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843/757-2633 or at (<http://www.mayerivergallery.com/>).

Pluff Mudd Art, 27 Calhoun St., Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Terry Brennan, Bob Berman, Peggy Carvell, Laura Cody, Diane Dean, Cheryl Eppolito, Ed Funk, David Knowlton, Marilyn McDonald, Daurus Niles, Linda Patalive, Jim Renauer, Patti Seldes, Michael Smalls, Ellen Blair Rogers, Steve White, Pat Wilcox, Carol Williams and Irene K. Williamson. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/757-5590.

Preston Pottery Studio, 10 Church Street, Bluffton. **Ongoing** - Featuring above average pottery since 1973 by Jacob Preston. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/757-3084.

Camden

Dovetails, 645 Rutledge Street, Camden. **Ongoing** - Featuring custom bench crafted furniture by Jim Rose. Each piece is made by hand to the client's specifications. Jim works in a variety of woods including heart pine, walnut, cypress, maple, and cherry. Jim also works in exotic woods from South America and Africa. Visitors can watch individual pieces of furniture being built. Every piece has its own personality and becomes an instant heirloom. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 770/330-5000 or 803/446-3124.

Rutledge Street Gallery, 508 Rutledge St., Camden. **Ongoing** - Featuring original works of art from regional and national artists including Clara Blalock, Elizabeth Barber, Anne Bivens, Yong Chu Chang, Marjorie Greene, Joyce Hall, Seth Haverkamp, Carrie Payne, John Pototschnik, Bob Ransley, Dennis Snell, Maci Scheuer, and many more. Chinese Antique Furniture Pieces. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 803/425-0071 or at (www.rutledgestreetgallery.com).

The Artists' Attic, 930 S. Broad St., look for the maroon striped awning, Camden. **Ongoing** - Featuring a cooperative open studio and gallery shared by nine professional artists working in various mediums, including Lynn Wilson, Dot Goodwin, Ginny Caraco, Margaret Bass, Libby Bussinah, Ann Starnes, Karen White, Midge Bremer, and Lea McMillan. Commissions are accepted, and art classes are offered after school & privately. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-4pm & most Sat., 10am-2pm or by appt. Contact: 803/432-9955 or e-mail at (LibbyB@bellsouth.net).

Charleston

Broad Street, Charleston. May 2, 5-7pm - "First Fridays on Broad," featuring an artwalk with the following galleries: Ellis-Nicholson Gallery, Edward Dare Gallery, COCO VIVO, Mary Martin Fine Art, Spencer Galleries, M Gallery of Fine Art, Ella Walton Richardson Fine Art, and Martin Gallery. Contact: Jeannette Nicholson at 843/722-5353 or at (<http://www.charlestongalleryrow.com/>).

French Quarter area downtown Charleston, May 2, 5-8pm - The French Quarter Gallery Association's ART WALK. The over 30 member galleries of the association will welcome visitors with light refreshments and the opportunity of meeting many of the represented artists. "Walkers" may begin at any of the association galleries and pick up an Art Walk rack card with a map. The ART WALKs take place in Mar., May, Oct. & Dec. For info check out (www.FrenchQuarterArts.com).



Work by Shannon Smith Hughes

Anglin-Smith Fine Art, 9 Queen Street, corner of Queen & State Streets, Charleston. **May 2 - 16** - "Barrier Islands," featuring a selection of new paintings by Shannon Smith Hughes. A reception will be held on May 2, from 5-8pm. A Lowcountry native, Hughes grew up with a keen appreciation of the islands surrounding Charleston—as an artist, she's forever inspired to paint them. "Our Lowcountry coastline is made up of a chain of barrier islands separated from the mainland by shallow sounds and tidal inlets," says Hughes. "I have had the wonderful privilege of painting on some of our local barrier islands, recently on

Deweese Island." **Ongoing** - Featuring original works by Betty Anglin Smith, Jennifer Smith Rogers, Tripp Smith, Shannon Smith Hughes, Kim English, Darrell Davis, Colin Page, Carl Plansky, and Victor Chiarizia. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. 1-5pm. Contact: 843/853-0708 or at (www.anglinsmith.com).

