

NC Commercial Galleries

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and established artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 336/736-8015 or at (www.circagalerync.com).

Little River Art Works, 6417 Abner Rd., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring stoneware luminaries and hand carved folk art scenes on our pottery by Nora & Barry Walbourn. Hours: by appt. only. Contact: 336/381-4708 or e-mail at (littleliver@rtmc.net).

Asheville

Aesthetic Art Gallery, 6 College St., across from Pritchard Park, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Offering a variety of international works, including terracotta ceramics from Viet Nam and stone sculpture from Zimbabwe. In addition, there is an assortment of intricately detailed handcrafted pictorial textiles from Australia and Lesotho, many of which depict local Asheville scenes. Also available are Australian Aboriginal oil paintings, Bruni Sablan oil paintings from the "Jazz Masters Series," and ceramic tiles from the Southwest (US). Hours: Tue-Sat, noon-6pm. Contact: 828/301-0391 or at (www.aestheticfineartandcraftsgallery.com).

American Folk Art & Antiques, 64 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring antique folk art, functional and contemporary folk pottery, furniture and paintings. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/281-2134 or at (www.amerfolk.com).

Appalachian Craft Center, 10 North Spruce St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Folk pottery, face jugs, traditional crafts, and other collectables. Hours: M.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 828/253-8499 or at (www.appalachiancraftcenter.com).

Ariel Gallery, 19 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Presenting the best in clay, fiber, paper, books, jewelry, metal, sculpture, furniture and glass by members of the Ariel Contemporary Craft Cooperative. A gallery owned and operated by artists. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri. & Sat., 10am-7pm and Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/236-2660 or at (www.arielcraftgallery.com).

Bellagio, 5 Biltmore Plaza, Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring exquisitely handcrafted jewelry and clothing. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/277-8100.

Bella Vista Art Gallery, 14 Lodge St., Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by regional and national artists in a variety of mediums. Offering contemporary oil paintings, blown glass, pottery, black & white photography, stoneware sculptures, and jewelry. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/768-0246 or at (www.BellaVistaArt.com).

BlackBird Frame & Art, 30 Bryson St., just north of Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring mountain landscape art and expert custom framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/225-3117 or at (www.BlackBirdFrame.com).

Blue Ridge Frame & Gallery, 545 Merrimon Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by local artist Linda Cheek, Ann Vasilik, Carol Bomer, Kelly Wilkinson, and many more. Plus a large selection of prints, posters, and quality custom framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9:30am-6pm & Sat., 10am-4pm. Contact: 828/253-3559.

Blue Spiral 1, 38 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of mediums by regional, national and international artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/251-0202 or at (www.bluespiral1.com).

Castell Photography, 2C Wilson Alley off Eagle St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - The gallery is owned by internationally recognized artist Brie Castell, is a unique photographic Salon & Gallery dedicated solely to photo based media. The gallery features the work of Brie Castell, and also hosts several rotating exhibitions each year of other talented photographers. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 828.255.1188 or at (www.castellphotography.com).

Chatsworth Art and Antiques, 54 N. Lexington Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Specializing in 19th and early 20th century oils, watercolors and prints. Also jewelry, silver, china, small furniture and fine accessories. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 828.252.6004.

Clayspace Co-op, River Arts District, 119A Roberts St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - The Clayspace Co-op is a cooperative ceramics studio and showroom located in the historic river arts

district of Asheville, North Carolina. The main aim of the Clayspace Cooperative is to provide an environment that promotes the artistic growth and success of its members through cooperation and education. Hours: Sale - Dec. 6, 10am-6pm & Dec. 7, 11am-5pm; reg. hours by chance. Contact: 828/279-3811 or at (www.clayspace.org).

Cold River Gallery, 32-A Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Welcome to the artistic expression of messages found in ancient wisdom, philosophies and our Earth's gifts, presented as the fine art of Karen Pierre. Working studio, jewelry, pottery. Hours: Tue.-Sat., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/350-0955.

CURVE studios & garden, 6, 9 & 12 Riverside Dr., River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Working studios of Constance Williams, Sutherland Handweaving, Pattiy Torno, Maria Troya, Kyle Carpenter, Akira Satake, Cynthia Wynn, Fran Welch, Jenny Mastin, Cassie Ryalls & more. Hours: 11am-4pm daily. Contact: 828/388-3526 or at (www.CURVEstudiosNC.com).

Echo Gallery at Biltmore Park, 8 Town Square, Suite 160, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a co-op run gallery including works by painters Genie Maples and Barbara Fisher, ceramicist Lori Theriault, textile artist Susan Webb Lee, photo artist Laurie McCarrier, and ceramic sculptor Anna Koloseike. The gallery will feature guest artists throughout the year. Echo Gallery has partnered with MANNA Food Bank and will donate 5% of all gallery sales directly to MANNA. Hours: Thur.-Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 828/687-7761 or at (www.echoasheville.com).

