

# NC Institutional Galleries

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of our artists and instructors in the NCGC glass gallery. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/505-3552 or at ([www.ncglasscenter.org](http://www.ncglasscenter.org)).

**Odyssey Co-Op Gallery**, 238 Clingman Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Our Gallery features 24 local clay artists, working in a variety of styles to create functional and non-functional pottery and works of figurative and abstract sculpture. Hours: daily, 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/505-8707 or at (<https://www.odysseycoop-gallery.com/about/>).

**Southern Highland Craft Guild, Biltmore Village**, 26 Lodge Street, former Biltmore Oteen Bank Building in Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a wide range of work by members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild. including: pottery, glass, wood, jewelry, fiber, metal, paper, mixed media and natural materials. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828-277-6222 or at ([www.craftguild.org](http://www.craftguild.org)).

**Southern Highland Craft Guild at the Folk Art Center**, Blue Ridge Parkway Milepost 382, Asheville. **Main Gallery, Through Jan. 19** - "Stellar Objectives," introducing the new members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild. Participating artists include: (Fiber) Sharon Gordon, Teresa Hays, Betty Hilton Nash, Barbara Jones, Jewel Tumas, Kami Watson, and Joanna White; (Clay) Karen Barnes and Robert Milnes; (Glass) Dawn Jones and Amanda Taylor; (Wood) Holland Van Gores; (Metal) Steve Joslyn; and (Jewelry) Ilene Kay, Joseph Rhodes, and Bonnie Scott. **Permanent Collection Gallery, Ongoing** - "Craft Traditions: The Southern Highland Craft Guild Collection". The Guild's Permanent Collection is comprised of approximately 2400 craft objects and dates from the late 19th century to present. Beginning with a donation from Frances Goodrich in 1931, the Permanent Collection serves the Guild's mission of craft conservation and education. This new installation will feature over 200 works that highlight our holdings in traditional art: woodcarving, pottery, dolls, basketry, weavings and furniture. The subject of this ongoing exhibition is craft history – that of the Southern Highland Craft Guild and the Studio Craft Movement. **Focus Gallery, Through Feb. 4** - "The Art of Detailing," featuring works by: Amolia Willowsong, Jewelry; Kami Watson, Fiber; Brian Wurst, Wood; Betty Hilton-Nash, Fiber; and Joe Frank McKee, Clay. Hours: daily from 9am-5pm. Contact: call 828/298-7928 or at ([www.southern-highlandguild.org](http://www.southern-highlandguild.org)).

**Southern Highland Craft Guild on Tunnel Road**, 930 Tunnel Road, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Work by members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild in various media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/298-7903.

**YMI Gallery**, YMI Cultural Center, 39 S. Market Street @ Eagle Street, Asheville. **Ongoing** - "In the Spirit of Africa". Featuring traditional and contemporary African masks, figurative woodcarvings, beadwork, jewelry, and textiles. Discover the purpose of mask and sculptures, which reflect African ancestral heritage and learn to appreciate symbolism and abstraction in African art. **YMI Conference Room, Ongoing** - "Forebears & Trailblazers: Asheville's African American Leaders, 1800s – 1900s". The permanent exhibit offers a pictorial history of African-Americans from throughout Western North Carolina. Photographs of both influential and everyday people create a panorama of the variety of life among blacks in the mountain region. Here are the young and old, the prominent and the unknown, the men and women who helped create our city's life. **YMI Drugstore Gallery, Ongoing** - "Mirrors of Hope and Dignity". A moving and powerful collection of drawings by the renowned African-American artist Charles W. White. **Entry, Ongoing** - "George Vanderbilt's Young Men's Institute, 1892-Present". Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/252-4614.

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Asheville  
**The North Carolina Arboretum**, Milepost 393, Blue Ridge Parkway, 100 Frederick Law Olmsted Way, Asheville. **Education Center, Through Jan. 12** - "Fibersong," by Paula Entin. Featuring a unique quilt exhibit created by award-winning artist Paula Entin. Working with a diverse array of materials, Entin creates quilts that present three dimensions. **Ongoing** - The Asheville Quilt Guild features a permanent, rotating quilt exhibit at Arboretum's Education Center. Visitors can also enjoy the Arboretum's Quilt Garden year-round, with plantings and patterns that change with the seasons. Admission: Yes. Hours: Education Center hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/665.2492 or at ([www.ncarboretum.org](http://www.ncarboretum.org)).

