



Southern Arts Society Holiday Show and Open House

Southern Arts Society galleries were turned into a *Christmas Boutique* filled with a wide variety of original art and hand made fine crafts. Over 75 regional artists shared their work in: painting, mixed media, jewelry, pottery, leather, paper craft, glass, wood, fiber and textiles.

Our open House also kicked off SASi's annual Calendar sale. The 2020 edition themed **Working Animals** consists of 12 original pieces of hand pulled silk-screened art. Each month is designed by a different artist, giving you twelve individual original art prints. Featured in the art are therapy horses, working dogs, an elephant, a camel, mice, a mule, a goat, a llama, oxen, and a chicken and cow. In choosing Working Animals for the calendar theme, artists wanted to express how important animals have been over history, from past to present to assist us in our everyday lives.

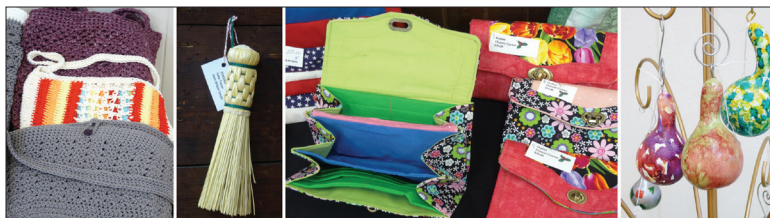
The show was extended through January 11, 2020, and the calendars will be available all year, or until they are all sold!



Upcoming Exhibit: Jan 21 - Feb 28, 2020 Lori McAdams - *The Illustrated Line* Public Reception January 25, 6-8 pm

Lori McAdams is an artist and illustrator whose interest in antique items - vintage hats and old buildings - is often reflected in her art. Using fine lines and a great sense of depth, Lori's sharp attention for detail brings the past into the present. She works in scratchboard, watercolor, colored pencil and acrylic. With scratchboard, which is traditionally black and white, Lori often adds color to bring out the details in her work. Even when she works from present day inspirations, the graphic quality of her works lends an old world feel to them. Lori graduated from Parsons School of Design (BFA) and UNC Charlotte (MA).

Great Artist Opportunity: Jan 18 thru Feb 28, 2020 artists can rent the walls in the workshop area to exhibit and sell their work. Details, email SASi at SouthernArtsSociety@gmail.com or call Jewel at 803-448-4578.



CLASSES

**Register and pay in advance
to reserve your seat.**

Refunds: Instructor cancellations
are given in full.

*Student cancellations up to 48 hrs before
the class are refunded, minus \$5 fee.*

*Student cancellations with less than 48
hours before class are not refunded.*

Pottery Classes with Renee Matthews and Rhonda Withers

We of both Day and Night classes for beginners or intermediate level students wanting to learn pottery making by hand building or on the wheel.

To register contact Southern Arts Society or the instructor for the class you choose.

Dates: January 6 – March 12, 2020;
classes run 10 weeks, meet twice weekly

Times: Day Class: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm;

Night Class: 6:00 – 8:00 pm

Cost: \$160 members, \$185 non-members

Includes: one bag of clay, glazes, use of
studio tools and instruction

Abstract Techniques Using Liquid Acrylic with Jeanne Hord

Dates: individual classes available on
these Saturdays: January 11, January 18,
March 7, April 18, May 9, 2020

Times: 1 - 4 pm **Age:** 14 and up

Skill level: all who want to learn about
abstract art with liquid acrylic

Cost for one class: \$15 members; \$20
non-members

Class description: This class will create
abstract images using liquid acrylic paint.

Pastel Class - Landscape for Beginners and Intermediate Level with Ron Shepard

Date: Saturday, January 25, 2020

Time: 10:00 Am to 3:00 PM

Cost: \$50 members; \$60 non-members

Age: 18 and up.

Class description: theme is Landscape
Morning class time: Will work on rendering
background and foreground.

Afternoon class time: Will work on a full
landscape that takes in the elements of the
morning class. Classes cannot be taken
independently of each other.

Yoga & Vision Board Workshop with Rhonda Waterhouse

Date: Sunday, January 19, 2020

Time: 1:00 to 4:00 PM

Cost: \$35 members; \$40 non-members

Ages: 18 and up.

Class Description: Rhonda will lead you
through a gentle yoga class, and guide you
through the vision board process. Dress for
comfort, in clothing that you can stretch in.
Bring photos and/or magazine cut-outs to
create your vision board. We will supply
yoga mats, and poster board.

"HOME" – wooden plaque with Dianne Garner

Date: Saturday, February 8, 2020

Time: 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Lunch: Bring your own **Age:** 18 and up

Cost: \$25 members; \$30 for non-members

Skill Level: Beginners / Intermediate Level

Supply List: supplies / hardware included

Class Description: We will create a
holiday plaque with changeable ("O" in
HOME) pieces for 8 major holidays.

PROGRAMS

Southern Arts Society Programs

Doors open at 6:30; program begins at 7 – visitors welcome!

Jan 7 Tues - Abstract techniques using liquid acrylic with Jeanne Hord. Jeanne is a new member of Southern Arts Society and loves working in acrylic. Jeanne will demonstrate creating abstract images using liquid acrylic paint thinned with a medium. These paints will be deposited by various methods onto a canvas creating one of a kind works of art. Come see why this is so fun! We may have some play time. Jeanne will have two workshops Jan 11th and 18th at SASi. Sign up soon to reserve your spot!

