gardens and adjoining greenhouse welcomed 10,000 visitors in 1917 with a stunning array of annuals, perennials, and flowering shrubs; lines of Japanese cedars and Japanese weeping cherry trees; fruit and vegetable gardens; and pergolas, fountains, arbors, and shelters - most of which are still enjoyed today. Drawn largely from the historic photographs and manuscript collections from the Reynolda House Archives, many on display for the first time, this new exhibition will show the role the gardens played in Katharine Reynolds's ambitious vision for a New South and how Reynolda Gardens, built to complement and

support a working estate, continues its historic

mission of education and public access as Reynolda Gardens of Wake Forest University. Ongoing - Collection of 18th through 20th century art, sculpture, American art, and pottery. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9:30am-4:30pm & Sun., 1:30-4:30pm. Contact: 336/725-5325 or at (www. revnoldahouse.org)

SEED Collective Gallery, 205 W. Sixth Street, entrance is on "Soho Allev". Winston-Salem. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by a cooperative group of artists in various mediums. Hours: Sat from 11am-5pm & by appt. Contact: 336/722-

Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art, 750 Marguerite Drive, Winston-Salem. **Through** July 3 - "12 x 12: Bill Fick". The exhibition literally comes alive with art as printmaker Bill Fick installs a live screen-printing operation at SECCA. The full surround print installation will change and we invite public participation at his two print demonstrations to become part of the show. Fick's prints exude a bold, brash style of cartoon, combining punk and street-art styles. Fick lives and works in Durham, North Carolina. He is currently a Visiting Assistant Professor at Duke University in the Department of Art, Art History and Visual Studies. Over the past 25 years he has exhibited his prints nationally and internationally and has taught at many institutions across the United States including the University of North Carolina (Chapel Hill and Greensboro), Pratt Institute and Rutgers University. Fick's work can be found in the collections of the Fogg Art Museum, Harvard University; The New York Public Library and the Zimmerli Art Museum, Rutgers University. In 1993 Fick was awarded a National Endowment for the Arts Visual Artist Fellowship and in 1995 a North Carolina Arts Council Artist Fellowship. Fick is also the director of Supergraphic, a creative art studio dedicated to the production of fine art prints and print media. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm, Thur. till 8pm; Sun., 1-5 pm, and closed Mon. & state holidays Admission is free Contact: 336/725-1904 or at (www.secca.org).

The Gallery of the Arts, Commerce Plaza, 411 West Fourth Street, just next door to the Stevens Center, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing -** the facility includes The Community Arts Cafe's Gallery of the Arts, Underground Theare Gallery, and Arts Alley featuring works from artists of the Triad region of North Carolina including fine art, fine craft, literature, recorded music, videos and any other products available exclusively through CAC. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon-6pm & during First Friday Gallery Hop. Contact: 336/793-8000 or at (www.

Unleashed Arts Center, 204 West 6th Street, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing -** The Center is a special initiative by The AFAS Group to foster an appreciation of art and to encourage the development of emerging artists. The center provides a venue for art shows, seminars, artist demonstrations and includes working artists studios. Hours: Tue.- Fri., noon-6pm and Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 336/413-6667 or at (www.theafasgroup.

NC Commercial Galleries

Artistic Impressions, 103 North Poplar Street, Aberdeen. Ongoing - Featuring custom stained glass, glass etching, repairs, restoration and church windows, plus a full supply for the hobby ist. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 910/944-1930.

Seagrove Pottery of the Sandhills, 1680 NC Highway 5, less than 2 miles from the Village of Pinehurst in the Food Lion/Bowling Alley Plaza, Aberdeen. **Ongoing -** Featuring only NC potters and primarily those of Seagrove, NC. We typically have over 1000 pieces from 25 pottery artist's on display. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/420-8056 or at (www.pinehurstpot-

Asheboro

Circa Gallery, 150 Sunset Avenue, Asheboro. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by local, regional, and established artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 336/736-8015.

Colorshow Gallery, 151 N. Fayetteville Street, located on the second floor of Bell & Browne Law Offices, Asheboro. Ongoing - The gallery offers an assortment of artworks by NC artists, from pottery and blown glass, to fiber arts, jewelry and paintings. We also have an assortment of hand-poured candles and handmade soap. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-4pm and every 3rd. Fri., is our Open House from 5:30-8:30pm, where you can meet the artists and enjoy some refreshments. Contact: Betsy Browne at 336/465-2387 or at (http://www. colorshowgallery.com).

Little River Art Works, 6417 Abner Rd., Asheboro. **Ongoing -** Featuring stoneware luminaries and hand carved folk art scenes on our pottery by Nora & Barry Walbourn. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 336/381-4708 or e-mail at (littleriver@rtmc.net)

Susan Harrell Studio Gallery, 375 S. Fayetteville Street, Asheboro. **Ongoing -** Featuring a fine art gallery showcasing the work of contemporary photorealism painter Susan Harrell and other select artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/267-8286 or at (www.susanharrell.com).

Asheville

Downtown Asheville, July 1, 5-8pm - "Downtown Art Walks," presented by the 25 members of the Asheville Downtown Gallery Association. Pick up a Downtown Gallery Guide with a map to help you along the way at any downtown gallery, the Chamber of Commerce, or Pack Place. Contact: 828/258-0710, ext. 108 or at (www.ashevilledowntowngalleries.org).

Aesthetic Gallery, 6 College St., across from Pritchard Park, Asheville. Ongoing - Offering a variety of international works, including terracotta ceramics from Viet Nam and stone sculpture from Zimbabwe. In addition, there is an assortment of intricately detailed handcrafted pictorial textiles from Australia and Lesotho, many of which depict local Asheville

scenes. Also available are Australian Aboriginal oil paintings, Bruni Sablan oil paintings from the "Jazz Masters Series," and ceramic tiles from the Southwest (US). Hours: Tue-Sat noon-6pm. Contact: 828/301-0391 or at (www. aestheticgallery.com).

American Folk Art & Antiques, 64 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing -** Featuring antique folk art, functional and contemporary folk pottery, furniture and paintings. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/281-2134 or at (www.amerifolk.com)

Appalachian Craft Center, 10 North Spruce St., Asheville. Ongoing - Folk pottery, face jugs, traditional crafts, and other collectables. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/253-8499 or at (www.appalachiancraftcenter.com).

ArtEtude Gallery, 89 Patton Avenue, Asheville. Ongoing - Featuring compelling contemporary art, by talented artists, for discerning collectors. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri.-Sat., 10am-7pm; & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828/252-1466 or at (http://artetudegallery.sqsp.com/).

Ariel Gallery, 19 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. Ongo**ing -** Presenting the best in clay, fiber, paper, books, jewelry, metal, sculpture, furniture and glass by members of the Ariel Contemporary Craft Cooperative. A gallery owned and operated by artists. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri. & Sat., 10am-7pm and Sun., 1-5pm, Contact: 828/236-2660 or at (www.arielcraftgallery.com).

Bellagio, 5 Biltmore Plaza, Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing -** Featuring exquisitely handcrafted jewelry and clothing. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm, Contact: 828/277-8100 or at (www.bellagioarttowear.com).

Bella Vista Art Gallery, 14 Lodge St., Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. Ongoing - Featuring works by regional and national artists in a variety of mediums. Offering contemporary oil paintings, blown glass, pottery, black & white photography, stoneware sculptures, and iewelry, Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/768-0246 or at (www. BellaVistaArt.com).

Bender Gallery, 12 S. Lexington Ave., Asheville. Through July 31 - "Twelve Voices: International Jewelry," curated by Donald Friedlich, a highly respected leader in the field of contemporary jewelry. The exhibition features the compelling work of twelve influential contemporary jewelry artists from the United States and abroad. Ongoing - The region's largest and most diverse studio glass gallery on two sun-filled levels features artists from around the country as well as around the world. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/505-8341 or at (www. bendergallery.com).

BlackBird Frame & Art, 365 Merrimon Avenue, just 3/4 mile north of downtown, Asheville. Ongoing - Currently, about 25 painters, photographers and crafters show their work at BlackBird. We also offer expert custom

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framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/252-6036 or at (www. BlackBirdFrame.com)

Blue Ridge Frame & Gallery, 545 Merrimon Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by local artist Linda Cheek, Ann Vasilik, Carol Bomer, Kelly Wilkinson, and many more. Plus a large selection of prints, posters, and quality custom framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/253-3559.

Blue Spiral 1, 38 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. Ongoing - Featuring works in a variety of mediums by regional, national and international artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/251-0202 or at (www.bluespiral1.com).

Castell Photography, 2C Wilson Alley off Eagle St., Asheville. **Ongoing -** The gallery is owned by internationally recognized artist Brie Castell, is a unique photographic Salon & Gallery dedicated solely to photo based media. The gallery features the work of Brie Castell, and also hosts several rotating exhibitions each year of other talented photographers. Hours: Wed.-Fri., noon-6pm, Sat., noon-7pm or by appt. Contact: 828.255.1188 or at (www.castellphotography.com)

Chatsworth Art and Antiques, 54 N. Lexington Ave., Asheville. Ongoing - Specializing in 19th and early 20th century oils, watercolors and prints. Also jewelry, silver, china, small furniture and fine accessories. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828.252.6004.

Clayspace Co-op, River Arts District, 119A Roberts St., Asheville. **Ongoing -** The Clayspace Co-op is a cooperative ceramics studio and showroom located in the historic river arts district of Asheville, North Carolina. The main aim of the Clayspace Cooperative is to provide an environment that promotes the artistic growth and success of its members through cooperation and education. Hours: hours by chance, Contact: 828/279-3811

Cold River Gallery, 32-A Biltmore Ave., Asheville. Ongoing - Welcome to the artistic expression of messages found in ancient wisdom, philosophies and our Earth's gifts, presented as the fine art of Karen Pierre. Working studio, jewelry, pottery. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/350-0955.

CURVE studios & garden, 6, 9 & 12 Riverside Dr., River Arts District, Asheville. Ongoing - Working studios of Constance Williams Sutherland Handweaving, Pattiy Torno, Maria Troya, Kyle Carpenter, Akira Satake, Cynthia Wynn, Fran Welch, Jenny Mastin, Cassie Ryalls & more. Hours: 11am-4pm daily. Contact: 828/388-3526 or at (www.CURVEstudiosNC.

Desert Moon Designs Studios & Gallery, 372 Depot Street, Suite 44, River Arts District, Asheville. Ongoing - The gallery is a progressive contemporary gallery that includes working studios. The focus of the gallery is to showcase both emerging/established local and visiting regional artists. Several times a year special exhibitions are scheduled to introduce new talent or to bring focus to a certain art medium. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/575-2227 or at (http://www.desertmoondesigns-studios.



Work by Olga Dorenko

FW Gallery at Woolworth Walk, 25 Haywood St., Asheville. **July 1 - 30 -** "Where the Sun Meets Meadow," featuring an exhibit of paintings by Olga Dorenko. Dorenko's paintings highlight color and light, and they are inspired by local, national, and international landscapes. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-7pm; Sat., 10am-7pm; & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/254-9234 or at (www.woolworthwalk.com).

Gallery Minerva Fine Art, 8 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing -** Featuring painting, sculpture, photography, ceramics and glass by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm;Fri. & Sat., 11am-8pm; & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/255-8850 or at (www. galleryminerva.com).

Gallery of the Mountains, Inside the Grove Park Inn. 290 Macon Ave., Asheville. Ongoing - Now part of the Grovewood Gallery family, featuring handcrafted wearables, jewelry, pottery and many one-of-a-kind objects. Hours: Mon.-Tue. 9am-6pm; Wed.-Sat., 9am-9pm & Sun., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/254-2068.

Grovewood Gallery, next to The Omni Grove

Park Inn, 111 Grovewood Road, Asheville. Through July 24 - The gallery has invited a number of world-renowned calligraphic artists to participate in a special showing of their works. These beautiful creations, including some from well-regarded Asheville area calligraphers, will be on display and for sale during this special show. Some of the featured artists will be onhand to answer questions and talk about their work. Through Aug. 28 - "Grovewood Rocks!," featuring a showcase of artisan made rocking chairs, including 6 from North Carolina, including: Fatie Atkinson, Brian Brace, Curtis Buchanan, Alan Daigre, Brian Fireman, Joe Godfrey, Andy McFate, Libby Schrum, Leslie Webb, Seth Weizenecker, and Mark Whitley. Rocker styles will range from traditional to contemporary and reflect the creative diversity and unique personality of each maker. **Ongoing -** Grovewood Gallery was opened in 1992 to revitalize the Homespun Shops that once housed the famous weaving and woodworking complex of Biltmore Industries. Today, Grovewood showcases 9,000 square feet of handmade American crafts by more than 400 artists. Resident artists include: Chris Abell, Rick Eckerd, Kathleen Doyle, Daniel Essig, Russell Gale, Lisa Gluckin, Carl Powell, Thomas Reardon, Brent Skidmore, & Jessica Stoddart. Also, the gallery is noted for its impressive second-floor studio furniture collection and outdoor sculpture gardens. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun. 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/253-7651 or at (www. grovewood.com).

Jewels That Dance: Jewelry Design, 63 Haywood St., next door to the Library, Asheville. On**going -** Featuring hand-crafted jewelry by some of America's foremost iewelry artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-6pm. Contact: 828/254-5088 or at (www.jewelsthatdance.com).

Jonas Gerard Fine Art, 240 Clingman Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing -** "Explosions of Color on Canvas". Nationally known artist Jonas Gerard displays his most recent collection of abstract acrylics. His 5,000 square feet studio / gallery is filled with years of passion and dedication. He uses bold, passionate, sweeping gestures of saturated color that form unexpected images of poetic stature. Gerard paints in house to upbeat inspiring music, come unannounced or by appointment. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 10am-6pm & by appt. Contact: 828/350-7711 or at (www. jonasgerard.com).

K2 Studio, 59 College St., Asheville. Ongoing · Featuring a unique collection of fine furniture by local artists and pieces from around the world, home accessories and changing fine art exhibitions. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828/250-0500 or at (www.homeredefined.com)

Kress Emporium, 19 Patton Ave., Patton & Lexington Aves., downtown Asheville. Ongoing - Featuring works by over 100 artists and craftsmen. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 828/281-2252 or at (www. hekressemporium.com)

Montford Arts Center, 235 Montford Avenue, Asheville. **Ungoing -** Featuring works in a variety of media by over twenty-five area artists. Watch artists at work. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11:30am-6pm & Sat., 11:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/777-1014.

Mountain Made, Grove Arcade Public Market, 1 Page Ave., Suite 123, Asheville. Ongoing -Featuring the work of over a 150 WNC artisans, in both contemporary and traditional mountain handcrafts. This one-of-a-kind, gallery and gift shop caters to those shoppers who wish to take a "piece of the mountains" home with them. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/350-0307 or at (www. ntnmade.com)

Mudhunter Pottery, 66 Broadway St., Asheville. **Ongoing -** Featuring a rustic gallery shop showcasing functional and sculptural work from over 20 local potters. Our artists' diverse styles ad affordable prices set them apart. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-5:30pm & Fri.& Sat., 11am-6pm, Contact: 828/225-5869.

New Morning Gallery, 7 Boston Way, Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing -** Featuring fine art and crafts by some of America's finest artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm & Sun.,

noon-5pm. Contact: 828/274-2831 or at (www. newmorninggallerync.com).

Overström Studio, 35 Wall St., Asheville. On**going -** This architecturally significant gallery exclusively represents work by internationallyrecognized designer Michael Overström, who with his wife Susan, present their original, handformed jewelry designs that embrace the designer's Scandinavian heritage and define Asheville's elegant style. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-8pm. Contact: 828/258-1761 or at (www. overstrom.com).

Pura Vida, 39-B Biltmore Ave., Asheville. Ongoing - Featuring a space for the senses, offering the finest in artwork appealing to all five senses. Hours: daily noon-10pm. Contact: 828/271-6997 or at (www.pura-vida-asheville.

16 Patton Fine Art Gallery, 16 Patton Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by William McCullough, Deborah Squier, John MacKah, Greg Osterhaus, Jerry La Point, Richard Oversmith, Scott Lowery, Dawn Rentz, Laura Young, Margaret Dyer, Suzy Schultz and Stuart Roper. Studio glass by Herman Leonhardt. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 828/236-2889.

Studio B Custom Framing & Fine Art, Reynolds Village (near the Woodfin YMCA) 61 N. Merrimon Ave., Suite 109, Asheville. Ongo**ing -** Browse our new gallery featuring works by national and international artists, including paintings. prints & posters, jewelry, ceramics, wood and textiles. Also offering custon framing. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/225-5200 or at (www. galleryatstudiob.com).

Sutherland Handweaving Studio, 122 Riverside Dr., inside Cotton Mill Studios in River Arts District, Asheville. Ongoing - This handweaving studio, gallery and learning center features fine, one-of-a-kind and limited edition handwoven fashion accessories and household textiles. including scarves, shawls, garments, handbags, towels, table linens, blankets and wall art. Sutherland also offers a series of classes and workshops for beginning weavers, weavers needing a refresher course or experienced weavers. A monthly Sutherland Weavers' Study Group brings area weavers together to discuss design challenges, share successes and work through problems in a casual, small group format. Hours: Tue.-Sat., from 10am-4pm. Contact: Barb Butler, 828/513-1814, or Karen Donde, 854/261-4324, or at (www.sutherlandhandweaving.com).

310 ARTGallery, 191 Lyman St, #310, Asheville. Ongoing - Featuring original, contemporary fine art by 21 regional artists. Hours: Fri.-Sun., 9:30am-3:30pm and most weekdays or by appt. Contact: 828-776-2716 or at (http:// www.310art.com/main/).

352 Depot St. Fine Art Studio, 352 Depot Street, Suite 110, next to The Junction Restaurant, River Arts District, Ashevile. **Ongoing** - Working artists studio of Richard C. Nelson, Jeff Pittman, Karen Weihs and Constance Vlahoulis. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/329-2918 or at (http://www.riverartsdistrict. com/352-depot-street-studio.html).

The Haen Gallery, 52 Biltmore Ave., a few steps south of the movie theatre, Asheville. **Ongoing -** Committed to providing access to stunning and unique artwork for discerning collectors and our community in general. Our offerings will reflect the character and sensibilities of this wonderful region. Including works by Lynn Boggess, GC Myers, Jerry Bowman, Alvena McCormick, Volkmar Wentzel, and /IM Pipkin. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; and Sun., noon-5pm, Contact: 828/254-8577 or at (www.thehaengallery.com).

The Satellite Gallery, 55 Broadway, Asheville. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by the next wave of innovative and creative artists that are rising from the underground of contemporary street and pop culture. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/505-2225 or at (http://www.thesatellitegallery.com/).

The Updraft Fine Art Gallery, 84 Walnut Street, directly across from Zambras and right around the corner from Malaprops, Asheville. Ongoing - The gallery is owned and operated by four local artists including: Andrew Montrie, Matt Christie, Minne Kane and William Hunter. It is run by artists for artists and features exhibitionary glass blowing and pottery throwing. Additional works of art offered are functional fine woodwork, jewelry, encaustic, mixed media and oil painting, photography, metal and leather work. All exclusively from local area artists. Hours: Sun., Mon.-Thur., 11am-7pm and Fri.-Sat., 11am-9pm. Contact: 828-582-2112.

Woolworth Walk, 25 Haywood Street, Asheville. **Ongoing -** Featuring artwork and crafts by over

170 artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm, closed Tue. (until Mar.), & Sun. 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/254-9234 or at (www.woolworthwalk.com).

ZaPow!, 21 Battery Park, Suite 101, Asheville. Ongoing - The vast diversity that is found among the art galleries here in Asheville is one of the many reasons to come and visit this unique town. Each gallery offers a different flavor. We are the Asheville art gallery for fun, whimsical, quirky and even geek art. We are the Asheville gallery that appeals to art aficionados as well as the average Joe. Stop by ans see what we're all about. Hours: Mon.-Thur., noon-8pm; Fri., noon-10pm; Sat., 11am-10pm; & Sun. 1-6pm. Contact: 828/575-2024 or at (www.zapow.com).



ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Asheville Dr. Lulu Shimek Office, 12 1/2 Wall Street, Suite M, Asheville. July 1 - 30 - "The Art of Healing," featuring works by Brevard, NC, artist Virginia Pendergrass. A reception will be held on July 8, from 6-8pm. The exhibit includes urban sketches of Western North Carolina Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-2pm and closed July 4. Contact: visit (www.doclulu.com) or (www. virginiapendergrass.com).

The Captain's Bookshelf, 31 Page Ave., Asheville. Ongoing - Featuring original art, prints and poetry broadsides are displayed along with a quality selection of secondhand and rare books. Hours: Tue.-Sat.. 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/253-6631 or at (http://www. captainsbookshelf.com/).

Atlantic Beach

Gallery C East, Atlantic Station Shopping Center, 1010 Fort Macon Road, Atlantic Beach. **Ongoing -** One of the Southeast's preeminent fine art galleries, Gallery C, in Raleigh, NC, has opened an outpost in Atlantic Beach for the Summer season. It will offer the same fine quality and carefully selected art as the Raleigh gallery. Cassie Ott, a graduate of North Carolina State University's School of Design will serve as Gallery Manager. Her artwork will be featured alongside important historic North Carolina artists such as Francis Speight, Sarah Blakeslee, and Hobson Pittman. There will also be a fine selection of contemporary work by Danny Doughty, Susan Harb, Kathy Daywalt, Keiko Genka, Willie Marlowe, and Katrina Schmidt-Rinke to name a few Watson Brown the popular eastern North Carolina photographer will also display works. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm and Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: (www.galleryc.net).

Vision Gallery, 407 Atlantic Beach Causewav. Atlantic Beach. **Ongoing -** Featuring original paintings and three-dimensional work from regional and national artists, and one and two-person shows in summer months. Hours: 10:30am-5pm, closed Wed, Sun. Contact 252/247-5550 or at (www.twogalleries.net).

Bakersville

Mica - Fine Contemporary Craft, 37 N. Mitchell Avenue, Bakersville. **Ongoing -** Our cooperative gallery currently has fourteen members who are from the Bakersville, Penland, and Burnsville areas including: Jon Ellenbogen & Becky Plummer, Kent McLaughlin & Suze Lindsay, Gertrude Graham Smith, Susan Feagin, Cynthia Bringle, David Ross, Shaunna Lyons, Joy Tanner, William Baker, Claudia Dunaway, Jenny Lou Sherburne, Jacque Allen, and Pablo Soto. Visit any day and you're likely to meet one or two of the Mica artists. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/688-6422 or at (www. micagallerync.com).

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Michael Kline Pottery, 4062 Snow Creek Road, Bakersville. Ongoing - Featuring pottery by Michael Kline and jewelry by Stacey Lane. Contact: call 828/675-4097 or visit (http://michaelklinepottery.blogspot.com/).

Banner Elk Area

Alta Vista Gallery, 2839 Broadstone Road, (between Banner Elk and Boone) Valle Crucis. **Ongoing -** Featuring fine art gallery in historic farmhouse, located near the Original Mast General Store. In its 20th year and representing over 100 artists, the gallery specializes in oils and watercolors depicting mountain landscapes. Artists include: B. Jean Baird, Alan Mc-Carter, Louise Pinto, Jean Pollock, Ray Byram, Joan Sporn, Elizabeth Ellison, Dotti Shelton, Also shown are original lithographs and original serigraphs from internationally-acclaimed artists such as ALVAR, Boulanger, and folk artist Will Moses, great-grandson of "Grandma Moses." Also: kaleidoscopes, stained-glass, pottery, jewelry, sculpture, and custom framing. Designer Bed-and-Breakfast rooms on-site. Open all year; hours vary according to season Summer/Fall Hours: 11 am-5pm daily, except for Sun., which are by appt. Contact: 828/963-5247 or at (www.altavistagallery.com).

Art Cellar Gallery, 920 Shawneehaw Ave., Hwy 184, Banner Elk. Through July 2 - "A Different Light," featuring works by Margaret Salisbury. July 1 - 4 - "From the Artists Hand, Celebrating Clay," featuring works by Tim Turner. On July 2, from 3-5pm an afternoon talk with Tim Turner. July 7 - 23 - "Retrospective - Bryan Keith Smith". July 21 - 24 - "Gabriel Ofiesh Show," featuring jewelry from Hardin Fine Jewelry. July 28 - Aug. 13 - "Out of the Studio," featuring works by Norma Murphy & East Fork Pottery. **Ongoing -** Three floors of exhibition space featuring painting and sculpture from regionally and nationally known artists. Featured artists include: William Dunlap, Herb Jackson, Gregory Smith, Norma Murphy, Tim Turner, Deborah Jacobs Purves, Bill Brown, Scott Boyle, Margaret Salisbury, and others. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact 828/898-5175 or at (www.artcellaronline.com).

Carlton Gallery, 10360 Hwy. 105 south in the Foscoe/Grandfather Mountain community, located 10 miles south of Boone and 7 miles north of Linville or Banner Elk. Through July **15 -** "34th Spring Group Exhibition," which showcases fine art in paintings, glass, wood, clay, sculpture, wearable fiber and jewelry by local, regional and national artisans represent ed by the gallery. An Artists' Spotlight "Perceptions of Nature" with Debbie Arnold, Tonva Bottomley and Trena McNabb is a feature of this exhibition. New work is on exhibit for the 34th Spring Group Exhibition by artists Kevin Beck, Andrew Braitman, Mary Martha McKinley Charles Lawson, Mary Dobbin, Helen Farson, Egi Antonaccio, Lisa Boardwine, Marion Cloaninger, Fred Mead, Dottie Leatherwood, Freeman Beard, Holly Glasscock, Vae Hamilton, Don Haywood, Kate Worm, and Ralph Mello. Ongoing - Traditional and abstract paint ings in landscapes, still life's, figurative, nonobjective abstracts, cityscapes and structural design abound at Carlton Gallery by artists Andrew Braitman, Connie Winters, Egi Antonaccio. Kate Worm. Warren Dennis. Helen Farson. Roy Nichols, Mike Ham, Michael Grady, Mary Dobbin. Edie Maney. Sharon Rusch Shaver. Holly Glasscock, Gina Strumpf, and new to the gallery this season, Amy Sullivan and Kevin Lee Aita. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/963-4288 or at (www carltongallery.com).

Sally Nooney, Artists Studio Gallery, located midway between Banner Elk & Valle Crucis on Hwy 194 So. Ongoing - Featuring the rich, vibrant works of Sally Nooney in oil, acrylic, and watercolor. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/963-7347 or at (www.sallynooney. com).

Craving Art Studio, 121 Craven Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing -** Featuring the working spaces of artists Heather Sink and Lisa Tuchek. This space is shared with community through classes, events and workshops and exhibits of other artists. Hours: daily, 10am-5pm. Contact: 252-728-0243 or at (www. cravingartstudio.com).

Handscapes Gallery Fine Arts and Crafts, 410 Front Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing -** The Gallery promotes American traditions in pottery, jewelry and glasswork with an emphasis on North Carolina artists. Over 200 artists are represented in a full range of work from the traditional to the contemporary in pottery, glass, jewelry, metal, wood

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and other media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252-728-6805 or at (http://www.handscapesgallery.com/).

The Artestry Hideaway, 129 Middle Lane, (in the alley behind Clawson's Resturant) Beaufort. Ongoing - The Artestry Hideaway features over 60 North Carolina Artists. We offer fine art, whimsical and funky jewelry, pottery, glass, fiber, wood, metal, fun chimes and other 'stuff'. We also offer classes, Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/244-7354 or at (www. artestryhideaway.com).

JS Pottery Antiques and Collectibles, 27 North Main Street, Belmont. Ongoing - Offering pieces ranging from face jugs, vases, pitchers and planters with hand-painted iris, dogwood, and magnolia designs to beautiful hand-carved North Carolina lighthouses, Hours: Mon.-Sat.. 9am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 704/829-0360 or at (www.jspottery.com).

Black Mountain/Montreat/Swannanoa

Acoustic Corner, 105 F Montreat Rd, Black Mountain. **Ongoing -** Acoustic instruments hand-made or manufactured by hand in small factories. Guitars, mandolins, bouzoukis, banios, violins, lap dulcimers, and other instruments popular in Celtic, Old-Time, Bluegrass, and other folk genres. Plus all accessories. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-7pm & Sat., 10-5pm. Contact: 828/669-5162.

Black Mountain Iron Works, 120 Broadway, Black Mountain. **Ongoing -** Featuring works handcrafted in iron & other metals by Tekla and Dan Howachyn. Hours: Mon. -Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 1/888/689-9021 or at (www.BlackMountainiron.com).

Black Mountain Quilts, 121 Cherry St., Black Mountain. **Ongoing -** Heirloom quality quilts, accessories, handbags, tabletop, and baby quilts. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10-6pm & Sun. 12-5pm. Contact: 828/669-0730.

Black Mountain Studios Inc., 626 Lytle Cove Rd., just 3 miles from downtown Black Mountain, Swannanoa. Ongoing - A fine pottery craft and art gallery featuring many local as well as some nationally know artists. Owner and operated by award winning potters Austin and Maud Boleman. Hours: 11am-6pm seven days a week. Contact: 828/686-1011.

Garrou Pottery, 100 State St., Black Mountain. Ongoing - Featuring a wide variety of handmade pottery by father and son, John and Derrick Garrou, and the works of other area craftsmen. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-

Seven Sisters Gallery, 117 Cherry Street, Black Mountain. **Ongoing -** Featuring a large selection of arts and crafts by local, regional and national artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5. Contact: 828/669-5107 or at (www. sevensistersgallery.com).

Song of the Wood, 203 West State St., Black Mountain. Ongoing - Home of rare, one of a kind, handcrafted musical instruments and enchanting recordings. Come enjoy our intimate approach to the senses. Hours: Mon.-Sat.,10am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-7675.

Sourwood Gallery, 110 Broadway, Black Mountain. Ongoing - Featuring a co-op gallery of local artists offering original art for sale, including: paintings, pottery, jewelry, photography, stained glass and other fine art. Artists are: Kent A. Barnes, Katrina Bass, Judith Bush, Sarah Campbell, Charley, Ruth Connar, Denise Geiger, Jean Hope, Elizabeth Kirk, Ida O'Connell, Billy Ogle, Eileen Ross, Marilyn Sobanski, Jenean Stone, Susan Taylor, Summer G. Ventis, Ann Whisenant, and Katherine Youtz. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-4975.

Studio 103 Fine Art Gallery, 103 West St, Black Mountain. Ongoing - Owned and curated by photographer Rebecca D'Angelo, the gallery will feature monthly shows by local and national artists. It will also offer local art and crafts for sale in its retail section. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-6pm or by appt. Contact: call Rebecca D'Angelo at 828/357-8327 or at (www. studio103fineartgallery.com).

Ten Thousand Villages, 303 Lookout Rd., Montreat. **Ongoing -** Fair trade source for handmade items from more than 30 countries in Africa, Asia and Latin America. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/669-1406.

The Gingko Tree Photo Gallery & Frame Shop, 128 Broadway, Black Mountain. Ongoing - Gifts, cards, prints, photography and framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/669-7721.

The Old Depot Arts & Crafts Gallery, intersection of Sutton and Cherry Streets, Black Mountain. **Ongoing -** A non-profit arts/crafts gallery representing local artists. Proceeds support arts in the schools program. Pottery, folk art and more. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/669-6583.

Visions of Creation Gallery, 114 Cherry State Street, Black Mountain. Ongoing - Featuring unique, contemporary fine gold jewelry of incomparable beauty and quality handcrafted by Robert Vengoechea. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/669-0065.

Blowing Rock

Blowing Rock Frameworks & Gallery, LTD, 7539 Valley Blvd., Blowing Rock. Ongoing -We're celebrating our 19th season of offering the High country and western North Carolina fine art from 25 of the most talented artist in the region! A tradition in western North Carolina for the most enlightening landscapes, still life's, abstract and Folk art! A few of our artist are William McCullough, Lita Gatlin, Wes Waugh, Wayne Trapp, George Snyder, Dave Syfert and many more from the Southeast. We also represent Estate art that includes Elliott Daingerfield, Phillip Moose and Wiili. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/295-0041 or at (www.blowingrockgalleries.com).

Bolick and Traditions Pottery. 1155 Main Street, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing -** The shop incorporates Bolick, Traditions, and Original Owens Pottery into one great location. Known for our cobalt blues, greens, and earthtone glazes we also carry the much desired Owens Red glaze. Teapots, mugs, bowls, serving pieces, many other forms are ready for a home. Not only do we have handmade pottery, we make your shopping experience exciting with unique fashion items such as clothing, jewelry, leather goods, and handbags,. Locally made lotions, soaps, candles, and honey. Christian based gifts such as jewelry, books, and wall decor can also be found. We know you will find our store unique and will become one of your favorite spots while visiting the Village of Blowing Rock. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun. noon-6pm. Contact: 828/295 6128 or at (www.traditionspottery.com).

IAGO, 1165 Main St., Blowing Rock. Ongoing - Featuring inspired, contemporary, fine art and handcrafts from a variety of artists working in the fields of jewelry, fashion accessories, art class, functional art for the home, pottery, lighting, furniture, and garden art. Hours: daily, 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/295-0033 or at (www iagoblowingrock.com)

Main Street Gallery, 960-5 Main St., Blowing Rock. **Ongoing -** Featuring a co-op of area artists that has been opened since 1982. The gallery offers baskets, pottery, weaving, photography, jewelry, woodworking, glass art, fibers and much more. Hours: daily, 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/295-7839.

Morning Star Gallery, 915 Main Street, across the street form the Speckled Trout Cafe, Blowing Rock. Ongoing - Featuring oil and acrylic paintings by Ann Thompson featured with ceramic bas reliefs and sculptures from the studios of John Martin and Maryanne Bona Dayman and wildlife carvings by H. Gray Turner. Rod Shaw's terra cotta sculptures. Also, multiplate ecthings, watercolors, jewelry, pottery, garden accessories, glass and wooden treasures. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 828/295-6991.

The Bob Timberlake Gallery at Blowing Rock, 946 Main Street Blowing Rock. Ongoing - Featuring original artwork and reproductions by Bob Timberlake. Also furniture, gifts, apparel and collectibles. Hours: they vary - call ahead. Contact: 828/295-4855 or at (www. bobtimberlake.com)

Winterfire Craft Gallery, 1087 Main Street, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing -** Featuring pottery by Bill Campbell as well as hand-crafted jewelry, metal sculpture, hand-thrown pottery, art glass, and calligraphy prints. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/295-4880.

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Miters Touch Woodworking, 6858 Hwy. 105 S., Foscoe, near Hound Ears. Ongoing - Featuring fine furniture by Denise Grohs and Miters Touch, pottery by Eric Reichard, art quilts by Linda Smith, stained glass by Dianne Radford, and wood turnings by Todd Davidson. Also cabinetwork and kitchen design services available. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm, Sat. 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: 828/963-4445 or at (www.miterstouchinc.com)

Downtown Brevard, July 22, 5-9pm - "Brevard 4th Friday Gallery Walk". Enjoy an evening stroll in downtown Brevard as you enjoy visiting the art galleries, art stores, retail stores and restaurants that are staying open late. Be sure to look for the 16 sculptures and five murals located in downtown as well. Galleries participating include: Bluewood Photography, Drew Deane Gallery, Gravy, Hollingsworth Gallery, Number 7 Fine Arts & Crafts Gallery, Red Wolf Gallery, Transylvania Community Arts Council, Transylvania Heritage Museum, Hunters & Gatherers, and more. Be sure to stop by and have dinner in one of our downtown restaurants. A brochure for the gallery walks can be found at any of the participating galleries or at the Chamber of Commerce. For more information call TC Arts at 828-884-2787 or go to (www.artsofbrevard.org) and click on Art Tours.

Brevard - Cedar Mountain Area

Andrea Brewer Art Studio, 22 West Main Street, upstairs, next to The Proper Pot, Brevard. Ongoing - Natural fiber landscapes and wildlife scenes. Hours: by appt. only and fall art walks from 5-8pm. Contact: 828/577-1968 or at (http:// www.andreabrewerfiber.com).



Work by Cathyann Lautier Burgess

ART Works Brevard, 27 S. Broad Street, Brevard. July 1 - 31 - "Over Head and Hills- Sky Dancing," featuring works by Cathyann Lautier Burgess. A reception will be held on July 22, from 5:30-7pm. Her show of pastel paintings was inspired by the air currents moving the magnificent clouds over Western North Carolina mountains. Ongoing - This new working studio/gallery of fine art at is in a beautiful light-filled space in the restored historic Aethelwold Hotel building. Deborah Kidwell, originator of the idea of the working studio/gallery in Brevard, grew up in Boston in a family of artists Co-Owner M. Lee Abell, a Florida native, pursued a successful career as a residential real estate appraiser for the firm she co-owned there. Virginia Pendergrass, a Brevard resident for 14 years, shares their vision for this space in downtown Brevard, Hours: Tue.-Sat. 11am-4pm & Fri. and Sat., to 6pm. Contact: call 828/553-1063, e-mail at (artworksbrevardnc@ gmail.com), or at (http://artworksbrevardnc.com).

BernWell Pottery Studio and Gallery, 324 King Road, Pisgah Forest. Ongoing - Featuring works by Wendy Elwell and Dennis Bern. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/883-8300 or at (www.bernwellpottery.com).

Blue Moon Gallery, 10771 Greenville Hwy., the gallery is located at the intersection of Cascade Lake Road and Hwy 276, Cedar Mountain. Ongoing - Specializing in photography and offering paintings, pottery, jewelry and sculpture has opened in Cedar Mountain, North Carolina. In addition to Rob Travis's photography, the gallery artists include Lucy Clark (pottery), Ray Byram (paintings) and Hanes Hoffman (sculpture). In addition to the four presenting artists, Blue Moon Gallery will hold exhibits that rotate on a two month basis. The gallery is located at. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am 5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/565-2566 or at (www.BlueMoonGalleryNC.com)

Drew Deane Gallery,114 W. Main St., across from City Hall and Brevard Fire Station, Brevard. Ongoing - Featuring a premier emerging contemporary fine arts gallerys in Western North Carolina. Including works by: Devin Burgess, Jerry Cutler, Drew Deane, Greg Fidler, John Geci, Richard Lane, Courtney Erin Martin and Mark Mulfinger. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 828/877-5272 or at (www.drewdeanegallery.com).

Duckpond Pottery, 2398 Greenville Hwy., Brevard. **Ongoing -** Duckpond Pottery specializes in custom, handcrafted sinks and tiles. The pottery also features handcrafted kitchenware and accent pieces for both indoors and out. Torches topped with custom faces are potter Nick Friedman's signature pieces. The deck plays host to weekly concerts and a new coffeeshop. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 828/883-4512 or at (www.duckpondpotter.etsy.

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NC Commercial Galleries

Gallery on Main, 36 East Main Street, Brevard. **Ongoing -** Featuring original art, limited editon prints, collectibles and gifts. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/885-7299 or at (www. galleryonmain.com).

Gravy, 17 W. Main St., Brevard. Ongoing - An artisan and retail market, benefiting the Boys and Girls Club of Transylvania County. Gravy's 71 dealers donate at least 15% of their profits to our local club. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/862-4900 or at (www.gravyonmain.blogspot.com)

Hollingsworth Gallery, 147 E. Main Street, between Main Street Ltd. and Quotations Coffee Cafe, Brevard. **Ongoing -** Showcasing local and emerging artists. Hours: call for hours. Contact: 828/884-4974.

Mountain Forest Pottery, 2395 Greenville Hwy., Brevard. **Ongoing -** Offering functional and whimsical pottery made on site by artist Mary Murray. "Handmade comes to life" in the homey gallery, offering the work of many regional artists - handmade teddy bears, jewelry, quilts, folk art, sculpture, drawings, and paintings. Recipes accompany many pottery pieces that are designed for baking apples, pies, and other dishes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm, Contact; 828/885-2149 or at (www.scenic276.com).