Ann Long Fine Art, 54 Broad Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Classical Realism – still life, figurative work, landscapes and sculpture. The work represented by the gallery spans two generations of contemporary artists trained, in the most prestigious ateliers in Florence, Italy, to use the classical, realist techniques of European Old Master artists: oil paintings and drawings by Ben Long, as well as his studies for fresco; including Charleston artist Jill Hooper's still lifes and recent figure work; and many works by teachers of the Florence Academy, including its founder Daniel Graves. Also, represented are the figurative monotypes from the estate of deceased German Modernist Otto Neumann (1895 – 1975). Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11-5pm and by appt. Contact: 843/577-0447 or at (www.annlongfineart.com).

Artizom Framing & Gallery, 334 E. Bay Street, Suite J, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring the contemporary artwork of Jackie and Charles Ailstock. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 843/723-3726 or at (www.artizom.com).

Atelier Gallery Charleston, 153 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - The gallery's focus is to support and promote a variety of artists, from the Southeastern region, while merging the classics with the moderns. Traditional portraits and landscapes are displayed alongside contemporary canvases and sculptures. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/722-5668 or at (www.theatelieryalleries.com).

Ben Ham Images, 416 King Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Ben Ham Images recently expanded to its new 2200 square feet of elegant gallery space in Charleston. Located downtown in the "Upper" King Street design district amidst world class shopping and restaurants, the Charleston gallery is truly an unique experience that transports you on a spectacular journey. Hours: Sun.-Mon., noon-5pm and Tue.-Sat., 11am-6pm. Contact: 843/410-1495 or at (<http://benhamimages.com/>).

Bird's I View Gallery, 119-A Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring originals and prints of bird life by Anne Worsham Richardson, as well as works by Nancy Rushing, Alice Grimsley, and Delta Cutting Zimmerman. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact 843/723-1276, 843/766-2108 or at (www.annworshamrichardson.com).

Blue Heron Glass, 1714 Old Towne Rd., Northbridge Shopping Center near T-Bonz Steak House, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Whether by commissioning an exquisite stained glass panel for home or office, stocking up on hard-to-find supplies for the glass artist, or selecting the perfect gift, Blue Heron Glass is truly a place where light and color blend through imagination. We offer a wide variety of classes. Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-6pm, & Sat., 10am-3pm. Contact: 843/769/7299, or at (www.blueheron-glass.com).

Carolina Clay Gallery, Freshfields Village, 565 Freshfields Dr., located at the intersection of Seabrook and Kiawah Islands, 15 miles south of Charleston, Johns Island. **Ongoing** - Carolina Clay Gallery features the work of over 100 North and South Carolina potters and glass artists. Also available are the wonderful, whimsical life size copper frogs of Charles and Zan Smith. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10am-8pm, & Sun., 11am-6pm. Contact: 843/243-0043 or at (www.carolinaclaygallery.com).

Carolina Antique Maps and Prints LLC, 91 Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring Antique Maps and Prints from the 16th to the 19th century. Hours: Tue.-Sat., 11am-5pm or by appt. Contact: 843/722-4773 or at (www.carolinaantiqueprints.com).

Charleston Crafts, 161 Church Street, across from Tommy Condon's, one block south of Market St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Charleston Crafts is the longest operating craft cooperative in Charleston, featuring only items designed and created by SC artists. Gallery showcases a blend of contemporary and traditional craft media plus photography. Hours: Sun.-Thur., 10am-6pm & Fri.-Sat., 10am-8pm. Contact: 843/723-2938 or at (www.CharlestonCrafts.org).

COCO VIVO interior and fine art for relaxed living, Gallery Row, 25 Broad St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Tony van Hasselt, Mitch Billis, Patricia Roth and Roger

Milinoski. Also representing jewelry designer Betty Holland and photographer Sandy Logan. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 9:30am-5:30 & Fri. till 8pm. Contact: 843/720-4027.

