

Zvonkovich, Arleta Pech, Ed Klink, Art Valero, David Datwyler, Robin Daniels, Don Quade, John Sherman, Densaburo Oku, Cheryl Abbe Lherance, Andi Wolfe, Ron Artman, Jerry Rhodes, Pat Kramer, Jason Antol, William Brian Hibbard, Benoit Averly, Jan Jacque, Michael Downs, and others. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. noon-5. Contact: 843/723-0303 or at (www.MaryMartinART.com).

Martin Gallery, 18 Broad Street, ground floor of the Peeople's Building, corner of Broad and State Streets, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring paintings by Mitch Billis, Kathleen Billis, Italian master Imero Gobbato, William Crosby, Christopher Schink, Jennifer Spencer, Jared Clackner, and Gilles Charest; sculpture by Leo Osborne, Claire McArdle, and James R. Pyne; and photography by Michael Kahn. Also, offering select jewelry and glass art by America's best artisans, featuring custom designs by acclaimed master goldsmith Glade Sarbach Davis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun., 1-5pm & by appt. Contact: 843/723-7378 or at (www.martingallerycharleston.com).

McCallum - Halsey Gallery and Studios, 20 Fulton St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring a changing mix of work by two of the southeast's foremost artists, Corrie McCallum and William Halsey. Including paintings, graphics, and sculptures for the discerning collector. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 843/723-5977 or at (www.halseyfoundation.org).

Nina Liu and Friends, 24 State St., Charleston. **Through June 15** - "Barns and Fields", featuring black and white photographs by Michael Johnson. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 843/722-2724.

One of a Kind Art & Fine Craft Gallery, 74 N. Market Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring unique arts and crafts from over 400 American artists, including many local artisans. Hours: Sun.-Thur., 10am-10pm & Fri.&Sat, 10-11pm. Contact: 843/534-1774.

People, Places, & Quilts, 1 Henrietta Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring fabric, books, patterns, notions, quilts and Folk Art. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/937-9333 or at (www.ppquilts.com).

Photographics - Portrait Photography & Art Gallery, 458 Freshfields Dr., in the Freshfields Village, Johns Island. **Ongoing** - Representing painters and photographers who exemplify the greatest ability to evoke a mood or sensory impression of a chosen subject matter. This subject matter varies and includes landscapes and still-life depictions of Lowcountry scenes as well as themes and experiences from the travels of its artists. The gallery features original works in oil, watercolor, gouache, mixed-media and fine-art photography. Representing national artists: Billie Sumner, Fred Jamar, Tammy Papa, Pam Cohen, Vickie Ellis, Aija Sterns, Elizabeth Drozeski, Sharlyne Duffy, and Michael Cyra. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 843/768-3030 or at (www.kiawahislandphoto.com).

Pink House Gallery, 17 Chalmers Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Florals, landscapes, wildlife and a full line of Charleston scenes, featuring works by Alice S. Grimsley, Nancy W. Rushing, Audrey D. Price, Bruce W. Krucke, and Alexandria H. Bennington. Also featuring works by Ravenel Gaillard. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/723-3608 or at (<http://pinkhousegallery.tripod.com>).

Raymond Clark Gallery, 307 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring the works of over 100 regional & national artists working in every medium. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/723-7555.

Rebekah Jacobs Gallery, 169-B King St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Focusing on Southern artists and photographers who have powerful visions of the land of their birth supported by an advanced mastery of their media. The gallery maintains an accelerated exhibition schedule, non-media specific, which features one-person and group shows throughout the year. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5:30pm or by appt. Contact: 843/937-9222 or at (www.rebekahjacobgallery.com).

Reinert LePrince Fine Art, 179 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local painters Rick Reinert and Kevin LePrince with works by sculptor David Turner. Hours: daily from 10am-5pm. Contact: call 843/793-4765 or at (www.reinertleprince.com).

Rhett Thurman Studio, 241 King St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works by Rhett Thurman in conjunction with The Sylvan Gallery. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 843/577-6066.

