

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 Thursday's Arts and Entertainment section. Send announcements of Oakland County art gallery exhibitions to: Mary Klemic, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009; fax (810) 644-1314.

SCOUTSFIELD PARK AND RECREATION BUILDING

Through July 28 - West Bloomfield artist Kris Azelis-Lamb is featured in the lobby at 26000 Evergreen, showing works from her earlier impressionistic watercolor landscapes to her latest collection of handmade paper collage.

STARY GALLERY

To July 28 - An exhibit of paintings and installation by Eun Young Koo Lee, and "Sexual Sinister Objects," a show by Mary Fortuna, continue at 211 N. Woodward, Birmingham. Call (810) 644-2991.

DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET

Through July 26 - "300 Millennium" continues at New River Place, Suite 1650, Detroit. Call (313) 393-1770.

WILLERS ARTISTS SUPPLY

To July 28 - Watercolor paintings by Karen Halpern are exhibited at 279 W. Nine Mile, just west of Woodward, Ferndale.

WILLIS GALLERY

Through July 26 - "Artists of the Americas Without Borders," featuring 22 Michigan artists representing nine countries of the Americas, continues at 422 W. Willis, Detroit. Call (313) 831-0136.

CARY GALLERY

To July 27 - Sculpture and "self-portrait images" of moving light photos by former Rochester resident Martha Morgan, and watercolors by Carole Hadley of Rochester, are exhibited at 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester. Call (810) 651-3656.

R.R. NYMANI GALLERY

To July 27 - Paintings and works on paper by Robert Colecott are exhibited at 161 Townsend, Birmingham. Call (810) 642-2700.

SUSANNE HILSBERRY GALLERY

Through July 27 - A one-person exhibit of new photos by Judy Linn continues at 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham. Call (810) 642-8250.

BUNTING GALLERY

To July 27 - Paintings by Athir Shayota are exhibited at 514 S. Washington, Royal Oak. Call (810) 546-4820.

LAWRENCE STREET GALLERY

To July 27 - "Garden Art," an exhibit of unusual and original art pieces for the garden and home, continues at 6 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Featured artists are Richard Salay, raku birdhouses; Danielle Bodino, baskets and other mixed media; Ed Adams, twig furniture, tables and shelves; Robert Hansen, wrought-iron sculpture; Christi Jelinek, mixed media sculpture; Joyce Gottlieb, glass sculpture; Andrea Striewski, birdhouses; Mary Horing, sculptural baskets; and Paul Kellett, stoneware and plaster sculpture. Works by gallery regulars are also shown. Call (810) 334-6716.

REVOLUTION: A GALLERY PROJECT

Through July 27 - "Ted Randall: Selected Works from the Artist's Estate," highlighting his stoneware vessels, and "Sum," introducing the work of new artists along with selected works by gallery artists, continue at 23257 Woodward, Ferndale. Call (810) 641-3444.

POISNER GALLERY

Through July 28 - Oil paintings on paper and canvas by Barbara Coburn are exhibited at 623 N. Woodward, Birmingham. Call (810) 647-2652.

ANN ARBOR ART CENTER

Through July 28 - "Range of Motion," an exhibit of photography and kinetic works by Heidi Kumao, continues at 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Call

(313) 994-8004.

SWANN GALLERY

Through July 28 - "Earthfire Magic," a group ceramics show, continues at 1260 Library, Detroit. Call (313) 965-4826.

SOMERSET COLLECTION

Through Aug. 2 - An exhibit of automotive art works by artists featured in the Concours d'Elegance auto show continues in the mall at Big Beaver Road and Coolidge, Troy.

OBJECTS OF ART

The gallery at 6243 Orchard Lake Road, just north of Maple in West Bloomfield, celebrates contemporary art with pieces ranging from tranquil glass creations to powerful metal sculptures, from whimsical statues to dramatic clay carvings, for both indoors and outdoors. Unusual collections represent both well-known and emerging artists from the local area and throughout the United States. Call (810) 650-3592.

PIERRE BITAR GALLERY

World-renowned French Impressionist painter Pierre Bitar invites you to view his first original oil paintings of local Detroit area landmarks depicting Birmingham, Bloomfield and Grosse Pointe at 298 W. Maple, Birmingham. Paintings from northern Michigan, France and the Caribbean Islands are also displayed. Call (810) 433-9917.

RUSSELL KLAFF GALLERY

The gallery at 1467 S. Woodward, Birmingham, has changed direction, into original oils on canvas from around the world. Also featured are autograph artists Don Hatfield, Henry Plisson and Roy Fairchild, renowned raku artist Greg Milne, etching artist Eng Tay, and an extensive line of ornate and baroque imported frames. Call (810) 647-6655.

