

College of Charleston in Charleston, SC, Offers Annual Student Exhibit

The College of Charleston in Charleston, SC, is presenting *Young Contemporaries 2017: 32nd Annual Juried Student Exhibition*, on view in the Halsey Institute Galleries, through Apr. 29, 2017. Artist Talks will be held on Apr. 1, beginning at 2pm.

Each spring, current College of Charleston students and recent grads are eligible to submit their work to be considered for the *Young Contemporaries* exhibition. This gives them an opportunity to have their work chosen by a nationally prominent juror and exhibit in a professional gallery setting. For the 2017 exhibition, visiting artist Josephine Halvorson has been chosen to select works.

The annual exhibition shows off the brightest talents coming out of the College's School of the Arts, including paint-

ers, sculptors, printmakers, and photographers.

Concurrent with *Young Contemporaries* will be the *Salon des Refusés* exhibition, showing in the Hill Exhibition Gallery within The Marion and Wayland H. Cato Jr. Center for the Arts. The origin of the *Salon des Refusés* dates to Paris in 1863, when artists who had been rejected from the official Salon caused such a protest that Emperor Napoleon III ordered another exhibition held for them. Among the painters in this *Salon des Refusés* were Camille Pissaro, Henri Fantin-Latour, James M. Whistler, and Edouard Manet. The *Salon des Refusés* will be on view through Apr. 11, 2017.

For more info check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call 843/953-4422 or visit (www.halsey.cofc.edu).

Coastal Discovery Museum on Hilton Head Island, SC, Offers 17th Annual Juried Fine Art & Craft Show at Historic Honey Horn

The Art Market at Historic Honey Horn, a juried fine art and craft festival will be held Apr. 29 and Apr. 30, 2017, on Hilton Head Island, SC. The event will host ninety accomplished artists from the region and from across the country who will bring their best work to compete for \$5,000 in prize money. Artists were juried into this show to provide a wide variety of fine art, photography, sculpture, jewelry, ceramics, wood, and fiber arts.

This year's winning artists will be selected by Barbara Heimsch, a ceramic and mosaic artist with a degree in Fine Art and Psychology. She was the Director of the Marian Gallery at Mount Mary University for 8 years and the Director of the Morning Glory Fine Craft Show in Wisconsin for 10 years. She is currently a board member of the Wisconsin Designer Crafts Council, one of the oldest artist-run organizations in the country, and has served as a juror for numerous gallery exhibitions and shows in the upper Midwest.

Also serving as a judge this year is Elizabeth Greenberg. She has a MA in Art History from the Courtauld Institute, a MA in Museum Studies from FIT and a BA in History from Dartmouth. She has served as the Director of the Opalka Gallery at Sage Colleges since 2013, where she focuses on modern and contemporary art & design. In addition to customary fine art shows, she has also produced numerous exhibitions and catalogs on topics ranging from the art of video game design to Jewish women fashion designers.

Rain or shine, the outdoor show is open to the public on Saturday from 10am-5pm and on Sunday from 11am-4pm. There is a \$3.00 per person admission charge. Demonstrations will be held throughout the weekend. Food, beverages, ice cream and Italian ices will be available from Jack Frost.



Work by John Crum from SC

While you are here, explore our beautiful grounds. Nestled within the arms of the interior salt marsh of Jarvis Creek, lies a 68 acre parcel of land which has been known as Honey Horn Plantation for more than two centuries. It is the largest parcel of open land on Hilton Head Island and the last property that you can enter and envision what the island was like before it was developed. Wander among the oldest homes on the island, magnificent live oaks and ancient cedars, and beautiful wide-open fields that harken back to the days when this was a quiet agrarian community. Experience what the island was once, is now, and hopefully will be in the future.

The temporary entrance to the Museum for The Art Market and Coastal Discovery Museum is on 278 eastbound, between Spanish Wells and Gumtree Road.

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Museum at 843/689-6767 or visit (www.coastaldiscovery.org).

Pluff Mudd Art Gallery in Bluffton, SC, Celebrates Its 15th Anniversary

Pluff Mudd Art Gallery in Bluffton, SC, will hold a celebration for its 15th Birthday Celebration on May 4, 2017, from 3 to 7pm. Refreshments, giveaways, music, and of course, lots of great art will be part of this event!

