

NC Institutional Galleries

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Steve McCurry," featuring 69 stunning images by international photojournalist Steve McCurry illustrate the beauty and tragedy of cultures and conflicts around the world. **Shuford Gallery, Mar. 10 - 20** - "69th Annual Paul Whitener Memorial Student Art Show: Elementary School Division". **Mar. 26 - Apr. 10** - "69th Annual Paul Whitener Memorial Student Art Show: Middle and High School Division". **Windows Gallery, Through May 29** - "Tribute to the Harlem Renaissance: Works from the Permanent Collection". Works from the Museum's collection influenced by the Harlem Renaissance, including Elizabeth Catlett, Romare Bearden, Jacob Lawrence, Sharif Bey, Juie Rattley III, Kara Walker and more. **Gifford & Regal Galleries, Through Apr. 10** - "Visual Jazz: Digital Imagery by James Biggers". Inspired by the music of Miles Davis and Dizzy Gillespie, North Carolina artist James Biggers depicts visual rhythm through colors, shapes and forms in his digitally manipulated photographs. **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 Paul Whitener, the Museum's founder. **Ongoing** - "Glass & Pottery from the Museum's Permanent Collection." **Mez-zanine Gallery, Ongoing** - "Discover Folk Art: Unique Visions by Southern Self-Taught Artists from the Hickory Museum of Art 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. **Education 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).

High Point

Theatre Art Galleries, High Point Theatre, 220 East Commerce Avenue, High Point. **Main Gallery, Through Mar. 11** - Featuring works by two artists including photographs by Barbara Tyroler and sculpture by James Barnhill. A reception will be held on Feb. 18, from 5:30-7:30pm. Barbara Tyroler is a fine art image-maker using photography in collaborative multi-media art projects that address social and cultural issues. As an environmental and commercial portrait photographer, she produces site-specific creative portraiture for corporations, universities, and health-oriented nonprofits. Barnhill, a native of Asheville, NC, received his Bachelor's degree in Art Education from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1977. **Gallery B, Through Mar. 11** - "LOOKING UP: Works by Les Caison III". Caison is an award-winning artist from Greensboro, NC and a graduate from Appalachian State University with a BFA in Studio Art. He paints with oil and illustrates with pencil, often intertwining the two, creating scenes of everyday life. His mixed media paintings tell stories and offer something for the viewer to think about for a while. A reception will be held on Feb. 18, from 5:30-7:30pm. **Hallway Gallery, Through Mar. 11** - Features images that represent the Orphan Trains in America. Between 1854 and 1929, orphan trains ran regularly from the cities of the East Coast to the farmlands of the Midwest, carrying thousands of abandoned children whose fates would be determined by luck or chance. **Kaleidoscope Youth Gallery, Through Mar. 11** - "Annual TAG Upper School Exhibit," with art work from the students of our area high schools. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: 336/887-2137 or at (www.tagart.org).

Hillsborough

The HAC Gallery, Hillsborough Arts Council, 102 North Churton Street, across the street from the Wooden Nickel, Hillsborough. **Through Mar. 19** - "African American Quilters Circle". The African American Quilt Circle (AAQC) was founded in Durham, NC in 1998 by four African American women: Bertie Howard, Jereann King, Candace Thomas and Helen Sanders. The primary purpose for starting the group was to preserve the heritage of quilting in the African American community. **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://www.hillsboroughartscouncil.org/index.html>).

Kings Mountain

Southern Arts Society (at the Depot), 301 N. Piedmont Ave., Kings Mountain. **Ongoing** - Southern Arts Society (SAS) Gift Shop featuring 25 regional artists working in a variety of media including: acrylic, oil and pastel paintings, mixed media, ceramics, jewelry, photography, sculpture and wearable art. Offering art & pottery classes to the public. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm, Thurs. till 9pm & Sat. 11am-3pm. Contact: 704/739/5585 or at (www.southernartsociety.org).

