presentations. A reception will be held on Jan. 6, from 7-10pm. **Ongoing -** featuring the work of Mary Beth Blackwell-Chapman, E.Faye Collins, Chris Flory, Carl Gericke, Don Green, Nancy Hayes, Ted Hill, Alix Hitchcock, Virginia Ingram, Steven Hull Jones, Lea Lackey-Zachmann, Nanu LaRosee, Kate Magruder, Beverly Noyes, Nelida Otero, Dave Riedel, Ben Rouzie, Inez Ruchte, Virginia Shepley, Ed Shewmake, Mitzi Shewmake, Anne Kesler Shields, Kimberly Varnadoe, Jody Walker, and Mona Wu. Hours: Tue.- Sat. 11am-5pm. Contact: 336/723-5890 or at (www. Artworks-Gallery.com).

4th Dimension Gallery, Commerce Plaza, 411 W. Fourth St., downstairs from Cat's Corner, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by art students from Winston-Salem's colleges and universities - the NC School of the Arts, Salem College, Wake Forest University and Winston-Salem State University. Hours: Fri., 5-8pm & Sat., 5-8pm. Contact: 336/249-0418.

Gateway Gallery, 1006 S. Marshall St. (corner of S. Marshall and Salem Ave., Winston-Salem. **Ongoing -** Featuring original paintings, painted furniture, decorative and functional ceramic pieces, and other gift items created by artists with disabilities. The artists work in the tradition of Outsider and Visionary Artists. Individual styles, however, range from traditional to abstract. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm or by appt. Contact: 336/777-0076 x209 or at (www. enrichmentcenter.org).



Artists from the Enrichment Center responding to Modern Masters exhibit.

Milton Rhoads Center for the Arts, 251 North Spruce Street, Winston-Salem. Womble Carlyle Gallery, Through Jan. 28 - "Homage to Abstraction: Artists of the Enrichment Center Respond to Modern Masters". The two organizations invited local professional artists and artists with disabilities from the Enrichment Center to respond to the exhibition "Modern Masters from the Smithsonian American Art Museum" on view at Reynolda House this fall. On multiple visits to the museum, the artists viewed the exhibition and then created their own works of art using visual art techniques derived from the geometric abstractions of Josef Albers, the bold abstract expressionist canvases of Robert Motherwell, and the deconstructed human figures in collages of Romare Bearden. Artists featured include Adam Ploch, Josh Lawrence, Emily Caldwell, April Anders, Kenneth McMahan, Valarie Williams, Adam Leferve, Marjorie Waser and Chris Cuthrell from the Enrichment Center; and community artists Andrew Fansler, Jae Pitt, Shanthony Exum, Matt Groce, Laura Lashley and Jason Lancaster. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9am-9pm. Contact: 336/725-8916 or at (www.rhodesartscenter.org).

Piedmont Craftsmen Gallery, 601 North Trade Street, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing -** Featuring fine art crafts by over 350 of the best artisans of the Southeast. Hours: Tue.-Fri.., 10:30am-5pm & Sat., 11am-4pm. Contact: 336/725-1516 or at (www.piedmontcraftsmen.org).

Reynolda House Museum of American Art, Reynolda Road, Winston-Salem. West Bedroom Gallery, Through May 20 - "Domestic Bliss: Art at Home in Britain and America, 1780-1840". Featuring 15 works from the collections of Reynolda House and Wake Forest University, the exhibition considers important trends in late 18th-century British and American painting: the importance of home life as an artistic theme, and the display of portraiture, genre, and landscape paintings and prints in the home. Northeast Bedroom Gallery, Through Feb. 20 -"Wonder and Enlightenment: Artist-Naturalists in the Early American South". A spirit of exploration dominated the political and intellectual growth of the country in America's early centuries, both before and after Independence. The primary form of exploration was the unremitting, conquering movement outward from Eastern ports into the

far reaches of the continent. This military expansion had an intellectual corollary in the artists and naturalists who attempted to map their physical world and document in text and image the astonishing variety of flora and fauna native to their new country. This exhibition includes three plates from John James Audubon's Birds of America, a painting and four prints by Joshua Shaw, paintings by Edward Hicks and David Johnson, and an early edition of Mark Catesby's ornithological treatise. **Ongoing -** Collection of 18th through 20th century art, sculpture, American art, and pottery. Admission: Yes. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 9:30am-4:30pm & Sun., 1:30-4:30pm. Contact: 336/725-5325 or at (www.reynoldahouse.org).

Sawtooth School For Visual Arts, Milton Rhodes Center For The Arts, 251 N. Spruce St., Winston-Salem. Eleanor and Egbert Davis Gallery, Jan. 17 - Mar. 9 - "Art to Wear". Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 336/723-7395 or e-mail at (www. sawtooth.org).

SEED Collective Gallery, 205 W. Sixth Street, entrance is on "Soho Alley", Winston-Salem. Ongoing - Featuring works by a cooperative group of artists in various mediums. Hours: Sat. from 11am-5pm & by appt. Contact: 336/722-2345.

Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art, 750 Marguerite Drive, Winston-Salem. Through Jan. 29 - "Lilly McElroy". McElroy is a young, Arizona-born artist who playfully, but poignantly moves between poles of aggression and intimacy. Drawing upon Western clichés, autobiography and the rituals of urban life, she stages public performances that confront the many tangled dimensions of human interaction. In this context, her ongoing photo series "I Throw Myself at Men" (2006-) turns a pathetic romantic euphemism into a platform for the artist to literally pitch herself at males while documenting the moment of contact. McElroy's exhibition at SECCA will combine photographic and video documentation of performances from the past three years - creating a conflicted, yet ultimately sincere self-portrait. The exhibit was organized by SECCA and curated by Steven Matijcio. Through Mar. 4 - "Out of Fashion". The word "fashion" is synonymous with trends, fads, immediacy and a fleeting exercise of life in the moment. Yet in the very ebb and flow of fashion's passing fancy, an accumulation of lives, stories and materials collects into an ambivalent history. The eclipse of a once-thriving textile industry in North Carolina speaks to the volatility of market-driven fashion/s, spurring new, regenerative practices from mountains to the coast. Rather than keeping up with the latest fashions (and their continuing demands of consumerism, turnover and excess) there is a movement amongst local artists and designers that turns instead to refuge, time and duration. Their work derives out of fashion, but is outside fashion's perpetual amnesia. Beyond the runway, this exhibition mines the histories of fashion as vessels of time, nature, and memory. The exhibit was organized by SECCA and curated by Steven Matijcio. Through Jan. 22 - "Margarita Cabrera: The Space in Between," organized by SECCA, Curated by Steven Matijcio. Cabrera is a Mexican-American artist, activist and organizer whose objects and activities address timely issues related to border relations, labor practices and immigration. Turning crafts and their manufacture into the vehicle for sociopolitical consideration, Cabrera orchestrates the creation of soft, vinyl sculptures resembling backpacks, bicycles, potted plants, domestic appliances, pianos, and full-sized automobiles. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm, Thur. till 8pm; Sun., 1-5 pm, and closed Mon. & state holidays . Admission is free. Contact: 336/725-1904 or at (www.secca.org).

The Gallery of the Arts, Commerce Plaza,

Colorshow Gallery, 151 N. Fayetteville Street, located on the second floor of Bell & Browne Law Offices, Asheboro. **Ongoing -** The gallery offers an assortment of artworks by NC artists, from pottery and blown glass, to fiber arts, jewelry and paintings. We also have an assortment of hand-poured candles and handmade soap. Hours: Mon.-Thur., 11am-6pm; Fri., 11am-4pm and every 3rd. Fri., is our Open House from 5:30-8:30pm, where you can meet the artists and enjoy some refreshments. Contact: Betsy Browne at 336/465-2387 or at (http://www. colorshowgallery.com).

Little River Art Works, 6417 Abner Rd., Asheboro. 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 (littleriver@rtmc.net).

Asheville

Aesthetic 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. aestheticgallery.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. amerifolk.com).

Appalachian Craft Center, 10 North Spruce St., Asheville. Ongoing - Folk pottery, face jugs, traditional crafts, and other collectables. Hours: Mon.-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 or at (www.bellagioarttowear.com).

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, 365 Merrimon Avenue, just 3/4 mile north of downtown, Asheville. Ongoing - Currently, about 25 painters, photographers and crafters show their work at BlackBird. We also offer expert custom framing. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 828/252-6036 or at (www. BlackBirdFrame.com).

Blue Ridge Frame & Gallery, 545 Merrimon

niture 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).

FW Gallery at Woolworth Walk, 25 Haywood St., Asheville. Jan. 2 - 30 - "The Sister's," featuring glass works by Judi Goloff and mixed media works by Suzanne Snyder. Goloff and Snyder have been working with the joy of recycled art for 25 years. They have been dumpster divers long before "going green" was a popular concept. A reception will be held on Jan. 6, from 5-7pm. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-6pm, closed Tue., & Sun. 11am-5pm. Contact: 828/254-9234 or at (www.woolworthwalk.com).

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. 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).



411 West Fourth Street, Just next door to the Stevens Center, Winston-Salem. **Ongoing** - the facility includes The Community Arts Cafe's Gallery of the Arts, Underground Theare Gallery, and Arts Alley featuring works from artists of the Triad region of North Carolina including fine art, fine craft, literature, recorded music, videos and any other products available exclusively through CAC. Hours: Mon.-Sat., noon-6pm & during First Friday Gallery Hop. Contact: 336/793-8000 or at (www.communityartscafe.com).

NC Commercíal Galleríes

Aberdeen

Artistic Impressions, 103 North Poplar Street, Aberdeen. Ongoing - Featuring custom stained glass, glass etching, repairs, restoration and church windows, plus a full supply for the hobbyist. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 9am-5pm & Sat., 10am-2pm. Contact: 910/944-1930.

Asheboro

Circa Gallery, 150 Sunset Avenue, Asheboro. **Ongoing -** Featuring works by local, regional, and established artists. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 336/736-8015 or at (www.circagallerync.com). Ave., Ashevilie. **Orgoing -** 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: Wed.-Fri., noon-6pm, Sat., noon-7pm 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 furWork by Jonas Gerard

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.-Sun., 10am-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

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