Coleman Fine Art, 79 Church St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Both a fine art gallery, and a gold leaf studio, Coleman Fine Art has been representing regional and national artists for over 30 years. The Coleman studio produces the finest handcrafted gilt frames, and offers gilding restoration. The gallery specializes in Contemporary American paintings of both the American Impressionist and Realist schools. We proudly represent watercolor painter Mary Whyte, whose paintings focus on the life and culture of the indigenous people of the South Carolina Lowcountry. Currently we represent some of the country's leading plein-air painters, John Cosby, Gil Dellinger, Marc R. Hanson, Kevin Macpherson, Gregory Packard, George Strickland, and Mary Whyte. Hours: Mon., 10am-4pm; Tue.-Sat., 10am-6pm or by appt. Contact: 843/853-7000 or at (www.colemanfineart.com).



Works by Diane Echlin

Cone 10 Studios, 1080-B Morrison Drive, in the heart of NoMo, Charleston. **May 26 - June 8** - "Walls Do Not Breathe," a Piccolo Spoleto exhibition. A reception will be held on May 29, from 5-8pm. Cone 10 Studios and the Coastal Carolina Orchid Society (CCOS) are joining to explore the diversity and environment of orchids. Thousands of species grow in different climates all around the world. The diversity of shapes, sizes, scents and color allow experimentation with the orchid's container. Cone 10 Studios members are invited to explore the possibilities of ceramic vessels as orchid containers. Vessels will be juried by Warwick Jones, CCOS board member and published author and Andrea Schenk, art provocateur. Each selected vessel will be paired with an orchid and installed in the gallery by Julie Ward, CCOS President and Cone 10 members. **Ongoing** - A studio and gallery of local potters and sculptors. We also offer classes in beginning to intermediate wheel throwing and clay sculpture. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 11am-5pm & Sun., 1-5pm. Contact: 843/853-3345 or at (www.cone10studios.com).

Corrigan Gallery, 62 Queen Street, Charleston. **May 2 - June 10** - "Look Back," featuring new works by Joe Walters. A reception will be held on May 2, from 5-8pm. Walters revisits his earlier work and gives us a look back over time with layered references. Born in 1952 in Kentucky, Walters earned a MFA from East Carolina University and began working in Rock Hill in 1989. He moved to Charleston in 1995 and has been hard at work ever since. This critically acclaimed and successful artist's sculptures (and works on paper) appeal across the board - his work is easy to relate to by all. **Ongoing** - Contemporary fine art including paintings, photography, prints and sculpture. Now showing works by Manning Williams, Richard Hagerty, Joe Walters, Sue Simons Wallace, Gordon Nicholson, John Moore, William Meisburger, Mary Walker, Kristi Ryba, Paul Mardikian, Kevin Bruce Parent and Judy Cox. Located in the heart of the downtown historic district of Charleston's French Quarter. Artist at work on location - work in progress to be viewed. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm or by chance & appt. Contact: 843/722-9868 or at (www.corrigan-gallery.com).

Courtyard Art Gallery, 149 1/2 East Bay Street, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring works by Veronique Aniel, Melissa Breeland, Mary Ann Bridgman, Renee Bruce, Beverly Brunswig, Wilma Cante, Carole Carberry, Linda Churchill, Christine Crosby, Judy Jacobs, Alix Kassing, Jennifer Koach, Tug Mathisen, Yvonne Rousseau, Suzy Shealy, Coleen Stoioff, and Tom Tremaine. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm & Sun. noon-5pm. Contact: 843/723-9172 or at (www.courtyardartgallery.com).

Dog & Horse, Fine Art and Portraiture, & Sculpture Garden, 102 Church St. Charleston. **Ongoing** - The gallery represents artists nationally and internationally recognized as leading talent in sporting, equine and canine art. Along with exquisite fine art by thirty artists, including Beth Carlson, Anita Baarns, Larry Wheeler, Ian Mason, Henry Koehler to name a few, the gallery also offers individualized assistance to ensure the most suitable artist for a

custom portrait. Hours: Mon.-Fri., 10am-5pm & Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/577-5500 or at (www.dogandhorsefineart.com).

