

SC Institutional Galleries

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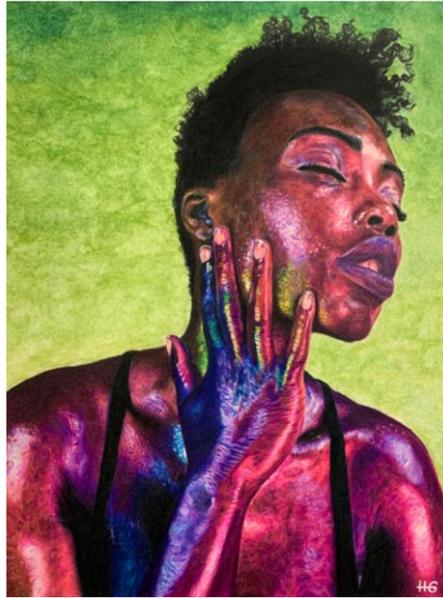
Mays Elementary School, and Rice Elementary School. Hours: Wed.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 864/229-7093 or at (www.emeraldtriangle.sc/museum-railroad-center).

Greer

Edward R. Driggers City of Greer Center for the Arts, 804 Trade St., Greer. **Ongoing** - Featuring an exhibit of works by Leisa Artus. **Ongoing** - Featuring artists studios. Hours: open to the public during events and classes or by appt. Contact: call Sara Odem at 864/5383 or at (<http://greerculturalarts.com/>).

Hartsville

Black Creek Arts Center, 116 West College Ave., Hartsville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local and regional artists. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-1pm and 2-5pm; Fri., 10am-2pm and 1st Sat. of the month 10am-1pm. Contact: 843/332-6234 or at (www.blackcreekarts.org).



Work by Haleigh Gartner

Hartsville Museum and Sculpture Courtyard, 222 North Fifth Street, corner of Fifth Street and Home Avenue, Hartsville. **W. Reaves McCall Gallery, Through Apr. 30** - "2021 GSSM Student Art Exhibition," featuring works by students from the The South Carolina Governor's School for Science & Mathematics (GSSM), in conjunction with National Youth Art Month. Works in the exhibit were created through multiple-modes of learning including innovative, on campus, virtual, and hybrid art courses. Various media represented in the student exhibit include graphite, charcoal, pen & ink, color pencils, and watercolor media. Students engage with professional artist, Patz Fowle, to deepen their understanding of visual art while developing skills, techniques, and processes to create meaningful art works. **Ongoing** - Housed in a 1930's Post Office Building, the museum has kept many of the unique architectural features of the building. The skylight, original to the building, has been retrofitted with stained glass panels depicting the flora and fauna significant to the area. The Sculpture Courtyard added in 2000 features many different types of sculpture. The Showcase Gallery presents special exhibits focusing on history, the arts or present day events. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm (closed from noon-1pm on Fri.). Contact: 843/383-3005 or at (www.hartsvillmuseum.org).

Hilton Head Island Area

Art League of Hilton Head Gallery, at the Arts Center of Coastal Carolina, 14 Shelter Cove Lane, Hilton Head Island. **Through Apr. 3** - "Anything Goes!" This March the Art League of Hilton Head will showcase the best of its members work with no limitations. "Anything Goes!", an exhibit of member art at Art League Gallery, celebrates the depth and breadth of artwork created by Art League exhibiting members. Truly anything goes at this exhibit: any media, size, shape, form or subject. From 2D media such as painting and photography to 3D art including sculpture, ceramics and jewelry, all artworks will be on display and for sale. **Apr. 6 - May 1** - "Taking a Leap; The Art of Discovery," featuring works by Joan Moreau McKeever, a well-rounded local artist whose work is sure to appeal to a wide audience. A reception will be held on Apr. 7, from 5-7pm. McKeever is holding two artist talks on Apr. 12 and Apr. 19, at 1pm on both days. Art League is asking reception and artist talk attendees to please RSVP by e-mail at (gallery@artleaguehi.org) to prevent overcrowding. Loose or precise brushstrokes, vivid or muted colors; serene Lowcountry landscapes in oil, acrylic or pastel or brush, whimsical collages made of washi tape—McKeever does it all. "I experiment. I take risks. I am constantly trying new media

and techniques," she says. "I am still searching for 'Me.'" **Ongoing** - Featuring works by members of the Art League of Hilton Head. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 843/681-5060 or at (www.artleaguehi.org).

