

exhibitions

● PARK WEST GALLERIES

Thursday, Dec. 13 — "Movement in Blue Space" is a major retrospective by Yasuo Agam, who fathered the kinetic art movement and is an international figure in the contemporary art world. Continues through January. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, until 9 p.m. Thursday-Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 2946 Northwestern, Southfield.

● ROBERT L. KIDD ASSOCIATES

Saturday, Dec. 15 — "New Realism," survey of contemporary realism features works by 64 artists in various media. Continues through Jan. 26. Opening reception 3-8 p.m. Saturday. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, until 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday and 1-5 p.m. Sunday, December, 107 Townsend, Birmingham.

● BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART ASSOCIATION

Wednesday, Dec. 19 — Students and faculty of the ceramic department will have a sale — mugs, teapots, plates, bowls — through Dec. 22. Hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday until 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 1516 S. Cranbrook, Birmingham.

● HABATAT GALLERIES

"Evolution/Revolution" features six separate exhibits in Habitat and Venture Galleries with artists Stephen Hodder, Dick Hus, William Morris, Karla Trinsky, Paul Seide and William Dexter. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, until 9 p.m. Friday, 28235 Southfield, Lathrup Village.

● HOOBERMAN GALLERY

Holiday selections include ceramics, jewelry, fiber, wood and paintings by variety of artists. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, until 8 p.m. Thursday through the holidays, 155 S. Bates, Birmingham.

● XOCHIPILI GALLERY

New work by Stephen Hansen, continues at the gallery through Jan. 4. He's the Michigan sculptor who creates sometimes almost lifelike figures that make us laugh at ourselves as well as at the art. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 568 N. Woodward, Birmingham.

● UPPER CLASH GALLERY

Affordable art for the holiday season. 415 Walnut, Rochester.

● PRINT GALLERY

Hand-painted canvas collages by Jo Rosen are on display through February. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Saturday, until 9 p.m. Thursday, 29203 Northwestern, Southfield.

● FEIGENSON GALLERY

Works by former Detroiters Gerald Horn are on display through the month. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 310 Fisher Building, Detroit.

● MEADOW BROOK ART GALLERY

Holiday Gifts by Artists and Exotic Birds by Tyne Kiewe" includes soft sculpture, greeting cards and holiday ornaments as well as six large paintings on sheets and 13 on pillow cases by Kiewe. Continues through Dec. 23, Oakland University campus, Rochester, opening evenings 7 p.m. through first in-termination Tuesday-Friday. Closed Mondays.

● RUBINER GALLERY

Works by Carol Arosion, Ernestine Rubin, Glen Michaels, Deborah Sudran continue through Jan. 5. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, until 5 p.m. Saturday, 7001 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield.

● GALLERY 22

New lithographs by French artist Michel Delacroix and American realist George Altman continue through the month. Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Monday-Friday, until 9 p.m. Thursday and until 5 p.m. Saturday, 22 E. Long Lake Road, Bloomfield Hills.

● PRESTON BURKE GALLERIES

Raku sculpture and pottery by Ed Risak continues through December. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, 430 Larned, Detroit.

● TROY ART GALLERY

Holiday gift exhibit continues through Jan. 12 — functional ceramics as well as works in glass, silk fiber and wood as well as Japanese wood block prints. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 755 Big Beaver Road, Troy.

● FELDMAN GALLERIES

New modular paintings by Gene Davis are on display through December. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, until 8 p.m. Thursday, 6917 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield.

● OAKLAND COUNTY COMPLEX

Works in glass by Jan Springer and Suzanne Morris are on display in the Courthouse and in the County Galleria in the Executive Office Building. Watercolors, "Seasons of Change," by Lawrence Fatareanu continue through Dec. 20 in the County Galleria. The exhibits are open to the public during regular business hours. 1200 N. Telegraph Road, Pontiac.

● OAKLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Annual fall exhibition and sale of the Southeast Campus Arts and Humanities Club will be in the Royal Oak campus auditorium through Saturday, Dec. 15. Robert Berry's work is featured. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday-Thursday, until 5 p.m. Friday, 739 S. Washington, Royal Oak.

● G.R.N. 'NAMI' GALLERY

Reginald Gammon's Gospel Music

Series continues through Dec. 29. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 212 David Whitney Building, 1553 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

● SHELDON ROSS GALLERY

Two fine Detroit artists, Sue Linburg and John Hegarty, have their works, sculpture and drawings (respectively) on display. She's on Center for Creative Studies faculty, and he teaches at Wayne State University. Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 250 Martin St., Birmingham.

● DETROIT REPERTORY THEATRE

Works by Ephraim Mazonia will be on display in the Lobby Gallery at the Detroit Repertory Theatre, 13103 Woodward Wilson Ave. in Detroit, during the run of "Master Harold... and the Boys," 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 7:30 p.m. Sunday through Dec. 31. Group tours by special arrangement. Call 868-1347 for more information.

