

SC Institutional Galleries

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district area is often bustling with events and pedestrians, and the pedestrians rely heavily on a multitude of crosswalks to safely traverse the downtown Spartanburg area. The problem is that crosswalks are incredibly easy to overlook, they are rarely visually appealing, and they can even be quite dangerous. In an effort to remedy these issues, Chapman Cultural Center, the City of Spartanburg, and the Spartanburg Area Chamber of Commerce came together to organize the Creative Crosswalk Project. For more info visit (<https://www.chapmanculturalcenter.org/pages/blog/detail/article/c0/a1555/>).



Work by Christina Laurel

Artists Collective | Spartanburg (formerly West Main Artists Cooperative), 578 West Main St., Spartanburg. **Solomon Gallery, July 5 - Aug. 27** - "Interconnect," featuring works by Greer paper artist Christina Laurel. The exhibit brings four distinct series of her artwork together. The exhibition features an installation of suspended 3-D elements constructed of shoji-paper accompanying each 2-D series, Laurel says. "Butterfly drapes with my 'Remnants' series, ginkgo strands with my 'Survivor' series, and lily pads with my 'Fossilized' series. Plus, as an acknowledgement of how COVID affects my art, paper fans with my latest 'Mask' series. **Gallery II, July 5 - Aug. 27** - "Click 2022," photography exhibition. Seven Upstate photographers have combined their talents for an exhibition. Select works from these ACS-member photographers will be on display and available for purchase: Chuck Bishop, Evan Givens, Pete Harding, John Lever, Cynthia Manuel, Thomas Koenig and Patty Wright. Prices for the 25 works in the exhibition will range from \$50 to \$200. "This exhibition is an example of the breadth and depth of ACS's photographic artists," says Lever, who is coordinating the exhibition. "Each person has selected a few pieces to represent the style of each person's perspective." **Ongoing** - The Collective features a twenty thousand square foot facility offering affordable studio space, retail space, three galleries, a full ceramics studio, printery, and works by 50 local artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-4pm; with extended hours on the 3rd Thur. of each month until 9pm for Spartanburg's Art Walk. Contact: 864/804-6501 or at (artistscollectivespartanburg.org/).

Curtis R. Harley Art Gallery, Performing Arts Center, USC-Upstate, 800 University Way, Spartanburg. **Ongoing** - Featuring selections from the permanent collection by artists Andy Warhol, Jerry Uelsmann and Beatrice Riese.

Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm. Contact: Gallery Director, Jane Nodine at 864/503-5838 or e-mail at (jnodine@uscupstate.edu).

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).

Mayfair Art Studios, a division of Chapman Cultural Center, 1885 Hayne Street, within the Arcadia Mill Village, Spartanburg. **1st Fri. of the month** - "First Fridays" - Open Studios for its resident creatives to showcase their work. At First Fridays, resident creatives open their studio doors so the public can gain perspective on their creative process. You'll be able to view the latest work from the creatives while getting to know each of them and what drives their creativity. Explore what's Made at Mayfair! PLUS - August's First Friday will feature an Art Market with additional creatives so you can shop from local arts and craftspeople! Featured Artists: Sarah Smith: The River Goat; Rosetta Nesbitt: Art by Rosetta Nesbitt; Dierdre Holland: T's Creations; Jan Pruitt: Granny Jan's Homemade Fudge; and Keith Hansen: Mission Pens. Beer and wine are available for those 21+. **Ongoing** - Works by Carl Tait and Harold Krisel are on display. Tait was a successful painter, textile designer, and interior designer. His ties to the Spartanburg community originate from his longtime employment at Milliken and Company. Tait was born in Old Town, Maine in 1917 and graduated from the New Hampshire Institute of Arts and Science. In the late 1940s, he moved to New York City where he designed an exclusive line of ladies' handkerchiefs for the department store B. Altman, now considered vintage, collectible items. He also became associated with the American Artist Group designing Christmas cards, an occupation which he kept up throughout the majority of his artistic career. Krisel was a distinguished artist, architect, and teacher as well as a loving father and husband. Though Krisel may not be a household name among Spartanburg residents, he has made a significant artistic contribution to the Spartanburg community. Born in Brooklyn, NY in 1920, Krisel's interest in art and design started at a young age. He attended the American Artist School in New York city as a teenager where he met renowned modern artists, including Piet Mondrian, who greatly influenced his abstract style. After studying architecture at the New Bauhaus in Chicago from 1946-1949, he received his graduate degree from Illinois Institute of Technology in 1952. The following year, he began working for architectural firm Skidmore, Owings and Merrill when Roger Milliken hired them to design Milliken's new research facility in Spartanburg. Upon realizing Krisel was also a sculptor, Milliken hired him to design the spray fountain outside of the facility which functions as a recycler of air conditioning water. He then went on to design the Trident Fountain located outside of the Papadopoulos building on Wofford College's campus. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-7pm & Sat, 9am-3pm. Contact: 864-278-3228 or at (<https://www.mayfairartstudios.org/>).