Coastal Discovery Museum at Honey Horn, off Highway 278, across from Gumtree Road, Hilton Head Island. **Museum Grounds, Apr. 24 & 25** - The Art Market at Historic Honey Horn. Featuring a juried fine art and craft festival. Eighty accomplished artists from the region and from across the country will be on site for our 19th annual Market. Stroll through artists' booth under historic live oaks to find that perfect piece of original art to take home. Fine art and craft in all shapes, sizes, styles, price ranges, and media will be available for purchase during this weekend. Rain or shine, the outdoor show is open to the public on Saturday, from 10am-5pm and on Sunday, from 11am-4pm. There is a \$5.00 per person admission charge. Timed tickets are available online at (www.coastaldiscovery.org) as we have a limited hourly capacity this year. Vendors and audience are required to wear masks and social distancing will be enforced. Food and beverages will be available from Mellie Mel's, a favorite local caterer and Odd Birds, coffee and bakes. For further information, please contact Robin Swift at 843/689-6767 ext. 224.

Hilton Head Regional Healthcare Gallery, Coastal Discovery Museum, at Honey Horn, off Highway 278, across from Gumtree Road, Hilton Head Island. **Ongoing** - This beautiful 69-acre site will serve as the Museum's base for programs highlighting the cultural heritage and natural history of the Lowcountry. And, it will provide a signature venue for community events for people of all ages. The opening includes the renovation of a 6,000 sq. foot former hunting retreat, renamed the "Discovery House," containing the Museum's new interactive exhibits, temporary gallery space and community meeting rooms. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-4:30pm & Sun., 11am-3pm. Contact: 843-689-6767 ext. 224 or at (www.coastaldiscovery.org).

Lancaster

USC Lancaster Native American Studies Center, 119 South Main Street, Lancaster. **D. Lindsay Pettus Gallery, Ongoing** - "The Story of Catawba Pottery". This National Endowment for the Arts funded exhibit traces the art, culture and history of Catawba pottery, the oldest Native American pottery tradition in the United States. **Ongoing** - The Center is 15,000 square foot facility in historic downtown Lancaster. Guests will have the opportunity to tour the NAS Center's gallery spaces, archives, classrooms, and archaeology, language, and audio-visual labs. Home to the world's largest collection of Catawba Indian pottery, the NAS Center will offer exhibits of regional Native American Art, classes and programs focused on Native American history, culture, archaeology, folklore, and language. Hours: Tue., Wed., Fri., & Sat., 10am-5pm; Thur., 10am-7pm; of Mon. by appt only. Contact: 803/313-7172 or visit (<http://usclancaster.sc.edu/NAS/>).

Marion

Marion County Museum, 101 Wilcox Avenue, Marion. **Ongoing** - Changing exhibits are displayed in two galleries downstairs. These can be local exhibits, or traveling exhibits from the South Carolina State Museum's collections. The Magnolia Room of the museum is furnished with lovely antiques once used in the Aiken-Rhett House in Charleston. These pieces were a gift from the Charleston Museum. The upstairs galleries feature a turn-of-the-century classroom, a farm room, and a variety of displays concerning the people and places of Marion County. Hours: Tues.-Fri., 9am-noon & 1-5pm. Contact: 843/423-8299 or at (<http://www.marionsc.org/museum>).