Mud Dabber's Pottery and Crafts, 3623 Greenville Hwy., Brevard. Ongoing - Featuring the work of six family members including: John O., Sybil, John E., Carol and Brandon (Brad), and Becky Dodson and friends Phillip Johnston, Carolyn Becker, Susan Peterson, and Matthew Nevenschwander, Elizabeth Galloway, Jonlyn Parker, Charlie Parker, Mary Ey, and Sue Jones. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/884-5131 or at (www.muddabbers.

Number 7 Fine Arts and Crafts Gallery, 12 East Main St., Brevard. **Ongoing -** A Fine Arts and Fine Crafts cooperative featuring the juried works of 22 of Transylvania County's finest artists and craftspeople. New works on display daily. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/883-2294 or at (www.number7arts.com).

Red Wolf Gallery, 8 E. Main St., Brevard. **Ongoing -** Featuring original works of art by over twenty regional artists in a historic downtown building. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun., 1-5pm and by appt. Contact: 828/862-8620.

The Haen Gallery, 200 King Street, Brevard Lumberyard Arts District, Brevard. Ongoing - Committed to providing access to stunning and unique artwork for discerning collectors and our community in general. Our offerings will reflect the character and sensibilities of this wonderful region. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; and Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/883-3268 or at (www.haengallery.com).

Twin Willows Studio, 15 Crestview Dr., Brevard. **Ongoing -** Featuring the works of Ann DerGara. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 828/877-5275.



Work by Noelle Brault

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Brevard Wine Down on Main, 28 E. Main Street, Brevard. July 22 - Aug. 19 - "Southern Living . From The Low Country to the Mountains," featuing original oil paintings by Columbia, SC, artist Noelle Brault. A reception will be held on July 22, from 5-8pm. The exhibit will feature original impressionist oil paintings on linen panels. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 2-9pm; Fri., 2-10pm; & Sat.,11:30am-10:30. Contact: call 828)883-

9463 or visit (www.noellebrault.com).

Burnsville/ Micaville

The Design Gallery, 7 South Main St., Burnsville. **Ongoing -** Feature fine arts and crafts consisting of original paintings, etchings, prints, art glass, pottery, wood work, furniture, textiles, sculpture, metals, book art and jewelry. In addition we have furniture, lighting, home accents and gifts. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/678-9869.

Calabash - Ocean Isle Beach

Jewelry by Wendy-Beach House Fine Arts Gallery, 10152 Beach Drive, Unit 6, Calabash. **Ongoing -** Wendy specializes in unique designs of handcrafted jewelry of sterling silver, genuine beach glass and fine gems at affordable prices. Among forty five regional artists on display at the gallery are watercolorists Julia Frost of Jacksonville, NC, and Marilyn Pounds of Ocean Isle Beach, photographer Marko Angelo of Calabash, NC, and now introducing the pottery of Tristan Mardall, Carolina Shores, NC. Hours Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 910/575-0024 or at (www.jewelrybyWendy.com).

Sea Gallery, 6885 Beach Dr., SW Route 199, Ocean Isle Beach. **Ongoing -** Featuring fine art by local, regional and nationally acclaimed artists. Tasteful and inviting original oils, Gicleés on canvas, watercolors, and charcoals are presented in our 7,000 square-foot gallery. Sculpture and pottery are also offered. Artists we exhibit are: Phyllis Arnold, Ken Buckner, Terry Buckner, Karen Edgar, Gary Halberstadt, V. Ryan Lauzon, Nancy Hughes Miller, Miller Pope, Tom Wooldridge, and Mary M. Wright. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/575-8222.



Work by Sterling Edwards

Sunset River Marketplace, 10283 Beach Drive, SW, Calabash. Through July 30 - "Sterling Edwards: Intuitive Experience". **Ongoing -** A unique eclectic gallery showcasing over 200 local artists in virtually every medium. Enjoy gourmet coffee, tea and treats as you stroll through the 10,000 square-foot space. Art classes and custom framing are offered on-site. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/575-5999 or at (www.SunsetRiverMarketplace.com)

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Ocean Isle Beach Silver Coast Winery, 6680 Barbeque Rd., Ocean Isle Beach. Ongoing - Art gallery featuring local artists, David McCune, Steven Schuman, and Suzanne C. Hunady, as well as daily tours, tastings and the art of wine making. Hours Mon.-Sat., 11-6pm & Sun. 12-5pm. Contact: 910/287-2800 or at (www.silvercoastwinery.com)

Emerge Fine Art, 200 S Academy Street, Ste 110, Cary. **Ongoing –** The gallery specializes in abstract and contemporary art. The 1,000 square toot space maintains an extensive inventory of fine art pieces across a variety of mediums including paintings, photography, and hand-blown glass, that even the most discerning collector will find of great interest. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 919/380-4470 or at (http://www.emergefineart.com/).

Michael Lecher Gallery, 115A W. Chatham St., Cary. Ongoing - Featuring works by local artists, including paintings, photography, jewelry, sculpture and more. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri. till 8pm; & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/481-2939.

Stonehaven Jewelry Gallery, 101 Ledge Stone Way, Stonecreek Village Shopping Center, corner of Davis Drive and High House Rd., Cary. Ongoing - Featuring custom design, jewelry repair, original oil paintings, limited edition prints, and fine art glass. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/462-8888 or at (www.stonehavenjewelry.

The Nature of Art Gallery, 106-D Colonades Way, Waverly Place Shopping Center, Cary. **Ongoing -** Featuring whimsical and eclectic artworks for interiors and gardens with a native

till 9pm. Contact: 919/859-6004.

Toe River Crafts, 6274 on Hwy. 80 South, 7 miles north of the Blue Ridge Parkway, Celo. **Ongoing -** Providing a showcase for handmade objects in many media such as clav. wood, fiber, glass, paper, metal, jewelry, photography, printmaking, and painting. Hours: e-mail for hours. Contact: e-mail at (toerivercrafts@gmail.com) or at (http://www.toerivercrafts.com/).

Chapel Hill - Carrboro

Chapel Hill/Carrboro Art Walks - second Friday of each month from 6-9pm. Info at (www.2ndfridayartwalk.com).

Animation and Fine Art Galleries. University Mall, 201 S Estes Dr., Chapel Hill. Ongoing - Featuring contemporary works of art and animation art. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/968-8008 or at (www.animationandfineart.com)

Black Mountain Gallery, 1800 #9 E. Franklin Street, Eastgate Shopping Center, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing -** Featuring handwrough designer jewelry by artisans from throughout the United States. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 919/967-8101.

Blackwood Station Gallery, 6113 Hwy. 86N., Chapel Hill. **Ongoing -** Featuring functional & fine art, sculpture and fine art prints. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-7pm; Sat., 10am-6pm, & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 919/968-1360.

Cameron's, University Mall, Chapel Hill. Ongoing - Featuring contemporary American crafts and pottery, folk art and functional art objects. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-9pm & Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 919/942-5554.

Chapellier Fine Art, 105 Arlen Park Drive, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing -** Fine, investment quality 19th & 20th century American art. Hours: Mon. - Fri. by appointment. Contact: 919/967-9960 or at (www. citysearch.com/rdu/chapellier/).

Dirt Road Gallery, 8218 Bright's Way, Chapel Hill. Ongoing - Featuring handcrafted items including paintings, carvings, molas, textiles & fabrics, ceramics, beads and jewelry from West Africa, the Middle East, Central America, and the US collected over years of traveling. Hours: Sat. & Sun., 11am-6pm & by appt. Contact: 919/933-6999 or at (www.dirtroadgallery.net).

N.C. Crafts Gallery, 212 W. Main St., corner of Weaver and West Main Sts., Carrboro. Ongoing - Offering a wide assortment of items handcrafted by North Carolina artisans. You'll find contemporary and traditional pottery, blown glass, wood, jewelry, metalwork, toys, folk art, garden sculpture, kaleidoscopes, baskets, fiber art and more The Gallery currently carries the work of more than 500 North Carolinians, from the mountains to the shore. The gallery also hosts two shows a month. Shows begin the first of each month and give the featured artist the opportunity to showcase an entire body of work. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-4pm, Contact: 919/942-4048 or at (http://nccraftsgallery.com/).

Studio 91 Fine Art Gallery, Meadowmont Village, Chapel Hill. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Jean Abadie, Thomas Arvid, Dimitri Danish, Michael Flohr, Edward Lewis, and Fabian Perez. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-8pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/933-3700.



Vork by Adam Hall

Tyndall Galleries, University Mall, 201 S. Estes Drive, at the corner of Fordham Blvd. (US 15-501 Bypass) and S. Estes Drive, Chapel Hill. July 21 - Sept. 3 - "Departures and Arrivals," featuring works by Gayle Stott Lowry. A reception will be held on July 23, from 7-9pm. While researching her ancestors' immigration to the United States over three hundred years ago, Lowry recognized the plight of all refugees who escape persecution, seek freedom, safety and a better life. Her paintings reveal the difficulty inherent in such migrations and journeys, yet they also express the deep hope that propels them forward. **Ongoing -** In 2002 the Tyndall Galleries relocated from Durham to a beautiful award-winning contemporary space designed by architect Philip Szostak at University Mall in Chapel Hill. We have always been pleased and honored to represent a renowned

flair. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm, except Wed. | group of the finest painters, sculptors, photographers, ceramicists and textile artists in the Southeast. Hours: Thur.-Fri., 1-6pm. Contact: call 919-942-2290 or at (www.tyndallgalleries.

Charlotte Area

North Davidson Street Arts District Gallery Crawl - From 6-9pm on the 1st & 3rd Fridays of each month.

Uptown Gallery Crawl - From 6-8pm on the 1st Friday of each month.

SouthEnd Gallery Crawl - From 6-9pm on the 1st Friday of each month.

Allison Sprock Fine Art. 600 Queens Rd.. the gallery shares space with The Nichols Company in one of Myers Park's oldest houses, Charlotte. **Ongoing -** The gallery represents many well-known artists from all over the world. Some of the featured artists are very famous; others are emerging including: Andre Bludov, Constantin Chatov, Marc Chatov, Roman Chatov, Gee Gee Collins, Larry Davis, Noah Desmond, Margaret Dyer, Sabre Esler, Stephen Fry, Benjamin Hollingsworth, Linda James, Dimitri Kourouniotis, Stan Mullins, Anne Neilson, Becky Ollinger, Spencer Reid, Felice Sharp, Tracy Sharp, Louis St. Lewis, Elizabeth Stehling, Harry Stewart, Cate Wagoner, Karen Weihs, Alice Williams, Sean Williams, and Kathy Wochele, Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 404/274-5829 or visit (www.allisonsprockfineart.com).

Anne Neilson Fine Art, Suite 16, Dilworth Artisan Station, 118 East Kingston Avenue. Charlotte. **Ongoing -** The gallery represents over 30 esteemed national and international artists, as well as works by noted painter and author Anne H. Neilson. The gallery is an outgrowth of Neilson's ever-growing popularity sparked by her Angels Series paintings and book. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat. by appt. Contact: 980/253-9566 or at (http://www. anneneilsonfineart.com/ourgallery).

Art House Studios, 3103 Cullman Ave., off 36th Street in the NoDa District, Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring a complex of working studios by area artists. Hours: during Gallery Crawls and by appt. Contact: 704/577-4587 or e-mail at (arthouse noda@earthlink.net)

Artists' Atelier Carolina, located in the Pentes Artworks Gallery & Studios bldg., 1346 Hill Rd., Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring works by Jim Fales, Fay M. Miller, Jack Pentes, Betty G. Robinson, Gregory Weston, and Peggy Hutson Weston. Hours: by appt. Contact: 704/552-

Ben Owen Pottery Gallery, inside The Ritz-Carlton, Charlotte, 201 East Trade Street, Charlotte. **Ongoing -** The gallery offers 75-100 one-of-a-kind pieces of Ben Owen III pottery, with prices beginning at \$45. Works will range from pots, vases, jars, bowls and platters to major showpieces and spectacular larger works of art. All items are hand-created by Ben Owen. who also will make special appearances at The Ritz-Carlton, Charlotte for 2011 art weekends and art demonstrations. Hours: open daily from 9am-6pm. Contact: 704/547-2244) or at (http:// www.ritzcarlton.com/en/Properties/Charlotte/ Default.htm).

Charlotte Fine Art Gallery, 7510 Pineville-Matthews Road, located in South Charlotte's Carmel Village at the corner of Pineville-Matthews and Carmel Road, Charlotte. **Ongoing -** Original works of art from award-winning artists across the United States, as well as the Carolinas. vationally and internationally-recognized artists in 2-and 3-dimensional fine art. Specializing in a wide array of media and styles represented: Representational, Impressionism, Expressionism, Abstraction / Paintings, Sculpture, Prints. Consulting Services for individual and corporate clients, as well as, private event opportunities. Hours: Tues 10am-4pm; Wed.-Thur., 10am-9pm; Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: call 704/541-0741 or at (www.CharlotteFineArt.com).

Ciel Gallery: A Fine Arts Collective, 128-C E. Park Ave., Historic Southend, Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring works by: Tina Alberni (painter), Tim Shaeffer (painter), Teresa Hollmeyer (glass mosaic), Amy Hart (metal sculpture), Caroline Coolidge Brown (collage and mixed media), Diane Pike (painter), Donna Sandoe (jewelry), Miriam Durkin (painter), Chris Craft (encaustic), Cindi Spillman (photography), Elyse Frederick (mixed media), Randy Leibowitz Dean (wood carving and painting), Rebecca Haworth (collage and mixed media), Laura McRae Hitchcock (painting), Emily Andress (paintings), Claudia Soria (painting) and Pam Goode (mosaic). Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm and 1st Fri. 6-9pm. Contact:

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980/202-2435 or at (www.cielcharlotte.com).

Coffey and Thompson Gallery, 109 W. Morehead @ S. Tryon St., Charlotte. Ongoing - Oils by Richard Plasschaert, etchings by Gordon Allen, prints by Ralph McDonald, Bev Doolittle, G. Harvey, Mort Kunstler, Don Troiani and Charles Frace. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/375-7232 or at (www. coffeyandthompson.com).



Work by Ernest Walker

Elder Gallery, 1520 South Tryon Street, Charlotte. Through July 30 - "Town and Country," featuring works by John Folchi, depicting urban and rural landscapes of New York. July 1 - 30 - "Ernest and Leon." featuring works by Leon Makielski and Ernest Walker. A reception will be held on July 1, from 6-9pm. Long after their deaths an exhibition is planned for the art of two artists who left an indelible mark on the 20th century American art scene. Leon Makielski and Ernest Walker captured a moment in history that looks as fresh today as it did in the first half of the 20th century. **Ongoing -** Featuring a selection of landscape paintings by Leon A. Makielski (1885 - 1974) which were executed in France and in the United States over his long career of painting, as well as works from the the Ernest Walker Collection, and the Carl Plansky Collection. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm; Sat., 10am-2pm; or by appt. Contact: 704/370-6337 or at (www.elderart.

Foster's Frame & Art Gallery, 403-A Old Statesville Rd. N, Huntersville. Ongoing - Featuring original paintings by local artists: Nellie Ashford - folk art, Edna Barker - landscape, Andrea Cook - Abstract/Fabric, Evelyn Kadir, Abstract/Musical, Carolyn Saine, landscape. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm, Sat. 10am-4pm. Contact: 704-948-1750.

Harris Holt Gallery, 1717 Kenilworth Avenue, Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring watercolors, oil paintings and limited edition prints by Harris Holt. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 704/373-9090 or at (www.fostersframeandartgallery.com).

Hodges Taylor Art Consultancy 118 East Kingston Avenue, Suite 25, Charlotte. Ongoing - The gallery represents contemporary artists of the southeast, including paintings, prints, photographs and sculpture. The gallery offers a public venue in uptown Charlotte for viewing artwork and serves as art consultants for collectors and businesses. Hours: Tue.-Sat., by appt. only. Contact: 704/334-3799 or at (www.hodgestaylor.com).

House of Africa Gallery, 1215 Thomas Avenue, Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring the area's largest selection of African art, including: masks, statues, carved artwork, handmade jewelry, paintings, plus traditional African musical instruments. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-8pm. Contact: 704/376-6160.

Hughes Gallery, 2015 Ayrsley Town Blvd. @ N Kings Parade, Ste. 107-c, Charlotte. Ongoing - The gallery is a modern art gallery with a focus on sculpture, installation, works on paper, photography and painting. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 704/492-9934 or at (www.hughesgallery.artlogsites.com).

Jerald Melberg Gallery, 625 South Sharon Amity Road, near corner of Providence Road, next to restaurant Hotel Charlotte, Charlotte. Through July 2 - "Thomas McNickle: Image and Memory," featuring a new exhibition of paintings and watercolors by Pennsylvania artist Thomas McNickle. Already known as a landscape virtuoso, he will present a series of new representational oil paintings and watercolors alongside previous work from his archives. This exhibition marks the first time McNickle will release art from his

own personal archives, with selections including works with personal significance as well as some which have been in museum shows. With this pairing of old and new, viewers and admirers have the opportunity to enjoy observing the subtle technical progressions McNickle has made in his career. July 16 - Sept. 10 - "Two to Watch," featuring works by sculptor Matthew Steele and painter Nicholas Napoletano. A reception will be held on July 15, from 6-8pm. The exhibit aims to celebrate these two young Charlotte artists and introduce them to our collectors. Melberg decided to showcase the work of Steele and Napoletano after making numerous studio visits and considering the work of over fifty artists. He found that the superior craftsmanship, as well as the intriguing visual components found in both artists' work, is certainly worthy of recognition./ **Ongoing -** The gallery represents artists from all regions of the United States, Argentina and Spain, exhibiting paintings, prints, and sculpture. The gallery features solo and group exhibitions as well as consulting services for individual collectors, corporations and museums. Hours: Mon. - Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 704/365-3000 or at (www.jeraldmelberg.com).

Lark & Key Gallery and Boutique, 128
E. Park Ave, Ste B, (Southend) Charlotte.
Through July 30 - "Wild Life". Ongoing - Lark & Key showcases a variety of artwork, pottery, jewelry from local and national artists including Judy Klich, Angie Renfro, Jim Connell, Julie Covington, Amy Sanders Paula Smith, Andrew Stephenson, Lisa Hopkins, Anna Johnson and more! Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 704/334-4616.

Maddi's Gallery, 1530 East Boulevard, Charlotte. Named "Top Retailer of American Craft in the United States for 2009" by The "Niche Magazine". Ongoing - Featuring fine contemporary craft by more than 160 national artists; specializing in Southern folk art with paintings, pottery and carvings by many of the South's most notable folk artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-7pm; Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 704/332-0007.

Nancy Couick Studios and Gallery, 10100
Park Cedar Dr., Suite 188, Charlotte. Ongoing - Gallery features works by New Orleans artist: Michael Smiraldo, regional artists: Nancy Smith Couick, Sharron Burns, Susan Hinrichs, Charlotte Fairman, Mary Ellen Wilkerson, Vivian Carroll and others. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm (except Tues. 1-9pm) and Sat. & Sun. by appt. Contact: 704/541-6944 or at (www.nancycouick.com).

Picture House Gallery, 1520 E. 4th Street, Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring Frederick Hart sculpture, works by Jamali; paintings, original art, sculpture, art glass, and fine custom framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 704/333-8235 or at (www.PictureHouse-Gallery.com).

Providence Gallery, 601-A Providence Rd., in the Manor Theatre Shops, in Myers Park, Charlotte. **Ongoing -** Representing over 30 regional and national fine art painters working in a variety of mediums and styles ranging from traditional compositions to representational and non-representational abstractions. Gallery artists include Luz Aveleyra, Todd Baxter, Travis Bruce Black, Kathy Caudill, Jim Celano, Kathy Collins, Steve Dininno, Lita Gatlin, Anne Harkness, Janine Medlin, P. Basille Nikitchenko, Ada Offerdahl, Sean Parnell, Ann B. Rhodes, Andres Vivo, Dru Warmath & Rod Wimer. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/333-4535 or at (www.providencegallery.net).

Pura Vida Worldly Art, 3202-B N. Davidson, Charlotte. Ongoing - Freaturing wordly art - folk art, jewelry, paintings, spiritual art and home accents. Including artworks by local artists: Brenda Civiletto, Marisela Moncada, Tim McMahon, Lita, Gustavo Luis, Alejandra Dans, Luis Fernando Ramirez, along with unique art from Peru, Mexico, Guatemala, Morocco, Turkey, India, Indonesia, Nepal, Costa Rica, Thailand, Brazil, and many other countries. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 704/335-8587 or at (www.purayidaart.com).