Rick Rhodes Photography and Imaging, LLC., 1842 Belgrade Ave., West of the Ashley,

Charleston. **Apr. 4 - 30** - Featuring works by members of the Kiawah Island Photography Club. A reception will be held on Apr. 13, from 6-8pm. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5:30pm. Contact: 843/766-7625 or at (www.rickrhodesphotography.com).

Robert Lange Studios, 2 Queen St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Ali Cavanaugh, Megan Aline, Robert Lange, Nathan Durfee, Kerry Brooks, Jessica Dunegan, Fred Jamar, Michael Moran, Amy Lind, Adam Hall, Joshua Flint, Sean Clancy, and JB Boyd. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 11am-7pm. Contact: 843/805-8052 or at (www.robertlangestudios.com).



Work by Shannon Smith

Smith-Killian Fine Art, 9 Queen Street, corner of Queen & State Streets, Charleston. **Apr. 6 - 20** - "40 and Under: An Invitational Show". In honor of the Smith triplets turning 40, Smith Killian Fine Art has invited a select group of artists from the east coast "40 and under" to participate in this exhibit. The artists include Peter Van Dyck, Anne Blair Brown, Kirkland Smith, Chris Phillips, Colin Page, as well as new works by Jennifer Smith Rogers, Shannon Smith and Tripp Smith. A reception will be held on Apr. 6, from 5-8pm. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works by Betty Anglin Smith, Jennifer Smith Rogers, Tripp Smith, Shannon Smith, Kim English, Susan Romaine, Don Stone, NA and Darrell Davis, sculptor. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 843/853-0708 or at (www.smithkillian.com).

Spencer Art Gallery I, 55 Broad St., in historic French Quarter District, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Offering the works of over 35 award winning artists in a delightfully eclectic mix of subject matter, styles, and media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/722-6854 or at (www.spencerartgallery.com).

Spencer Art Gallery II, 57 Broad St., in historic French Quarter District, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Offering the works of over 35 award winning artists in a delightfully eclectic mix of subject matter, styles, and media. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/723-4482 or at (www.spencerartgallery.com).

Studio 151/Shelby Lee Gallery, 175 Church St., just south of the corner of Market and Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring original art styles in traditional realism, wildlife, impressionism, collage, and abstracts in a variety of mediums, including photography and hand crafted jewelry. Offering the works of Colleen Wiessmann, Shelby Parbel, Rosie Phillips, Bob Graham, Peggy Ellis, Delta Cutting Zimmerman, Amelia Whaley, Ron Chamberlain, Dixie Dugan, Nancy Davidson, Dick Barnola, Tammy Rudd, Henrietta Thompson, Sandra Scott, Daryl Knox and Michael Kennedy. We also participate in Charleston's historic French Quarter art walks on the first Fridays of Mar., Apr., Oct., and Dec. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm, till 8pm on Fri. & Sat., and Su., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/579-9725 or at (www.studio151finearts.com).

The Audubon Gallery, 190 King St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - "Charleston's only gallery for the Natural History and sporting art enthusiast!" Locally owned, the gallery specializes in the golden age of natural history (1700-1900), emphasizing John James Audubon, one of Charleston's most highly regarded artist. Here, you will find a tour-de-force of Audubon's "Birds of America" as well as other highly acclaimed natural history art. A sportman's paradise with a large selection of antique wildfowl decoys, collectibles, nostalgic paintings, prints of days afield and favorite hunting dogs. We offer museum-quality framing and conservation services for works of art on paper to protect and present your most treasured pieces. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/853-1100 or at (www.audubonart.com).

The Brizard Studio, one King Street, Suite 404, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Original fine oil paintings by Robin Brizard, award-winning impressionist artist. Hours: by appt. only, call 843/577-0964.

The Charleston Renaissance Gallery, 103 Church Street, at St. Michael's Alley, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Showcasing nineteenth century oil paintings, works on paper and sculpture of the American South. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm.

Contact: 843/723-0025 or at (www.fineartsouth.com).

The John Carroll Doyle Art Gallery, 125 Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by John Carroll Doyle and Margret Peterson. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/577-7344 or at (www.johncdoyle.com).