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, jacks, gourds, woodworking, textiles, soaps and more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 864/852-3216 or at (<http://mccormickarts.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



Valor Memorial Park, 1120 Farrow Parkway, The Market Common, Myrtle Beach. Valor Park, at The Market Common, in Myrtle Beach. **Apr. 24 & 25; Oct. 9 & 10; and Nov. 13 & 14, 2021, from 10am-4pm** - "Waccamaw Arts and Crafts Guild's 49th year of Art in the Park". We will have over 40 artists from the East Coast and as far away as Tennessee with about 15 of those artists from our local area. Typical art will include Paintings, Woodworking, Photography, Jewelry, Fabric, Glass, Metal, Pottery and Stone. No admission charge. Child and Pet Friendly. Contact: JoAnne Utterback at 843/446-3830 or (wacg.org/art-in-the-park/).

Franklin G. Burroughs • Simeon B. Chapin Art Museum, 3100 South Ocean Blvd., beside Springmaid Beach, Myrtle Beach. **Through Apr. 17** - "American Society of Marine Artists 18th National Exhibition". The American Society of Marine Artists is a non-profit organization dedicated to the promotion of marine art and maritime history, with a focus on education and the exchange of ideas among artists, collectors, educators, historians and students. Since its founding in 1978, the ASMA has presented its prestigious national exhibition biennially. Featuring 110 paintings, drawings and sculptures representing the very best in marine art, this highly sought after exhibition is touring museums throughout the United States, and the Art Museum is proud to be one of those venues. **Through Apr. 3** - "Bishop Collection of Antique Maps + Historical Prints". The Art Museum's Bishop Collection of Antique Maps and Prints is comprised of 30 works dated from 1606 to 1863. Following the discovery of the New World in the 15th century, European countries sought to document and map new territories using cartographic methods and technologies developed since the 13th Century. Many of the early European cartographers were recruited from the ranks of painters, miniaturists and other artists. Over the centuries, cities such as Paris, Amsterdam, Florence, Venice and London, competed as mapmaking centers of the World. There in those cities, a succession of explorers, artists and mathematicians created new maps that introduced the expanding world. The golden period for the production of decorated and colored maps embraced the late 17th through the 18th centuries, with each expedition to the Americas resulting in a better understanding of the coastal and inland topography of the continents. The early cartographers relied heavily on Native American descriptions, unsubstantiated reports and hearsay in the development of their maps. As a result, topographic features of this period were often exaggerated or misrepresented; however, they are amazingly accurate given the methods used. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm & Sun., 1-4pm. Contact: 843/238-2510 or at (www.myrtlebeachartmuseum.org).

Seacoast Artists Gallery, located at The Market Common, 3032 Nevers Street, Myrtle Beach. **Ongoing** - features the works of over 70 local artists of the Seacoast Artists Guild of South Carolina, a nonprofit visual arts organization dedicated to advancing excellence in the visual arts through teaching, exhibits, workshops and special events. Guild membership benefits include monthly meetings, programs & presentations; and opportunities to participate in Spring & Fall Art Shows and Web Gallery. Artwork includes oil, acrylic, watercolor, fiber art, mixed media, clay, metal engraved jewelry, sculpture, assemblage, and fine art photography. Art classes and workshops offered. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm and Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 843.232.7009, e-mail at (seacoastartistsgallery@gmail.com) or at (seacoastartistsguild.com).

Newberry

Newberry Arts Center, 1200 Main Street location, Newberry. **Ongoing** - The Newberry Arts Center was established in 2014 and is operated by the City's Parks, Recreation and Tourism Department. In less than a year a solid arts program was established that includes programs for all ages. The mission of the Newberry Arts Center (NAC) and Newberry Arts Program is to provide quality arts experiences to all interested citizens and increase support for working artists while creating appreciative current and future art patrons by involving the diverse population and fostering local economic growth while enhanc-

ing the quality of life for all residents. The NAC also established and hosted the first ever South Carolina Clay Conference, an annual conference for clay enthusiasts held in Newberry each year. Hours: Call for hours. Contact: 803/597-1125 or at (www.NewberryArtsCenter.com).