● ILONA AND GALLERY

"Affordable art" continues through the holiday season. Hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Friday, until 5:30 p.m. Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Hunters Square Mall, 14 Mile and Orchard Lake roads, Farmington Hills.

● DONALD MORRIS GALLERY

Recent paintings by Robert Wilbert continue through December. The 15 paintings by the Michigan artist are all figurative from life-size nudes to intimate portraits of his family and friends. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 105 Townsend, Birmingham.

● DONNA JACOBS GALLERY

"Holiday Show 1984" presents high

quality ancient art in a charming, newly enlarged setting, 574 N. Woodward, second floor, Birmingham. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday.

● DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS

"American Masters: The Thyssen-Bornemisza Collection" is a remarkable collection of American paintings covering some 200 years of American art. The Baron Thyssen-Bornemisza is considered to be one of the most important — if not the most important — individual art collector in the world. Continues through Jan. 20, 5209 Woodward, Detroit.

● TOWN CENTER GALLERY

Photographs by Olla Sprow are on display at the gallery, 3000 Town Center, Suite 45, Southfield, through Dec. 24. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

● HALSTED GALLERY

Landscape photographs by Michael Kenne continue on display at the gallery, 560 N. Woodward through Jan. 5. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

● CRANBROOK INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

"Inua: Spirit World of the Bering Sea Eskimo" is one of the most-ambitious exhibits ever assembled by the Smithsonian Institution. Photographs, notes and artifacts on 19th-century Bering Sea Eskimo life make up the collection. For hours, call 645-3250, 500 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills.

● ARNOLD KLEIN GALLERY

Recent work by Donna Rae Hirt continues through the year. These are pen-

cil and crayon drawings. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 4320 N. Woodward Ave., Royal Oak.

● PONTIAC ART CENTER

"20th Anniversary Review" includes art and photographs from the last two decades of this center's founding and development, 47 Williams, Pontiac.

● THE GALLERY... AT MAIN STREET PLACE

"Small Treasures" includes more than 300 paintings by members of "Palette and Brush Club." This opens the club's 50th birthday celebration and continues through Jan. 6. Maximum dimension is 14 inches. Hours are 10 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, 803 North Main, Royal Oak.

● DULANY'S GALLERY

Exhibition of rare Oriental works of art, Shang through Qing dynasties includes early furniture. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 183 Oakland, Birmingham.

● PIERCE STREET GALLERY

"The North American Cowboy and the Land" is a two-artist show by Jay Dussand and David Lubbers. Continues through Dec. 29. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 217 Pierce, Birmingham.

● GALLERY BIRMINGHAM

"Surrealism," features paintings by two contemporary artists, Helmut Goede and H. Karapetian. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, until 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, 223 S. Woodward, Birmingham.

● ALAN DOHRMANN GALLERIES

Ancient artifacts are the specialty in this gallery, 135 E. Maple, Birmingham.

Look for photo patterns

Photographs don't always need a central subject. Because we encounter so many patterns in our everyday lives, they become an important part of our photography. Pattern can make order out of chaos and lend harmony to seemingly meaningless design.

There is a world of pattern, and you, as a photographer, have the opportunity to draw attention to the frequently unnoticed wealth of detail around you.

The best way to begin to see pattern is to make a simple device to help you to "see." Cut a rectangle out of a piece of cardboard in the approximate proportions of your negative size. For 35mm users, a 2-by-3 opening works fine.

USE YOUR cardboard "window" as a viewing mark to isolate patterns from distracting surroundings. Its function in helping you to compose your shots will surprise you. You'll find yourself zeroing in on subjects you never knew were there.

Around the house, look closely for patterns in brickwork or shadows on steps. A row of books or designs in floor tiles will offer picture possibilities. Details in your car will make interesting photos, too. Even a trip to the supermarket will give you an abundance of patterns to shoot.

Next time you're there, notice the arrangements of fruits and vegetables in the bins or cans and bottles on the shelf.

Don't overlook the multitude of patterns in nature. Look closely at a scattering of leaves, bark on a tree or patterns in sand. Move in close on an indi-

photography



Monte Nagler

vidual leaf to capture the intimate and delicate patterns of nature.

Flat, two-dimensional subjects should have evenly distributed frontal lighting while patterns with a three-dimensional quality will be enhanced by side lighting.

Remember, the aim of creative photography is to make a visual interpretation of an experience, not just to record an image.

Try to convey in your photographs something that excites and interests you, something you wish to share. With pattern shots, you can do just this.

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Short shots

Monte Nagler's exhibit at I Browse Bookstore, 33088 Northwestern, West Bloomfield, continues. The exhibit contains many new images not shown before.



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