Rosalind Sallenger Richardson Center for the Arts, Wofford College, Spartanburg. **Richardson Family Art Museum, Ongoing** - Featuring the Cerise and Amber Persian Ceiling sculptures created by renowned American sculptor Dale Chihuly. Admission: Free. Hours: Tue, Wed, Fri. & Sat., 1-5pm; Thur., 1-9pm; and closed Sun. & Mon. Contact: call Laura Corbin at 864/597-4180, e-mail to (laura.corbin@wofford.edu) or at (www.wofford.edu).

USC Upstate Art Gallery, Chapman Cultural Center, 200 E. St. John Street, Spartanburg. **Through Aug. 15** - "Andy Warhol: Celebrity Portraits, Selections from the USC Upstate Permanent Collection". **Ongoing** - Directed and curated by Dr. Lex Lancaster, the gallery will feature the work of diverse artists from the Southeast and beyond. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: e-mail Dr. Lancaster at (lexl@uscupstate.edu).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Spartanburg **Campus of University of South Carolina Upstate**, 800 University Way, Spartanburg. **Ongoing** - "USC Upstate Outdoor Sculpture Collection". Available to viewers year-round, these 13 works can be seen in front of the Campus Life Center, the Humanities and Performing Arts Center, the Horace C. Smith Science Building, Tukey Theatre and the Kathryn Hicks Visual Arts Center. While the majority of the outdoor

sculptures belong to internationally acclaimed artist Bob Doster, other artists included are Jim Gallucci, Daingerfield Ashton, Winston Wingo, Dan Millsbaugh, Adam Walls, and Hanna Jubran. Cell phone tour info at (864-607-9224). For more info contact Jane Nodine at 864/503-5838 or e-mail to (jnodine@uscupstate.edu).

Headquarters Library, Spartanburg County Public Libraries, 151 South Church Street, Spartanburg. **Crutchfield Gallery, Aug. 10 - Oct. 12** - "9th Annual Juried Exhibition," juried by Shane Howell, head of Greenville Technical College's Department of Visual Arts. Cash and purchase awards exceeding \$2,600 will be awarded. **AT&T Exhibition Lobby, Ongoing** - Displaying exhibitions year round ranging from art exhibits to local history to nationwide exhibits of varying topics. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-9pm; Sat., 9am-6pm; and Sun., 1:30-6pm. Contact: Miranda Mims Sawyer by e-mail at (mirandas@infodepot.org) or call 864/285-9091. **The Upper Level Gallery (administrative office on the 3rd floor), Ongoing** - Display local artisans artwork. Hours: Mon. & Wed., 10am-6pm; Tue., Thur., & Fri., 10am-4pm; and Sat., 10am-1pm. Contact: Miranda Mims Sawyer by e-mail at (mirandas@infodepot.org) or call 864./285-9091.

Summerton

Lake Marion Artisan's Gallery, 108 Main Street, Summerton. **Through July 30** - "Creating Art During Covid," featuring works by local artist Janet Michalic. The exhibition depicts scenes and images in a quiet gentle manner. "Silence in a pure state" according to Michalic. Michalic studied art at the Clarion University in Pennsylvania and later taught art in grades one thru eight. She then married and took a recess from her art endeavors. After raising a family she reached back to her creative nature and artistic interests. She approached art now from a personal platform rather than that of an instructor. **Ongoing** - Operated by the Lake Marion Artisans (LMA) an organization which is committed to enriching the surrounding communities of Lake Marion through the arts. As such, we promote and showcase everything from unique crafts to fine arts, much of which are creations of our local artisans. Our website provides news, educational information, and links to selected resources of interest to those interested in the Arts. Hours: check for hours. Contact: e-mail to (lakemarionartisans3@gmail.com) or visit (<https://sites.google.com/site/summertonartisans/>).

