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The Wilmington Art Association in partnership with the YMCA would like to extend an invitation to you to attend the SilverArts. Come and join us as we celebrate and support the creativity and talent of our artistic friends and neighbors here in Wilmington and beyond.

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200 Willard Street, Wilmington

FRIDAY, MAY 9TH — SATURDAY, MAY 10TH OPEN: 10:00AM - 4:00PM SUNDAY, MAY 11TH (MOTHER'S DAY) OPEN: NOON — 4PM

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painting longer so to accommodate for new ideas."

"My style of painting involves creating a complicated background of hundreds of grids of varying colors," adds Micah. "When done, the background will loosely look the intended composition. From there I concentrate on adding detail to segments of the painting. This method allows me the most expression because different parts are all done at different times. For example, a typical landscape composition might have twenty different trees. Painting all the trees during the same session will tend to create too many similarities and thus a boring composition. Patience and time allows my paintings to reflect my varying emotions

and moods and in a strange way create a sense of balance and harmony in what are sometimes very detailed and confusing compositions."

Mullen learned to paint by being immersed in art for most of his life. His father taught art at the college level for over three decades and continues his passion in his retirement. Micah received a Bachelor's degree from SUNY Brockport and later a Master's degree from Duquesne University. He currently lives in Raleigh, NC.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the Council at 910/455-9840, or visit (www.jaxarts.com).

# Sunset River Marketplace in Calabash, NC, Features Garden Inspired Artworks

Sunset River Marketplace in Calabash, NC, is featuring *Garden Inspirations: Think Outside the Boxwood*, on view through May 31, 2014, owner Ginny Lassiter has announced. The exhibition includes work from 25 of the gallery's exhibiting artists along with Lassiter's collection of furniture and other garden pieces.

Lassiter, who is also a creative consultant and designer, says, "I love to repurpose furniture. One of the pieces in the show is a rustic painted potting bench that would also make a wonderful sideboard or bar in the right setting. That's what this show is about. It's also an exciting opportunity to bring some of our floral artists and potters to the forefront."

Clay art plays a major role in *Garden Inspirations*. A whimsical clay garden glove by A.J. Kessee hangs on the potting bench. Ceramic suns by potters Betsy Parker and Jamie Futera shine both indoors and out. Jane Truesdale and Janice Wyckoff have



created clay bird nests to further blur the lines between your house and garden.

On the walls hang garden favorites such as *Gloriosa Superba*, oil by Celia Wester; *Geraniums*, watercolor by Janet Dixon; *Sunflowers*, photography by Louis Aliotta; *Red Carnations*, oil by the late Ramona Bendin; and *Red Petunia*, watercolor by Ed Harris. Other works include hand blown art glass pears by Scott Summerfield; metal *continued on Page 46* 

Wilmington Art Association

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