Queen's Gallery & Art Center, 1212 The Plaza, Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring works by Rebecca Briley, Warren Burgess, Laura Buxton, Bob Crum, James Daniel, Drew Gatlin, Meredith Green, Tony Griffin, Vicki Kaseorg, Danny Malboeuf, Cathy Melesh, and Mark Spangenberg. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 704/372-2993 or at (www.thequeensgallery.com).

Sanctuary of Davidson, 108 S. Main St., Davidson. Ongoing - Featuring works by locally and nationally recognized artists & artisans, photographers & sculptors. Each month the gallery features an artist whose work is inspired by mission work. A portion of the Gallery's retail sales benefits a philanthropic cause. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 704/892-0044.

Shain Gallery, Selwyn Corners, 2823 Selwyn Ave., Charlotte. **Ongoing -** Specializing in original art paintings by Carolina, National and European artists, including works by Perry Austin, Henry Barnes, Roger Dale Brown, Jim Chapman, Veronica Clark, Terry DeLapp, Amy Dobbs, Laura Duis, Chas Fagan, Brent Funderburk, Nicora Gangi, Cassandra Gillens, Ted Goershner, Tony Griffin, Paul Hunter, William Jameson, Curtis Jaunsen, Geoffrey Johnson, Christy Kinard, Angela Nesbit, Kevin Sanders, Jane Schmidt, Kim Schuessler, Marilyn Simandle, Kathy Sosa, Alice Williams, Connie Winters, and Darren Young. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 704/334-7744 or at (www.shaingallery.com).

SOCO Gallery, Southern Comfort Gallery, 421 Providence Road, Charlotte. Ongoing - Founded by Chandra Johnson in 2014, the gallery represents emerging and established artists working in all mediums with a specialization in photography. SOCO is housed in a newly renovated 1920's bungalow centrally located in Myers Park and features 1,200 square feet of exhibition space, as well as a bookshop and garden. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. & Sun. by appt. Contact: 980/498-2881 or at (www.soco-gallery.com).

Sozo Gallery, 214 North Tryon Street, (located at Hearst Tower tucked in between Luce Restaurant and Foundation of the Carolinas) Charlotte. **Ongoing -** Tucked in a small storefront on the plaza of the beautiful Hearst Tower in Charlotte's Center City. Sozo Gallery brings fresh. original artwork from local and national artists to Charlotte collectors. The gallery's focus is to support and promote a variety of artists and works - blending classic with modern, emerging with established, and displaying traditional landscapes alongside contemporary canvases. We cater to both experienced art buyers and those starting their collections. We look forward introducing our Uptown visitors to high quality, affordable, and collectible pieces of fine art. We will exhibit the work of one featured artist every 6-8 weeks, as well as a regular display of other gallery artists. Hours: they vary so call ahead or by appt. Contact: 704/578-8457 or at (www. sozogallery.net)

The Garden Shoppe and Gallery, at McGill Rose Garden, 940 N. Davidson St., Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring a permanent exhibit of paintings by Stefan Duncan. There are over 20 paintings of flowers plus a large oil painting of Henry McGill in the rose garden named after him. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 704/333-6497.

The New Gallery of Modern Art, 435 South Tryon Street, Ste 110, across from Bechtler Museum of Modern Art, Charlotte. Ongoing - The gallery brings together the most significant privately-held collection of works by artists such as Picasso, Chagall, Dali, Miro, Matisse and Warhol, an elite selection of contemporary artists, as well as some of the best regional artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-7pm; Sun. noon-6pm and by appt. Contact: 704/373-1464 or at (www.newgalleryofmodernart.com).

Wentworth Gallery, South Park Mall, 4400 Sharon Road, Charlotte. Ongoing - Featuring an extensive selection of original paintings, limited edition prints, and sculpture from over 100 artists, such as Peter Max, Alexandra Nechita, Charles Fazzino, Grace Slick, Ronnie Wood, and Paul Stanley. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-9pm and Sun., 12:30-6pm. Contact: 704/365-2733.

Wooden Stone, 445 South Main Street, Davidson. Ongoing - Featuring a breathtaking collection of functional fine art handmade by US and Canadian artists and craftsmen, including many from North Carolina. These artists represent a variety of media, from hand-carved woodwork, to blown glass, pottery, metalwork and fiber. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 704/892-1449 or at (www.woodenstonegallery.com).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Charlotte
The Asbury at the Dunhill Hotel, 237 N. Tryon
Street, Charlotte. Through July 18 - "Landscape
Abstractions," featuring paintings by Laura
Liberatore Szweda. The oil paintings on exhibit
are a result of Szweda's personal response to
the spiritual aspects of the light and air of the
Lowcountry she now claims as home. Hours:
Mon.-Fri., 11am-10pm & Sat.-Sun., 9am-10pm.
Contact: Hotel at 704/342-1193 or Hannah Blanton at Sozo Gallery at 704/578-8457 or at (www.
sozogallery.net).

The Gallery at Carillon, 227 West Trade Street, Charlotte. Ongoing - Permanent onsite works of art including: "Cascade," a 40' x 25' construction of machinery parts and metal by Jean Tinguely; "The Garden," a site-specific sculpture by Jerry Peart; and "Wall Drawing #683," by So LeWitt. The exhibition is sponsored by Hines Charlotte Carillon LP. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-8pm; Sat., 8am-7pm & Sun., noon-8pm. Contact: Larry Elder at 704/370-6337 or at (www.elderart.com).

Clemmons

Warm Glass Gallery and Studio, 2575 Old Glory Road, Suite 700, Clemmons. Ongoing - The gallery specializes in contemporary kilnformed fine art glass, featuring works by national and international artists. Warm Glass also serves as a working artist studio and offers kilnformed glass classes on a regular basis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4:30pm. Contact: 336/712-8003 or at (www.warmglass.org).

Columbia

Columbia Art Space, 112 S. Broad Street, Columbia. Ongoing - The gallery exhibits both functional and fine art in a variety of mediums and price points. One of the gallery's missions is to give young artists a chance to sell and exhibit work in a professional setting. The studio consists of a metals studio for Maura Cartwright and Maia Leppo and fibers studio for Lynsey Gwilliam, the three founders of the gallery. Hours: closed Tue.; Mon., Wed., Sat. & Sun., 10am-4; Thur.-Fri., 10am-6pm. Contact: 252/766-0121 or at (www.columbiaartspace.com).

Concord

Boyd Afficher Gallery, 21 Union Street South (2nd Floor Suit 200), Concord. Ongoing - Featuring works by Boyd Smith and artists from the tri-county area. Hours: Sat.-Sun., 1-7pm. Contact: 704/699-5032, 704/956-8934 or at (www.boydzworkz.com).

Mud Slingers Pottery, 9 Union St. North, Suite 150, Concord. Ongoing - We feature a variety of arts from the area to include traditional and contemporary pottery, most of which is made in our Studio. In addition to pottery, we feature fused and slumped glass as well as fused glass jewelry. We also display paintings and fiber art created by the local Cabarrus Art Guild. Hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-5pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 704/796-1600 or at (www.mudslingerspotterync.com).

Creedmoor

Cedar Creek Gallery, 1150 Fleming Rd., outside the small town of Creedmoor. Through July 31 - "Inside Out: Sculpture for Every Environment," featuring works by Frances Alvarino, Matt Amante, Paul Anthony, Alan Bennett, William Brock, Steven Cooper, Arra David & Anne Johnson, Lucy Dierks, Larry Downing, Steven Fabrico, David Goldhagen, Laura Korch, Jim Kransberger, Julie Olson, Marsha Owen, Marilyn Palsha, Prairie Dance, Susan Farrar Parrish, Barbara Prodaniuk, Joseph Sand, Jennifer Stas, and Bill Wallace. Ongoing - Showcasing a permanent collection of American Pottery. Featuring works by on site glassblower, Lisa Oakley, and potters, Brad Tucker and John Martin. Joining them are over 250 other local, regional & national craftspersons offering a selection of functional stoneware, ceramics, blown glass, jewelry, furniture, candles, wind chimes, toys baskets, and even handmade musical instruments. Hours: daily,10am-6pm. Contact: 919/528-1041 or at (www.cedarcreekgallery.com)

Dillsboro

The Golden Carp Gift Shop & Gallery, Webster Street, Dillsboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by local and select American watercolorist, including works by artist-in-residence, John P. Miele. Also, baskets, pottery, fiber arts, and more. Hours: . Contact: 828/586-5477 or at (www.thegoldencarp.com).

Village Studio Gallery, 130 Front Street, Weaverville. Ongoing - Featuring works from regional artists including D. Morgan and Paula Vaughn and other national artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/586-4060.

Durham

Alizarin Gallery, 119 West Main Street, Durham. Ongoing - The gallery's vision is to support local artists and provide a deeper connection with people who create art and the people who buy art. Alizarin seeks to help emerging artists as well as known regional artists selected by a juried board to exhibit at Alizarin. The mission of Alizarin is to provide a beautiful multi-use gallery for exhibits, events, and workshops, thereby

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increasing the exposure and opportunity for artists to become better known and sell their work. Artists represented include: Marty Allran, Jane Carter, Robert Cretkovski, Catherine Crumpton, Christine Debrosky, Jeff Erickson, Hai-OU Hou, Ben Knight, Bernice Koff, Eduardo Lapetina, Kim Maselli, David McCarthy, Trish McKinney, Larry Moore, Sandy Nelson, and Rick Reinert. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm, by appt and 3rd Fri. art walk. Contact: 919-943-8370 or at (www alizaringallery.com).

Craven Allen Gallery, 1106 1/2 Broad St., Durham. Ongoing - Featuring local artists in various mediums. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 919/286-4837 or at (www. cravenallengallery.com).

Horizon Gallery, 905 W. Main Street, Brightleaf Square, Durham. Ongoing - Featuring contemporary crafts including pottery, art glass, wood works, jewelry, garden art, kaleidoscopes and much more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-8pm & Sun., 1-6pm. Contact: 919/688-0313.

LabourLove Gallery, Golden Belt complex, Suite 2-130, 807 E. Main Street, Durham. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by a collective of North Carolina fine artists, designers, and musicians. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-7pm. Contact: 919/373-4451 or at (http://labourlove.com/).

Nancy Tuttle May Studio, 806 Ninth St, Durham. Ongoing - Featuring works by Nancy Tuttle May. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-1pm or by appt. Contact: 919/688-8852.

Pleiades Gallery, 109 East Chapel Hill Street, Five Points, Durham. Ongoing - The gallery promotes the beauty and mystery of visual art. Pleiades is a fine art gallery owned and operated by local artists who celebrate Durham's rich, diverse cultural energy. Pleiades welcomes new art appreciators as well as established collectors and strives to build strong relationships with our customers. We are a gallery that celebrates Durham artists and connects the various arts communities where we live. Hours: Wed.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri.-Sat., 11am-8pm; and Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: e-mail at (info@pleiadesartdurham.com) or at (http://pleiadesartdurham.com/).

Supergraphic, 601 Ramseur Street, Durham. **Ongoing** - Supergraphic is a creative art studio dedicated to providing work space, equipment and instruction for the production of fine art prints and print media. Hours: open by appointment and during Third Friday art walks. Contact: 919/360-4077 or at (http://durhamsupergraphic.com/).

Through This Lens Photo Gallery, 303 East Chapel Hill St, Durham. Ongoing - Featuring work of national and local artists. Books and postcards also for sale. Framing services. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 10:30am-2:30pm or by appt. Contact: 919/687-0250 or at (www.throughthislens.com).

Fairview

Willow Wisp Farm Studios Gallery, 1615
Charlotte Hwy, Fairview. Ongoing - Featuring
works by the instructors and students who have
attended Willow Wisp Farm Studios. Hours:
Fri.-Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact:
888/590-4ART, 828/628-0401, or e-mail at
(art@willowwispfarmstudios.com).

Gastonia

Butler Studio Fine Art Gallery, 171 W. Main St., located on the 2nd floor of the brick building next to the Park on Main, Gastonia. Ongoing - The gallery will continue to rotate in new works by Curt Butler. Hours: M, T, Th, F, 9am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 704/460-2386 or at (www.butlerstudio.org).

Greensboro Area

Throughout Greensboro, first Fri. of the month, till 9pm - "First Friday," featuring a gallery crawl of several gallery spaces in Greensboro. For further info (www.uacarts.org).

Ambleside Gallery, 528 South Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by artists from around the world. Among them are English artists Phil Hobbs, Kenneth Denton, and Matthew Hillier. American painters Bill Hosner, Tracy Reid, Richard Sedlack and Rich Nelson, and internationally recognized Chinese watercolorist Guan Weixing, plus many other noteworthy artists are included in the gallery collections. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 336/275-9844 or at (www. amblesidearts.com).

ArtWorks Collective Gallery, 205 Lyndon Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by members of Lyndon Street ArtWorks center. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & by appt. Contact: 336/370-0025 or at (www.artworkscollective.com).

Earthworks Gallery, (formerly South Elm Pottery) 500 S. Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by Molly Lithgo and Jim Rientjes, proprietors, focusing on NC made art. The primary focus will be pottery, but the gallery will also offer other gift items, such as jewelry, soap, note cards and candles; all made by North Carolina artisans. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm; Sun.,noon-5pm & open until 9pm on each 1st Fri Contact: 336/275-1202 or at (www.earthworkspotterygallery.com).

Elements Gallery, 526 South Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - The gallery is a co-op of over 30 local artists exhibiting a wide range of art in different mediums. Paintings, sculpture, pottery, glass art, wood turning, fiber art and mixed media is for sale. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-9pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/790-8703 or at http://elementsgallery.wordpress.com).

JMR Sculptures, Gateway Center, 620 S. Elm Street, Suite 240, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring sculpture by Jay M Rotberg. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4:30pm or by appt. Contact: 336/389-0333 or at (www.jmrsculptures.com).

Lost & Found Gallery, 517 South Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Folk art, tribal art, textiles, and beads of the world. Hours: noon - 5:30pm, closed Wed. & Sun. Call ahead. Contact: 336/271-6954.

The Art Shop, 3900 W. Market St., Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by Pino, Arvid, Park, Garmash, Sabzi, Hessam and others. We feature America's most collected artists. We also carry sculpture by Frogman (Tim Cotterill), Leon Bronstein & Paige Bradley and fine art glass by Randy Strong, John McDonald & Scott Bayless. Thomas Kinkade; original oil paintings, limited edition prints and posters. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Tue. & Wed till 7pm & Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/855-8500 or at (www.artshopnc.com).

The Artery Gallery, 1711 Spring Garden Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by David Thomas, Roy Nydorf, Bruce Shores, Matthew Micca, Lisa Woods, Bill Clubb, Jack Stratton, Erin Stesch, Vito Ciccone, Alex Forsyth, Martin Dunn, and more. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri., 10am-5pm; & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 336/274-9814 or at (www. arterygallery.com).

Tyler White O'Brien Gallery, 307 State Street, beside Cafe Pasta at the intersection of Golden Gate & State Streets, Greensboro. Ongoing - Tyler White Gallery offers residential and corporate fine art consulting services. We will outline a personalized budget plan for your specific needs. We also offer art research, presentation and installation services. Whether you are an avid art collector or a first time purchaser, Tyler White Gallery will guide you every step of the way. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: call Kathy O'Brien (owner) at 336/279-1124 or at (www.tylerwhitegallery.com).

Uptown Artworks, 1007 Arnold Street, located between E. Wendover Ave. and E. Bessemer Ave., Greensboro. **Ongoing** - Primarily a "working artist studio," our 5,400 square foot facility has a large front gallery and currently houses 10 studios with room to build 7 more. Hours: Mon., 10am-4pm; Sat., 10am-2pm; Sun., 1-4pm or by appt. Contact: Joseph A. Wilkerson at 336/255-6345.

William Mangum Watercolors/Carey-Mangum Gallery, 2182 Lawndale Dr., Greensboro. Ongoing - Original paintings, limited edition prints, miniature prints, posters and notecards by William Mangum. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 336/379-9200 or 800/887-5380.

Winter Light Gallery & Art Studios, 410
Blandwood Ave., corner of Blandwood Ave.
and Spring Garden St., Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring works by Kim Holleman, Vicki
Johnson, Judy Meyler, Carol Meetze-Moates,
Kathy Phillips, Steve Robinson, Carol Sams, Allie Scott, Phyllis Sharpe, Jane Smith, Stephanie
Thomas, Steve Thomas and Jeanne Twilley.
Hours: Mon., Tue., Thur., & Sat., 11am-2pm.
Contact: 336/274-7372 or at (www.winterlightartists.com).

Yew Tree Gallery, 604 S. Elm St., Greensboro. Ongoing - The gallery is a subsidiary of Ambleside Gallery, and is home to 16 painters who work in a varienty of media and styles, including oils, acrylic, pastel, pen and ink, and watercolor. The gallery also features pottery. Hours: Wed.- Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 336/790-8703.

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Greensboro Bliss & Co. Salon, 238 S. Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Featuring an ever-changing exhibit of works by Charlotte and Erik Strom. Hours: Mon., 10am-6pm; Tue.-Fri., 10am-8pm; & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 336/373-0299 or the Stroms at 336/691-8036 or e-mail to (charlotteart@hotmail.com).

Just Be, 352 S. Elm Street, Greensboro. Ongoing - Just Be is a specialty boutique filled with handmade and unique items like jewelry, handbags, apparel, home décor and much more. Shop in the store or online at. Hours: Mon.-Thur, 10am-6pm; Fri.&Sat., 10am-8pm; and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/274-2212 or at (www. onlyjustbe.com).

Greenville

City Art Gallery, 511 Red Banks Road, Greenville. Ongoing - The gallery features the works of established regional and national artists and craftspeople. The gallery offers an extensive collection of paintings, sculpture, ceramics, glass, drawings and photography. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 252/353-7000 or at (www. CityArtGreenville.com).

Strickland Art Gallery, 817 Dickinson Ave., Greenville. Ongoing - The gallery specializes in art by North Carolina artists including Francis Speight, Sarah Blakeslee, Hobson Pittman and Claude Howell. Contemporary NC artists are also shown. Hours: Mon.-Tue., 10am-6pm and by appt. Contact: Barbour Strickland 252/561-7980 or at (www.StricklandArtGallery.com).

Uptown Art Supply & Gallery, a division of UBE, 529 S Evans Street, Greenville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by localand regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-6pm and Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/752-0688 or at (www.uptownart.net).

Hendersonville - Flat Rock

Throughout Hendersonville/Flat Rock, Every 3rd Fri. of the month, 5-8pm - "Art Gallery Trail WNC Hendersonville/Flat Rock Gallery Hop," featuring a tour of local galleries and art spaces, held May - Dec. For further info e-mail to (artgallerytrailwnc1@gmail.com).

Art MoB Studios & Marketplace, 124 4th Avenue East, Downtown Hendersonville just off of Main Street, Hendersonville. Ongoing - Art MoB now represents over 90 local artists and has been proudly open for three years, and counting. Art MoB also features 5,000 square feet of space including fours studios with wonderful resident artists. These artists can be found fast at work in their studios most days of the week. We invite you to come and join us... see our work, meet our artists, and take classes with us. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-4:30pm. Contact: 828/693-4545 or at (www.artmobstudios.com).

Carolina Mountain Artists, 444 N. Main Street, Hendersonville. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by regional and local artists in every media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/696-0707.

Custom Built Quilts, 411 N. Wall Street, Hendersonville. **Ongoing -** Custom built quilts from aprons to wall hangings. Hours: open on weekends - call ahead to be sure. Contact: 828/808-1567 or at (www.custombuiltquilts.com).

East End Gallery on 7th Avenue, 518 7th Avenue East, Hendersonville. Through July 13 - "Taking Flight," featuring works focused on "winged" creatures & creations, in all media. Ongoing - Featuring a unique collection of fine art and craft. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/551-3278 or at (www.eastendgallery7.com).

Firefly Craft Gallery, 2689-D Greenville Highway, Flat Rock. Ongoing - Featuring fine craft and art - all the little things that make living beautiful. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/231-0764 or at (www.fireflycraftgallery.com).