THE SPORTS GALLERY

The sports memorabilia specialty store at 269 S. Woodward, Birmingham, showcases items including autographed photos from such professional athletes

as Grant Hill, Barry Sanders and Ted Williams, as well as jerseys, lithographs, baseballs, bats, footballs, basketballs and display cases. Call (810) 642-0044.

STEWART AND STEWART

The printer and publisher of fine art prints since 1910 announces four new releases by artist Martha Diamond, who is best known for cityscape abstractions in big, sweeping, gestural brush strokes. The works are "Air," in which buildings float on a sky of ethereal blue marks; "Hudson Group," alluding to the artist's memory of buildings near the Hudson River; "Towers," in which repetitive patterns of architecture create a sense of rhythm; and "Vignettes," with images of roofscapes in New York City. Stewart and Stewart is at 5571 Wing Lake Road, Bloomfield Hills. Call (810) 626-5248.

WILD WINGS

"Harvest Moon Ball" by Terry Redlin is available at the Birmingham Gallery, 165 S. Bates. In this latest painting, a dozen vignettes showing the transition of America of the 1920s and 1930s are presented. Some have special meaning in the artist's life. Call (810) 645-2266.

WOODWARD GALLERY

The gallery at 1357 Davis in Birmingham is the only dealer in the United States authorized to sell a limited edition series of photographs of jazz legends Miles Davis and Dizzy Gillespie. Gallery president and owner Dan Winter took the Davis photos. Also available are original prints and paintings by more than 300 artists, an unusual collection of sports photos and posters, and vintage photos and newspaper articles. Call (810) 642-1357.

THE CEMENT SPACE

The gallery is dedicated to presenting contemporary work by emerging artists; artists are encouraged to call about exhibit space and upcoming shows. The gallery is at 1501 E. Woodbridge,

Detroit. Call (313) 259-9800.

CLIQUE GALLERY

The gallery of Eve and Elaine Redmond at 200 W. Fifth, Royal Oak, always features photography, especially by young, emerging artists. It also shows other types of expression from artists that say something special, something that "clicks." The Redmonds believe that people who are willing to spend time looking at and appreciating what others create are a breed apart, in a special kind of clique. Call (810) 545-2200.

DEBORAH ROBERTS DESIGN ROOM

The shop at 206 W. 11 Mile, Royal Oak, celebrates the warmth of summer with ceramics by local women artists. Featured pieces include the beautiful, bordering on bizarre, tiles by Hamtramck artist Gretchen Kirmp and whimsical, glazed terra cotta pots by Laurie Eisenhardt of Royal Oak and Marcia Holvand of Hamtramck. Call (810) 543-7372.

DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Three photos by David Clements of Royal Oak - "Packard Motor Car Company," "We Tote the Note" and "Wheels of Detroit" - have been selected to document older auto manufacturers and the advent of the used car lots at the "Motor City Exhibition" at the museum in Detroit's Cultural Center. The 100th anniversary of automotive manufacturing will be celebrated with a new \$2 million permanent exhibit explaining how auto manufacturing evolved in Detroit, and providing a glimpse of the Motor City in the 21st century and how the industry has shaped metro Detroit's landscape.

DOS MANOS

The gallery at 210 W. Sixth, Royal Oak, has been renovated and expanded. Its newest folk art of Latin America includes high-fire ceramics and dinnerware from Mexico, handcrafted "oil drum art" from Haiti, earrings and jewelry from Peru and Mexico, colorful "pillbox" tapestries from Chile and miniature scenes called "retablos" by Nicario Jimenez of Peru. Many of the crafts are hand selected, bought directly from family and producer groups whenever possible. The gallery welcomes school groups, to introduce them to the rich folk art traditions of Latin America. Call (810) 542-5856.

MARCIA CLEMENT ART STUDIO
The studio at 4417 S. Commerce Road in Commerce Township provides a variety of art classes for students of all ages and abilities, and one- or two-day workshops. Pre-registration is requested as space fills quickly. Call (810) 360-1216. The studio also offers matting and framing, graphics and fine art commissions, art consultations and specialty art-related gifts.

NEXT STEP STUDIOS

New works in clay by Kaiser Suidan, Rick Pruckler and Carolyn Wilson are exhibited at 477 W. Marshall, Ferndale. The studio is a collaborative effort by the three established artists. The gallery in front represents their work and their studios in back are open for viewing. Feel free to stop by and visit the gallery and the artists working on their next step. Call (810) 414-7050.

PONTIAC GLASS COMPANY

The gallery at 23 W. Lawrence, Pontiac, features the local talent of Michigan Glass Guild members displaying blown, fused and flat glass sculpture, decorative and architectural items. Call (810) 332-6619.

THE POSTER GALLERY

The gallery on the main floor of the Fisher Building in Detroit presents an eclectic mixture of art and artists, classic one-of-a-kind posters and unusual art offerings, including original works by three of Detroit's own African-American artists - Walter "Rag" Bailey, Joseph Dobbins Sr. and Mwanza. Call (313) 876-5211.

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