Element Clay Studio & Gallery, 33 Carolina Lane, off of Walnut between Lexington and Broadway, Asheville. **Ongoing** - The studio houses 6 ceramic artists, Heather Knight, Angelique Tassistro, Katie Johnson, James Powell, Lillian Byers and Lauren Lewis. Studio members welcome visitors to come see how hand made ceramic work is created and to get to know the people producing it. Hours: Fri. & Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 828-275-7829 or at (www.elementgallery.com).

FW Gallery at Woolworth Walk, 25 Haywood St., Asheville. **Jan. 1 - 30** - "Revelations," featuring paintings by Abby Lee and sculpture by Michelle Sumares. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm, closed Tue., & Sun. 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/254-9234 or at (www.woolworthwalk.com).



Work by Abby Lee

Gallery Minerva Fine Art, 8 Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring painting, sculpture, photography, ceramics and glass by local and regional artists. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri. & Sat., 11am-8pm; & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/255-8850 or at (www.galleryminerva.com).

Gallery of the Mountains, Inside the Grove Park Inn, 290 Macon Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Now part of the Grovewood Gallery family, featuring handcrafted wearables, jewelry, pottery and many one-of-a-kind objects. Hours: Mon.-Tue., 9am-6pm; Wed.-Sat., 9am-9pm & Sun., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/254-2068.

Grovewood Gallery, at the Homespun Shops, Grove Park Inn, 111 Grovewood Road, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring contemporary craft works by Richard Eckerd, Randy Shull, Dan Miller, Michael Costello, Thomas Reardon & Kathleen Doyle, Chris Abell, Mark Taylor, Kirk Schully, Reed Todd, III, Kurt Nielson and others. **Also** - 2nd floor furniture gallery, featuring works

by Kevin Kopil, Lorna Secrest, Michael McClatchy, Anthony Buzak, Marilyn MacEwen, Lisa Jacobs, Chris Horney, and many others. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 828/253-7651 or at (www.grovewood.com).

Jewels That Dance: Jewelry Design, 63 Haywood St., next door to the Library, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring hand-crafted jewelry by some of America's foremost jewelry artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10:30am-6pm. Contact: 828/254-5088 or at (www.jewelsthatdance.com).

Jonas Gerard Fine Art, 240 Clingman Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - "Explosions of Color on Canvas". Nationally known artist Jonas Gerard displays his most recent collection of abstract acrylics. His 5,000 square feet studio / gallery is filled with years of passion and dedication. He uses bold, passionate, sweeping gestures of saturated color that form unexpected images of poetic stature. Gerard paints in house to upbeat inspiring music, come unannounced or by appointment. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm; Sun., 1-6pm & by appt. Contact: 828/350-7711 or at (www.jonasgerard.com).

K2 Studio, 59 College St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a unique collection of fine furniture by local artists and pieces from around the world, home accessories and changing fine art exhibitions. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828/250-0500 or at (www.homereDEFINED.com).

Kress Emporium, 19 Patton Ave., Patton & Lexington Aves., downtown Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by over 100 artists and craftsmen. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 828/281-2252 or at (www.thekressemporium.com).

Merrimon Galleries, 365 Merrimon Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Representing outstanding local, national and international artists, featuring original oils and watercolors, graphics, and hand-colored etchings, as well as, limited edition prints, posters, and other prints. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-5pm. Contact: 828/252-6036.

Montford Arts Center, 235 Montford Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works in a variety of media by over twenty-five area artists. Watch artists at work. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 11:30am-6pm & Sat., 11:30am-5pm. Contact: 828/777-1014.

Mountain Made, Grove Arcade Public Market, 1 Page Ave., Suite 123, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring the work of over 80 artisans including beautiful pottery, hand painted silks, jewelry, furniture, original oils-pastels-watercolors, stained glass, textile art, blown and fused glass, iron work, gourds, hand made books, and more. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/350-0307 or at (www.mtnmade.com).

Mudhunter Pottery, 66 Broadway St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a rustic gallery shop showcasing functional and sculptural work from over 20 local potters. Our artists' diverse styles ad affordable prices set them apart. Hours: Tue.-Thur., 11am-5:30pm & Fri. & Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 828/225-5869.

New Morning Gallery, 7 Boston Way, Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art and crafts by some of America's finest artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/274-2831.

Overström Studio, 35 Wall St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - This architecturally significant gallery exclusively represents work by internationally-recognized designer Michael Overström, who with his wife Susan, present their original, handformed jewelry designs that embrace the designer's Scandinavian heritage and define Asheville's elegant style. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-8pm. Contact: 828/258-1761 or at (www.overstrom.com).

