

Tryon International Film Festival

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This was the motivation that drove Scott to move to New York City. Homeless and alone, he slept in Central Park for two days. Not giving up on his dream, Scott ended up staying for three years, performing at some of the hottest clubs in New York, such as Stand Up NY, Boston Comedy Club, and the Uptown Comedy Club.

Born and raised in Washington, DC, Scott moved back home and won the 2003 Kings and Queens of Comedy contest. He has appeared on BET's *Comic View and Grins*, a local DC cable TV comedy show-case. He is becoming one of the hottest comedians in our nation's capital and can be seen performing in clubs and colleges from New York to Atlanta.

To provide a safe environment during the Gala and throughout the three-day Festival, guests will be required to wear mouth and nose coverings at all indoor events.

"The Festival, the Art Center, and the entire town of Tryon are very aware and proactive in not spreading COVID-19," Menetre said. "It's the right thing to do. Mouth and nose coverings will be provided to anyone who needs them to enter a venue. Some of the latest news reports are saying there is now a trending down in infections, and I certainly hope that is true. Nevertheless, we are committed to abiding by all the rules and regulations being set forth by the government, medical authorities, and the individual venues that the Festival will be occupying for these three days."

Tickets to the Gala are \$75 each or included in the \$125 VIP package. Tickets to the Gala, as well as all Film Festival events, are now available directly online at (TryonArts.org) or through the link on (TryonInternationalFilmFestival.com).

Village Pottery Marketplace in Seagrove, NC, Invites You to Their Pumpkin Harvest

Village Pottery Marketplace Gallery is centrally located in the heart of the historic pottery village of Seagrove, NC, on East Main Street in the downtown area.

They are honored to represent the works of over 80 potters, artists, and fine crafts folk. With the fall season quickly approaching, they are all geared-up, with mugs galore: from super tankards with folk art faces by Walter Aberson for suds, to coffee, espresso, cappuccino, latte and hot cocoa mugs by Wyndham Dennison, Gene Arnold, Darlene Russell, and more.

Village Pottery Marketplace Gallery also has soup mugs, and mugs in which to bake a muffin! They feature teapot and cup sets by Joyce Branch for serving your hot seasonal tea blends and bakers of all types: pie dishes, baby cake bakers, apple bakers, omelet, cookie, and brie bakers too! Along with these great gift items they also offer many choices in beautiful vases, bottles, platters and trays with artistic flare and function.

The gallery will be presenting their "Pottery Pumpkin Harvest" on all 5 Saturdays in October with handcrafted wood fired gourds by Tameria Martinez, hoot owl witch, wizard and barn owl whistles by Houge Vernon, stoneware pumpkins by Sally Lufkin and Laura Totten, wood turned acorns by Shane Bufmeyer, fall themed luminaries by Corey Pritchard, lighted gourd art jack-o-lanterns by Tammy Goll-Braunschidel, stoneware leaf platters by Melanie Dennison and loads of miniature pottery ghosts and goblins by Judy Freeman Foushee and Dana Small-



Works from Village Pottery Marketplace

wood.

They will also be participating in the Seagrove Downtown Shops special event "Harvest To Table" held on Saturday the 9th of October, where the gallery will have all of the above plus "Bowls Of Plenty" in which to gather and serve your bountiful harvest, and much more for enjoying the festive autumn season.

Please come visit the gallery and enjoy the beautiful rural scenic nature of the area, the small art village vibe of their town and the gorgeous handcrafted pottery and fine crafts they offer.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 336/873-7966 or visit (www.seagrovevillagepottery.com).

Potters in Seagrove, NC, Offer October Tour of Seagrove's Pottery Pumpkin Patch

The Potters' Pumpkin Patch events will be held by a group of potters and potteries in Seagrove, NC, during Saturdays in October, 2021. These events are hosted by Blue Hen Pottery, Seagrove Stoneware, The Triangle Studio, Crystal King Pottery and Thomas Pottery. Experience Autumn in Seagrove by exploring five individual shops that are featuring Fall themed decorative and functional pottery, festive woodland animal sculptures and their signature ceramic pumpkins and gourds.

Spend the day in the country on the Potters' Pumpkin Patch Trail, along the scenic Pottery Highway (Hwy. 705), and stop in at one of the locations to get a map and list of events. Visit each participating shop to meet the artists, shop for Fall specialty items, and take part in special activities that vary from location to location.

You might think a pumpkin is just a pumpkin, but you will find that these



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talented hosts all have their own unique style and their own handmade seasonal interpretations. Find the latest fall designs, pottery pumpkins, gourds, fall home décor and seasonal tableware for all your baking needs. Each participating shop offers a different experience so pick up a map and follow the trail. Please visit (www.potterspumpkinpatch.com) for a list of happen-

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Village Pottery Pottery Pumpkin Harvest



Each
Saturday
In
October
2021

Sat 10-5

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October
2 - 23



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