

NC Institutional Galleries

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the handcrafted work of over 30 Incubator and regional artists in a variety of mediums including painting, pottery, stained and fused glass, fabric art, cards, photography, wood, jewelry, metal, baskets and more. There is a broad range of items and prices. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm; & 3rd Fri., 10am-9pm. Contact: 919/663-2072 or at (www.ncartsincubator.org).

PAF Gallery, 223 N Chatham Ave., Siler City. **Ongoing** - A gallery featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: 3rd Fri. 6-9pm. Contact: 919/663-2072 or at (www.ncartsincubator.org).

Southern Pines

Campbell House Galleries, Arts Council of Moore County, 482 E. Connecticut Ave., Southern Pines. **Sept. 1 - 29** - "Art of the Tattoo: A Living Canvas, a unique art exhibit that will explore the artistry, history, and personal stories behind the tattoos. Brought to you by the Arts Council of Moore County and Cox's Double Eagle Harley-Davidson. A reception will be held on Sept. 1, from 6-8pm. Using photos by Tim Sayer of Sayer Photography, this art exhibit will showcase some fine examples of tattoos and the stories of the people who have them. In addition, the show will contain artwork by tattoo artists from such tattoo studios as Valhalla Tattoo & Gallery of Southern Pines. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/692-4356 or at (www.mooreart.org).

Southport

Franklin Square Gallery, 130 E. West St., Southport. **Ongoing** - Works by members of the Associated Artists of Southport. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/457-5450 or at (www.franklinsquaregallery.com).

Spruce Pine

TRAC Arts Center, Toe River Arts Council. 269 Oak Avenue, Spruce Pine. **Through Sept. 23** - "Toe River Valley," is a unique look at the Toe River and its surrounding countryside from the viewpoint of painters, photographers, and 3-dimensional artists. Even children will have their hand at painting what they see on their rides home from school each afternoon. A reception will be held on Sept. 22, from 5-7pm. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/682-7215 or at (www.toeriverarts.org).



Work by Joy Tanner

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Spruce Pine **Cross Street Building**, 31 Cross St., Spruce Pine. **Oct. 14 & 15, 10am-5pm** - "11th annual Spruce Pine Potters Market". The event includes thirty-two artists: Stanley Mace Andersen, William Baker, Barking Spider Pottery, Pam Brewer, John Britt, Cynthia Bringle, Melisa Cadell, Cristina Cordova, Claudia Dunaway, Susan Feagin, Terry Gess, Becky Gray, Michael Hunt and Naomi Dalglish, Shawn Ireland, Lisa Joerling, Nicholas Joerling, Michael Kline, Suze Lindsay, Shauna Lyons, Jeannine Marchand, Courtney Martin, Kent McLaughlin, Teresa Pietsch, David Ross, Michael Rutkowski, Ken Sedberry, Ron Slagle, Gertrude Graham Smith, Liz Zlot Summerfield, Valerie Schnauffer and Joy Tanner. Admission to the Market is free, but visitors are encouraged to purchase raffle tickets for work donated by four of the artists. This year, those artists are Kent McLaughlin, Jeannine Marchand, David Ross and Ken Sedberry. A portion of the raffle proceeds will benefit Safe Place, a non-profit organization working for the prevention of domestic and sexual violence. Food will be available for purchase from FRESH Wood Fired Pizza, making custom pizza on site from a pizza oven on the back of a pickup truck. For more information, visit the SPPM website at (www.sprucepinepottersmarket.com) or their Facebook page; e-mail them at (info@sprucepinepottersmarket.com), or call 828/765-2670.

Sylva

Gallery One, Main Street, Sylva. **Ongoing** - Home of the Jackson County Visual Arts Association. The association has also offered workshops: including utilizing social media, book binding, drawing and art history. Exhibi-

tions usually include paintings, photographs, sculptures and occasionally contemporary crafts. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 1pm-4pm and by appt. Contact: Tim Lewis 828/337-3468 or James Smythe 828/507-4248.

Tryon



Work by Martine House

Throughout Tryon, Saluda, Columbus, in NC, and Landrum, SC, Sept. 30, 10am-5pm & Oct. 1, from noon-5pm - "Art Trek Weekend in The Foothills". Upstairs Artspace will open their ninth annual two-day annual tour of local Polk County and Landrum artists and craftsman studios. A preview party will be held at Upstairs Artspace in Tryon, on Sept. 29, from 5-7pm, featuring the works of the 22 participating artists. The gallery exhibit, including a silent auction, will remain open during these same times on Saturday and Sunday. The show will be up for two weeks with a closing reception for final bidding on the silent Auction on Friday, Oct. 13. Bidding will end at 6pm. Participating in this year's Art Trek are artists; Bonnie Bardos, Carri Bass, Margaret Curtis, Robert Clark, Margaret Davis, David Edgar, Lynda Evans, Ann Gleason, Diana Gurri, Lori Heckelman, Martine House, Carol Beth Icard, Marie King, Christine Mariotti, Bob Neely, BJ Pre-court, Becky Rickenbaker, Keith Spencer, Vicki Van Vynckt, Doc Welty, Toby Wolter and David Zacharias. Maps to the studios will be available at local businesses and other arts organizations in Tryon, Saluda, Columbus, and Landrum after Labor Day. They will be available at Upstairs as well. Check your map and our website at (www.upstairsartspace.org) for the list and look for the orange signs on your travels and stop in for a visit!