Framing Arts, 119 3rd Avenue West, Hendersonville. Ongoing - Framing Arts will elegantly frame all your artwork to fit your decor and budget. Using preservation techniques and archival materials, your art will be protected for a lifetime of enjoyment. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/696-3818 or at (www.framingarts.net).

McCarter Gallery, 451 N. Main St., Hendersonville. Ongoing - Featuring the working studio-gallery of landscape artist Alan McCarter, specializing in his acrylic paintings of the beauty of Nature in the Blue Ridge and Great Smoky Mountains. Also, featuring a display of new works monthly. And, watercolors and acrylics of Robbin McCarter and art glass by Czech glass master Igor Muller and Canadian Robert Held. Hours Mon.-Sat.,10:30am-5:30pm & by appt. Contact: 828/698-7117 or at (www.mccarter-gallery.com).

Narnia Studios, 315 N. Main St., Hendersonville. Ongoing - Featuring works by local and regional artists in a variety of media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-6pm. Contact: 828/697-6393 or at (www.narniastudios.com).

Silver Fox Gallery, 508 N. Main Street, Hendersonville. Ongoing - Featuring contemporary fine art, hand-crafted artworks from the US only, from primarily regional artists. And, now Home Furnishings. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri.,10am-7pm; Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/698-0601 or at (www. silverfoxonline.com).

The Art House Gallery and Studio, 5 Highland Park Road, East Flat Rock. Ongoing
- Fine art gallery and private party venue featuring works by Susan Johnston-Olivari and other local artists. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 828/808-3594 or at (www.arthousegalleryandstudio.com).

The Portrait Source, Hwy. 225 S., along "Little Rainbow Row", Flat Rock. Ongoing - Representing the nation's finest portrait artists and we help clients find the perfect artist for both families and the corporate world. We have expert sales consultants throughout the country. Visit our unique gallery where we have a continuing display of sample paintings. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact 800/586-6575 or at (www.theportraitsource.com).

High Point

J.Gallery at JH Adams Inn, 1108 North Main Street, High Point. Ongoing - Featuring works by artists from across the country with an emphasis on North Carolina artists. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm, but it is suggested you make an appointment. Contact: Julie Delgaudio at 336/8478672 or by e-mail at (phonefrnzy@aol.com).

JK Gallery, 342 North Wrenn Street, High Point. Ongoing - Featuring fine art photography by Jim Koch. Exhibiting black & white original silver gelatin prints and interpretations of color, architectural images, landscapes and portraits. Hours: M.-F., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/883-2370 or at (http://www.jk-gallery.com/)

Kelly Brooke Pottery & Gallery, 709 W. Lexington Ave., inside of DeBeen Espresso, High Point. Ongoing - All of my work is wheel thrown and/or hand built from a porcelain clay body made right here in North Carolina. I use a centuries old style of surface decoration known as sprigging where I individually apply hand carved dragonflies or flowers to the leather hardened pots. Choose from mugs, bowls, vases, honey pots, teapots, plates, platters, etc. All of the pottery is food safe, microwave, and dishwasher safe and very durable. Hours: daily 8am-8pm. Contact: 336/889-2107 or at (www. kellybrookepottery.com).

Hillsborough

Callaway Jewelry & Spiral Studios, 115 North Churton Street, Hillsborough. Ongoing - Offering beautiful handmade jewelry in sterling silver and gold by metalsmiths/designers Catharine Callaway and Jeannine Rogers. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 919/732-2013 or at (http://www.sterlingspirals.com/)



Work by Donn Young

ENO Gallery, 100 South Churton Street, Hillsborough. Through July 24 - "A Retrospective of Photo Essays," by Donn Young. This exhibition pays tribute to Young's upcoming permanent installation in The Power of Place Gallery at the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History & Culture. The Eno exhibition is a retrospective spanning the 46 year career of Donn Young. Ongoing - The

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gallery represents exceptional contemporary emerging and established artists for both first time buyers and discerning collectors. Eno Gallery is a unique and intimate exhibition space. We offer work from artists of exceptional quality and dedication. Representing some of the most creative individuals from regional and national communities. Hours: Tue.-Thur., noon-6pm & Fri.-Sat., noon-8pm. Contact: 919/833-1415 or at (http://www.enogallery.net/).

Hillsborough Artists Cooperative and The Skylight Gallery, 102 West King Street, upstairs over Antonia's Restaurant, Hillsborough. Ongoing - Founded in 1992, featuring works by Jayne Bomberg and Tom Guthrie (The Studio of Collective Effervescence); Jennifer E. Miller, Andrea DeGette, Jacquelin Liggins, and Tiffney Marley. Hours: last Fri. of the month from 6-9pm or by appt. Contact: 919/929-2691 or 919/644-8637



Hillsborough Gallery of Arts, 121 N. Churton St.. Suite 1-D. Hillsborough. Through July **24 -** "Grounded," featuring paintings by Pat Merriman and Ellie Reinhold, pottery by Evelyn Ward. July 25 - Aug. 21 - "Colorful Language," featuring jewelry by Nell Chandler, fiber art by Ali Givens, and paintings by Michele Yellin. A reception will be held on July 29, from 6-9pm. **Ongoing -** Founded in 2006, the gallery is owned by 22 artists and features painting, sculpture, photography, glass art, jewelry, turned wood, handcrafted furniture, pottery, mosaics & fiber art. Hours: 10am-6pm, Mon.-Thur.: 10am-8pm, Fri. & Sat.: and noon-4pm. Sun. Contact: 919/732-5001 or at (www.HillsboroughGallery.com).

Sovero Art Gallery & Studio, 121 North Churton Street, Suite 2-B, Hillsborough. Ongoing -Featuring jewelry and oil paintings by Peruvian artist David Sovero, who was born in 1971 in Lima, Peru. He graduated from the Peruvian National Arts College where he attended from 1990 -1996. He has a strong academic foundation. His Incan ancestral roots are saturated with thousands of years of Andean stylized figures. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-7pm. Contact: 919/619-5616 or at (http://soveroart.com/).

Morning Song Gallery, at old Victorian house. 512 West Avenue, NW, across from the Lenoir Post Office and to the right of Baker Realty. Lenoir. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Call ahead. Contact: Margaret Carter Martine at 828/754-5693.

Lexington

The Bob Timberlake Gallery, 1714 E. Center Street Extension, Lexington. Ongoing - Featuring original artwork and reproductions by Bob Timberlake. Also furniture, gifts, apparel and collectibles. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 800-244-0095 or at (www.bobtimberlake.com).

Lincolnton

Gallery 27, 808 W. Hwy. 27, Lincolnton, NC. Through July 13 - "Of The Earth". The swaying canopy of leaves over head and the rustle of scurrying insects along moss covered ground are the inspirations from which artists Fulvia Boriani Luciano and Liz McKay draw inspiration. A reception will be held on June 11, from 7-9pm. Eco-printed, reclaimed textiles hang from the gallery ceiling, and handcrafted sterling silver & cast paper jewelry is displayed just beneath to give the viewer the sense that they are walking among the artists vision of an untouched forest. July 16 -**Aug. 10 -** "The Artistic Exploits of Triple J and R".

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A reception will be held on July 16, from 6-8pm. Long time Gallery 27 members Jason Reynolds, Jane Newsom Reynolds, Jenna Web and Robert Webb will be showing an eclectic selection of paintings and mixed media art. The show is a true marriage of art, craft and just a dash of whimsy. **Ongoing -** The gallery is the area's only working art gallery specializing in representing new and emerging artists. We also represents established artists. The space houses a formal fine art gallery, gift shop, and large classroom area. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 11am-6pm, and Sat., 9am-2pm. Contact: 704/240-9060 or at (www.ncgallery27.com).

Linville/Linville Falls Area

Anvil Arts Studio & Sculpture Gardens, Hwy. 221, Linville Falls. Ongoing - While in Linville Falls, be sure to come by and stroll through the gallery, studio, and sculpture gardens of artist Bill Brown. His works include contemporary sculpture, sculptural lighting, and paintings. You'll be drawn into each piece of art as it appeals to your understanding from a myriad of materials including steel, copper, bronze, and various patinas. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm should call ahead at 828-765-6226 or at (www. studiosculpture.com).

87 Ruffin Street Gallery, located next to the Old Hampton General Store and Barbeque, Hwy. 221 in Linville. **Ongoing -** The gallery features the work of local and regional folk artists. potters. figural wood carvers, glass artists and painters. This unique gallery also carries beautiful furniture handcrafted by local artists from local woods. The gallery has its own framing shop for all your picture framing needs. Whether you are looking for original artwork for you home or for a gift Ruffin Street gallery is the perfect destination. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/737-0420 or at (www.ruffinstreetartgallery.com).

Mars Hill

Tom Turner Porcelain, 381 Turner Lane, Mars Hill. **Ongoing -** Featuring wheel thrown and high fired porcelain art pottery by Tom Turner with classical glazes like copper red oxblood, oilsnot, celadons, and ash glazes. Hours: by appt. Contact: 828/689-9430 or at (www.tomturnerporcelain.com)

Marshall

East Fork Pottery, 268 Ras Grooms Road, Marshall. Ongoing - East Fork Pottery was founder in 2010 by Alexander Matisse. We make a full range of functional and sculptural ceramics, fired in a large wood bruning kiln, Striving to understand our place in the tapestry of American ceramics, we hold the past, present, and future on equal ground, for the three in concert make the most beautifu chord. Hours: by appointment. Contact: 828/689-4109 or at (www.eastforkpottery.com).

Firewalker Gallery, Main St., across from the Madison County courthouse, Marshall. Ongoing - The gallery features artists from Madison County and east Tenn, who work in a variety of mediums. Hours: Thur., Fri. & Sat., 10am-6pm and by appt. Contact: 828/649-0134 or at (www.firewalkergallery.com)

Fine Art Carolina Gallery, 116 West Clay St., Mebane. **Ongoing -** The gallery offers traditional and contemporary art in various mediums. The gallery will also feature guest artists and offer art workshops. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 919/455-5965 or at (http:// FineArtCarolina.com).

Micaville

Crabtree Creek Art and Floral Gallery, 4161 E. Hwy 19-E. between Burnsville & Spruce Pine, in Micaville. **Ongoing -** A 2,400 sq. ft. gallery offering pottery, blown glass, paintings, stained glass, wood carvings and bowls, jewelry, handmade handbags, sweaters & hats, Christmas trees, ornaments and holiday decorations, metal sculptures and ironwork, handmade soaps and lotions, fragrances and candles, wildlife & floral photography, home accessories, lamps, handmade tables, chairs and home accents, silk floral creations and fresh floral arrangements, textile pieces, handmade baskets and local crafts from the western North Carolina region. Also a complete garden center with blooming plants, hanging baskets, dish and herb gardens is located on property including landscape art, hardscape and fountains. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/675-0612 or at (www.crabtreecreekgallery.com).

Crimson Laurel Gallery, inside Appalachian Terroir, 621 Micaville Loop, Micaville. **Ongo**ing - Appalachian Terroir is comprised of three divisions: Crimson Laurel Gallery, a studio ceramics retailer; Smoky Mountain Pottery Studio, a ceramics manufacturer; and Appalachian Terroir, designer and producer of original dinnerware and housewares. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm & Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: call Ben Philips at 904/716-3116 or e-mail to (contact@ crimsonlaurelgallery.com).

252/633-4369 or at

(www.carolinacreations.com).

Work by Jean Grunewald

Fine Art at Baxters Gallery (formally the

historic Baxter's Jewelry Store), 323 Pollock

works by Barbara Curry. Curry is a full-time

self-employed visual artist from Rock Hill, SC

awards. His illustrations have been published in

several magazines and books. Through July

Catherine Thornton. Bisbee began creating

4 - Featuring clay sculptors by Jim Bisbee and

wheel thrown pottery a decade ago. It provided

him with a creative outlet to balance his career

as an engineer. Sculptor Catherine Thornton

has been exciting art lovers for years with

imaginative works that combine humor, sen-

sitivity, and social commentary. July 8 - Aug.

8 - Featuring an exhibit of works by classically

be held on July 8, from 5-8pm. **Ongoing -** A

trained artist Jean Grunewald. A reception will

fine art gallery dedicated to promoting regional

and national artists; bringing awareness and

through exhibits, shows, demonstrations and

lovers. We offer a diverse selection of styles,

subject matter and mediums including paint-

Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am

-5pm. Contact: 252/634-9002 or at

ings, pottery, ceramics, sculpture, and jewelry.

Stardust Gallery, 244 1/2 Middle Street, Suite

D. New Bern. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by

over 25 NC artists including works in acrylic, oil

& watercolor; photography; pen & ink; digital pop

art; pottery; weaving; handmade wood and iron

creations; lampwork glass jewelry & handblown

Thur., 11am-5pm & Fri.-Sat., 11am-7pm. Contact:

The Art Gallery @ Le Bistro & Fine Dining,

3402-B Trent Road, New Bern. Ongoing - Fea-

turing works by local artists who explore a wide

range of media including Gayle George, Nell

Maha, John Dreas, Nada Behr, Doris Walker,

Barbara Cornish, B. Chris Munyan, Douglas

Rowe, Tess Luper, James King, William K.

Henson, John Mitchell, Joan Russell, Betty

Brown, Blain Kruger and Dan Wilson. Come in

for lunch or dinner, have a glass of wine and

peruse the work of these fine artists. Hours:

Tue.-Wed., 10am-5pm; Thur.-Sat., 10am-8pm;

and Sun., 9am-2pm. Contact: 252/637-7331 or

The Dirty Bird, 244½ Middle Street, New Bern.

Ongoing - Featuring an eclectic mix of paintings,

ceramic items, jewelry and repaired and painted

Ocracoke Island

Village Craftsmen, 170 Howard Street, Oc-

racoke Island. **Ongoing -** We feature pottery

glass, jewelry, kitchen items, musical instru-

ments, wrought iron, baskets, bells, boxes,

soaps, accessories, clothes, games, kaleido-

scopes, lawn sprinklers, lamps & lampshades,

Contact: 252-928-5541 or at (www.villagecrafts-

Old Fort

Turtle Island Pottery, 2782 Bat Cave Road,

Old Fort. Showroom open on Saturdays. On-

going - Featuring handmade pottery by Maggie

and Freeman Jones, who create one of a kind,

functional, decorative stoneware items. From

cups to umbrella stands, mirror frames and

clocks. Sculptural and inspired by nature, many

the arts and crafts movement and art nouveau

styles. Hours: Showroom open most Saturdays,

call ahead for any day of the week. Contact:

forms are reminiscent of antique pottery from

prints, tin ware, pewter items, tiles and much

more - all made by American artists. Hours:

Mon.-Sat.. 10am-4pm & Sun.. 10am-2pm.

men.com).

828/669-2713 or at

(<u>www.Turtleislandpottery.com</u>).

furniture. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-6pm & Fri.-

Sat., 10am-5pm, Contact; 252/626-1983.

at (http://www.lebistrofinediningandtheartgal-

glass; fine handmade silver jewelry; stained

glass; and handwoven baskets. Hours: Tue.-

252/617-0209 or at (http://www.stardustart.

by providing fine art to established and new art

appreciation of fine art to the community

Curry's art is in private and corporate col-

lections and she has received a number of

Street, New Bern. Through July 1 - Featuring

Morehead City

BluSail Gallery, Artists' School & Pottery Studio, 903 Arendell Street, downtown art district, Morehead City. Ongoing - The gallery represents and exhibits work by over 30 local artists. The Artists' School and Pottery Studio are working studios designed to educate and enhance local talent for children and adults of all ages and all levels of experience. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30 or by chance. Contact: 252/723-9516 or at (www.blu-sail.com).

Budding Artists, Ltd., 3000 Arendell Street, Unit 9, Morehead City. **Ongoing -** The gallery provides custom framing and artist liaisons for commissioned pieces. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 252/247-5111.

Carteret Contemporary Art, 1106 Arendell St., Morehead City. Ongoing - Featuring original paintings and sculpture from regional and national artists, and shows with gallery artists during spring and summer. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm and Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact 252/726-4071 or at (www.twogalleries.net).

Morehead City Photography Gallery, 1300 E Arendell Street, Morehead City. Ongoing -The gallery showcases the personal work of Mike Basher with a collection of limited edition black and white silver prints-images gathered alongside his fifteen-year career as an advertising and editorial photographer. A recent transplant to the Beaufort/Morehead City area, his collection consists of serene photographs of beautiful local coastal scenes, and diverse landscapes from around the country. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun., noon-4pm and by appt. Contact: 661/305-7026 or at (www. bashergallery.com).

Morganton

Hamilton Williams Gallery, 403 East Union St., downtown Morganton. Ongoing - A gallery of fine craft featuring the pottery, jewelry, metal, fiber, and art of artists from Western North Carolina and the Appalachian region, adjoining the production studio of resident potter, Hamilton Williams. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact 828/438-1595 or at (www.hamiltonwilliams.com).

Nags Head

Seaside Art Gallery, 2716 Virginia Dare Trail South, Nags Head. Ongoing - Featuring works of local and contemporary artists, as well as a wonderful selection of art by such masters as Picasso, Chagall, Whistler, Icart, Renoir and many others. Sculpture, porcelain and art glass by Hummel, Staffordshire, Tiffany and others are represented. As well as a fine selection of estate jewelry. Since the early 1980's, a major feature of Seaside Art Gallery has been our large collection of original animation art by such studios as Disney, Warner Bros., Hanna-Barbera, United Features Ltd., and other animation studios. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 252/441-5418, 1-800/828-2444 or at (http:// www.seasideart.com/).

New Bern

Historic Downtown New Bern, 2nd Fri. of the month, 5-8pm - "artCRAWL!," sponsored by Community Artist Will. See you downtown at Isaac Taylor Garden and Greater Good Gallery! Greater Good Gallery will be open extended hours from 5pm to 8pm showcase artwork by more than seventy artists! The Isaac Taylor Garden will be brimming with the G3's artists who will be demonstrating their talents with painting, sketching, performing and making crafts and jewelry. For further info visit (www.communityar-

Carolina Creations Fine Art and Contemporary Craft Gallery, 317-A Pollock Street, New Bern. NC. July 8 - Aug. 31 - "Coda," featuring works by Sally Anger. A reception will be held on July 8, from 5-8pm. CODA <noun> "The concluding passage of a piece or movement, typically forming an addition to the basic structure." Following the show about her cross country travels, Sally Anger returns to her beloved coastal North Carolina waters and marshes. Ongoing - Featuring fine art and contemporary crafts including pottery, paintings, glass, sculpture, and wood by over 300 of the countries top artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Fri., till 8pm: & Sun. 11am-4pm. Contact:

NC Commercial Galleries

Pinehurst - Southern Pines Area

Artist Alley, 167 E. New Hampshire Ave., Southern Pines. **Ongoing -** Featuring a wide variety of affordable artwork and fine crafts made exclusively here in North Carolina. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 910/692-6077

Broadhurst Gallery, 2212 Midland Rd., Pinehurst. Ongoing - Featuring works by regional, national and international artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 1-4pm. Contact: 910/295-4817 or at (www.broadhurstgallery.

Hollyhocks Art Gallery, 905 Linden Rd., one mile from Pinehurst next to Elliott's restaurant, Pinehurst. **Ongoing -** Featuring original work by award winning local artists Jane Casnellie, Diane Kraudelt, Irene McFarland, Paula Montgomery, and Robert Gera. Offering a wide range of work from contemporary to traditional. the gallery includes portraiture, vibrant Tuscan scenes, palpable pet portraits, beautiful florals and more, in a wide variety of mediums including oils, acrylics, pastels and unusual black and white washes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-9:30pm. Contact: 910/255-0665 or at (www.HollyhocksArtGallery.com).

Midland Crafters, 2220 Midland Rd., Pinehurst. Ongoing - Featuring the finest in American traditionl and contemporary hand crafts. The gallery carries something for everyone. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5:30pm & Sun., 2-5pm. Contact: 910/295-6156.