This co-op gallery opened in the old Mercantile Building in 2002 under the name, "A Guild of Bluffton Artists". Four years later it became Pluff Mudd Art and moved across the street to its present location in the little yellow cottage at 27 Calhoun Street. The gallery features 23 local artists from Bluffton, Beaufort and Hilton Head and offers a variety of mediums: watercolor, oil, and acrylic painting, photography, jewelry, pottery, wood arts, fiber art, glass, sweet grass baskets, and metal. Little wonder this gallery has been voted the best and most eclectic gallery in

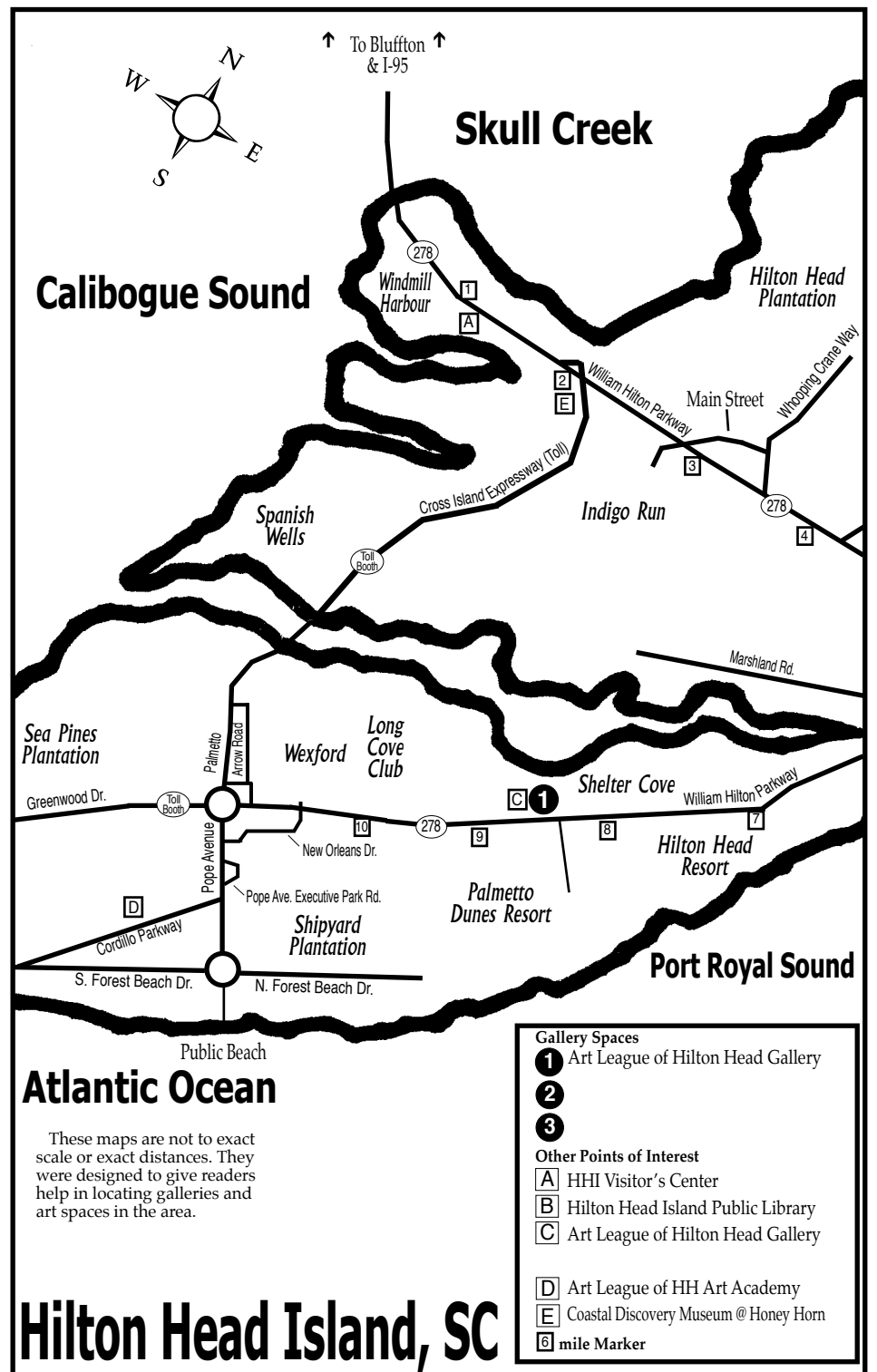


A view from outside Pluff Mudd Art Gallery

Bluffton!

The artists of Pluff Mudd Art Gallery include: Bob Berman, Terry Brennan, Peggy Carvell, Cheryl Eppolito, Ed Funk, Vickie Jourdan, David Knowlton, Mary Lester, Marilyn McDonald, Michael B.

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