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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 MM 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.

Trackside Studios, 375 Depot Street, River Arts District, Asheville. Ongoing - Featuring works by 20 artists with 14 working studios. Hours: Daily 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/545-2904 or at (www.tracksidestudios375.com).

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).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Asheville 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**

Vision Gallery, 407 Atlantic Beach Causeway, 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**

In Tandem Gallery, 20 North Mitchell Ave., Bakersville. Aug. 1 - 31 - "New Work by Noel Bailey". Bailey, who is a native of Waitsfield, VT, creates amazing work that epitomizes the area he lives. The light to dark color transition, altered contours, and smooth surfaces reminds one of cold, windswept, snow-capped mountains. Ongoing - Featuring a gallery in downtown Bakersville to attract, display, and promote artists from coast to coast, offering one of the best selections of ceramic, iewelry and art from all over America and beyond. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm, or by appt. Contact: 828/688-6428 or at (www.intandemgallery.com).

Mica - Fine Contemporary Craft, 37 N. Mitchell Avenue, Bakersville. Through Oct. 15 - "Flights of Fancy," is a richly varied visual celebration of birds, birds and more birds in honor of the only creature that truly takes flight. Birds are age-old

symbols of freedom and power, and "Flights of Fancy" artists interpret these qualities both mythically and realistically in works they have created especially for this exciting show. Mica, a cooperative gallery, invites guest artists Josh Cote. with wire sculpture; Elizabeth Brim, working in iron, Shane Fero, glass artist; and Mary Webster, a painter; to render pieces that uniquely illuminate and celebrate our planet's winged creatures. 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., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/688-6422 or at (www.micagallerync.com).

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).



Work by Tony Griffin

Art Cellar Gallery, 920 Shawneehaw Ave., Hwy 184, Banner Elk. Through Aug. 12 - "20 Years in Review, A Retrospective - Tony Griffin". From landscapes in blues and greens to the soft pastels in his figurative paintings and drawings, Griffin's work on canvas or paper is truly inspiring. With a unique impressionistic style he brings the viewer into his works of art, onlookers feel as though they are there with him as he paints. Aug. 2 - 26 - "Life on Canvas, Noyes Capehart Retrospective". A retrospective exhibition of Noyes Capehart's complex and layered artworks. His shadowy, cryptic messages are often embedded in the evocative landscapes. Artist Talk and Book Signing will be held on Aug. 6, from 2-4pm. Aug. 13, from 2-4pm - Conversations with William Dunlap and Artist Talk and Book Signing. Aug. 28 - Oct. 21 - "Artist Invitational. The Next 25 Years". An exciting opportunity to see the work of promising regional artists whose work merits wider recognition. Gathering of the Artists, on Sept. 2, from 4-6pm. Dec. 16, from 3-5pm - "Holiday Open House". Share the joyous season in beautiful High Country surroundings. 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. Ongoing - Traditional and abstract paintings in landscapes, still life's, figurative, non-objective 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.

#### **Beaufort**

Craving Art Studio, 121 Craven Street, Beaufort. Ongoing - Featuring the working space of artist Heather Sink. 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 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).

#### **Belmont**

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, banjos, 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 leaturing 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: 828/669-0222`.

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 (Next to Food Lion), Blowing Rock. Aug. 14 - 26 - "Close To Home," a solo show offering new work by Jason Drake. A reception will be held on Aug. 19, from 5-8pm. This show features works for sale in watercolor, egg tempera, and oil. "These are compositions depicting the landscapes, figures and still life, subjects that emerge from the mountain community where I live. I consider myself a patient observer of the quiet, simple, framework that makes up life in this region and my images evoke a connection to the people and places that have meaning to me," says Drake. Ongoing - Blowing Rock Frameworks and Gallery is celebrating their 23rd year in the business of custom framing and fine art sales. They represent some of the High Country's most prolific and profound artists, displaying an array of subject matter from landscapes to historical paintings. A few artist's on display at the gallery include best seller, Lita Gatlin, Jason Drake, watercolorist Wes Waugh, Robin Wellner, folk artist Wiili, and even oils from the famous Elliott Daingerfield. 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 nome. 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 glass, 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.

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