City of North Charleston, SC, **Features Works by HEART Inclusive Arts Community**

The City of North Charleston's Cultural Arts Department is pleased to announce that a group exhibition of mixed media works by HEART Inclusive Arts Community will be on display at Park Circle Gallery, in North Charleston, SC, through Aug. 31, 2024. The artists will host a free public reception at the gallery on Aug. 2, from 5-7pm. Admission is free.

In their group exhibition, To the Great Unknown, members of HEART Inclusive Arts Community present a collection of tactile and interactive mixed media works that explore the things we might not know; the question marks in life. Wonder. Mystery. Excitement. Fear. The unknown is infinite and so are our feelings towards it. There is much to be learned from what we do not know. Respect, empathy, humility. The featured works demonstrate how Unknowns vary from person to person and how we experience them. Each piece urges the viewer to take a moment to let go and "cheers" to the Great Unknown.

HEART is a 501(c)3 non-profit that provides visual arts, music, and performing arts mentorships and community engagement for adults with disabilities who want to grow and develop as artists. They have created a studio where artists of all abilities work together to create something that enriches and transforms the community. Inclusion in any field takes great efforts and HEART is proud to be leading the way for inclusion in the Charleston arts community. Since 2014, they have shaped opportunities for adults with disabilities to create compelling art, lasting relationships, and foster community support.



Works from HEART Inclusive Arts Community

HEART currently supports over 20 artists who have shown their work throughout the Lowcountry, including Public Works Art Center in Summerville, The Charleston Pour House on Johns Island, and Hed Hi Media and the Charleston Music Hall in downtown Charleston. Learn more about the organization and its artists at ((www. heeartsc.org).

The Park Circle Gallery is located on Jenkins Avenue in North Charleston. Admission is free and free street parking is available on Jenkins Avenue in front of the gallery, as well as on the adjacent streets and in parking lots close by.

For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings, call the gallery at 843/637-3565 or visit the Arts & Culture section of the City's website at (www.northcharleston.org).

Charleston Artist Guild in Charleston, SC, Features Works by Christine Blyth

The Charleston Artist Guild in Charleston, SC, will present Line Dance, featuring works by Christine Blyth, on view in the Guild Gallery, from Aug. 1 - 31, 2024. A reception will be held on Aug. 2, from 5-8pm.

Blyth's exhibition showcases her new series of mixed media works, exploring energetic lines and marks juxtaposed against subtle neutral tones and amorphous shapes, capturing both potency and peace in balance.

Blyth, a native of Charleston, SC, has pursued creative endeavors since childhood, including sewing, fashion designing, and quilting. After establishing her career and raising a family in Orlando, FL, Blyth reignited her passion for art. She attended Seminole State College in Central Florida, where she discovered her talent for drawing and painting.

Blyth's vibrant abstracts, created with acrylic paint, charcoal, pencil, and crayon, reflect her quest for balance and peace. Her artistry continues to captivate audi-





Work by Christine Blyth

ences, making her a celebrated figure in the Charleston art community.

The Charleston Artist Guild Gallery is located on East Bay Street in Charleston, SC. For further information check our SC Institutional Gallery listings or call Steve Jacobs at 843/722-2454.

Halsey - McCallum Studio William Halsey क्ष Corrie McCallum



Growing by William Halsey, 1992 oil pastel and paint stick on paper, 18 x 24 inches

Both artists are recipients of the Elizabeth O'Neill Verner Award



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Painting by Corrie McCallum

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McClellanville Arts Council in McClellanville, SC, Features Works by Students of Emmy Bronson

The McClellanville Arts Council in McClellanville, SC, is presenting Students of Emmy Bronson: She's Still Teaching -51Years!, on view through Aug. 24, 2024.

Elizabeth (Emmy) Bronson has found that her life in McClellanville has nurtured her life long work as an artist and teacher. She has been an award winning artist and accomplished teacher for decades - five!

She co-founded the Ernest Albert Land School of Art in Falls Church, VA. Life took an amazing turn when she married Gary Bronson. They married and went on an adventure that enriched her life in every way, especially as an artist. She bought a sailboat in Camden, ME, and she attended Womenship in Annapolis, MD, to learn to sail.

They sailed along the New England coast and she had a first hand opportunity to paint the coast. She became a member of the American Society of Marine Artists at the Mystic Maritime Gallery in Mystic, CT. She was designated as one of the Distinguished Women in Maritime Art. They sailed down to Charleston to continue the journey and she added portraits to her repertoire of genre. She has painted a long list of notables in Charleston. Many for the Hibernia Society in Charleston and closer to home, Honorable Mayor Rutledge Leland, Museum Director Emeritus, Bud (Selden) Hill and Reverend J.O. McClellan.

Teaching is her unending love. Bronson climbed the career ladder as an artist, and now she wants to help others climb the ladder.

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Emergency Housing World Vision **UNICEF USA** A Chance In Life World Help Islamic Relief USA GlobalGiving American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee Catholic Relief Services

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Other (cash/cash vouchers, logistic supply) World Vision American Jewish Joint Distribution Committee Islamic Relief USA Heart to Heart International Church World Service ActionAid USA Americares Samaritan's Purse UNICEF USA

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