## Beaufort

**Mattie King Davis Art Gallery**, Beaufort Historic Site, 130 Turner Street, Beaufort. **Ongoing** - The Mattie King Davis Art Gallery, Carteret County's Oldest Gallery, is housed in one of the Historic Site's oldest buildings and features over 100 local and regional artists. An extensive collection of fine art, pottery, crafts, and gifts can be found at this special gallery. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5pm. Contact: 252/728-5225.

## Blowing Rock

**Blowing Rock Art and History Museum**, corner of Chestnut and Main streets, downtown Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - the BRAHM will host exhibits, educational programs and classes that promote the visual arts, history and heritage of the mountains of western North Carolina. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/295-9099 or at ([www.blowingrockmuseum.org](http://www.blowingrockmuseum.org)).

**Southern Highland Craft Guild at Moses Cone Manor**, Milepost 294, Blue Ridge Parkway, Blowing Rock. **Ongoing** - Featuring the work of members of the Southern Highland Craft Guild members in various media. Demonstrations offered each month. Hours: daily 9am - 5pm. Contact: 828/295-7938 or e-mail at ([parkway-craft@bellsouth.net](mailto:parkway-craft@bellsouth.net)).

## Boone

**Downtown Boone, Jan. 3, 5-8pm** - "Downtown Boone First Friday Art Crawl". Each month the Downtown Boone Development Association (DBDA) hosts the Art Crawl which happens every First Friday. Come visit the art galleries, art studios and other fine shops in downtown Boone. Contact: 828/262-3017 or e-mail to ([turchincenter@appstate.edu](mailto:turchincenter@appstate.edu)).

**Appalachian Cultural Museum**, University Hall Drive, off Hwy. 321 (Blowing Rock Road), Boone. **Ongoing** - The permanent exhibit area includes, TIME AND CHANGE, featuring thousands of objects ranging from fossils to Winston Cup race cars to the Yellow Brick Road, a section of the now closed theme park, "The Land of Oz". Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/262-3117.

**Turchin Center for the Visual Arts**, Appalachian State University, 423 West King Street, Boone. **Main Gallery, Jan. 24 - June 6** - "Lián and Liàn" – An installation by Hui Chi Lee. A reception will be held on Mar. 6, from 6-10pm. People are by nature social beings. People need other people to survive, and as such they tend to perpetually seek social interactions. However, human relationships are inherently complex and multi-faceted. The ideology of the series, "Lián and Liàn", on view at the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts, begins with a pair of Chinese homophones "Lián and Liàn" that, depending on the context, mean either "to connect" or "to enchain." On one hand, the works portray the tensions and dynamics within human relationships; on the other, they explore how these same forces may constrict or enchain humans when negative forces come into play. While these works are in part a meditation on Taiwanese cultural traditions, they can be applied broadly to human experience itself. **Community Gallery, Through Feb. 8** - "1, 2, 3, 4, 5..... A site-specific installation by Jodi Woodward". Australian artist, Jodi Woodward's site-specific installation in the Community gallery consists of four related elements: a larger than life-sized self-portrait of the artist, an artist's book, meticulously hand-drawn crossed hatching directly on the walls and a quote by the poet and play write Samuel Beckett. The artist asks viewers to reflect on how they (we) choose to spend the time we are given in our lives. She repeatedly asks: "Do we just tick over the days or do we actively reflect on what we do and why we do it? Do we just repeat the same behaviors over and over or do we choose to change what we do, or behave differently? I'm very interested in behavior, psychology, memory, and trauma and how that impacts our behavior." **Mezzanine Gallery, Through Feb. 8** - "Beyond the Plantations: Images of the New South, Photographs by Michelle Van Parys". Images of the Old South are often sanitized views of a perfect and prosperous plantation life yet ignore the conflict, conquest, and transformation that is manifested in the changing landscape. The photographs from Beyond the Plantations: Images of the New South present the contemporary southern landscape in all of its rich complexity. Van Parys was born in Arlington, VA. She is a Professor at the College of Charleston in the Studio Art Department where she started the photography program in 1996. Michelle received her BFA from the Corcoran School of Art in Washington, DC, and her MFA



