

SC Institutional Galleries

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Laurens

The Artist's Coop, 113 E. Laurens St., on the Historic Downtown Square., Laurens. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by over 50 cooperative members, including paintings, jewelry, pottery and weavings. Also art classes for children and adults. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 864/984-9359 or at (www.laurensartistscoop.org).

McCormick

The MACK, McCormick Arts Council Gallery, 115 Main Street, located in the historic Keturah Hotel, McCormick. **Ongoing, The Artisans Gallery Shop at the MACK** - Featuring works of over 30 artisans including paintings, pottery, jewelry, jackets, gourds, woodworking, textiles, soaps and more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 864/852-3216 or at (www.the-mack.org).

Mount Pleasant

Sweetgrass Cultural Arts Pavilion, Mount Pleasant Memorial Waterfront Park, 99 Harry M. Hallman, Jr. Blvd., under the bridge, Mount Pleasant. **Ongoing** - The pavilion is a tribute to the generations of men and women who have carried on this African tradition for more than three centuries. Kiosks and panels tell the history of this unique craft, and the open-air facility provides a venue for local basketmakers to display and sell their wares. Hours: daily, 9am-5pm. Contact: 800/774-0006 or at (www.townofmountpleasant.com).

Myrtle Beach / Grand Strand



Work by Jim Arendt

Franklin G. Burroughs • Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 South Ocean Blvd., beside Springmaid Beach, Myrtle Beach. **Through Apr. 24** - "FiberArt International 2013: An International Juried Exhibition". This exhibition, produced by the Fiber Arts Guild of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Inc. is the 21st juried exhibition of the best of contemporary fiber art. The exhibition will feature 37 of the original 73 works by artists from all over the world. Countries represented include Canada, Japan, Sweden and Wales as well as the United States. **Through Mar. 16** - "Julyan Davis: Appalachian Ballads". In northeastern Greenville County is a region commonly referred to as The Dark Corner, consisting of approximately 150 square miles of rugged, Appalachian terrain. Isolated from the rest of the state, its economy based on its distilleries - in short, moonshining - the Dark Corner is viewed as culturally and politically backward. But this dark region, with its equally dark stories and songs of murder and violence, embodies the spirit of English-born artist Julyan Davis' - now of Asheville, NC - series of moody, haunting paintings. Admission: free during regular hours; however donations are requested. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 843/238-2510 or at (www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org).

Seacoast Artists Gallery, at The Market Common, 3032 Nevers Street, Myrtle Beach. **Feb. 1 - 28** - Featuring an exhibit of works by award-winning photographer/artist Ron Blanchard, who is a member and past President of Seacoast Artists Guild and serves on its Gallery Committee. He is also a member of Waccamaw Arts & Crafts Guild, Carolina Nature Photographers Association, Photographic Society of America and several area photography groups. **Ongoing** - The Seacoast Artists Gallery exhibits the original artwork of over 70 local artists. Oil, acrylic, watercolor, mixed media, fiber art, photography, engraved silver and clay are just some of the media that can be

viewed and purchased at the gallery. The Guild is a 501(c)(3) non-profit visual arts organization dedicated to promoting and advancing excellence in the visual arts through teaching, exhibits, workshops and special events. It is focused on developing and nurturing young artists-to-be through training programs, sponsorship of art scholarships and student art shows. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon-7pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 843/232-7009, e-mail to (seacoastartistsgallery@gmail.com) or at (www.seacoastartistsguild.com).

North Charleston

City of North Charleston Art Gallery, North Charleston Performing Arts Center & Convention Center Complex, common walkways, 5001 Coliseum Drive, North Charleston. **Feb. 3 - 28** - "The Goose Creek Artists Guild's 31st Annual Judged Show." A reception will be held on Feb. 6, from 5-7pm. The Goose Creek Artists Guild, founded in 1982, will present its 31st Annual Judged Show featuring two-dimensional works in a variety of subjects and mediums. Comprised of artists from Berkeley, Dorchester, and Charleston counties, guild members from all levels of expertise express their talents in oil, watercolor, acrylic, pastel, drawing, and mixed media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 843/740-5854, or at (<http://bit.ly/culturalarts>).