Lenoir

Caldwell Arts Council Gallery, 601 College Avenue, SW, Lenoir. **Through Mar. 26** - "Caldwell Stories," featuring drawings, paintings & stories of Caldwell County residents by Durham, NC, artist Debra Wuliger. **Through Mar. 26** - "For the Love of Art," featuring colorful abstract art by Brevard, NC, artist C. Shana Greger and the late Philip Broyhill. **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).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Lenoir **Art in Healing Gallery**, Caldwell Memorial Hospital, Lenoir. **Through Mar. 30** - "A Year of Plein Air," featuring artwork by Catawba County artists Susan Grant and Ronda Hale. Hours: regular hospital visiting hours. Contact: Caldwell Arts Council at 704/754-2486 or at (www.caldwellarts.com).

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).

Mooreville

Depot Visual Arts Center, 103 West Center Ave., Mooreville. **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. **Through Mar. 12** - "Celebrate!," celebrating 20 years with works by founding members and more in all mediums. **Ongoing** - As a co-op, the gallery welcomes local established and emerging artists to apply membership. All 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).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Morehead City **Morehead Plaza**, between Arendell and Bridges Streets, next to the new Tractor Supply Company, Morehead City. **Through Mar. 5** - "Art From the Heart 2016," a show and sale of original artwork created by artists from Carteret, Craven, Pamlico and Onslow counties organized by the Arts Council of Carteret County. Mar. 11 - 20 - "Art from the Heart STUDENT SHOW". Come support our community's next generation of visual artists! Hours: Mon.-Wed., 10am-6pm; Thur.-Sat., 10am-5pm; and Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: call 252/726-9156 or at (www.artscouncilcarteret.org).

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 (thekatzartcollective@gmail.com).

New Bern

Gallery on Craven Artists' Co-Op, 228 Craven Street, located in the historic Isaac Taylor House and Garden, across from Mitchell's Hardware and Morgans Bar and Grill, New Bern. **Ongoing** - The gallery is one of the many projects

supported by Community Artist Will, a non-profit dedicated to expanding the art community of New Bern, NC. The gallery is filled with the work of ten different artists who work in a variety of mediums including: Jay Manning (Sculptor, Graphic Designer and Illustrator); Jon Derby (Photographer, Digital Art); Bernice Abraham (Painter); Dara Morgan (Painter); Sarah Thrasher (Photographer and Jewelry Designer); Becky Preece (Photographer); Kevin Strickland (Glass Blower); Brandy Baxter (Painter); Elaine Meyer (Painter) and Dottie Miller (Fused Glass Designer, China Painter, and Photographer). Hours: Thur.-Sat., 11am-7pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 252-649-1712 or at (www.galleryoncraven.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: Thur.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 828/668-1100 or at (<http://arrowhead-art.org>).

Pembroke

A.D. Gallery, University of NC at Pembroke, 1 University Dr, Pembroke. **Mar. 14 - Apr. 7** - "Spring Student Exhibition Series". **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

Penland Gallery, first building on right as you enter the campus, Penland School of Crafts, Penland Road, Penland. **Main Exhibition Gallery, Mar. 22 - May 1** - "This is a Photograph," exploring contemporary applications of photographic chemistry, co-curated by Dan Estabrook and Kathryn Gremley. **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).

Raleigh

Artspace, 201 E. Davie Street, Moore Square Art District, behind City Market, Raleigh. **Gallery One, Through Mar. 5** - "American Tapestry Alliance - Small Tapestry International". **Lobby, Through Mar. 26** - "Elisabeth Applbaum - Site-Specific Installation". **Gallery Two, Through Mar. 26** - "Robert Otto Epstein, Margi Weir & David Curcio - Americana: Textile & History as Muse". Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 919/821-2787 or at (www.artspacenc.org).