Tryon Arts and Crafts School, 373 Harmon Field Rd., in the old Tryon Middle School, Tryon. **Sept. 15 - Oct. 31** - "Encore: The Black & White Show". Receptions will be held on Sept. 15, from 6-8pm and Oct. 31, from 7-9pm, where people will be reading winning ghost stories from our "The Apparitionist" National Ghost Story Competition. **Gallery & Gift Shop, Ongoing** - Gift Shop features juried works by regional artisans to selected work produced by our instructors and students. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat. 9am - 1pm. Contact: 828/859-8323 or at (www.tryonartsandcrafts.org).

Upstairs Artspace, 49 South Trade Street, Tryon. **Through Sept. 22** - Offers three new exhibits. "Vitreous Vessels," showcases cast glass-and-steel work by Hayden Wilson, a second-generation glassmaker and native North Carolinian, now residing in Asheville; "American on Edge," features haunting mixed media pieces by Sandee Johnson of Asheville. The work embodies paintings, monotypes, photographs and collages, much of which depicts the artist's angst about America's current political and cultural climate; and "Tides, Totems and Teapots," presents well-established artists Diane Hopkins-Hughes, Greenville SC, and Gary Huntoon, Travelers Rest, SC. Hopkins-Hughes' current work reflects her concern about the environment, especially the global water crisis. Huntoon is a well-rounded potter who does not limit himself to a single clay material, firing, glaze or decorating style. His totems and teapots are more sculptural than functional, and are seen frequently in regional fine craft shows. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828-859-2828 or at (www.upstairsartspace.org).

Valdese

Valdese Heritage Arts Center, 146 Main Street West, Valdese. **Ongoing** - The center offers a great selection of unique gifts on exhibit and for sale, including, but not limited to original paintings, pottery, needlework, wood-carvings,

hand crafted furniture, ceramic sculptures, stained glass, photography, jewelry, floral arrangements greeting cards, quilts and home made soap. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 11am-3pm. Contact: 828/874-1849 or at (<http://vhac.webs.com>).

Washington

River Walk Gallery and Arts Center, 139 W. Main Street, Washington. **Ongoing** - All work is done by local artists and has to be juried into the gallery. The gallery includes watercolor, oil, and acrylic paintings, photography, pottery, mixed media, fiber arts, jewelry, wood work, stained glass, and books written by local authors. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-5pm. Contact: 252/974-0400.

Waynesville

Little Gallery on Church Street, 37 Church Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Featuring mostly exhibits by regional arts. Sponsored by the Haywood County Arts Council. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/452-0593, e-mail at (info@haywoodarts.org) or at (www.haywoodarts.org).

The Haywood County Arts Council's Gallery 86, 86 N. Main Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - The gallery lends itself to showcase high quality fine art by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/452-0593 or at (www.haywoodarts.org).

The Museum of North Carolina Handicrafts, 307 Shelton Street, corner of US 276 So. and Shelton Street, Waynesville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the handicrafts of North Carolina in the historic Sheldon House. Hours: Museum hours change seasonally, call 828/452-1551.

Wentworth

Dan River Art Market & Gallery, 1122 NC Hwy. 65, Wentworth. **Ongoing** - The gallery offers art and craft by local artists and 6 gallery exhibits throughout the year, workshops and lectures. Hours: Thur., 10am-4pm; Fri., 11am-2pm; and by appt. Contact: 336/349-4039 or at (www.artsin-rockingham.org).

Wilmington

ACEs Gallery, Arts Council of Wilmington and New Hanover County, 221 N Front Street, Suite 101, Wilmington. **Through Sept. 18** - "transitions," featuring works by Jay DeChesere and John Wulfmeyer. An exhibit featuring the art of two architects who are moving from the world of building codes, regulators, and physical structures into the world of painting and artistic creativity. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 910/343-0998 or at (www.ArtsCouncil-ofWilmington.org).

Art Gallery at the Cultural Arts Building, ground floor, corner of Randall Parkway and Reynolds Drive, UNC-Wilmington, Wilmington. **Through Sept. 29** - "Synergy," featuring paintings and drawings by Sergej Andreevskiy and Gligor Cermerski. Hours: Mon.-Fri., noon-4pm (closed Fri. during the summer). Contact: call art dept. at 910/962-3440 or at (www.uncw.edu/art/gallery).

