

ARTISTIC Events

This is a listing of gallery exhibits and other art-related events that are continuing, and of galleries that run regular shows. Openings and other events are listed in this section. Send announcements of Oakland County art gallery exhibitions to: Mary Klemm, Observer's Arts and Entertainment section, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009, tel. (810) 644-1314.

PEWABIC POTTERY

To Nov. 8 — "Tile '95," a national exhibit in conjunction with the Tile Heritage Symposium, continues at 10125 E. Jefferson, Detroit. Call (313) 822-0954.

ARNOLD KLEIN GALLERY

To Nov. 9 — "Portraits of Creative People" continues at 4520 N. Woodward, Royal Oak. Call (810) 642-7209.

BRIDGE STREET GALLERY

Through Nov. 9 — Award-winning artist Susan Gunther exhibits her nature/wildlife paintings and limited edition prints at 203 Bridge, Lincoln. Also, the gallery offers small, affordable works by local artists for holiday gift giving under \$50. Handmade, decorative items such as wrought-iron chairs, stools, lanterns and baskets are featured as well. Call (810) 735-1393.

THE ANDERSON GALLERY

Through Nov. 10 — An exhibit of Eastern and Middle Eastern, 19th and 20th century textiles from Indonesia, Thailand, India and Persia continues at 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Call (810) 335-4611.

THE GALLERY

Through Nov. 10 — "These Animals May Appear Tame," a show of recent works by Mary Fortuna, Matthew Hanna and Anne Lemanski, continues in the Liberal Arts Building at Marygrove College, 8425 W. McNichols, Detroit. Call (313) 862-8000, Ext. 290.

BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART ASSOCIATION

To Nov. 11 — The BBAA faculty show continues at 1516 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham. The exhibit offers a variety of art forms including paintings, drawings, pastels, fiber, ceramics, sculpture and jewelry. Call (810) 644-0866.

LAWRENCE STREET GALLERY

Through Nov. 11 — The gallery at 6 N. Saginaw, Pontiac, showcases its six newest members' work. The exhibit features oil paintings by Ernie Kellett of Troy, watercolor abstracts and landscapes by Fran Levin of Bloomfield Hills, acrylic abstracts by Nancy Raitt of Farmington Hills, ceramic sculptures by Nancy Frazier of

Royal Oak, watercolors by Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association teacher Shirley Gower of Anchor Bay, and pottery by Judy Shields of Fenton. Also displayed are the works of 14 other gallery artists showing functional pottery, serigraphs, photographs, metal sculpture and paintings in all media. Call (810) 334-6716.

PONTIAC GLASS COMPANY GALLERY

Through Nov. 11 — "Visions of Africa," featuring the work of glass artist Gavin Heath, continues at 23 W. Lawrence, Pontiac. Heath pays tribute to his homeland of South Africa by painting colorful designs into his unusual handblown "Afro Dolls." Also on display are his exciting goblets and teapots. Call (810) 332-6619.

ANN ARBOR ART CENTER EXHIBITION GALLERY

To Nov. 12 — "Essence of Character," an exhibit challenging the traditional ideas expressed in self-portraiture, continues at 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor.

ARIANA GALLERY

To Nov. 17 — "Portraits of Musicians," a show of collected paintings by Jeanne Goodman, Carolyn Mosher and Alan Schwartz, continues at 119 S. Main, Royal Oak. Call (810) 546-5810.

PARK WEST GALLERY

Through Nov. 23 — "Ambiant Light," an exhibit of recent paintings and serigraphs by Igor Medvedev, continues at 29469 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. Sensational color, realism and expressiveness characterize Medvedev's paintings. Call (810) 354-2343.

ROBERT KIDD GALLERY

Through Nov. 25 — An exhibit of new paintings by Sam Gilliam continues at 107 Townsend, Birmingham. Gilliam is acclaimed as a significant mainstream American artist who helped pioneer the new directions art was to take after abstract expressionism. Sometimes he pierces the picture plane so that a hole in the canvas allows the wall to become part of the painting; often he hinges painted modules to the picture plane, thus propelling his images forward into space. Call (810) 642-3909.

ARTQUEST GALLERY

Through Nov. 30 — Raku vessels by outstanding artist Jeffery Zilgula are displayed at 185 N. Woodward, Birmingham. Inspired by the serenity of the Far East, these beautifully handcrafted vessels enhance any home decor. Call (810) 540-2484.

OBJECTS OF ART

During November — Objects of Art at 6243 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield, celebrates its three-year anniversary this month, offering a 20-percent discount on any regularly priced item, drawings for prizes and up to 50 percent off additional sale items. Call (810) 559-2332.

THE ART GALLERY II

During November — Featured artists of the month at the gallery at Summit Mall in Waterford are Patty Auerbach (fine china painting, realistic watercolors and oils of scenes, animals and abstracts), Darren Wilson (bold, geometric designs in acrylic, whimsical paintings in oil), Helen Master (three-dimensional, mixed collage, and watercolor scenery and floral) and George Hemmingway (fashion scenes and outdoor life in watercolor, pastel and acrylic). Call (810) 683-8142.

LEWIS GALLERY

To Dec. 2 — "The Moroccan," an exhibit of serigraphs, collages,

drawings and sculpture by James Brown, continues at 538 N. Woodward, Birmingham. The body of work represents the artist's response to his own journey through that mysterious and magical country. Call (810) 642-6023.