Pura Vida, 39-B Biltmore Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a space for the senses, offering the finest in artwork appealing to all five senses. Hours: daily noon-10pm. Contact: 828/271-6997 or at (www.pura-vida-asheville.com).

16 Patton, 16 Patton Avenue, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by William McCullough, Deborah Squier, John MacKah, Greg Osterhaus, Jerry La Point, Richard Oversmith, Scott Lowery, Dawn Rentz, Laura Young, Margaret Dyer, Suzy Schultz and Stuart Roper. Studio glass by Herman Leonhardt. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/236-2889 or at (www.16patton.com).

Studio B Custom Framing & Fine Art, 171 Weaverville Hwy., 2.1 miles north of our old location, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Browse our new gallery featuring works by national and international artists, including paintings, prints & post-

ers, jewelry, ceramics, wood and textiles. Also offering custom framing. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/225-5200 or at (www.galleryatstudiob.com).

sutherland, 6 Riverside Dr., inside Curve Studios in River Arts District, Asheville. **Ongoing** - This handweaving studio, gallery and learning center features fine, one-of-a-kind and limited-edition handwoven fashion accessories and household textiles, including scarves, shawls, garments, handbags, towels, table linens, blankets and wall art. sutherland also offers a series of classes and workshops for beginning weavers, weavers needing a refresher course or experienced weavers. Face-to-face social networking events held twice a month invite weavers to get together and discuss design challenges, share successes and work through problems in a casual, small group format. Hours: daily from 11am-4pm. Contact: Barb Butler, 828-513-1814, or Karen Donde, 854-261-4324, e-mail at (sutherlandstudios@gmail.com).

310 ARTGallery, 191 Lyman St, #310, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring original, contemporary fine art by regional artists. Hours: Fri.-Sun., 9:30am-3:30pm. Contact: 828-776-2716.

The Bender Gallery, 57 Haywood St., Asheville. **Ongoing** - The region's largest and most diverse studio glass gallery on two sun-filled levels features artists from around the country as well as around the world. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 10am-6pm; Fri.-Sat., 10am-7pm & Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/225-6625 or at (www.thebendergallery.com).

The Haen Gallery, 52 Biltmore Ave., a few steps south of the movie theatre, Asheville. **Through Jan. 31, 2011** - "Wintertide," a group exhibition of outstanding works from many of the gallery artists such as Lynn Boggess, Emily Wilson, GC Myers, Wendy Whitson, Clayton Santiago, Jane Filer, Mary-Ann Prack, Larry Gray, Phyllis Stapler, and Marci Crawford Hadden. **Ongoing** - Committed to providing access to stunning and unique artwork for discerning collectors and our community in general. Our offerings will reflect the character and sensibilities of this wonderful region. Including works by Lynn Boggess, GC Myers, Jerry Bowman, Alvena McCormick, Volkmar Wentzel, and MM Pipkin. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm; Sat., 11am-6pm; and Sun., noon-5pm. Contact: 828/254-8577 or at (www.thehaengallery.com).

The North End Gallery, situated adjacent to Asheville Framery, 175 Weaverville Hwy., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring a gallery with invitational shows and display space for lease. Our intent is to provide exposure for emerging talent. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5:30pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 828/658-3484 or at (www.thenorthendgallery.com).

The Satellite Gallery, 55 Broadway, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by the next wave of innovative and creative artists that are rising from the underground of contemporary street and pop culture. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm & Sun., noon-6pm. Contact: 828/350-9940 or at (www.the-satellitegallery.com).

Vadim Bora Gallery, 30 1/2 Battery Park Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Showcasing the works of international master sculptor and painter Vadim Bora. The gallery features classical and contemporary sculpture, oil paintings, and works on paper, highlighting Bora's figurative, portrait, landscape, and conceptual art. In addition to showcasing Bora's work, the gallery will introduce original talent to the region, including the works of artists from Bora's native Caucasus Mountains of southern Russia. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 1-5pm; Sat., noon-5pm & by appt. Contact: 828/254-7959 or at (www.vadimbora-studio.com).

Village Galleries Arts & Craft, 32 All Souls Crescent, Historic Biltmore Village, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring fine art glass, handbuilt ceramics, quilts, handcrafted jewelry, creative woodcrafts, sculpture, as well as watercolors, etchings, original lithographs & hand-painted tapestries. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 828/274-2424.

Woolworth Walk, 25 Haywood Street, Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring artwork and crafts by over 170 artists. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm, closed Tue., & Sun. 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/254-9234 or at (www.woolworthwalk.com).

ALTERNATE ART SPACES - Asheville
The Captain's Bookshelf, 31 Page Ave., Asheville. **Ongoing** - Featuring original art, prints and poetry broadsides are displayed along with a quality selection of secondhand and rare books. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 828/253-6631.

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