The John M. Dunnan Gallery, 121 Church Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by John M. Dunnan. Including stylistic gesture drawings, paintings and sculpture. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/720-7425 or at (www.johndunnan.com).

The Silver Puffin, 329 King Street, across from Bob Ellis Shoes, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring unique American and International arts and crafts with emphasis on the work of local artisans. Hours: daily, 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/723-7900 or at (www.silverpuffin.com).

The Sylvan Gallery, 171 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring 20th & 21st Century traditional and representational paintings and sculpture. Featuring works by: Cyrus Afsary, Carolyn Anderson, William "Bill" Berra, Scott Burdick, Nancy Bush, Frank DiVita, Glenna Goodacre, John Austin Hanna, Doug Higgins, William Kalwick, Ramon Kelley, Linda Kyser-Smith, Kent Lemon, Huihan Liu, Sue Lyon, Karol Mack, Eric Michaels, Anthony Palliser, Kate Palmer, Joan Potter, W. Stanley "Sandy" Proctor, Paul Strisik, Sonya Terpening, Barry Thomas, Rhett Thurman, Curt Walters, and Wayne E. Wolfe. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm; Sat., 10am-5pm; & Sun., 11am-4pm. Contact: 843/722-2172 or at (www.thesylvangallery.com).



Work by Sally Tharp

The Wells Gallery, 125 Meeting St., Charleston. **Apr. 4 - 21** - "Fresh Perspective," featuring a group show of works by Mark Bailey, Curt Butler, and Sally Tharp. A reception will be held on Apr. 6, from 5-8pm. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works by regular gallery artists: Marty Whaley Adams, David Ballew, Joseph Cave, Dan Cooper, Claire Farrell, Bill Gallen, Gary Gowans, Gary Grier, David Goldhagen, Russell Gordon, Glenn Harrington, E.B. Lewis, Whitney Krebs, Kate Long, Brad Lorbach, George Pate, Sue Stewart, Karen Larson Turner, Alex Zapata. Hours - Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/853-3233 or at (www.wellsgallery.com).

Wells Gallery at The Sanctuary, at The Sanctuary on Kiawah Island, about 30 minutes from Charleston, in Kiawah's newest and most luxurious resort. **Ongoing** - Featuring a selection of paintings, jewelry and sculptures of some of the Lowcountry's finest artists, Betty Anglin Smith, Shannon Smith, Jennifer Smith Rogers, George Pate, Glenn Harrington, Gary Gowans, Karen Larson Turner, Kim English, Felice Killian, Grainger McKoy and Darrell Davis. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-8pm & Sun., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/576-1290 or at (www.wellsgallery.com).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Charleston
The Real Estate Studio, 214 King Street, Charleston. **Through May 6** - Featuring whimsical, colorful paintings by Linda Elksnin. Her inspiration comes from eclectic sources, including textiles, self-taught and outsider artists, and mainstream artists such as Mark Rothko and Romare Bearden. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 843/722-5618.

Columbia Area

Main Street, downtown Columbia. **Apr. 5, 6-9pm** - "First Thursday on Main". This monthly event held on the 1st Thursday of the month features art presentation - up and down Main Street. Some of the participants include: S&S Art Supply, Tapp's Arts Center, Columbia Museum of Art, Anastasia & Friends Art Gallery, Frame of Mind, Artists in the Arcade, and more. For further information contact Mark Plessinger of Frame of Mind at 803/988-1065, e-mail at (frameofmind@sc.rr.com) or Lorri-Ann Carter of CarterTodd

& Associates at 803/779-4005, e-mail at (la@cartertodd.com).

Throughout the Columbia area. Apr. 21-22, 2012 - "Columbia Open Studios". A free, self-led driving tour of 69 artists' working studios across Richland and Lexington Counties, organized by the nonprofit 701 Center for Contemporary Art. 60,000-80,000 program guides w/maps will be printed & distributed to cafes, shops, galleries, etc. This year, COS 2012 is an official partner event of the 6th Annual Indie Grits Festival, which has expanded to 10 days and now encompasses film, indie music, art, chefs, silent film scores, craft, tech, and more. Free. For info visit (www.columbiaopenstudios.org).