Pittsboro

Liquidambar Gallery, 80 Hillsborough Street, Pittsboro. **Ongoing –** We represent over 75 different artists in the retail store and both, Kitty and John the store owners, are artists as well. We carry handmade, one-of-a-kind artwork - everything from local pottery, jewelry, steel, glass, baskets, cards, fine art, and hand turnedwood items. In the front gallery we have new featured artists, with a reception on First Sundays, 2-4pm. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10:30am-5-:30pm and Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 919/542-1773 or at (www.liquidambarstudio.com).

The Joyful Jewel, 44-A Hillsborough2 Street, Pittsboro. **Ongoing -** Featuring local art fresh from the Heart. Mariah Wheeler is shoppe keeper at this gallery/gift store in downtown Pittsboro. We feature exquisite art and gifts from over ninety local artists, with a price range to suit your budget. You will find baskets, books, jewelry, cards, paintings, photography, sculpture, from glass, wood, clay, fiber, and more. On Fri. evenings the gallery features local musicians, poets, and other performance art with a wide array of talent. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5:30pm & Sun., noon-4pm. Contact: 919/883-2775 or at (www. joyfuljewel.com)

Raleigh Area

Adam Cave Fine Art, 115 1/2 East Hargett St., half a block from Moore Square, Raleigh. Ongoing - Representing a select group of regional and nationally known artists, including Joseph Cave, David Hewson, Stephen Aubuchon, Wayne Taylor, and Donald Furst. The gallery will also be introducing some new, young talent to the area, including Massachusetts painter Jennifer O'Connell. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm & by appt. Contact: 919/272-5958 or at

Artcraft Gallery, 406 W Hillsborough Street, Raleigh. Ongoing - Funky, functional and fine art by several co-op artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-5pm; Fri., 9am-1pm & 1st Fri., 6pmmidnight. Contact: 919/832-5058 or at (www. artcraftsignco.com).

ArtSource Fine Art & Framing, 4421-123 Six Forks Road (behind Bonefish Grill, across from Brother's Cleaners at North Hills...look for the red door), Raleigh. Ongoing - ArtSource is a fine art gallery housing over 1,600 works of art by 65+ artists. This award-winning gallery has assisted collectors and businesses in the selection of fine art, custom art pieces and framing for over 20 years, Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 919/787-9533, or at (www.artsource-raleigh.com).

Ashley's Art Gallery,701 N. Main St, located 12 miles south of Raleigh, Fuquay-Varina. **Ongoing -** Featuring fine art originals by national and local artist including Terry Isaac, Braldt Bralds and John Weiss and reproductions by Pino, Robert Bateman, Carl Brenders, Bev Doolittle and William Mangum. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm & Fri.-Sat. 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 919/552-7533 ext.3 or at (www. ashleyart.com).

Flanders Gallery, 505 S. Blount Street, Raleigh. Ongoing - Flanders Gallery is committed to cultivating the careers of emerging artists. Through its rigorous exhibition program, the gallery continues to explore new concepts in contemporary art using various media. Flanders Gallery is dedicated to exhibiting provocative and innovative contemporary art, producing 14-18 exhibits each year both in the gallery and in alternative exhibit spaces. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 919/757-9533 or at (http:// flandersartgallery.com).

Gallery C, 540 North Blount Street, Raleigh. Through July 31 - Featuring new oils by Kathy Daywalt and bronzes by Michiel Van der Sommen. Creating busts and life-size sculptures in bronze and terra cotta (fired clay), Michiel Van der Sommen represents the human figure in motion and in solitude. Kathy Daywalt is a prolific working artist with 40 years of successful experience in a variety of mediums. Her works have been included in numerous juried exhibitions and one-person shows. Hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-6pm & Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 919/828-3165 or at (www.galleryc.

Glenwood Gallery Art & Antiques, 610 W. Johnson St., Raleigh. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Edwin D. Alexander, Barbara Evans, Michael Manas, Nancee Clark, Michael Van Horn, Rob Cox, Jim Green, Stan Strikland, Mark Tomczyk. Hours: Call. Contact: 919/829-7202



Work by Anne Gregory

Lee Hansley Gallery, 225 Glenwood Ave., Raleigh. Ongoing - "NC Masters." featuring works by prominent deceased NC artists including George Bireline, Edith London, Francis Speight and Joe Cox. There are 35 artists in the gallery's stable whose works are shown on a rotating basis. The gallery also mounts invitational exhibitions in which non-gallery artists show alongside stable artists. The gallery organizes at least one historical exhibition annually exploring the work of a single artist or group of stylistically related artists. Hours: Tue. Sat., 11am-6pm & 1st Fri. till 10pm. Contact: 919/828-7557 or at (www.leehansleygallery.

Litmus Gallery & Studios, 312 W. Cabarrus Station) Raleigh. Ongoing - Regional emerging and/or established artists are featured every month with a reception from 6-9pm the first Friday of each month. Studios of resident artists are open for touring, viewing, and selling of art (paintings, sketches, sculptures, pottery, mixed media, photography, etc.). Hours: Thur., 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: 919/571-3605 or at (www.litmusgallery.com).

Local Color Gallery, Carter Building, 22 South Glenwood Ave., Raleigh. Ongoing - The gallery has now grown into a women's artist cooperative 13 members strong. Hours: Thur., Fri., & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 919/754-3887 or at (www.localcoloraleigh.com).

Nicole's Studio & Art Gallery, 719 N. Person St., Raleigh. **Ongoing -** The gallery represents local and nationally recognized artists in all genre specializing in excellence in Contemporary Realism. Up to 20 artists represented include; Rick McClure, Lori Putnam, Dawn Whitelaw, Nicole Kennedy, Kim Maselli, Dan Nelson. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10:30am-5pm; Sat., noon-4:30pm; and 1st Fri., till 8:30pm. Contact: 919/838-8580 or at (www.nicolestudio.com).

Roundabout Art Collective, 305 Oberlin Road, Raleigh. **Ongoing -** Bringing together a diverse group of Wake County artists who have created a magnet location for exhibiting and selling art. Hours: Wed.- Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 919/747-9495 or at (www.roundaboutartcollective.com).

The Collectors Gallery, The Pavilions at City Plaza, 443 Favetteville St., Raleigh. Ongoing - Featuring a full service fine art and fine craft gallery, providing residential and commercial consulting and custom conservation framing. Representing over 60 national, regional and North Carolina artists, the gallery offers paintings, etchings, photography, sculpture, pottery and glass. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun., noon-4pm; & 1st. Fri, until 9pm Contact: 919/828-6500 or at (www.thecollectorsgallery.

The Mahler Fine Art, Mahler Building, 228 Fayetteville St., Raleigh. Ongoing - Featuring a dynamic venue dedicated to significant art of our time, committed to offering the best in regional and national fine art by emerging and established artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm; Sat., noon-4pm.. Contact: 919/828-6500 or at (www.themahlerfineart.com).

311 - Martin St Gallery and Studios, 311 Martin Street, Warehouse District, Raleigh. Ongoing - Featuring three exhibit galleries, studios by tenant artists, The Print Studio, and the meeting place for The North Carolina Printmakers. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm and 6-9pm on 1st Friday of the month. Contact: 919/821-2262 or at (http://311gallery.com/).

Tipping Paint Gallery, 428 S. McDowell Street, Raleigh. **Ongoing -** The gallery is a group of artists that have worked together since 2009 planning and hanging exhibits, marketing, community outreach, and supporting and encouraging each other in our artistic endeavors. In 2011, the group found a great location in the heart of downtown Raleigh where we opened Tipping Paint Gallery in June. Our mission is two-fold: to exhibit quality art on a year-round basis and to continue to strive for personal artistic growth. Hours: Thur., 11am-3pm; Fri., 11am-3pm & 5-8pm; Sat., noon-8pm or by appt. Contact: 919/928-5279.

Randleman

Joseph Sand Pottery, 2555 George York Road, Randleman. Ongoing - Featuring woodfired, salt and ash glazed pottery by Joseph Sand at kiln openings held three times each year. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 612/518-4051 or 336/460-0259 and at (http://www. jsspottery.com/).

New Salem Pottery, 789 New Salem Road, Randleman. Ongoing - Established in 1972, New Salem Pottery is owned and operated by Hal Pugh and Eleanor Minnock-Pugh. Hal and Eleanor produce a variety of original redware and stoneware pottery. Years of work at the wheel and the subtle evolutionary convergence of originality with past traditions make their pottery recognizable by its own style. The slip decorated redware pitcher shown above is illustrative of their art. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/498-2178 or at (www.newsalempottery.com).

Rutherfordton

Ornamentals and Finer Welding, Inc., 142 West Court St., Rutherfordton. Ongoing - Featuring works by master artisan Tom Elfers. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm and Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/288-3001 or at (www. ornametals1.com).

Green Goat Gallery, 516 S. Salisbury Ave. just off I-85, across from the North Carolina Transportation Museum, Spencer, Ongoing - Housed in the historic 20th century Sands Building, the gallery features fine and folk art, photography, exquisite handcrafted functional crafts and jewelry, and eclectic recycled and found art by local, regional, and national artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10:30am -5:30pm. Contact: 704/639-0606 or at (www.greengoatgallery.com).

Pottery 101, 101 S. Main St., from I-85, take exit #76 (Innes St.) toward downtown - we are on the corner of Innes and Main, Salisbury. **Ongoing -** The destination for beautiful handcrafted pottery. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 704/209-1632.

Rail Walk Studios & Gallery, 409 – 413 N Lee St., in the Rail Walk Arts District, Salisbury. **Ongoing -** Featuring works on display by Marietta F. Smith, Sharon Forthofer, Karen Frazer, Kenneth Koskela, Elizabeth H. McAdams, Julie Pontell and Keyth Kahrs. Each of the artists has a unique style and body of work. Visitors will find original art in oil, acrylic, watercolor,

pastel, and other mediums, as well as sculpture, hand-made jewelry, pottery, and digital photography, making Rail Walk a great place to purchase a wide variety of original art in all price ranges. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 704/431-8964 or at (www.railwalkgallery.com).

Southern Spirit Gallery, 102 South Main St., Salisbury. **Ongoing -** The shop offers a wide array of art and crafts from over 60 artists, most from North Carolina. There is jewelry, paintings, glass and pottery. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 704/633-0761.

Saluda Area

Heartwood Contemporary Crafts Gallery, 21 East Main Street, Saluda. Ongoing - Featuring contemporary works of handmade wearables. jewelry, paper, paintings, fine porcelain, stoneware, glass, metal and wood, Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/749-9365 or at (www.heartwoodsaluda.

Seagrove Area

Throughout the Seagrove area, Sats. in July "Saturdays in Seagrove July 2016". Join in the Fun! "Stepping Into the Craft Saturdays in Seagrove" is a new and exciting event the potters of Seagrove have planned for the month of July. Each Saturday in July you can observe demonstrations or participate in Hands-On Activities, Mini-Classes and Workshops all throughout the Seagrove Pottery Community! Click here to see event dates, times and details for participating pottery shops (http:// discoverseagrove.com/saturdays-in-seagrove/). Check back often, we will be updating it through the month! Call the individual shop listed for further details.

A. Teague Pottery/EJ King Pottery, 2132 Hwv. 705, Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring works by several potters form the "village" with their traditional shapes of the Seagrove area. Contemporary, electric fired stoneware. Traditional glazes and melted glass glaze. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-5400.

A.R. Britt Pottery, 5650 Hwy, 220 S., Seagrove. Ongoing - Hand-turned/handmade traditional Seagrove style pottery, original formulated glazes, and functional stoneware in the tradition of Nell Cole Graves style by Aaron R. Britt. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun.. noon-6pm. Contact: 336/873-7736 or at (www. seagrovepottery.net).

Albright Pottery, 6597 New Center Church Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring traditional, salt glaze and red functional pottery by Arlie G. Albright. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-4209.

All In One Pottery, 285 Dover Pottery Drive, Seagrove. **Ongoing -** The pottery houses an eclectic mix of hand-painted mailolica dinnerware, crystalline vases, and hand-crafted musical instruments by Allen McCanless; sculptural ceramic artwork by Louise Hobbs McCanless: and hand-painted ceramic folk art by Fiva Mc-Canless. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-1019.

Anita's Pottery & Dogwood Gallery, 2513 Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Turning since 1987, Anita Morgan is best known for her miniature pottery, but also has many functional and decorative items. Glazes include cobalt blue, burgundy, hunter green, shiny black, yellow, rose pink, earthy brown, lime green and purple, Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm, Contact: 336/879-3040 or at (www.anitaspottery.com).

Avery Pottery and Tileworks, 636 Potters Way, Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Finely crafted ceramic forms by Blaine Avery. Extrordinary vessels, unique hand-painted titles. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7923 or at (www.averypotteryandtileworks.com).



Work by Ben Owen II

Ben Owen Pottery, 2199 S. Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Wood-fired, traditional and contemporary works using local clay by Ben Owen III. Colors ranging from Chinese red to Chinese blue. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed in Jan.). Contact: 910/464-2261 or at (www.benowenpottery.com)

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Blue Stone Pottery, 2215 Fork Creek Mill Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring traditional, functional stoneware pottery. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm & Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2615 or e-mail at (audreyvalone@bellsouth. net).

Bulldog Pottery, 3306 Alt. 220, Seagrove. Ongoing - Bruce Gholson and Samantha Henneke collaborate to make graceful forms, and develop their own unique glazes. Expect distinctively unusual work at Bulldog Pottery. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm; Sun. or Mon. by chance or call. Contact: 910/428-9728 or at (www.bulldogpottery.com).

Cady Clay Works, 3883 Busbee Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Johannes "John" Mellage and Beth Gore work with a variety of clays and glazes to create functional and decorative ware with richly layered surfaces. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 910/464-5661 or at (www.cadyclayworks.com).

Cagle Road Pottery, 603 Cagle Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring dinnerware and a wide variety of glazes. Electric, gas and woodfired salt and ash glazes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2802 or e-mail at (caglerdpottery@yahoo.com).

Caldwell-Hohl Artworks, 155 Cabin Trail, Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring contemporary stoneware, sculptures, large garden urns and contemporary fiber art. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm (call first). Contact: 336/879-9090 or at (www.caldwellhohl.com).

Callicutt Pottery, 5137 Seagrove Plank Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring a good selection of functional stoneware in many colors including brown, black and white, green and burgundy, green and gold, black and burgundy and yellow by Gary Callicutt. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7898 or e-mail at (gary51@rtelco.net).

Carolina Crockery Gallery, 326 Adams Road, (Just off of Hwy 705 between WhyNot and Westmoore, or take Steeds Road exit from Hwy 73/74 or Hwy 220 and head towards Seagrove, just down the road from Sid Lucks!) Seagrove. Ongoing - The gallery is a multi-media gallery, offering handmade pottery from Morgan Hatfield of Hatfield Pottery, Levi Mahan, and assorted potters from the area. We also carry wood art pieces including cutting boards and custom furniture from Joel Tucker of Southern Wood Creations. We have hand-blown glass from Nicuzzie Glass Designs (Nick Fruin and Suzanne Ririe), jewelry and fiber pieces from The Fuchsia Flamingo. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 2-5pm; Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon to 5pm. Contact: 336/879-2426 or at (www.carolinacrockery.

Chad Brown Pottery, 2719 US 220 N., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring high fired stoneware, decorative and functional with ash and alkaline glazes, by Chad Brown. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/571-1691 or e-mail at (chadcameronbrown@yahoo.com).

Chris Luther Pottery, 4823 Busbee Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring contemporary and functional pottery by Chris Luther, a 4th generation potter of Seagrove's Chriscoe pottery family. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/301-3254 or at (www.chrislutherpottery.com).

Chrisco Pottery, 1360 Hwy. 705, Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring functional pottery including tableware, vases, and large platters. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm (Sept.-Dec.) & Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm (Jan.-Aug.). Contact: 336/879-5272.

Cross Creek Pottery, 481 King. Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring decorative and functional pottery by Terry and Vivian Hunt. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8425 or at (www.crosscreek-pottery.com).

Crystal King Pottery, 2475 Hwy. 705, Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring functional and decorative stoneware by Seagrove native and family-taught potter Crystal King. Face jugs, salt glazes, and folk art. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-6990 or at (www.CrystalKingPottery.net).

Dean and Martin Pottery, 7739 Nathan Lane, Seagrove. Ongoing - Jeff Dean and Stephanie Martin make contemporary, vibrantly glazed stoneware vessels, sculpture, and wall pieces. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Mon. by chance. Contact: 336/879-0683 or at (www. deanandmartinpottery.com).



Works by Dirt Works Pottery

Dirt Works Pottery, 1226 Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Featuring contemporary, sculptural and functional pottery; Raku, stoneware, woodfired and salt glazed by Dan Triece. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8979 or at (www.dirtworkspottery.com).

Dixieland Pottery, 1162 Cagle Loop Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Hand-turned functional stoneware, colorful glazes to plain earth tones. Specialize in dinnerware, face jugs, etc. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8463.

Donna Craven Pottery, 2616 Old Cox Rd., Asheboro. **Ongoing -** Featuring wood-fired salt-glazed, mostly traditional with some decorative and contemporary forms by Donna Craven. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 336/629-8173.

Dover Pottery, 321 Dover Pottery Dr., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Featuring a variety of colored crystalline ware, freehand-decorated majolica and wood-fired salt functional forms. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-3586 or at (www.doverpots.com).

Down To Earth Pottery, 11792 Hwy. 24/27, Carthage. **Ongoing -** Featuring utilitarian and decorative pieces by Jim, Nick & Mary Havner. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact 910/948-2619.

Eck McCanless Pottery, 6077 Old US Hwy. 220, Seagrove. Ongoing - The pottery will sell crystalline works made by this second-generation Seagrove potter but, the main focus will be on agateware, which is made by turning several different colors of clay at one time. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. and open all Mon. Holidays. Contact: 336/964-4206 or at (www.EckMcCanless.webs.com).

The English Potter, 825 Hwy. 705 S., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring hand thrown porcelain and stoneware pottery by Robert Saxby. Fine stoneware glazes range from copper red to tenmoku. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10a-5pm & Sun. noon-4pm. Contact: 336/879-1352 or at (www. english-potter.com).

Fat Beagle Pottery, 719 Potter's Way Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring wheel-turned, gas-fired, functional and contemporary stoneware. Also features uniquely stunning, pit-fired vases. Hours: Tue., Thur. Fri., Sat., 9:30am-5-pm. Contact: 336/953-0608 or e-mail at (fatbeaglepottery@hughes.net).

Fireshadow Pottery, 244 Falls Dr., Eagle Springs. Ongoing - Featuring one-of-a-kind "primitive elegant" ceramic art. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/673-8317 or at (www.fireshadow.com).

Frank Neef Pottery, 258 East Main Street, Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring decorative and functional porcelain, elaborate cut out designs, with crystaline and celadon glazes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 336/872-4013 or at (www.potterybyfrankneef.com).

Freeman Pottery, 1147 McDuffie Rd., Eagle Springs. Ongoing - Featuring hand-turned miniatures 1/2 to 2 inches, functional ware decorated with farm scenes and vessel puzzles. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/673-2044 or e-mail at (bfoushee@triad.rr.com).

From The Ground Up Pottery, 172 Crestwood Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring handmade pottery by Michael Mahan and his two children, Chelsea and Levi. Tree platters, meditation bells, dinnerware, and southwestern glaze. Contemporary and traditional forms. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm (call ahead). Contact: 910/464-6228 or at (www.fromthegrounduppots.com).

Graham Chriscoe Pottery, 2719 220 N., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Functional hand-thrown pottery using glazes of white, brown, burgundy, cobalt blue, teal blue, red and Christmas green. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/428-4536.

Great White Oak Gallery, 437 N. Broad St., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring functional thrown forms and hand-built pottery by Benjamin Burns and Bonnie Burns. Exquisitely glazed and hand decorated with rare unusual glazes and hand-painted motifs. Hours: daily 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8066 or at (www.greatwhiteoakgallery.com).

Hatfield Pottery, 187 Atkinson Farm Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring functional and whimsical art deco, as well as folk styles of hand turned pottery by Morgan Hatfield. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-8458.

Hickory Hill Pottery, 4539 Busbee Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Featuring traditional shapes of the area, stoneware that is functional and beautiful. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-3166.

His Hands Pottery, 7029 New Center Church Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring functional, decorative, folk art, and Biblical pieces by Jeanette Lowdermilk. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Jan.-Mar.). Contact: 336/879-5866 or e-mail at (rlowdermilk@rtmc.net).