Work by Keith Bryant

in Photography from Virginia Commonwealth University. **Mayer Gallery, Through Feb. 1** - "Metaphorical Reality: Keith Bryant". Keith Bryant creates work from a place that exists beyond the confines of language yet enhances the realm of understanding riddles in life, connection and independence. Working in wood, metals and ceramics, his forms employ abstraction and metaphor. Bryant's sculptures address ideas of loneliness, isolation, architecture and landscape. **Gallery A & B, Jan. 24 - May 2** - "Faculty Biennial". A reception will be held on Mar. 6, from 6-10pm. It's not the kind of thing that happens every year, so when the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts offers the public a comprehensive glimpse into the ordinarily private, multidisciplinary studios of Appalachian State University's Art Department, it's always a cause for celebration. Hours: 10am-6pm, Tue., Wed., Thur., & Sat. and Fri., noon -8pm. Contact: Hank T. Foreman at 828/262-3017 or at ([www.turchincenter.org](http://www.turchincenter.org)).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Boone  
**Throughout Appalachian State University campus**, Boone. **Through May 31** - "33rd Rosen Outdoor Sculpture Competition & Exhibition". Made possible by the continued generosity of the Rosen Family: The Martin & Doris Rosen Giving Fund/Debbie Rosen Davidson and David Rosen/Charles & Nancy Rosenblatt Foundation. The "Rosen Sculpture Competition and Exhibition" is an annual national juried competition presented by An Appalachian Summer Festival and the Turchin Center for the Visual Arts. Since its establishment by Martin and Doris Rosen in 1987, the Rosen competition continues a tradition of showcasing contemporary American sculpture in outdoor settings across the campus of Appalachian State University. This year, twelve sculptures have been selected. Cash prizes are awarded to three artists whose work is chosen by the juror and will be announced at the annual sculpture walk - a highlight of every summer festival season. Participating artists include: David Boyajian, New Fairfield, CT; Brian Glaze, Sinking Spring, PA; Derek Chalfant, Elmira, NY; Hanna Jubran, Grimesland, NC; Beau Lyday, Valdese, NC; Robert Coon, Vero Beach, FL; Shawn Morin, Bowling Green, OH; Bob Doster, Lancaster, SC; Stephen Klema, Winsted, CT; and Glenn Zweygardt, Alfred Station, NY. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: Hank T. Foreman at 828/262-3017 or at ([www.turchincenter.org](http://www.turchincenter.org)).

## Brasstown

**Folk School Craft Shop**, John C. Campbell Folk School, Olive D. Campbell Building, Brasstown. **Ongoing** - The shop represents more than 300 juried craftspeople and features an impressive collection of traditional and contemporary Appalachian craft, including jewelry, pottery, wood, fiber, ironwork, basketry and other disciplines. You'll find marquetry earrings, clay serving platters, turned-wood bowls, functional fireplace poker sets and many more unique items. The shop is also proud to be the home of the world-renowned Brasstown Carvers. A book room houses hundreds of instructional and celebratory books on everything from basketry to writing. Buy a few art supplies or a CD from our collection of traditional Appalachian music. You can take home a Folk School t-shirt, hat or bag as a souvenir. Find the perfect scenic postcard to tell everyone back home about your visit to the Folk School. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 8am-5pm; Thur. til 6pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 800/365-5724 or at ([www.folkschool.org](http://www.folkschool.org)).

## Brevard

**Number 7 Fine Arts and Crafts Gallery**, 2 West Main Street, historic McMinn building, Brevard. **Ongoing** - A Fine Arts and Fine Crafts cooperative featuring the juried works of 22 of Transylvania County's finest artists and craftspeople. New works on display daily. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/883-2294 or at ([www.number7arts.com](http://www.number7arts.com)).

**Transylvania Community Arts Center Gallery**, 349 S. Caldwell St., Brevard. **Jan. 13 - 31** - "6th annual Faces of Freedom," expressive art exhibition in partnership with Transylvania Community Arts Council and Nicola Karesh. A reception will be held on Jan. 17, from 4:30-6:30pm. The invitational show features minority and other underrepresented artists in Transylvania County. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-4:30pm. Contact: 828/884-2787 or at (<http://www.tcarts.org/>).

## Burlington

**Point of View Gallery**, 717 Chapel Hill Road, Burlington. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by member artists: Kathy Alderman, Frances Baker, India Cain, John Dodson, Steven Durland, Debra Farmer, Bill Ferree, Brenda Garner, Wendy Gellert, Michael Kennedy, Cheryl Knox, Peggy McCormick, Jacqueline Mehling, Christine Seiler, Lane Watson, and Rose Wenkel. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm and Sat. & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 336/270-4998 or at ([www.PointOfViewGallery.com](http://www.PointOfViewGallery.com)).