North Augusta

Arts and Heritage Center, on the first floor of the North Augusta Municipal Center, 100 Georgia Ave., intersection of Georgia Avenue and Center Street, North Augusta. **Main Gallery & Balcony Gallery, Through Apr. 16** - "NACAC's Springfest 2021 Exhibit," showcases artwork from artist from North Augusta as well as the CSRA. A reception will be held on Mar. 18, from 5-7pm. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm. Contact: 803/441-4380 or at (www.artsandheritagecenter.com).

North Charleston

Park Circle area, North Charleston. **Apr. 10, beginning at 1:30-6:30pm** - "Spring Park Circle Art Walk". Come participate in the socially distant Art Walk in Park Circle. Art shows have been re-imagined. Due to COVID 19, our creative minds got together to create a walking, biking, or car riding art show in our community. Each artist/musician displays/performs their works of art in their front yards throughout Park Circle.

Throughout North Charleston, Apr. 28 - May 2 - "38th annual North Charleston Arts Fest". Note that due to healthy/safety concerns with large gatherings, principal events such as the World Art Expo at Riverfront Park and Children's Festival will not take place in 2021. All in-person festival events will be presented with COVID-19 safety measures in place (face coverings, social distancing, etc.). Some virtual programming will be offered. Complete information on all 2021 North Charleston Arts Fest offerings, including event and exhibition details, site maps, and social media contest rules, are available at (<https://northcharlestonartsfest.com/>).



View of a previous Palmetto Hands exhibit, photo by Gavin Shelton

North Charleston Performing Arts Center & Convention Center Complex, 5001 Coliseum Drive, North Charleston. **Apr. 28 - May 2** - "South Carolina Palmetto Hands Fine Craft Competition & Exhibition". Artists from across the state will display fine craft objects in the media of clay, fiber, glass, metal, wood, and three-dimensional mixed media in this 19th annual juried competition and exhibition. Following the close of the exhibition, up to 20 works from the show will go on to tour the state through the South Carolina State Museum's 2021/2022 Traveling Exhibitions Program. Selections for the exhibit, as well as the subsequent traveling show, were made by the juror, Karen Watson, Executive Director of the Sumter County Gallery of Art in Sumter, SC. Award winners acknowledged at the Arts Fest Opening Celebration on April 28, from 6-8pm. **Apr. 28 - May 2** - "Judged Fine Art & Photography Exhibitions". View hundreds of fine art and photography pieces in a variety of styles and subjects entered by artists from throughout the Lowcountry. Award winners for fine art pieces in acrylic, oil, drawing, pastel, watercolor, printmaking, printed new media, and 2-D mixed media selected by Greg Colleton, Director of Development at Yo Art! Inc. in Charleston, SC. Award winners for photographs in color and monochrome selected by photographer and educator Leslie Burns. A number of the pieces on display are available for purchase. Award winners acknowledged at the Arts Fest Opening Celebration on April 28, from 6-8pm. **Apr. 28 - May 2** - "Tri-County Youth Art Exhibition". Public, private, and home school students in Charleston, Dorchester, and Berkeley counties will display two-dimensional artwork in a variety of subjects and media. Award winners in grades 6-12 selected by local artist and Adjunct Professor in the Visual Art Department at Trident Technical College, Setsuko Lawson. Award winners in grades 1-5 selected by the City of North Charleston's 2019/20 Artist-in-Residence, Katherine Hester. Award winners acknowledged at the Arts Fest Opening Celebration on April 28, from 6-8pm. **Apr. 28 - May 2** - "Tri-County High School Sculpture Exhibition". Public, private, and home school students in Charleston, Dorchester, and Berkeley counties will display three-dimensional artwork in a variety of subjects and media. Award winners in grades 9-12 selected by founder and director of Miller Gallery in downtown Charleston, SC,

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