Humble Mill Pottery, 121 N Broad St., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring classical and traditional stoneware influenced by 2 years of work in Japan by Charlotte Wooten. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7145 or at (www.humblemillpottery.com).

JLK Jewelry at Jugtown, 330 Jugtown Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Jennie Lorette Keatts takes clay to a different level! She hand makes pottery cabochons and sets them in sterling silver or 14K and 18K gold, copper, brass and semi-precious stones. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 8:30am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-2653 or at (www.jlkjewelry.com).

Johnston and Gentithes Art Pottery, 741 Fork Creek Mill Road, Whynot. Ongoing - Featuring traditional and contemporary museum-quality pottery and sculpture by Fred Johnston and Carol Gentithes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm (call first). Contact: 336/873-9176 or at (www.johnstonandgentithes.com).

Jugtown Pottery, 330 Jugtown Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Featuring handmade wood and gas-fired dinnerware, vases and jars by Vernon Owens, Pam Owens and Travis Owens. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 8:30am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-3266 or at (www.jugtownware.com).

Keith Martindale Pottery, Boyd Dr., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring functional and decorative pottery with a new red glaze and an ocean glaze by Keith Martindale. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-3pm & Sun. 1-5pm (closed Jan.-Mar.). Contact: 336/302-3571 or at (www.keithmartindalepottery.com).

King's Pottery, 4905 Reeder Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Hand-turned traditional stoneware. Wood-fired salt glaze. Folk pottery. face jugs, and more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/381-3090 or at (www.kingspottery.

Kovack Pottery, 1298 Fork Creek Mill Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring hand-turned, hand-painted, lead-free functional stoneware and wood-fired, salt-glazed pottery by Craig Kovack and Michelle Kovack. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8727 or at (www.geocities.com/kovackpottery/).

Lantern Hill Pottery, 110 East Avenue, Seagrove. Ongoing - We focus on making our pottery that is not only hand-crafted and an enjoyment to use, but also beautiful in their own form of art to be seen and held by all. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 11am-5pm. Contact: 336-873-8222 or at (www.lanternhillpottery.com).

Latham's Pottery, 7297 US Hwy 220 S., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring funtional and tradional stoneware by Bruce and Janice Latham. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7303 or e-mail at (lathamspottery@embargmail.com).

Lovin hillss pottery, 564 Loving Hill Rd., Candor. Ongoing - Featuring hand-thrown functional and decorative pieces. Known for hand carved pottery. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Jan.-Mar.). Contact: 910/974-7787 or e-mail at (lhsspottery@connectnc.net).

Luck's Ware, 1606 Adams Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Traditional, utilitarian pottery forms in a wide range of colors including Sid Luck's "CRAWDAD" slip. Salt-glazed stoneware from wood-fired groundhog kiln. Pottery turned by son Matt, a 6th generation potter, also available. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-3261 or e-mail at (lucksware@rtmc. net).

Lufkin Pottery, 7437 Hwy 220 S., Asheboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring jewel tone glazes and specialize in kitchenware and functional pieces by Sally Lufkin Saylor. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm (closed Wed.). Contact: 336/873-8764 or e-mail at (sallythepotter@aol.com).

Maness Pottery, 10995 Hwy. 24/27, Carthage. Ongoing - Featuring functional and decorative pieces in all colors except red by Clyde Maness. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8am-6pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 910/948-4897.

MasterWorks, 246 East Ave., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Featuring antique, traditional, and contemporary pottery. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7779.

McCanless Pottery Downtown Seagrove, 213 E. Main St., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring a new gallery owned by Will McCanless showcasing Seagrove-area potters and quilts by Dr. Scott Murkin. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7036 or at http://www.mccanlesspottery.com/).

McCanless Pottery, 634 NC Hwy 705, Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring Zinc Silicate crystalline glazes by Will McCanless. Also featuring wood-fired pottery by David Stuempfle and Daniel Johnston. Hours: daily 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-3610 or at (www.mccanlesspottery.com).

McKay Pottery, 2596 Pottery Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Featuring traditional shape including face jugs and Aladdin teapots. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-4255.

McNeills Pottery, 1208 Upper Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring hand-built one-of-a-kind designs in porcelain and stoneware by Judy McNeill. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336 879-3002.

Michele Hastings & Jeff Brown Pottery, 505 E Main Street, Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring works by Michele Hastings and Jeff Brown. Hours: Mon., Tues., Thur., Fri., Sat., 10am-5pm and Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 336/873-1001 or at (www.gypsypotters.com).

Moore Pots Pottery, 333 Jugtown Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Featuring traditional and folk art pottery; candlesticks, Rebekah pitchers, and chickens; wood fired salt glazed. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-1453.

Nichols Pottery, 1400 Hwy. 705 S., Seagrove. Ongoing - Country yet classic, functional and decorative. Hand-thrown stoneware with timeless appeal, including an ongoing Biblical appeal. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & (Oct.-Dec.) Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 910/948-4392 or at (www.nicholspotteryshop.com).



Works by O'Quinn Pottery

O'Quinn Pottery, 4456 Busbee Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring multi-colored gas fired functional and decorative pottery by Sandra O Quinn. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-5125.

Old Gap Pottery, 944 NC Hwy. 705, Seagrove **Ongoing -** Contemporary in design; oriental in nature. One-of-a-kind stoneware, Raku, and porcelain by Phillip Pollet. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4 (call ahead). Contact: 336-873-7664.

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Old Hard Times Pottery, 7672 Union Grove Church Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring traditional, as well as utilitarian and decorative pottery. Salt glaze, red glaze, and a variety of colors. Dinnerware, face jugs, angels and luminaries by Janey McNeill. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2481 or e-mail at (oldhardtimes@rtmc.net).

Old House Pottery, 236 Beane Lane, Seagrove. **Ongoing** - Featuring functional stoneware by Fred Beane. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5-pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2052.

Original Owens Pottery, 3728 Busbee Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring gray ware with flower designs and other painting, blues, and lots of red ware by Boyd Owens. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., nnon-5pm. Contact: 910/464-3553.

Pebbles Pottery, 7127 Hwy. 705, Eagle Springs. Ongoing - Hand-turned functional & decorative stoneware with lead-free glazes by Pebbles Bryson. Hand-carved folk art scenes & dogwoods. North Carolina vases are my special items. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Jan.). Contact: 910/948-4120 or e-mail at (PebblesPottery@NCTconnect.com).

Phil Morgan Pottery, 966 Hwy. 705, Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring 100% hand-thrown pottery, crystalline glazed porcelain, wood fired salt-glaze, stoneware, and copper red glazes by Phil Morgan. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7304.

Piney Woods Pottery, 1430 Ether Rd., Star. Ongoing - Sculpted pottery figures - snowmen, clowns and angels; hand appliqués and functional pottery. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/572-3554.

Pottery Junction, 413 E. Main St., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring srong forms drawing inspiration from all cultures, history, and tradition. Thoughtful designs and some of my own "whimsy" pieces as well as useful art collection by Regina Voncannon. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Thur.). Contact: 336/873-9266.

Pottery Road Studio and Gallery, 1387 NC S Hwy. 705, 6 miles south of Seagrove town limits. **Ongoing -** Named after the scenic byway which runs through the Seagrove pottery community, the gallery represents over 100 exclusive artists from NC as well as other areas of the country. Potters, Don and Susan Walton work in a studio attached to the front gallery with a window so that visitors can see the day to day tasks of pottery production. A large selection of art stamps by Rubber Stamp Tapestry is also located in the gallery. Come see both functional and contemporary pottery along with other fine crafts at Pottery Road. Hours: Tue. - Sat., 10am-5pm, & closed major holidays. Contact: 336-879-2600 or (info@potteryroad.com).

Potts Pottery, 630 East Main St., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring many colors of functional tableware, wood-fired salt-glaze and wood ash glazes by Jeff Potts. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5-pm. Contact: 336/873-9660.



Works by Ray Pottery

Ray Pottery, 460 Cagle Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring high-quality, gas-fired stonware by Paul and Sheila Ray. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-6707 or at (www.paulandsheilaray.com).

Richardson Pottery, 5466 Joel Jessup Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Functional & decorative stoneware, microwave, oven and dishwasher safe by Susan & Danny Richardson. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-5672.

Rockhouse Pottery, 1792 Hwy. 705 S., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring Salt glaze and hand carved grapes, dogwood, pines, tulips, oak leaves and chili peppers on pots by Carolyn Poole. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5-pm. Contact: 336/879-2053 or at (www.rtmc. net/~rockhouse).

Scott's Pottery, 143 Jugtown Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring functional hand-made pottery by Tina Scott. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 910/464-2306 or e-mail at (tscott72@rtmc.net).

Seagrove Creations Pottery Gallery, 354 Little River Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Showcasing over 60+ potters and arts from craftsmen within the Seagrove area. Hours: (Apr.-Dec.) Mon.-Sat., 9am-6pm & Sun., 1-6pm (Jan.-Mar.) Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7204 or at (www.potteryofseagrove.com).

Seagrove Pottery, 106 N Broad St., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring works by 50 local potters functional and decorative pieces. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7280.

Seagrove Stoneware, 136 West Main St., Seagrove. Ongoing - Functional and decorative stoneware vases, bowls, lamps, dinnerware, fountains, and floor pieces. All wheel turned and unique glazes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 11am-4pm. Contact: 336/873-8283 or at (www.seagrovestoneware.com).

Semper Fi Pottery, 481 King Road, off of Business 220 S. before you get to Blackankle Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - A family owned and operated business. We are not the traditional potters that you would more than likely see around Seagrove. We like to make each and every piece that we create unique. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/975-1215.

Shelton's Pottery, 391 Cagle Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring salt glaze and purple, red, yellow, yellow w/blue, green, blue, dark blue, light blue, specks, sponge colors, blue w/brown, brown, and beige glazes by Mitchell & Sherri Shelton. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., 9am-5pm (Oct.-Mar.). Contact: 336/963-2444 or e-mail at (sheltonspottery@rtmc.net).

Smith Pottery, 743 South Hwy 705, Seagrove. Ongoing - Spirited - imaginative - unique "art pottery" handcrafted by the Smith family. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-1174 or at (www.smithpotterync.com).

Snowhill Pottery & Tileworks, 402 East Main Street, Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring handmade tile, stoneware sculpture, porcelain jewelry, and slip-trailed pottery by Laura Weant-Johnson. Also also custom tile installations. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 336/301-6681.

Stuempfle Pottery, 1224 Dover Church Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring pottery with expressive shapes and natural surfaces by David Stuempfle. Hours: during kiln openings and by appt. Contact: 910/464-2689 or at (www. stuempflepottery.com).

Studio Touya, 4911 Busbee Road, Seagrove. Ongoing - Studio Touya is a handmade pottery studio located in Seagrove, where Hitomi and Takuro Shibata set up studio and built a Japanese style wood kiln. Our focus is to make simple and functional pottery by using local wild clay and wood firing technique. We named our pottery as "Touya" when we started our small pottery studio in Shigaraki, Japan, and it literary means "pottery house" in Japanese which we really like. Contact: (336)510-7385 or at (www. studiotouya com)

Sunset Pottery, 123 Sunset Dr., Robbins.
Ongoing - Featuring all lead free pottery by
Harold B. & Gloria B. Stutts. Have traditional
pottery, piggy banks, lamps, vases, and special
order pieces. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm.
Contact: 910/948-3009 or e-mail at (gstutts@
maniscustombuilders.com).

Teague's Frogtown Pottery, 179 Frogtown Rd., Eagle Springs. Ongoing - Featuring traditional, hand-thrown pottery that is all lead-free by Jean Teague. We specialize in dinnerware, cookware, lamps, vases, and Christmas ornaments. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/948-3540.

The Gingerbread House Pottery, 246 Old Plank Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring decorative and functional cone 6 electric fired pieces by Suzanne Bettis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm (closed Jan. & Feb.). Contact: 336/873-7762 or e-mail at (suzanbett9@yahoo.com).

Thomas Pottery, 1295 S. Hwy. 705, Seagrove. **Ongoing --** Featuring functional and decorative stoneware pottery by Scott and Bobbie

Thomas. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-4145 or at (www.thomaspottery.com).

Tom Gray Pottery, 1480 Fork Creek Mill Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring wheel thrown and hand built utilitarian wares fired in a gasfired car kiln to cone 10 utilizing local clay in slip decoration and glazes by Tom Gray. Glazes are primarily mattes. Shapes of serving pieces and dinner ware include square and oval as well as round. Hours: Mn.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-8270 or at (www.n2clay.com).

Triple C Pottery, 3267 Big Oak Church Rd., Eagle Springs. Ongoing - Featuring hand-thrown functional and decorative pieces, with a variety of lead-free glazes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/948-3635 or at (www. triplecpottery.com).

Turn and Burn Pottery, 124 East Ave., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring traditional Seagrove salt-glazed and wood-fired stoneware. Contemporary Raku and horsehair by David and Deborah Garner. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7381 or at (www. turnandburnpottery.com).

Uwharrie Crystalline Pottery, 112 East Ave., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring crystalline pottery (the art of growing crystals on vases), raku, and functional stoneware by William & Pamela Kennedy. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7532 or e-mail at (uwharriecrystalline@embarqmail.com).

Vernon Pottery, 1066 Chriscoe Rd., Seagrove. **Ongoing -** Featuring a wide line of wares, from 10 oz. coffee mugs to 12 gal. planters. Their surface treatments include slip-trailing, carving, multiple glazes, and overglaze brushwork. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2788.

Village Pottery and Marketplace, 205 E. Main St., Seagrove. Ongoing - Downtown Seagrove's oldest and largest gallery, featuring fine pottery and crafts by over 100 artisans. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7966 or at (www.seagrovevillagepottery.com).

Walton's Pottery, 1387 S. NC Hwy. 705, Seagrove. Ongoing - Innovative, contempory pottery by Don and Susan Walton located inside Pottery Road Gallery. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/879-2600 or at (www. potteryroad.com).

Westmoore Pottery, 4622 Busbee Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Historical redware, saltglazed stoneware, and green-glazed pottery, especially styles from central NC before 1850 by David and Mary Farrell. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm (closed Dec. 24- Jan. 17). Contact: 910/464-3700 or at (www.westmoorepottery. com).

White Hill Gallery, 407 Highway (15-501), Carthage. Ongoing - Featuring works of beautiful pottery, including Southwest, ceramic, handpainted glassware, wood turining, and paintings in watercolor, oil and pencil. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 10am-5pm; & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 910/947-6100.

Whynot Pottery, 1013 Fork Creek Mill Rd., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring interesting shapes and intriguing glazes. Custom sizes on lamps, vases and bottles by Mark and Meredith Heywood. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/873-9276 or at (www.whynotpottery.com).

Williams Pottery, 2170 Dan Road, Robbins. Ongoing - Functional pottery in multi-colored as well as decorative glazes, Hours: Tue.-Sat. 10am-5pm.

Windsong Pottery, 6109 Brantley Gordon Rd., Denton. Ongoing - Featuring handmade functional stoneware in glazes of floating blue and rainbow by Margie Nance, Matthew Nance, Lydia Nance and other family members. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 336/857-2485 or e-mail at (windsongpottery@yahoo.com).

Wyndham & Brooke Haven Pottery Gallery, 209 East Main St., Seagrove. Ongoing - Featuring fine functional high-fired stoneware with rich contemporary glazes by Wyndham and Melanie Dennison. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 336/873-7254 or at (www.brookehavenpottery.com).

Shelb

Buffalo Creek Gallery, 104 E. Warren Street, Shelby. **Ongoing** - The gallery features paintings, drawings, note cards, polymer clay art, pottery, woodturnings, woodcarvings, jewelry, stained glass, pressed flowers, quilting, weaving and much more! Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm and Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 704/487-0256 ot at (www.buffalocreekgallery.com).

Siler City

Throughout Siler City, July 15, 6-9pm - "Siler City Art Walk," featuring exhibits at many of the city's exhibit spaces, along with music and the good food offered in town on the 3rd Fri, of the month. Hosted by the North Carolina Arts Incubator. Contact: 919/663-1335 or at (www.ncartsincubator.org).

Against His Will Gallery and Studio, 117 E. Second St., Siler City. Ongoing - Featuring handknitted rugs, quality yarn, stunning alpaca fiber in a variety of colors, handmade knitting needles, Fricke spinning wheels as well as very cool mobiles, hand poured environment-friendly candles, and more! Hours: Wed.-Fri., 1-5pm & Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 919/742-1122 or at (www.AgainstHisWillStudio.com).

Chatham Camera Club Gallery, 229 N. Chatham Ave., Siler City, NC. Ongoing - Featuring works by a diverse group of amateur and professional photographers networked together around the idea of sharing our knowledge and experience with each other, while enjoying our interest in photography. Hours: by chance and the 3rd Fri. from 6-9pm. Contact: (www. chathamcameraclub.org).

Hotel Hadley Studios, 130 N. Chatham Ave., Siler City. Ongoing - Featuring works by Kristy Church, Sarah Kuhn and Drucilla Pettibone. We consist of 6 studios and an exhibition space. We will have monthly rotating shows in the gallery space. Hours: 3rd Fri. 6-9pm and by chance and appt. Contact: 919/663-0241 or at (www.hotelhadleystudios.com).

Lakewood Pottery, 11330 Hwy. 64 W., Siler City. Ongoing - Featuring crystalline, high-fired porcelain and gold lusters by Ed Weinthraub. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., noon-4-pm. Contact: 919/663-3743.

Person to Person Art Studio/Gallery, 210 N Chatham Ave., Siler City. Ongoing - Featuring unique art for interesting people, all created by artist Roger Person. Hours: by appt and on the 3rd Fri., 6-9pm. Contact: 919/663-0982 or e-mail at (person@charter.net).

Raleigh Street Gallery, 120 W. Raleigh St., Siler City. Ongoing - Featuring a consortium of many artists from the area painters, sculptors, metal workers, jewelsmiths, basket weavers, soap makers, slate artist, wood workers, - whose works are all on display in a spacious and welcoming atmosphere. Hours: Wed.-Fri., 10am-6pm, by chance or appt. and on 3rd Fri., 6-9pm. Contact: 919/663-6278 or at (www. raleighstreetgallery.com).

Sparta

Blue Ridge Gallery of Fine Art, 103 Gallery Lane, 15 minutes from downtown Sparta. Ongoing - Featuring a variety of artworks by local and regional artists. Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun., 1-6pm, when open - call ahead. Contact: 336/372-1711 (http://www.blueridgefineart.com).

Cater Pots Studio, 209 Antioch Church Road, 4 miles from the town of Sparta. Ongoing - Husband-&-Wife team, Daniel & Robin Cater create beautiful stoneware pottery in their Blue Ridge mountain studio. Cater Pots are fired to cone 6 oxidation, so all functional pottery is food, dishwasher, microwave, and oven safe. Cater Pots mixes their own glazes and applies them to the bisqueware in attractive combinations by various means including dipping, brushing and spraying. Hours: Mostly Wed.-Sat., 10am-4pm - call ahead. Contact: 336/372-4604 or at (http://www.caterpots.com).

Mangum Pottery of Turkey knob, 280 Turkey Hollow Lane, Sparta. Ongoing - Featuring pottery and ceramic art by Robin Mangum in a wide variety of function and form. Hours: hours vary so call ahead. Contact: 336/372-5291 or (http://www.mangumpottery.com).