Feb 4 - Zentangles with Mary Bartrop. Mary is another new member of SASi. She is a quilter, book artist, and enjoys beading and paper arts, and is a certified *Zentangle* instructor. Mary will show us the many ways she creates *Zentangles* and incorporates them into her book making. We will create our own cards – paper and pens will be provided.

Calling Knitters & Crocheters!

Jan 15 Wed - 10:30-12:30 - The SASi knitters will not meet at Southern Arts Society (the Depot) for the January meeting, but will be at the Life Enrichment Center in Kings Mountain, presenting a program of show-and-tell and demonstrations for the folks at the Center.

Feb 19 Wed - 10:30-12:30 - The group meets the Third Wednesday monthly - We return to our usual meeting location at SASi (the Depot) with knitting, crocheting or other needle/fiber work going on. All are welcome to join us and bring along something to work on and something to show and share with the group. Please feel free to bring along a snack if you wish, coffee is usually available. Contact Susie Neely at sneely00@gmail.com or Pam Perkins at fiberlass@yahoo.com with any questions.

Shutter Light Photography Group

Jan 13; Feb 11 – We usually an informative program or planned group outing. Learn techniques from experienced photographers. Occasion group outings are planned to photograph local sights. Members are also given monthly “assignments” to photograph. The resulting photographs are shared at meetings via flash drives and our projector. Doors open at 6:30 – meeting begins at 7. **Meetings are now the second Tuesday each month.** Email Ellen Devenny at kmcameraclub@gmail.com for details.

Color Pencil Group Meeting

Jan 30; Feb 27 Thurs - Meets on the last Thursday of each month. We welcome anyone with a desire to learn more about color pencil to attend their meetings. All levels of artists are welcome, no prior experience necessary. The meeting is from 6:00 - 8:00 pm.

Thursday Morning Open Studio Sessions

Jan 9, 16, 23, 30; Feb 6, 13, 20, 27 Thurs – Open Studio sessions every Thurs 10 am - 12 pm or longer. Bring your current art project to work on. No instruction — just time to create on your own and enjoy fellowship with other artists. Led by artist Darlene Godfrey. Feel free to stay all day!

2020 Membership Drive

2019 memberships expired Dec 20

Members save on entry fees for classes and competitions.

Your membership helps to support our many free programs and exhibits.

Membership forms are available at Southern Arts Society and online.

OFFICERS 2020

President
Jennifer Borja
Vice President
Lori McAdams

Secretary
Lydia Sargent
Treasurer
Johnsie Reavis

ART TRACKS

January 2020

Jan 1-2 – SASi is closed

Jan 6 Mon - New Pottery Class Sessions:
Day / evening classes are available. Mon & Thurs for 10 weeks thru March 12 \$\$

Jan 7 Tues – SASi Program Abstracts w/ Liquid Acrylics 7 pm, doors open at 6:30

Jan 9, 16, 23, 30 – Open Studio Sessions Thurs 10 am - 12 pm +

Jan 11 Sat – Abstract Acrylics with Jeanne Hord \$\$

Jan 13 Mon – Shutter Light Photography Group Meeting 7 pm

Jan 15 Wed – Knit & Crochet Group 10:30 am at Life Enrichment Center in Kings Mountain (this date only)

Jan 18 Sat – Abstract Acrylics with Jeanne Hord \$\$

Jan 19 Sun – Yoga and Vision Board with Rhonda Waterhouse \$\$

Jan 25 Sat – Pastel Landscapes for Beginners w/Ron Shepard \$\$

Jan 25 Sat – Reception for Lori McAdams *The Illustrated Line* exhibit

Jan 30 Thurs – Color Pencil Group Meeting 6:00 pm

February 2020

Feb 4 Tues – SASi Program Zentangles w/Mary Bartrop - 7 pm, doors open 6:30

Feb 6, 13, 20, 27 – Open Studio Sessions - Thurs 10 am - 12 pm +

Feb 8 Sat – HOME – wooden plaque with Dianne Garner \$\$

Feb 11 Tue – Shutter Light Photography Group (new meeting day) Meeting 7 pm

Feb 19 Wed – Knit & Crochet Group Meeting - 10:30 am

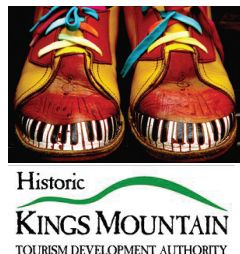
Feb 27 Thurs – Color Pencil Group Meeting - 6:00 pm

Feb 28 Last day for Lori McAdams *The Illustrated Line* Exhibit

Feb 28-29 Deliver Art for *I Am Woman* art exhibit & competition \$\$

Events FREE unless noted otherwise \$\$

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SOUTHERN ARTS SOCIETY Gift Shop & Gallery

Gift Shop & Gallery Hours: Tues. - Sat. 10 am - 4 pm
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The Southern Arts Society, Inc. (SASi) is a 501c3 non-profit organization devoted to enhancing the cultural vitality of Kings Mountain, NC through the visual arts. In support of emerging, amateur, and professional regional artists, SASi offers display space, workspace, mentoring, member promotion, exhibition exposure, and workshops in a variety of contemporary and traditional media. In partnership with local organizations, SASi supports the community through monthly exhibits, meeting space, and demonstrations, as well as, ongoing educational opportunities.