CAM Raleigh, 409 W. Martin Street, between Harrington and West streets, Raleigh. **Through May 8** - "Phil America: Failure of the American Dream," featuring video and installation created in 2014 by Phil America while he lived in a tent city near Silicon Valley in San Jose, CA. **Mar. 3 - June 18** - "The Ease of Fiction," featuring works by four African-born artists living in the US: Ruby Onyinyechi Amanze, Meleko Mokgosi, Duhirwe Rushemeza, and Sherin Gurigu. A reception will be held on Mar. 4, from 6-10pm. Admission: Yes. Hours: Mon., 11am-6:30pm; Wed.-Fri., 11am-6:30pm; Sat. & Sun., noon-5pm; and 1st & 3rd Fri., open till 9pm. Contact: 919/513-0946 or at (<http://camraleigh.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.



Work by Mike Basher

Nature Art Gallery, inside the Museum Store, North Carolina Museum of Natural Sciences, 11 W. Jones Street, downtown Raleigh. **Mar. 4 - 27** - "Elements: North Carolina Nature Photography," featuring works by Mike Basher. A reception will be held on Mar. 4, from 6-8pm. Basher grew up in Upstate New York exploring every square inch of his parents' deep countryside property, often referred to by family friends as the "Basher Lodge." His childhood was filled with fishing, riding dirt bikes, and snowboarding down a small hill in his front yard. His first photographic subjects were trees and sky while walking in the woods, camera in hand. 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/nature-art-gallery>).

North Carolina Museum of Art, 2110 Blue Ridge Road, Raleigh. **Through Mar. 20** - "Chisel and Forge: Works by Peter Oakley and Elizabeth Brim". The exhibit presents two North Carolina artists whose sculptures provide a fresh and humorous look at everyday objects. Peter Oakley skillfully re-creates impermanent items—bars of soap, Styrofoam containers, egg cartons—out of marble, transforming the otherwise ordinary into beautiful and permanent objects. Elizabeth Brim, a prominent blacksmith, uses metalwork—traditionally considered a "man's medium"—to make a sly commentary on the gendering of materials. Her forged steel pieces represent soft and stereotypically feminine objects: frilly pillows, high-heeled shoes, tutus, and aprons. Together, these artists jovially chisel away at the assumptions plaguing their chosen materials, forging new thoughts about objects and those who create them. **Through Apr. 3** - "The Energy of Youth: Depicting Childhood in the NCMA's Photography Collection". The exhibition highlights some of the most engaging photographs of children and adolescents from the NCMA's permanent collection. This collection of images demonstrates that there is no universal experience of childhood, and instead challenges viewers to consider the unique experience of each child. The exhibition celebrates the sensitivity brought to moments of innocence, reflection, play, and transition. Artists in this exhibition include Bill Bamberger, Luis Rey Velasco, Sally Mann, David Spear, Barbara Morgan, Margaret Sartor, Ralph Eugene Meatyard, Linda Foad Roberts, Erwin Olaf, and Titus Brooks Heagins. Video Gallery: **East Building, Through June 5** - "Wolfgang Staehle". Staehle, a German-born digital artist now based in New York, is interested in the ideas of time and transformation. Two works featured at the NCMA take different approaches to these fundamental concepts. **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. **East Building, Level B, Gallery 2, Mar. 19 - June 19** - "American Impressionist: Childe Hassam and the Isle of Shoals". Childe Hassam is celebrated as the foremost American impressionist painter. Among his greatest achievements are the hundreds of paintings he created over nearly 30 summers on Appledore Island in the Isles of Shoals, a cluster of rocky islands off the coast of Maine and New Hampshire. This exhibition, jointly organized with the Peabody Essex Museum of Salem, Massachusetts, will feature 39 of Hassam's finest Shoals paintings in oil and watercolor, borrowed from major public and private collections. The paintings in American Impressionist will be arranged as if one were walking around the island—emphasizing that the place is as interesting as the artist. **East Building, Level B, Mey-**

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