

exhibitions

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● COUNTY GALLERY
 Thursday, Feb. 20 — An exhibition of whimsical, colorful and delightful paper-mache sculptures by Birmingham artist Grant Engard continues through March 12. Many of the pieces are life-size, others are right "at home" among the large tropical plants in the Galleria's garden. Engard has also created bronze outdoor pieces into caricature forms as outdoor sculpture. Opening reception 6-8 p.m. Thursday. Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, in the Executive Office Building, 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac, 838-0484.

● PARK WEST GALLERY
 Through Feb. 20 — The poetic landscapes created by American artist Robert Kipniss are the focus of a retrospective exhibition. This exhibition begins the gallery's 1992 new acquisitions series. The one-man exhibit features 56 lithographs and 37 paintings produced by Kipniss between 1955 and 1991. Born of his own vision of nature, Kipniss' delicate and sensitive landscapes are composed from memory within the studio rather than on location. Kipniss' works, in his own words, are very much in line with traditional American landscape painters, including the Hudson River school, and are somewhat influenced by the surrealists.
 Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, 29469 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, 354-2343.

● CREATIVE ARTS CENTER
 Through Friday, Feb. 21 — The center presents "What's Going On Here?," an ongoing collaborative installation by artists David Barr, Bob Caskey and Jim Pallas. The exhibition is a constantly changing and evolving installation of art work, with the artists responding to each other's work in the gallery space. A reception for the artists will take place at the close of the show, 5-7 p.m. Friday.
 Also through Friday, "Picture This," an exhibition of the original artwork for children's book illustra-

tions from the Elizabeth Stone Gallery of Birmingham, continues. It includes work by illustrators Jon Agee, Marsha Brown, Ashley Bryan, Peter Catalano, Leo and Diane Dillon, Arthur Gelsert, Nonny Hogrogian, Adrienne Kinnaway, Gerald McDermott, Peter Parnall and Diane Stanley.
 Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, 47 Williams, Pontiac, 353-7649.

● MATRIX GALLERY
 Friday, Feb. 21 — "Memory, Faith and Desire," an exhibit of work by Wayne Meigs, will open Friday and run through March 7. Reception for the artist 7-9 p.m. Friday.
 Meigs received his bachelor of fine arts degree from the University of Michigan and his master of fine arts degree from the University of Washington-Seattle. He uses a heavily worked style of painting, employing repeated layering and scraping.

● CITY ARTS GALLERY
 To Feb. 21 — A print exhibition by Jacob Lawrence, curated by George R. N'Namdi, continues. Hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Friday, 47 E. Adams, Detroit, 224-3462.

● O.K. HARRIS WORKS OF ART
 Through Feb. 22 — Mariano Del Rosario, working with cement, wax and acrylic, has brought his new paintings to the gallery.
 Also on display are egg tempera paintings on lead by Tamara Carrille. Hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, extended to 8:30 p.m. the first Thursday of each month, Mondays by appointment, 430 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 433-3700.

● ROBERT KIDD GALLERY
 Through Feb. 22 — An exhibition of new paintings by Mary Vitelli Bertl continues. Bertl's figurative landscapes and interior scenes generate a sense of domesticity and timelessness. Her impressionist palette captures a rich, crisp quality of light. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 107 Townsend, Birmingham, 645-3909.

● SUSANNE HILBERRY
● GALLERY
 Through Feb. 22 — The contemporary ceramics of a remarkable woman, Beatrice Wood, are exhibited. The artist, who will be 90 years old in March, continues to work in her studio every day. The exhibition includes figure as well as vessel work. Hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham, 642-8250.

● FEIGENSON/PRESTON GALLERY
 Through Feb. 22 — A two-man show by Paul Schwarz and Robert Sestok continues. They are fellow veterans of the "Cass Corridor 'School.'" Sestok creates welded steel sculpture and Schwarz is a master of the collage and geometric form. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 738 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 644-3955.

● HABATAT/SHAW GALLERY
 Through Feb. 22 — The exhibition "Sculpture and Drawings: Four Perspectives" features the work of artists Scott Chamberlin, Bruno Lavender, Michael Lucero and Anat Shitan. The show focuses on drawings and sculpture from each artist's current body of work. In each artist's case, equal emphasis and energy is placed upon their two- and three-dimensional bodies of work. The drawings are integral to the making of the sculpture, and the sculpture is integral to the making of the drawings. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 32255 Northwestern Highway, Farmington Hills, 851-8767.

● BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART ASSOCIATION
 Through Feb. 22 — "Love of Letters," the annual juried show of the Michigan Association of Calligraphers, takes place. The juror for the graphic form is Minneapolis. She has her own graphic design studio and has taught throughout the country. Her work has been exhibited in the United States, France and Germany. In conjunction with the exhibit, vendors will teach a three-day workshop for MAC members, "Stretching Your Italic," at the Bloomfield Township Public Library, Telegraph and Lone Pine Road.
 Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 1515 E. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham, 644-0866.