Summerville

The Public Works Art Center, 135 West Richardson Avenue, intersection of West Richardson Avenue and Cedar Street, Summerville. **West West Gallery, Through July 30** - "Fabricated Visions," photographs on silk by Kirsten Hoving. Fabricated Visions is a collection of evocative photographs printed on silk and combined with secondary photographs or paper collage. In some works, the fabric is mounted only at the top over a digital underprint on a panel to create free-flowing photographs that gently move with air currents or in response to the movements of viewers. In others, the silk is stabilized on a transparent substrate that, in turn, is lifted over a secondary digital photograph or hand-made paper collage to create an unexpected three-dimensional effect. **East Gallery, Through July 30** - "Birds," presented by the National Audubon Society's Bird Photography Contest. **South Gallery, Through July 30** - "Between The Richness," a photography exhibition by DeeJay Wiggins. **Ongoing - Sculpture in the South Studio**, the organization which purchases sculpture and places it around downtown Summerville. **CCAC Studio Gallery, Ongoing** - Now the permanent home of the Carnes Crossroads Artist Cooperative. The CCAC has handcrafted items for sale and offers classes in a variety of media. The CCAC also has an Online Store that features handcrafted items from many of the artist members. The Online Store is at (www.carnescrossroadsartistcooperative.com). New items are added each week and FREE SHIPPING is always available in the 48 contiguous United States. **Ongoing** - Offering studio spaces for artists, engaging exhibitions, art classes for adults and children, a boutique gift shop, music events, an outdoor market, a special event rental space, and so much more. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/900-3225, e-mail to (info@publicworksartcenter.org) or at (publicworksartcenter.org/).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Summerville **Azalea Park & Downtown Summerville**, Main Street and West Fifth Street South, Summerville. **Ongoing** - Sculpture In The South has been instrumental in placing 43 bronze pieces around Summerville including the Public Sculpture Collection and the B.I.R.D.S. Sculpture Trail. Hours: daylight hours. Contact: 843/851-7800 or at (www.sculptureinthesouth.com).

Sumter



Work by Ashley Lareau

Sumter County Gallery of Art, Sumter County Cultural Center, 135 Haynesworth St., Sumter. **Through Aug. 26** - "2022 Sumter Artists' Guild Exhibition," featuring works by local artists. Sumter is fortunate to be home to many talented artists working in all mediums. The Sumter Artists Guild was founded in 1966 by some of Sumter's most prominent artists. Its membership includes amateur, professional artists and art enthusiasts. Its mission is "to promote, support and foster interest in art and to create an opportunity for our community of artists to engage in cooperative artistic enterprises and to be further active in supporting a variety of activities associated with art education, art instruction and art appreciation in our community." The Guild has not only succeeded in its mission but surpassed it. The Guild was instrumental in founding the Sumter County Gallery of Art in 1969. We are excited to have as the 2022 Sumter Artists' Guild Exhibition judge, Kyle C. Coleman. Coleman is an arts administrator, art historian, visual arts educator, graphic designer, and writer. **Artisan Center Gift Shop** - Featuring art objects from local and regional artists. Hours: Tues-Sat 11-5pm & Sun., 1:30-5pm. Contact: 803/775-0543 or at (www.sumtergallery.org).

Travelers Rest

White Rabbit Fine Art Gallery, 5 So. Main Street, Travelers Rest. **Ongoing** - Featuring original artwork made by local and regional artists on an ongoing basis, with new guests monthly, including works by: Susan Savage, Kymberlea Easter, Patty Cunningham, Robert "Artsy Bob" Havens, Crystal Knope, Cathryn Rice, Steve Wallace, Gayle Latuszek, Amanda Franklin, and Nancy Yan, among others. Pieces include 2D and 3D work, scarves and household items. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm; Sun., 11am-3pm; closed Mon. Contact: 864/610-2732 or e-mail to (whiterabbitfineartgallery@gmail.com).

Walterboro

SC Artisans Center, 334 Wichman Street, 2 miles off I95, exits 53 or 57, Walterboro. **Ongoing** - Featuring work of over 300 of the SC's leading artists. The Center offers educational and interpretive displays of Southern folklife. Its mission is to enhance the appreciation and understanding of the rich cultural heritage of South Carolina. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 843/549-0011 or at (<http://www.scartisanscenter.com/>).

Westminster

The Gateway Arts Center of Westminster South Carolina, 213 E. Windsor Street, Westminster. **Ongoing** - Through active collaboration with the Westminster Music Centre, Mountain Lakes Convention and Visitors Bureau, Westminster Depot and other local non profit arts organizations; by establishing an active membership; and with a well -rounded schedule of yearly events that complements established venues: it is our mission to help open the doors of creativity to everyone. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-5pm (during exhibits) Fri.&Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 864/613-2211 or (<https://gatewayartscenter.net/>).



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