Congaree Vista area of Columbia. Apr. 26 - 28 - "21st Annual Artista Vista". The Midlands' largest gallery crawl returns from Thursday, Apr. 26 - Saturday, Apr. 28. Vista artists and galleries will open their doors for this free, signature Vista event. Each gallery will be open from 5-9pm on Apr. 26 for Art Night. Artista Vista will feature regionally and nationally recognized artists, as well as artists from the Midlands. Artists and gallery owners will be on-hand to chat with visitors, giving attendees insight into their work. Many galleries will also offer complimentary wine and hors d'oeuvres as a part of Artista Vista. New this year, streets through the Vista will be closed Thursday evening to give event attendees the opportunity to experience artistic performances, dance and music in the streets. The McKissick Museum will participate and curate seven installations throughout the Vista by artists Khaldoune Bencheikh & Mary How, Eileen Blyth, Michaela Pilar Brown, Wendell George Brown, Kara Guntner and Virginia Scotchie. Many of these works will stay up for the four weeks following Artista Vista. Stay tuned to (www.ArtistaVista.com) as galleries and shows are finalized. For more information about the Vista, please visit (www.VistaColumbia.com) or call 803/269.5946. Follow the Vista Guild on Twitter @VistaGuild and on Facebook at (www.Facebook.com/VistaGuild).

Alicia Leeke Fine Art Studio, 3821 Edinburg Rd., Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring original acrylic cityscapes, abstracts, monotypes, and drawings on canvas and fiber. Giclee's on canvas and paper also available. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 803/429-5456 or at (www.alicialeeke.com).

ArtCan Studio & Gallery, 108 Beaufort Street, Chapin. **Ongoing** - Featuring original paintings, handpainted furnishing, and limited and open edition lithographs by Judy Bolton Jarrett. Hours: Thur. & Fri., noon-5:30pm; Sat., noon-4pm or by appt. (call before coming). Contact: 803/345-6588 or at (www.judyjarrettgallery.com).

ART + CAYCE Gallery, 1329 State St., opposite Brookland Cayce High School, Cayce. **Ongoing** - Our gallery hosts local artists from South Carolina showing works in various media. Every show is different and unique and displays work from abstract painting to mixed media assemblages. Currently we are displaying sculpture by Robin Jones and mixed media assemblage/painting by Andrew Norton Webber. One can expect to visit the gallery during the week and experience a calm atmosphere with engaging pieces. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 1-4pm; Sat., 1-4pm & by appt. Contact: 803/765-0838 or at (<http://artpluscayce.blogspot.com/>).

Art Studios in the Historic Arcade Building, 1332 Main Street, at the corner of Washington and Main Streets two blocks from the Statehouse, Columbia. **Ongoing** - Including works by Eileen Blyth (mixed media); Sylvia Potts and Richard Lund (sculptors); Page Morris, Beth West, Suzy Shealy, Walton Selig, Martha Thomas, Jan Swanson, Tish Lowe, Bettye Rivers, Debra Paysinger, Meredith Paysinger, McKenzie Seay and Leah Wimberly (painters). All studios on the main level have glass-fronts so that visitors can see art and the artists at work. Studio hours vary with each artist. Building hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-6pm or by appt. Contact: Jan Swanson at 803/360-6794, e-mail to (busstop2711@aol.com) or on Facebook.

Artsy Fartsy Art Gallery and Coffee Bar, 906 Knox Abbott Drive, Cayce. **Ongoing** - Featuring art by local artists and cafe and wine bar. We also have MIND GRAVY which is our poetry night every wed 8-10pm. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 7pm-2am. Contact: 803/7084731 or e-mail at (Ladyartnsoul@gmail.com).

Bella Vista Art & Framing, 705 Gervais St., downstairs of City Market Antiques, Columbia. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works of art of varied national artists, regional artists, vintage art, antiquarian engravings and etchings, original photography. Also a Mort Kunstler dealer and large selection of SC artists, giclees, and limited edition prints. And, offering a full service custom framing shop featuring professional,

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