Statesville

Village Pot Shop Fine Arts and Crafts Gallery, 248 N. Center St., 2 Blocks North of the Center of town on the right, Statesville. Ongoing - Our mission is to provide a showcase for local and regional artists and artisans, providing high-quality decorative and functional arts and crafts to patrons with an eye for the finer things. Our arts and crafts galleries feature handmade jewelry, blown glass, woodwork, regional pottery, metalwork, mosaics, hand-woven fibers, paintings and more. So, whether you are interested in: vases, bowls, paper weights, fanciful ornaments, stained glass, sun-catchers, decorative boxes, exquisite bowls turned from found pieces of wood, each one of a kind, watercolors, baskets, ceramics, fine photography. prints, collages or oil paintings. We also offer classes and workshops by local and regional

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artists. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10:30am-5pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 704/380-4689 or at (www. villagepotshop.com)

Swansboro

Tidewater Gallery, 107 N. Front Street, the W.E. Mattocks house, one block from Hwy. 24, Swansboro. Ongoing - The gallery offers a diverse collection of fine art, fine crafts and custom framing. The collection includes watercolors, oil & acrylic paintings, pastels, photography, stone, metal & metal sculpture, ceramics, art glass, pottery & ceramics, jewelry decoys and fiber art from regional artists and others from around the US, including: Paris Alexander, Charles Albert, Kwon Hyun Allister, John Althouse, Leann Aylward, Linda Anderson, Maggie Arndt, Diana Moses Batkin, Sheila Brodnick, Michael Brown, Rebecca Caeden, Connie Chadwell, Robin Cheers, Suzanne Clements, Elizabeth Corsa, Judy Crane, Karen Lee Crenshaw, Lisinda Dobbs, Mary Erickson, Justine Ferreri, Kevin Geraghty, Sally Gilmour, Lisa Gloria, Stephen Greer, Robin Grazetti, Suzanne Grover, James Havens, Paul Hee, Pat House, Carl Hultman, Hsu Studios, Ann Huml, Charles Larrabino, Patrick Johnson, Michelle Kaskovich, Sharon Kearns, Jean Kennedy, Lisa Kessler, Margot Dizney Loy, Ann Boyer LePere, Sabrina Lewandowski, Margaret Martin, Larry McDonald, George Mitchell, Mitchell Morton, Susan Moses, Kim Mosher, Christine O'Connell, Sara O'Neill, Nancy Orcutt, Kimberly Carter Pigott, Alan Potter, Kim Roberti, Donna Robertson, Dianne Rodwell, Mike Rooney, Joyce Ross, Beth E. Roy, Susan Scoggins, Pam Shank, Lois Sharpe, Jim Snyders, David Sobatta, Bonnie Stabler, Beth Stevens, Vicki Sutton, Jerry Talton, Catherine Thornton, Ray Voelpel, Doris Ward, Mary Warshaw, Eileen Williams, Jim Wordsworth, Scott Young, and Aggie Zed. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/325-0660 or at (www.tidewatergallery

Karcher Stone Carving Studio & Gallery, 260 North Beta Road, off US 74, Sylva. **Ongoing** - Featuring a working studio and gallery with stone carvings by Collene Karcher, executed in marble, alabaster, and limestone with steel and aluminum introduced at times. Hours: by appt only. Contact: 828/586-4813 or at (www. collenekarcher.com

Play It Again Records Building, 150 West Main Street. Valdese. Window Gallery, July 1 - 31 - Featuring works by Ed W. Lane, Photographer. Hours: 24/7. Contact: David Mench by e-mail at (Waggletone@yahoo.com).

Wadesboro

Olde Mill Gallery & Studios, Lockhart-Taylor Center, 514 N. Washington St., Wadesboro. Ongoing - At the gallery visitors will see artwork by regional artists which includes: original paintings in oil, acrylic & watercolor, that range from landscapes to abstracts; photography; works in copper and copper repousse; ceramic creations, custom sculptured and functional; art glass jewelry, jewelry made from beads of Swarvoski crystal; hand-stitched quilts of exquisite designs; hand painted goblets, pitchers and vases; wood sculptures and turnings, and more. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-5pm; Fri., uam-spm or by appt. Contact: 704/272-5464 or at (www.oldemillgallery.org).

Stewart's Village Gallery, 116 McDonald St., Waxhaw. Ongoing - Featuring pottery by Bill Stewart, as well as works by over 300 other artists including both decorative and functional handmade pieces. The gallery is filled with pottery, jewelry, wrought iron, garden accents, decorative whimsy and so much more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 704/843-5638 or at (www.stewartsvillagegallery.com).

Waynesville

Blue Owl Studio & Gallery, 11 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing -** Featuring art and pottery by local and regional artists, plus our own unique and exclusive collection of vintage handcolored art advertising, quotes and mountain scenes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm & (in season) Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/456-9596 or at (www.blueowlnc.com).

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Burr Studio & Gallery, 136 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing -** Featuring lyrical sculpture by Dane Burr, functional pottery by MaryEtta Burr, and works by other artisans in various media. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/456-7400.

Earthworks Gallery, 21 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing -** Featuring art in all mediums celebrating native peoples and our earth. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-1pm. Contact: 828/452-9500 or at (www. earthworkssgallery.com).

Grace Cathey Gallery & Sculpture Garden, 136 Depot Street, inside and behind Walker Service Station, Waynesville. Ongoing - Featuring works in metal by Grace Cathey including mirrors, lanps, and garden art. Demonstrations on some weekends. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 7am-6pm & Fri.-Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 828/456-8843 or at (www.gracecathey.com).

Ridge Runner Naturals, 33 N. Main Street, Waynesville. Ongoing - Featuring watercolor scenes of the mountains, quiet meadows and whispering forest of Western North Carolina by Jo Ridge Kelley. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5:30pm. Contact: 828/456-3003 or at (www.

Studio Thirty-Three, 33 Pigeon St., Waynesville. Ongoing - A unique jewelry studio and gallery, featuring the works of national award winning regional jewelers and full service studio offering fine handcrafted jewelry, custom design and restoration. Specializing in custom wedding bands and one-of-a-kind designs as well as rare and exotic gemstones. Hours: Tue.-Sat, 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 828/456-3443.

T. Pennington Art Gallery, 15 N. Main Street, Waynesville. Ongoing - Featuring pencil drawings of local scenery, and landmarks by Teresa Pennington, including originals, prints and gift items. Also framing is available. Hours: Mon.sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/452.9284 or at (www.tpennington.com).

Textures, 142 N. Main St., Waynesville. Ongoing - Featuring hand-crafter furniture by John Gernandt, textile art by Suzanne Gernandt, and other items of home decore. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & most Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/452-0058 or at (www.texturesonmain.com)

The Jeweler's Workbench, 80 N. Main St., Waynesville. **Ongoing -** Specializing in fine hand-crafted jewelry, custom design and repair limited edition watches and jewelry boxes. Featuring award-winning artists of the Great Smoky Mountains and from across the country. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 828/456-2260.

Twigs & Leaves, 98 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing -** Featuring the nature-related porcelain works with leaves by Kaaren Stoner, as well as other works by regional artists and craftsmen. Hours: Tue.-Sat, 10am-5:30pm. Contact: 828/456-1940 or at (www.twigsandleaves.com)

Weaverville

Mangum Gallery, 16 North Main Street, Weav erville. **Ongoing -** Featuring functional and decorative pottery dinnerware. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm and Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/645-4929 or (www.mangumpottery.com).

Miya Gallery, 31 N. Main St., Weaverville. Ongoing - The gallery is a new and refreshing addition to the WNC art scene. We exhibit work of over 50 artists: fine jewelry, clay, wood, glass, metal, fiber, photogrphy and two dimensional art. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-4pm, Contact: 828-658-9655 or at (www.miyagallery.com).

West Jefferson

Acorn Gallery, 103 Long St., West Jefferson. Ongoing - Featuring original works by award winning and nationally exhibited artist Raney Rogers, including wildlife and landscape paintings and prints. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-5pm & Sat., 11am-2pm. Contact: 336/246-3388 or at (www.acorngallery.com).

Ashe Custom Framing & Gallery, 105 S. Jefferson Ave., West Jefferson. Ongoing - Featuring a varied selection of originals and prints by local and regional artists. Also, a wide array of pottery and handcrafted wooden vases. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 336/246-2218.

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Broomfields Gallery, 414 E. 2nd St, (across from the post office), West Jefferson. Ongoing - Featuring an exhibition of works by NC and SC artists in various mediums in a setting of quality antiques. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 336/846-4141 or at (www.broomfieldsgallery.com)

621N4Th Gallery, 621 North 4Th Street,

neighborhood. The gallery location provides es-

tablished and emerging artists the opportunity

manner Hours: Mon.-Thur., 1-5pm & 4th Friday,

6-9pm or by appt. Contact: 910/763-2012 or at

1125-H Military Cutoff Rd., Wilmington. Ongo-

ing - Featuring works by over 100 regionally

and nationally renowned artists in a variety of

media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact:

910/256-2323 or at (www.spectrumartgallery.

The ArtWorks, 200 Willard Street, Wilmington.

Ongoing - The ArtWorks is an art village pro-

viding art studios, gallery space, and an event

artists, educational opportunities, and enhance-

venue; fostering a creative environment for

ment of the Wilmington community, through

art. Our Mission is to enhance the community,

assist the artist, contribute to the revitalization

of downtown Wilmington, to preserve Wilming-

ton's commercial landmarks, and to increase

Holiday hours: Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat, 10am-3pm

and 4th Fri. 6-9pm. Contact: 910/352-7077 or

The Golden Gallery, @ The Cotton Exchange,

307 N. frint St., Wilmington. Ongoing - Featur-

ing works by John W. Golden and Mary Ellen

Three Hounds Gallery, 29 S. Front St., Wilm-

ington. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Wayne

McDowell, Jeff Chase, Dick Roberts, Shawn

Best. Kristin Gibson, Fritzi Huber, Joanne Gei-

sel, Christa Sylvester, Brian Evans, Mark Gor-

don, Rex Miller, and jewelry by Emily Parker. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11:30am-5:30pm; Fri. and

Contact: 910/815-3330 or at (www.threehound-

Winston-Salem Area

Downtown Arts District, Sixth and Trade

streets, Winston-Salem. July 1, 7-10pm -

"DADA First Friday Gallery Hop," with special

artist demonstrations, art exhibits, and shops

and studios open evening hours. Events are

free and open to the public. Gallery Hops are

funded and sponsored by the Downtown Art

District Association, a non profit organization,

and their supporting memberhship. Contact:

Blessings, 823 Reynolda Road, Winston-

Thrift, Christine McCormick and Sharon

Grubbs. Their work encompasses original

landscapes, figurative works and still life in a

contemporary style of realism. Also offering

an exhibit of 19th Century Chinese Ancestor

Portraits. The show is enhanced by a display

of Chinese silk opera gowns. Hours: Fri.&Sat., 11am-5pm and Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 336/922-

Delurk Gallery, 207 W 6th Street, Winston-Sa-

lem. **Ongoing -** An artist run gallery, dedicated

work. Hours: Wed.-Sat., noon-8pm; Sun., noon-

6pm: & till 10pm on 1st Fri. Contact: 336/486-

Earthbound Arts, 610 N. Trade St., Winston-

Salem. **Ongoing -** Featuring an unique galler

Jones and Lucy Duncan. Original designs

in clay, copper, and stained glass as well as

garden art, clay beads, herbal teas, natural

incense, beeswax candles and much more.

handcrafted herbal soaps, sterling and copper

jewelry, block print cards, masks, wind chimes,

Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 336/773-

1043 or e-mail at (lucy@earthboundarts.com).

Fiber Company, 600 N. Trade Street, Winston

Salem. Ongoing - Fiber Company is a working

studio and partnership of five women creating

wearable art, home accessories and textile art

With over 60 consignment artists, most local

artists, Fiber Company offers a wide range of

gift items. Hours: Tue., 11am-3pm; Wed.-Fri.,

11am-5pm; Sat., 11am-3pm & by appt. Contact:

336/725-5277 or e-mail at (fibercompany@gmail.

Island Arts On Trade, 521 N. Liberty St., Ste.

100, in the Artists On Liberty Building, across

from the DADA Community Center, Winston-

Salem. Ongoing - Featuring visual and func-

tional artwork by gallery artist, Gary Campbell.

located in the heart of the Downtown Art District.

showcasing the nature-related works of Gordon

to the exposure and sale of current artists'

3444 or at (www.delurkgallery.com)

Salem. Ongoing - Featuring works by Marsha

Sat., 11:30am-7:30pm & Sun., noon-3pm.

Golden. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm &

Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 910/762-4651 or at

(www.thegoldengallery.com).

sgallery.com)

336/722-2345.

the livelihood of local artists and provide a

place to create and display all types of art.

at (jim.knowles@theartworks.com).

Spectrum Art & Jewelry, @ The Fourm,

(http://621n4th.com/index.php).

to exhibit and sell their work in a professional

Stephen Shoemaker Studio, 113 S. Jefferson Ave., West Jefferson. Ongoing - Featuring original works by watercolorist Stephen Shoemaker. Specializing in historic landscapes and paintings of places and events in/of Ashe County and the area. The "Virginia Creeper" train series is particularly popular. Hours: Mon-Fri., 10am-5pm or by chance. Contact: 336/246-3401.

Wilmington

Downtown Wilmington. July 24, 6-9pm -"Fourth Friday Gallery Nights," featuring a free monthly event where downtown galleries and studios open their doors to the public in an after-hours celebration of art and culture. The art walk is a self-guided tour featuring exhibitions of various artistic genres including oils, acrylics, watercolors, pastels, metals, ceramics, mixed media and more. Maps are available at all participating locations as well as the Visitors and Convention Center. For more info visit (www.wilmingtonfourthfridays.com).

Acme Art Studios, 711 N. 5th Ave., downtown Wilmington. Through July 15 - "OMNI," an interactive art experience hosted by a new group of mindful artists. Ongoing - Featuring works by Allan Nance, Angela Rowe, Angie Sinclair, Anna Kennedy, Chaz Manacsa, Dick Roberts, Dumay Gorham, Fritzi Huber, Gary Breece, Grey Pascal, Karen Crouch, Kristen Crouch, Marshall Milton, MJ Cunningham, Nicolle Nicolle, Pam Toll.Mark Weber, Arrow Ross, and Mike Johnson. Hours: are by appt. only. Contact: Dick Roberts at 910/232-0027, e-mail (dickdow64@gmail.com) or Angela Rowe at (arowe@ec.rr.com) or at (www.acme-art-

Bottega Art & Wine Gallery, 208 N. Front St., Wilmington. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by regional and international artists in a variety of media. Hours: Tue.-Wed., 1-10pm and Thur-Sat., 1pm-midnight. Contact: 910/763-3737 or at (www.bottegagallery.com).

Checker Cab Gallery, 130 N. Front Street, Suite 102, Wilmington. Ongoing - The gallery is a full-service gallery featuring abstract and representational artwork serving collectors of all levels. It is downtown Wilmington's most dynamic gallery featuring original artwork by regional emerging and established artists, offering the public the opportunity to get to know and understand the artists directly. Hours: Tue.-Thur., noon-7pm; Fri.-Sat., noon-9pm; & Sun., noon-7pm. Contact: 919/270-1711 or at (www. checkercabproductions.com)

ERA 20th Century Furniture and Art Gallery, 523 South 3rd St., Wilmington. Ongoing -Inviting emerging artists of all sorts, to fill the quiet space with cutting edge art that not only is pleasant to view, but also thought-provoking. Unique modern furnishings from the mid-20th century complement the contemporary art. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 910/612-0542.

New Elements Gallery, 216 North Front Street, Wilmington. Through July 16 - "Vibrant Lives," featuring work by Ann Conner and Warren Dennis. Ongoing - Featuring works by regional and nationally recognized artists. We offer a wide variety of contemporary fine art and craft, including paintings, sculpture, ceramics, glass, iber, jeweiry and wood. Hours: Tue-Sal., Tran 6pm or by appt. Contact: 910/343-8997 or at (www.newelementsgallery.com).

SALT Studio & The Gallery at SALT Studio, 805 N. 4th Street, inside the historic Modern Baking Building in the heart of the Brooklyn Arts District - enter through glass door under the building overhang, the gallery is at the end of the hallway Wilmington. Ongoing - The Gallery at SALT Studio is Wilmington NC's only fine art photography gallery. The gallery exhibits fine art photography by national, international, and local artists. The gallery strives to bring thought provoking, aesthetic, photo-based works of art to Wilmington. All of our exhibition openings are on the Fourth Friday Gallery Nights each month as administered by The Arts Council of Wilmington. SALT Studio is a photography studio that offers high caliber, personalized photographic services with a unique edge to Wilmington. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm and Sat., noon-5pm. Call prior to coming to make sure we are open and not on location shooting a job. Contact: 910/367-5720 or at (http://Salt-StudioNC.com).

NC Commercial Galleries Wilmington. Ongoing - The gallery is an artistrun gallery, studio and office space located in the heart of downtown Wilmington's Brooklyn

Also, featuring other multicultural artists and mixed media artwork throughout the year. Hours: Fri.-Sat., 1-5pm or by appt. Contact: 336/722-0510.

Patina, 217 W. 6th St., Winston-Salem. Ongoing - Featuring a unique shop with art by local potters, craftspeople, and painters. Patina also carries unique clothing, gifts, home accessories and gift baskets. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 336/725-6395 or e-mail at (patinastore@aol.com).

The Other Half, 560 North Trade St., Winston Salem. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by Mary Ann Zotto, Chris Teague, Nic Bernard, Dodie Campbell, Jack Dent, Celeste Chapman-Dent, Ron Propst, Jason Probstein, Kathy Townsend and Mike Cowan. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 336/407-5494 or e-mail at (peeps321@earthlink.net).

Village Smith Galleries/VSG Fine Arts, 119 Reynolda Village, near Reynolda House Museum of Art, Winston-Salem. Ongoing - American and European watercolors, oils, antique engravings and contemporary works by Gorg, McKnight, Boulanger, Alvar, Nicole Monteran, Stephen White and other gallery artists. National and regional crafts are represented in the fields of ceramic and glass. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 336/723-3653.

Winterfire Craft Gallery, 145 Stratford Road, Winston-Salem. Ongoing - Featuring pottery by Hank Goodman as well as hand-crafted jewelry, metal sculpture, hand-thrown pottery, art glass, and calligraphy prints. Hours: Mon.-Fri.. 10am-6pm; Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 11am-5pm. Contact: 336/748-0145.

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The obvious questions would be: are they going to advertise these "Cultural Districts" to the traveling public, are they going to give these areas special funding, are they going to print up a brochure showing where the are in South Carolina, will the Highway Department mark the area with special "brown" signs, or will they even get a plaque?

None of that matters for as soon as these reas become points of destinations - landlords will raise their rents so high to move them out for other high paying renters who want to be in this new hot district.

It's an age old problem for artists and people in the art biz - they move into an area unpopular that has cheap rents, the area starts to attract visitors, landlords start to increase rents for developers who are attracted to trendy areas - artists are pushed out of the area they helped create.

What the Arts Commission should be spending their time doing is getting small towns and cities to declare "special art rent areas" where the artists who move into a less than desirable area get to keep that same rent for up to 20 years, no matter how hot the area becomes because they are there.

Some people would argue that artists should buy the buildings they move into so they don't have to worry about rents being raised (these same folks probably think property taxes don't factor into these decisions). And why would you move an art studio or gallery into a not-so-hot area anyway? Because you can't afford to be in the regular business district.

These city and town leaders would also have to make tax breaks and incentives for these landlords too so they don't lose out by keeping the rent low

So instead of giving the artists and art biz folks meaningless titles, give them something that really matters - rent stability.

Here's a list of the current cities and town who have a "Cultural Districts" in SC: Rock Hill, Lancaster, Spartanburg, Congaree Vista, Beaufort, and Bluffton.

Eventually like Verner Awards, everyone will have one. You just have to wait your

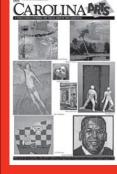
Of course everything we look at here at Carolina Arts is focused on the visual arts and what I see in this list is what's not on it - Charleston. I can take just one street in downtown Charleston - Broad Street - and it has more galleries than any official SC 'Cultural District".

I doubt anyone in Charleston is rushing to become an official SC "Cultural District" but downtown Charleston is the textbook definition of a cultural district. And, it's the least people visiting from New York, Chicago, LA, or Dallas would expect for anyone to call it a cultural district - much less people visiting from London, Paris, or Rome. If I opened a gallery in Bonneau tomorrow it would be a cultural district in that town - all things are relative.

Give artists and people in the art biz rent stability and they'll help an area become more than it was to begin with and in time maybe even a cultural district under the Arts Commission's standards, but just giving them a title is like giving a thirsty child a package of Kool-Aid. What good is it without water?

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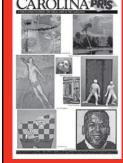
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