The Meeting Place, Front Window, Olde North Charleston Business District, 1077 E. Montague Ave., North Charleston. **Feb. 3 - Mar. 31** - "New Twist on an Old Tradition," featuring pottery by Gilbert, SC, artist Pamela Steele. Steele is best known for her clay face jugs, created using hand-building techniques of pinch and coil construction as well as textural embellishments with exaggerated facial features. She has been a part of several exhibits throughout the state of South Carolina including the North Charleston Art Festival's "Palmetto Hands Fine Craft Competition & Exhibition", the "Art Educator's Juried Exhibit" with USC Columbia, AP Institute Exhibit (mixed media) with USC Upstate, and the Ameriprise Financial Exhibit with the SC State Museum. Her piece Hands Off! is part of the City of North Charleston's Permanent Public Art Collection. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: 843/740-5854 or at (<http://bit.ly/culturalarts>).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - North Charleston **Riverfront Park**, 1001 Everglades Dr., The Navy Yard at Noisette (former Charleston Naval Base), North Charleston. **Through Mar. - 8th Annual National Outdoor Sculpture Competition and Exhibition**. The eleven month exhibition features nine established and emerging artists displaying imaginative and thought provoking large-scale sculpture. Visitors can enjoy the sculpture displays among ten acres of walking paths, a fishing pier, boardwalk, playground, and children's play fountain. Organized and presented by the City of North Charleston Cultural Arts Department. Participating artists include: Jeff Brewer - Nacogdoches, TX; Anne Melanie - Greenville, NC; Gary Gresko - Oriental, NC; Adam Walls - Lauenburg, NC; Bill Wood - Fairfax, VA; Davis Whitfield IV - Mountain City, TN; Paris Alexander - Raleigh, NC; Carl Billingsley - Ayden, NC; and John W. Parker - Glenside, PA. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: 843/740-5854 or at (<http://bit.ly/culturalarts>).

Orangeburg

Lusty Gallery, Orangeburg County Fine Arts Center, Edisto Memorial Gardens, 649 Riverside Drive, Orangeburg. **Feb. 3 - Mar. 31** - "Small Works," featuring a large exhibition of very small art works by Janet Kozachek. A reception will be held on Feb. 11, from 5-7pm. Many of the works are quite small (large exhibition of very small art works) - just two or three inches across in some instances. These include mosaics, musical instruments, and paintings. A number of these, such as the paintings of imaginary snuff bottles, incorporate small art within the body of the main work. **Ongoing** - Featuring a permanent display of works by Coan Culler, Pernille Dake, Betty Edmonds, Elsie Fogle, Michiko Johnston, Zita Mellon, Barbara Townsend, Isaiah Zagar, and local schoolchildren. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 8:30am-4:30pm & Fri., 8:30am-noon. Contact: Elizabeth Thomas at 803/536-4074 or at (<http://ocfac.net/>).

Pawleys Island, Litchfield & Murrells Inlet

Brookgreen Gardens, US 17, south of Murrells Inlet. **Learning Lab One of the Lowcountry Center Complex, Through Mar. 16** - "Sojourn tu Gullah Geechee," or Sojourn to Gullah Geechee, a traveling exhibit from the Geechee Kunda Center, Riceboro, GA, The exhibit showcases the Gullah Geechee Rice Culture with storyboards, photographs, artifacts, tools, relics, and imple-

ments and is free with Garden admission from Noon to 4:30 p.m. daily. The exhibit and lecture series are free with Garden admission. **Ongoing** - "Lowcountry: Change and Continuity," a major new exhibit, tells the story of human interaction with this land over the centuries. It features wall size photomurals by SC naturalist photographer Tom Blagden, along with a range of artifacts tracing the history of man's occupation of this extraordinary landscape. **General Gardens, Ongoing** - One of the largest collections of outdoor sculpture in America. This preeminent collection of American representational sculpture includes - 560 works by 240 artists - representing such well-known artists as Charles Parks, Daniel Chester French, Carl Milles, August Saint-Gaudens and Anna Hyatt Huntington. Hours: daily, 9:30am-5pm Admission: Yes. Admission to Brookgreen is good for seven days. Contact: 843/235-6000, 800-849-1931, or at (www.brookgreen.org).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Litchfield **Gallery at Applewood House of Pancakes**, 14361 Ocean Highway, Litchfield Beach. **Ongoing** - features works of accomplished local artists and photographers who are members of the Seacoast Artists Guild of South Carolina dedicated to advancing excellence in the visual arts through teaching, exhibits, workshops, art shows & sales. Hours: daily 6am - 2pm. Contact: at (www.seacoastartistsguild.com).

