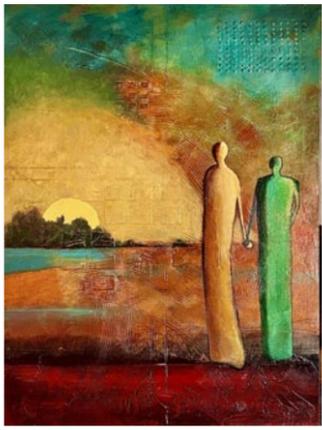


Honoring Randolph County ART INSTRUCTORS – both past and present – in May at the Historic Luck’s Cannery in Seagrove!  
 Make plans now to attend the free opening reception at 3-6 pm on Sunday, May 5th, 2024.



Special live music will be provided by a local combo along with refreshments by “Our State” featured caterer Karen Saunders at the Carey and Billie Durham Artwalk. Also on view will be the lovely new exterior mural by Asheboro artist Lauren Freeman at the Artwalk’s east entry plus the Seagrove Heritage Museum adjacent to the gallery. See the Lucks Cannery facebook page for more information (or contact Carey Durham at cmdurham73@hotmail.com) regarding these participating artists who will be showing

**Amelia Wright** - Eastern Randolph High  
**Cori Cagle** - Hopewell Elementary  
**Ellen Greer** - Retired (AHS, RCC, & MCC)  
**Gwen Auman** - Retired (Asheboro City Schools)  
**Jaimie Carr** - South Asheboro Middle

**Jared Slack** - Coleridge, Ramseur, & Grays Chapel Elementary  
**Joy Frazer** - Asheboro High  
**Lee Haywood** - Uwharrie Charter Middle  
**Madyson Tippett** - New Market & Tabernacle Elementary  
**Megan Clapp** - Randleman Elementary

**Melissa Walker** - Active (Walker Art Studios) & Retired (Randleman High)  
**Pam Myers** - Private Instructor (work pictured)  
**Raven Bias** - North Asheboro Middle

## Birds of a Feather Art Show

An exhibition of 2D and 3D art featuring our feathered friends

Reception Sunday,

May 5th 2024 3-6pm

Refreshments include Hors D'Oeuvres, Red Oak Beer, wine, and more.

Please come and vote for our first People’s Choice Award to support your favorite artist



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## Piedmont Craftsmen in Winston-Salem, NC, Offers Works by Mary Louise Ravese and Ali Wieboldt

Piedmont Craftsmen in Winston-Salem, NC, is presenting *Nature Stories*, featuring photography by Mary Louise Ravese and jewelry by Ali Wieboldt, on view through May 31, 2024.

Mary Louise Ravese, has been a member since 2022.

She offered the following, “I make fine art nature, travel and creative photographs from locations across the globe. My favorite subject matter includes landscapes, nature close-ups, architectural details and abstracts. My photos are about intriguing juxtapositions of vibrant colors, contrasting tones, dynamic shapes, and unique textures. I create both color and black & white images. I take pride in personally processing my images in my digital darkroom to reflect my artistic vision.”

“I draw inspiration from a number of different art forms such as traditional Japanese block prints, to 1930s-era advertising posters, to painters like Georgia O’Keefe,” adds Ravese. “My ambition is to incorporate the beauty of painting in the clarity of photography to make “painterly” looking photographs. I also enjoy expanding the context of my artwork to include the artwork’s presentation. For example, I like to use a combination of mat and frame color, texture and finish to enhance the beauty of my images, complementing and completing each piece of art and mak-

ing it more than just a beautiful image. My signed, Limited Edition photographs are printed using archival methods and are available on a variety of materials including traditional silver halide based photographic paper, fine art paper, canvas, metal and wood.”

Ravese is founder and owner of Bella Vista Photography in Raleigh, NC. For over 25 years, she has specialized in nature, travel and creative photography from locations across the US and throughout the world. Trained in the use of both 4x5 and 35mm cameras, today Ravese shoots with full-frame DSLR and mirrorless cameras, producing photographs in color and black and white.

Ali Wieboldt has been a member since 1986.

Wieboldt makes one-of-a-kind pins and pendants that feature paintings and drawings of birds, animals and plants. She complements the natural subjects with gemstones and settings of silver and gold. Many pieces open to reveal hidden inscriptions from scripture. She hopes in her work to express an appreciation for nature as a reflection of its Creator.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the gallery at 336/725-1516 or visit ([www.piedmontcraftsmen.org](http://www.piedmontcraftsmen.org)).

So you're the Marketing Director of a visual arts organization, art museum, arts center, arts council or artist guild and you're wondering why you never see the exhibits presented at your facility included here. Maybe you're the owner of a commercial art gallery and you've never seen your exhibits included with others presented in your area. You might even be an individual artist who is having an exhibit in a non-profit space or commercial space and you don't see your exhibits included. My question to you is - How long will you put up with that before you ask someone, "Why that is the case?" If you're not included - it's your fault. Send your info about exhibits to "Carolina Arts" by e-mail to ([info@carolinaarts.com](mailto:info@carolinaarts.com)). Our deadline is the 24th of the month, at 5pm "prior" to the month your exhibit starts.

Starworks 1st Annual

# CRAFT Invitational

featuring artists in ceramic, glass, wood, metal, & fiber

Rocks Glasses by Dahlia Bushwick

**Saturday, June 8 · 9am-4pm**  
 Tickets are \$5 at [StarworksNC.org/craft](http://StarworksNC.org/craft)  
 Preview Reception June 7 at 6pm - Tickets \$25  
 20 masters in their craft will present their work in this exhibition style sale

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