East Bay Garden Gallery, 114 E. Bay St., in Coates Row, near Rainbow Row, Charleston. **Ongoing** - Artist and owner, W. Hampton Brand provides a unique and more complete "Charleston experience" with his art. Hours: Mon.-Sun., 9am-2pm. Contact: 843/958-0490 or 843/327-6282.

Edward Dare Gallery, 31 Broad Street, between Church & State Sts., Charleston. **May 2 - 31** - "Palette Knife Impressions: Sea Island Landscapes," a solo show of works by Brenda Orcutt. A reception will be held on May 2, from 5-8pm. In this tribute to the scenic beauty of the low country, Orcutt's focus is on the interplay between land and water with interpretations of skies, water reflections, and the flora and fauna of nearby coastal areas. **Ongoing** - Located on historic Broad Street's GALLERY ROW in the French Quarter of Charleston, SC, the gallery features an extensive variety of fine art including landscape, figurative, still life & marine paintings plus exquisite pottery, photography, fine handcrafted jewelry, unique works in glass & metal plus bronze sculpture – all by some of the most sought after artists in the low country and accomplished artists from across the nation. Many of the artists represented have a personal connection to Charleston and the coastal Carolinas and tend to include pieces that celebrate the colorful tapestry of the southern coastal culture. Visit the gallery to see crashing waves, lush marshes, still lifes of camellias & oyster shells, coastal wildlife and sensitive yet powerful portraits of the south. Hours: Mon. - Sat., 11am-5pm. Contact: 843/853-5002 or at (www.edwarddare.com).

Elizabeth Carlton Studio, 85 Wentworth Street, corner of St. Philip and Wentworth St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring the whimsical, vibrant and playfully designed pottery of Elizabeth Carlton. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/853-2421 or at (www.elizabethcarlton.com).

Ella Walton Richardson Fine Art Gallery, 58 Broad St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring oil paintings by Simon Balyon, Roger Dale Brown, Evgeny & Lydia Baranov, Johannes Eerdman, Gerard Ernens, Hennie de Korte, Lynn Gertenbach, Lindsay Goodwin, Frits Goosen, Willem Heytman, Rene Jansen, Stapleton Kearns, Zin Lim, Janny Meijer, Joan Miro, Scott Moore, Craig Nelson, J. Christian Snedeker, George Speck, Aleksander Titovets, Lyuba Titovets, Niek van der Plas, Frans van der Wal, Gert-Jan Veenstra, HyeSeong Yoon. Bronze sculpture by world-renowned Dutch artist Marianne Houtkamp, jewelry by Chicago-based designer Amy Lenzi and photography by Ella Richardson. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10am-5pm. Contact: 843/722-3660 or at (www.ellarichardson.com).

Ellis-Nicholson Gallery, 1.5 Broad St., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Paintings by Victoria Platt Ellis, Jeannette Cooper Nicholson, Brian Scanlon and Robert M. Sweeny. Also representing sculptors Alex Palkovich and John Douglas Donehue, Jr.; jewelry designers Rebecca Johnston and Carole McDougal; potter Mary Nicholson and glass blower Michael Barnett. Hours: Mon.-Sat. 11am-6pm or by appt. Contact 843/722.5353 or at (www.ellisnicholsongallery.com).



Work by Eva Carter

Eva Carter's Studio, Wadmalaw Island, Johns Island. **Ongoing** - Offering the bold abstract expressionist oil paintings of Eva Carter. Hours: by appt. only. Contact 843/478-2522 or at (www.evacartergallery.com).

Fire & Earth: Fine Pottery, 1417 Ashley River Rd., Charleston. **Ongoing** - Featuring original work by gallery owner Kris Neal, and the Charleston area's most comprehensive pottery classes. Hours: Mon.-Sat., 10am-6pm. Contact: 843/766-2776 or at (www.fireandearthpottery.com).

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