Pickens

Pickens County Art and Historical Museum, 307 Johnston Street, Pickens. **Through Feb. 6** - "Fire Dance: Encaustic and Mixed Media Work by Patricia Kilburg". A studio artist residing in Greenville, SC, Patricia Kilburg has exhibited throughout the United States, and internationally through the Art in the Embassies program. Her work has been featured in several publications, including "American Craft", "Sandlapper Magazine", and "Magazine of the American Folk Art Museum," NY. Her piece "Urban Mother and Child" was commissioned by the Women's Board of Rush/St. Luke's Hospital, Chicago, IL. She has exhibited at the Mint Museum of Craft and Design, Charlotte, NC, and South Carolina State Museum, Columbia, SC. **Through Feb. 6** - "A Dozen Dames: Twelve Women Making Art". "A Dozen Dames", is an invitational exhibition representing a range of artists dealing with a variety of techniques and subject matter. Included in this group are: Angelique Brickner, Linda Hyatt Cancel, Diana Farfán-Valente, Suzy Hart, Stephanie Howard, Randi Johns, Jo Carol Mitchell-Rogers, Beth Bullman Regula, Liz Rundorff Smith, B. J. Turner, Judy Z. Verhoeven and Susan Watson. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm; Thur. till 7:30pm & Sat., 9am-4:30pm. Contact: 864/898-5963 or at (www.co.pickens.sc.us/culturalcommission).

Richburg

Olde English District Visitors Center & Market, 3200 Commerce Drive, Suite A, Richburg. **Ongoing** - This is your one stop shop for finding specialty food products, art (pottery, jewelry, etc.) and many other local, unique items from our region. We also carry a variety of South Carolina souvenirs. Hours: daily, 9am-5pm. Contact: 803/385-6800 or at (www.oldeenglishmarket.com).

Ridge Spring

Art Association of Ridge Spring Gallery, Art Center in Ridge Spring, located behind the Ridge Spring Civic Center, 108 Maintenance Shop Circle, Ridge Spring. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by: Ron Buttler, Sammy Clark, Christie Dunbar, Donna Minor, Joanne Crouch, Gloria Grizzle, Donna Hatcher, Linda Lake, Samantha McClure, Danny O'Driscoll, Gwen Power, Deborah Reeves, Mary Rogers, Emily Short, Marion Webb, and Barbara Yon. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 803/685-5003, 803/685-5620 or at (<http://sites.google.com/site/artassnridgespring/Home>).

Rock Hill

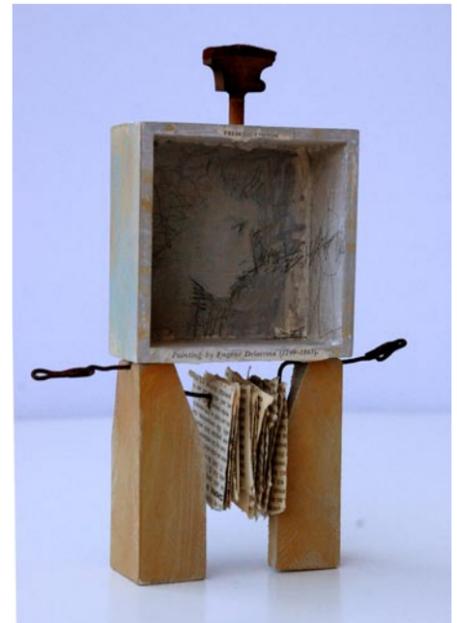
Center for the Arts, 121 East Main St., Rock Hill. **Dalton Gallery, Through Feb. 16** - "Tony DiGiorgio's Travels and Flights of Fancy". DiGiorgio joined this twenty-first century art movement a number of years ago, and by doing so he has created unique works of art that have both been shown in art shows and given as signature gifts to honor and recognize long-time friends of Winthrop University where he was president for 24 years. **Perimeter Gallery, Through Feb. 16** - Featuring an exhibit of works by Dana Shelby. **Edmond Lewandowski Classroom Gallery, Through Feb. 16** - Featuring an exhibit of works by Matt Horick and Caleb Sauls. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 9am-6pm; Fri., 9am-5pm; and on 2nd and 4th weekends, Sat., 10am-2pm; & Sun., 2-4pm. Contact: 803/328-2787 or at (<http://www.yorkcountyarts.org/>).