Expo 216, a Gallerium, located at 216 N Front Street, Wilmington. **Ongoing** - Expo 216 was founded by Linda Look and Wade Hughes in 2016 and is a "gallerium," part gallery and part museum, focusing on themes related to environmental and social issues. Hours: Wed.-Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: Brook Bower, Gallerium Manager by calling 910/769-3899 or at (www.expo216.com).

Louise Wells Cameron Art Museum, @ intersection of Independence Blvd. & South 17th Street, Wilmington. **Through Sept. 17** - "Collection Conversations". Let's talk about ART! See new acquisitions for the first time as well as time-honored favorites from CAM's permanent collection. Enjoy responses from others in the community to these artworks while adding your thoughts to the conversation. **Sept. 16 - Feb. 11, 2018** - "Created by Light". Exploring the photography collections of nine North Carolina art museums, the exhibition "Created by Light" will showcase over 100 photographs highlighting both the pioneers of the medium and contemporary artists working in the field today. CAM invited eight North Carolina art museums to participate in this collaborative exhibition, asking each to curate which photographs to feature from their permanent collections. One museum focused on Bauhaus works created between the world wars, another curated a body of work by North Carolina photographers, while others chose work by such well-known artists as Robert Mapplethorpe, Andres Serrano, Mickalene Thomas, Burk Uzzle, Edward Weston, Aaron Siskind, Francesca Woodman and Ansel Adams. **Pancoe Art Education Center, Exhibition Cases, Ongoing** - View some of the Seagrove and contemporary pottery

from the museum's permanent collection in the cases. These include the works of resident artist Hiroshi Sueyoshi, Ben Owen III and Jugtown Pottery among other works. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sun., 10am-5pm and Thur. till 9pm. Contact: 910/395-5999 or at (www.cameronart-museum.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Wilmington **Airlie Gardens**, 300 Airlie Road, Wilmington. **Through Sept. 30** - "Imagine," a vibrant and whimsical display of sculptures created by Virginia artist, Matthew J. Leavell. These large scale installations consisting of colorful florals and a variety of artistic creations will spark your curiosity and leave you feeling inspired. **Ongoing** - Located two miles west of Wrightsville Beach in Wilmington, North Carolina, Airlie Gardens encompasses 67 acres of walking paths, a freshwater lake, and formal gardens that showcase seasonal blooms, mighty live oaks, historic structures, and contemporary sculpture. Airlie is a member of the North Carolina Birding Trail, and it's diverse ecosystems provide unique habitats for a variety of colorful wildlife. Discover what makes Airlie Gardens a premiere garden of the South and a prime destination spot for garden and nature lovers from around the world. Come discover the beauty. Admission: Yes. Hours: Open 7-days a week 9am-5pm. Contact: 910/798-7700 or at (www.airliegarden.org).

The Bellamy Mansion Museum, 503 Market Street, Wilmington. **Through Sept. 10** - "7th Annual Images of Distinction". Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 910/251-3700 or at (www.bellamymansion.org).

Winston-Salem

AFAS Center for the Arts, 630 N. Liberty Street, located at the corner of Liberty and Seventh streets, in the Arts District next to ARTivity on the Green, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - The local nonprofit organization Art for Art's Sake (AFAS) commissioned the 14,500 square foot, three-story building, which was constructed over a period of 15 months. This latest addition to the city's burgeoning Arts District consolidates several AFAS activities and locations that were previously scattered throughout downtown. The building houses AFAS' headquarters, as well as Red Dog Gallery, Unleashed Arts Center and Studio 2, a jewelry studio. There are also 10 artist studios available for lease at affordable rates. Hours: Tue.-Fri., noon-6pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: Harry Knabb at 336/416-0089.



Work by Kimberly Varnadoe

Artworks Gallery, 564 N. Trade Street, Winston-Salem. **Through Sept. 30** - Marion Adams: "FOOD" and Kimberly Varnadoe: "Passage of Time, People and Place". Receptions will be held on Sept. 1, from 7-10pm and Sept. 17, from 2-4pm. In a cheerful Pop Art style, Marion Adams has produced a collection of colorful paintings, drawings and small sculptures of food our culture loves. Kimberly Varnadoe has long been influenced by time and abandoned spaces and recently has been interested in including the faces of people she has crossed paths with on her life journey. **Ongoing** - The gallery is the longest running cooperative gallery established by artists for artist members, showing 12 exhibits per year in the heart of Winston-Salem's Art District. Approx. 21 artists show their work in mediums such as painting, watercolor, drawing, photography, sculpture, encaustic wax, and digital art. The gallery features the work of Mary Beth Blackwell-Chapman, E.Faye Collins, Chris Flory, Carl Gericke, Don Green, Nancy Hayes, Ted Hill, Alix Hitchcock, Virginia Ingram, Steven Hull Jones, Lea Lackey-Zachmann, Nanu LaRosee, Kate Magruder, Beverly Noyes, Nelida Otero, Dave Riedel, Ben Rouzie, Inez Ruchte, Virginia Shepley, Ed Shewmake, Mitzi Shewmake, Anne Kesler Shields, Kimberly Varnadoe, Jody

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