DAVID KLEIN GALLERY

To Dec. 9 — An exhibit of paintings by Charles Pomplius of Ferndale and a group show of important painters of the American scene from the 1930s and 1940s continue at 163 Townsend, Birmingham. Pomplius, widely acknowledged to be one of Detroit's premier figure painters, creates images of intimacy and beauty by combining imaginary scenes and situations while working directly from the model. The group exhibit includes work by John Carroll, Francis DeEldy, Frank Alton, Jr. and Gerrit Sinclair. Call (810) 433-3700.

BIGAS GALLERY

To Dec. 31 — "Black and White Review," curated by Matthew Hanna, continues at 35 Grand River, East, in Detroit. Featured artists are Kathleen Laufman, Brendan Keenan, Steve Shaw, Deborah Sukenic, Klersten Armstrong, Doyle Horning, Matthew Holland, Brian Fekete, Nadine Slowik and Carl Butler. Call (313) 561-0534.

CLIQUE GALLERY

Beginning Nov. 7 — "Paintings from Provence," an exhibit by Barbara Beckwith, and the "Coast to Coast" photo jewelry show will continue to Dec. 19 at 200 W. Fifth, Royal Oak. Call (810) 545-2200.

ARCHIVES A.D.

The eclectic and exciting gallery at 114 W. Third, Rochester, offers handpainted furniture, art pillows, faux painted walls and columns, murals and screens, recycled metal garden stakes, sculpture, and handmade lampwork glass beaded earrings and pins by Peter Gierak. Call (810) 651-1485.

COWBOY TRADER

Michigan's only Wild West gallery offers cowboy and Indian antiques and collectibles, including saddles and chaps, Western art, Navaho rugs, Plains Indian artifacts, turquoise and silver jewelry, books and rare photos and antique firearms. The gallery is at

251 Merrill, Suite 209, in Birmingham. Call (810) 647-8833.

CRANBROOK CAMPUS

Discover the treasures of Cranbrook while hearing its fascinating 90-year history through tours offered by the Cranbrook Art Museum. Recent guided tours present highlights of the Cranbrook Academy of Art, Cranbrook Schools, Cranbrook House and Gardens, the Cranbrook Institute of Science and other architectural features. Tours include walking as well as bus rides, last about two hours, are limited to 45 people and begin at the Cranbrook Art Museum. Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$5 for seniors (65-plus) and full-time students, and include admission to the art museum. Call (810) 645-3323 for information.

DEGRIMME GALLERY

The deGrimme Gallery in the Michigan Design Center, 1700 Stutz in Troy, specializes in European fine art. Its unusual collection includes works by G. Sanvitale, R. Berger, Malva, L. Sarto, B. Lisakow, J. Kevan, A. Chagniot, E. Cerrone and R. Sievers, and one-of-a-kind, reverse, hand-painted, signed, copyrighted and numbered lamps by Ulla Darni. Call (810) 645-4664.

FORM AND FUNCTION

The gallery at 406 Main in Rochester specializes in glass art, contemporary lamps, metal art, furniture, jewelry and many other decorative accessories. Custom orders available. Call (810) 656-8296.

GALLERY ANIMATO

Vintage and contemporary animation cels and drawings from animated film classics are featured at 574 N. Woodward in Birmingham. Call (810) 644-8312.

GALLERY NIKKO

Gallery Nikko, a division of Sandra Collins, offers a selection of contemporary crafts at 470 N. Woodward in Birmingham, including whimsical gift items and jewelry. Selected items discounted 10 to 40 percent. Call (810) 642-4755.

GALLERY SHANTI

The gallery at 361 E. Maple in Birmingham features arts and crafts of India. Call (810) 647-9202.

HAIG GALLERIES

The gallery specializes in recent, Asian and tribal arts. It displays and sells art pieces from Nepal, India, Africa, China and other countries; have Greek, Roman, Egyptian and pre-Columbian pottery, textiles and other items; and features Chinese court robes and original ceramics from the Han (200 B.C. to A.D. 200), Tang (A.D. 700-900) and Ming (A.D. 1400-1600) dynasties. Art is priced from \$50 to \$20,000 and up. Gallery owners are Paul Haig, owner of P.R. Haig Jewellers in Rochester, and Diane Haig, who has her own computer consulting company, Ticon, in Rochester. The gallery is at 311 Main in downtown Rochester. Call (810) 656-3759.

LUDA ART GALLERY

The gallery at 103-B E. Fourth, Rochester, presents for the first time a completely new collection of nude paintings by artist Luda Tcherniak, whose talent transports the viewer beyond the images and lines of her works into a focus on emotions and feelings. Call (810) 652-7052 for an appointment.

MESA ARTS GALLERY

Sue and Ellen Rontal are finding new vistas for the gallery, which is at 32500 Franklin Road in Franklin. While continuing to represent favorite artists from the Southwest, they have embarked on a new mission to find similarly outstanding artists from across the country. The Mesa Arts Gallery Collection focuses on custom furniture, lamps, home accessories, handwrought tables, bedsteads, cabinets and armoires, painted mirrors, rugs, whimsical rustic garden pieces and a continuing selection of glass, ceramic pieces, jewelry and fine paintings. Call (810) 861-9949.

PIERRE BITTAN GALLERY

World-renowned French Impressionist painter Pierre Bittan invites you to view his first original oil paintings of local Detroit area landmarks depicting Birmingham, Bloomfield and Grosse Pointe at 296 W. Maple, Birmingham. Paintings from northern Michigan, France and the Caribbean Islands are also displayed. Call (810) 433-9917.

ATYUM GALLERY

Tom Johnston, a nationally exhibited, multimedia artist, is featured at 109 N. Center, Northville. Johnston presents the nuances of life through expressionistic, figurative paintings and wood pieces. His work, with strong, dynamic shapes and colors, evokes multilevel impressions on various subjects. Call (810) 349-4131.

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