The Rock Hill Pottery Center, Getty's Art Center, 201 East Main Street, in Old Town Rock Hill. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Bob Hasselle, Christine White, Katherine Petke, Hope Fregerio, and Brian Schauer. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm and Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: call 803/370-8109 or find then on Facebook.

Spartanburg

Downtown Spartanburg, Feb. 20, 5-9pm - "Art Walk Spartanburg". Held on the 3rd Thur, of every month art galleries and art spaces in downtown Spartanburg will open their doors. Participating are: Spartanburg Art Museum, Artists' Guild of Spartanburg Gallery, HUB-BUB showroom, Carolina Gallery, MYST, and West Main Artists Cooperative. For more information call 864/585-3335 or visit (www.carolinagalleryart.com).

Chapman Cultural Center, 200 East St. John Street, Spartanburg. **Sundays from 1-5pm** - "Sundays Unplugged". All of the exhibits are open and most are free, including Spartanburg Art Museum, Artists' Guild of Spartanburg Gallery, Student Galleries, Spartanburg County History Museum, and Spartanburg Science Center. In addition, local artists sell their artwork in the Zimmerli Plaza at the Sunday Art Market. And, as a final added attraction, a local musician provides a free mini-concert 2-4 p.m. Contact: call 864/542-2787.



Work by Eileen Blyth

Curtis R. Harley Art Gallery, Performing Arts Center, USC-Upstate, 800 University Way, Spartanburg. **Through Feb. 21** - "volumes.2 - women bound by art". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: Gallery Director, Jane Nodine at 864/503-5838 or e-mail at (jnodine@uscupstate.edu) or on the web at (www.uscupstate.edu/harleygallery/).

Guild Gallery, Artists' Guild of Spartanburg, Chapman Cultural Center, 200 East St. John St. Spartanburg. **Feb. 2 - 20** - "2nd Annual Members Awards Show." If you walk into the Artists' Guild of Spartanburg Gallery in Chapman Cultural Center during February, you'll be asked to vote! Once again the public is asked to select by ballot the four winners from this year's show. Contact: Robin H Els at 864/764-9568 or at (www.artistsguildofspartanburg.com).

Justine V.R. "Nita" Milliken Wing, Milliken Fine Arts Building, Converse College, Spartanburg. **Ongoing** - Featuring a collection of 52 prints, given by Spartanburg resident Frank Toms which includes works by Joan Miro, Salvador Dali, Alexander Calder, Helmut Newton and others. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: 864/596-9181 or e-mail at (artdesign@converse.edu).

Martha Cloud Chapman Gallery, Raines Center, Wofford College, 429 North Church St., Spartanburg. **Feb. 3 - Apr. 4** - "CATS!," featuring an exhibit of works by members of Southern Exposure who have created a new group of art works devoted exclusively to the subject of cats. A reception will be held on Feb. 7, from 4-6pm. The organization is made up of Carol Augthun, Jessica Barnes, David Benson, Amy Goldstein-Rice, Cynthia Link, Claire Miller Hopkins, Linda Hudgins, Mark Olencki, Sara Dame Setzer, Doris Turner, Ann Wenz, and David Zacharias, most are included in the exhibit. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm; Sat., noon-6pm & Sun., noon-9pm. Contact: 864/597-4300.

Milliken Art Gallery, Converse College, Spartanburg. **Through Feb. 6** - "Fables," featuring a large selection of sculptural books by Asheville, NC, artist Daniel Essig. Essig creates wood-covered art books and book-based sculptures. Using a fourth-century binding known as Ethiopian-style Coptic, he creates mixed-media book structures that incorporate unusual woods, handmade paper, found objects, fossils, and mica. **Feb. 13 - Mar. 6** - "A New Perspective," creating boundaries and making things work by Virginia Rougon

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