● ELIZABETH STONE GALLERY
 Through Feb. 22 — The gallery celebrates February by presenting "How to Say Happy Birthday and Other Nice Things in a Big Way," a birthday poster exhibit by Birmingham graphic designer Samuel Harper.
 Harper, president of the O'Brien Graphic Network in Birmingham, has worked for several large Detroit advertising agencies. He is currently developing several children's book ideas. His posters tell simple stories, usually with humor, in a colorful, childlike way. His work includes a 10-by-10-foot poster for his mother's 90th birthday last year.
 Hours 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday or by appointment, 590 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 647-7040.

● SCARAB CLUB
 Through Feb. 22 — The work of 16 Center for Creative Studies students is featured in an annual exhibit in the Main Gallery.
 Each year CCS fine arts department heads choose their most promising students to show works in this important exhibition. These students participate in the planning, promotion and hanging of the exhibit.
 Hours are noon to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 217 Farnsworth, adjacent to the Detroit Institute of Arts in Detroit's Cultural Center, 831-1250.

● HILL GALLERY
 To Feb. 23 — Drawings by Donald Sultan are being exhibited. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 163 Townsend, Birmingham, 940-9288.

● JANICE CHURACH EPSTEIN MUSEUM/GALLERY
 Through Feb. 27 — "Survival and Success: Jewish Cultural Portraits from Central Europe," an exhibition of black and white photographs and accompanying documentation, displays the significant loss to German culture with the forced emigration of many of Germany's leading Jewish intellectuals before and during World War II. The artist, Herlindo Koebli, whose home and studio are in Germany, traveled around the world to photograph and interview more than 80 Jewish people who are internationally prominent in the cultural arts.

Hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday and 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, at the Jewish Community Center, Maple and Drake in West Bloomfield.
 Photos and interviews from the Feb. 2 "Grand Influence" event at the museum/gallery have been made into an exhibition and displayed.
 For information, call 661-1000, Ext. 470.

● GALLERY IV
 To Feb. 27 — Bicycle posters on exhibit. The gallery offers the collector, the decorator and the museum a potpourri of antiques and art, including vintage posters, oil paintings, watercolors, etchings, ceramics, glass, bronzes, estate jewelry, rugs, vintage watches, lamps, sterling silver flatware and rare coins. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 6447 Inkster Road, one block north of Maple in Bloomfield Hills, 932-1888.

● SCARAB CLUB
 To Feb. 28 — "The View from Draper Hill: An Exhibition of Original Drawings by Detroit News editorial cartoonist Draper Hill" runs. Hours are noon to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 217 Farnsworth, adjacent to the Detroit Institute of Arts, 831-1250.

● ARTSPACE
 Through February — ArtSpace is inaugurating a series of mini-exhibitions of selected artists. This month's show features watercolors by Harry Glassgold. A resale gallery for fine art, ArtSpace specializes in reselling American Indian, African and New Guinea artifacts, antiquities, fine rugs, quilts, folk art, paintings, sculpture and prints. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 534 N. Woodward, Birmingham, 258-1540.

● THE COMMUNITY CENTER
 Through Feb. 28 — Original pastels, charcoal and graphic drawings by artists Peggy Smith and Betty Shaw are on display at the center, 24705 Farmington Road, between 10 and 11 Mile in Farmington Hills. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, 477-8404.

● CENTER GALLERIES
 To Feb. 28 — "Organic Sensibilities: Recent Sculpture by Barbara Cooper and Joan Livingston" continues. Cooper and Livingston, graduates of the Cranbrook Academy of Art, create large-scale sculptures that are sensual, curvaceous and flowing in shape and outline. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, at Woodward Avenue and Kirby in the Park Shelton Building, Detroit, 874-1955.

● GALLERIE 454
 Through February — "The Female Form," featuring works by Henry Moore, Zhiwei Tu, Forrest Kristlich, Miller and others, is on display. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 176 S. Woodward, Birmingham, 616-4454.

● CAROL HOOBERMAN GALLERY
 Through February — Group show of ceramics and handcrafted jewelry by gallery artists continues. Hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, 124 S. Woodward, Suite 12, Birmingham, 647-3666.

● RUBINER GALLERY
 Through February — Group exhibition of gallery artists continues, featuring new works by Carol Summers, Richard Hogan, Lynn Shaker, Nancy Thayer, Victor Pastore, Vicki Brett, Richard Jerry, Brad Howe, Peter Kahn, Richard Kozlow, Marjorie Hecht, Tino Zago, Karen Wydra, Andrew Paccos and Elizabeth Cain. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 7001 Orchard Lake Road, Suite 430A, West Bloomfield, 626-3111.

● THE COMMUNITY HOUSE
 Through February — Carol Nederlander of Franklin is the Artist of the Month. The exhibit showcases Nederlander's newest collection of 20 "impressionist" photographs. They are presented in diptychs, each assembled in floating, lucite frames. This format defines the portrayal of both impressionism and abstraction. Hours 8:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekends, 380 S. Bates, Birmingham, 644-5532.

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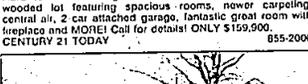
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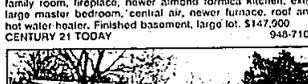
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