## Burnsville

**Burnsville Gallery**, Toe River Arts Council, 102 W. Main St., Burnsville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by artists from Mitchell and Yancey Counties sponsored by the Toe River Arts Council. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/682-7215 or at ([www.toeriverarts.org](http://www.toeriverarts.org)).

## Cary

**Throughout Cary, Jan. 31, from 6-8pm** - "Cary Art Loop," featuring an evening tour of art spaces in Cary held on the final Friday of the month. Take the C-Tran to the Cary Art Loop! The free bus will make stops at Coffee and Crepes, Studio 180 Salon, Ashworth Village, Cary Arts Center and Page-Walker Arts & History Center/Cary Town Hall. Contact: ([www.caryartloop.org](http://www.caryartloop.org)).

**Cary Arts Center**, 101 Dry Avenue, Cary. **Cary Arts Center Gallery, Through Jan. 26** - "Cary Photographic Artists Members". **Cary Arts Center Principal's Hall, Through Jan. 19** - "40 Years of Cary Greenways". Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-10pm & Fri.-Sat., 9am-11pm. Contact: 919/469-4069 or at ([www.townofcary.org](http://www.townofcary.org)).

**Cary Gallery of Artists**, 200 S Academy St, Ste 120, Ashworth Square, Cary. **Ongoing** - The gallery offers high quality art in a variety of styles. Paintings, pencil and colored pencil artwork varies from traditional still lifes and landscapes to abstracts. Portraits of people or animals are available. Photographic work captures magnificent landscapes, small moments in life, portraits, and far away places. The pottery and clay art includes edgy handbuilt pieces, thought-provoking sculpted masks, and decorative and functional pottery that captures images of nature. Our jewelry artists provide a wide range of hand-crafted necklaces, earrings, bracelets and other ornaments from metals, stones, beads and fused glass. Our glass artist creates stained glass hangings, custom stained glass windows and fused glass art. You can also find unusual hand-made books and hand-painted porcelain both antique and new. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5:30pm. Contact: 919/462-2035 or at ([www.carygalleryofartists.org](http://www.carygalleryofartists.org)).

**Herbert Young Community Center**, 101 Wilkinson Avenue, Cary. **Through Jan. 24** - "Rocky Alexander: Cubism Collective," featuring watercolor and acrylic paintings. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-10pm; and Sat., 9am-6pm. Contact: 919/4604965 or ([www.townofcary.org](http://www.townofcary.org)).

**Page-Walker Arts & History Center**, 119 Ambassador Loop, Cary. **Through Jan. 4** - "Fine Arts League of Cary Annual Members' Show". **Through Jan. 4** - "Bob Reuss: Wood Turnings". **Jan. 8 - Feb. 4** - "Mary Kircher: Formations". A reception will be held on Jan. 31, from 6-8pm. **Jan. 8 - Feb. 8** - "Jeffery Weatherford: You Can Fly - The Tuskegee Airmen". A reception will be held on Jan. 31, from 6-8pm. **Jan. 8 - Feb. 8** - "Fabric Pottery - Sweetgum Design". A reception will be held on Jan. 31, from 6-8pm. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-9:30pm; Fri., 10am-5pm; & Sat., 10am-1pm. (It is strongly advised that you call ahead about hours this space will be open.) Contact: 919/460-4963.

**Town Hall Gallery**, City of Cary Town Hall, 316 North Academy Street, Cary. **Through Jan. 24** - "Victoria T. Powers; Chairs, Stairs, and Barriers". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm. Contact: 919/469-4061.

## Chapel Hill - Carrboro

**Plaza at 140 West Franklin Street in downtown Chapel Hill. 1st & 2nd Fri.** - Every Friday beginning in April we will host our Live and Local Music and Art Series at the 140 West Plaza. Our 2nd Friday events will include visual arts. 2nd Fridays are the Chapel Hill Downtown Partnerships Art Walk. For info visit ([www.townofchapelhill.org](http://www.townofchapelhill.org)).

**Ackland Art Museum**, UNC - Chapel Hill, Columbia & Franklin Streets, Chapel Hill. **Through Jan. 5** - "An Artist and His Figures: Sculptures from the Collection of Rhonda Morgan Wilkerson, PhD". The second in an ongoing series of special installations of African art with loans from the distinguished collection of Rhonda Wilkerson, this presentation focuses on the important question of

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