

arts-e-newsletter

February 2005

There is a real **love** of art in the "City of the Arts" and the **Downtown Arts District** has a special night planned for our Art-Hood. February 4th from 7:00-10:00 in the evening is the **February First Friday Gallery Hop**. As always, the **Downtown Arts District** has Galleries, Studios and Shops open with new work, refreshments. Special events are planned for our Arts Community with the **DADA** Art Auction, Heart Pins for sale and the Millennium Arts Festival after the Hop. Read on to get all of the details.

Art Hearts will be for sale via a silent Auction at Patina during the February Friday night Gallery Hop. These wonderful pieces of art have been painted and crafted by local artists and donated to the Downtown Arts District for a silent auction to benefit the Arts District Neighborhood . These fabulous and fun artpieces make excellent Valentines Day gifts for that Someone Special.

The auction begins at 7:00pm and lasts until 9:30pm. You do not need to be present to win.

Patina is located at 217 West Sixth Street,
Winston Salem, NC 27101.
336-725-6395.

Wear you heart!!!

Available again for February at shops in the Arts District are our favorite Heart Pins. Made by local artists, these hearts tell everyone that your "Heart is in the Arts District", with funds raised by the pin sales going to fund our DADA events; Gallery Hops, e-newsletters! posters..

Millennium Arts Festival 2005

February 4th after Gallery Hop at the Millennium Center in downtown Winston-Salem! Area artists, arts groups, and art lovers are invited to join the fun again this year.

After you visit the shops, galleries and studios, come to the **Millennium Center** and enjoy the Arts of Winston-Salem. Performances are constantly updated with more exciting music, dance and poetry, Visual artists are installing their work and the **\$8.00** door proceeds are going to support **DADA** events. The party starts at 9:30 and goes on until.....

In the Galleries for February.....

Shop for your "2005 Valentine" at TEXTURES Gallery

Valentine's Day is just 2 weeks away and TEXTURES Gallery offers an extensive choice of one-of-a-kind gift items that are sure to excite that "special" someone. TEXTURES represents over 50 artists in hand-crafted jewelry, clay, fiber, art glass, collage, wearable art and more. Hearts send a message of love. Come by to view our new stoneware "Love Boxes" by Julie Perry. Also, we have just received a colorful new selection of handcrafted "Glass Hearts" by Diane Cain and "Heart Sun Catchers" by Jan McDuffie. Ladies, you can pick up your Sweetheart Wish List card now to create a selection of your favorite things and then send your guy shopping.

Men, join us Thursday, February 10, from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. for men's "SWEETHEART SHOPPING NIGHT". Our friendly staff will help you find that unique gift and wrap it up for a memorable presentation to the one you love.

Our Saturday workshops in jewelry design or fabric embellishment are filling up fast. The Saturday classes offered this month include "Russian Diagonal Weave Bracelet" and "Tubular Ndebele Weave Bracelet" on February 12th and later in the month, "Fiber Art Flower Brooch" and "Peyote Weave Delica Flower Ring". Stop by to view our workshop examples and sign up for a class.

545 N. Trade Street.

Phone: 336-722-3877

www.texturesinc.com

Golden Flower T'ai Chi Center

FREE T'ai Chi Introduction on Saturday, February 5th at 11:00am. Feeling Tired? Overwhelmed? This introduction to T'ai Chi will give participants a look into improving their quality of life by increasing

energy and vitality. Master San Gee Tam, world-renowned T'ai Chi Master, will be on hand to lead attendees in learning T'ai Chi and Qigong movements. Free Refreshments provided. Our Tea and Tonic Bar and store will be open from 11am to 5pm.

Also, T'ai Chi Introduction on Friday, February 4th during the Gallery Hop at the Millennium Center

For more information call, 727-1131. www.goldenflower.us

THE YOGA GALLERY ANUSARA YOGA WORKSHOP

with Mark Stevens

Saturday, February 5

10:00 to 12:00 - Standing Poses and Backbends

2:00 to 4:00 - Inversions and Forward Bends

In February, Winston-Salem will finally get the opportunity to experience the benefits of Rolfing without having to travel to Greensboro or Charlotte. Certified Rolfer, Steve Green www.rolfinggreensboro.com, will be setting up shop at the Yoga Gallery on Fridays beginning mid February. Rolfing eases strains and relieves chronic pain in the back, neck, and shoulders increasing energy levels and improving athletic performance. For information or make appointments call 336-686-9800.

Our new schedule is in full swing, for information and scheduling visit our website www.yogagallery.net or call 336-725-4119

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February at Earthbound Arts

February is a month to hibernate in our cozy homes, enjoy watching the snow fall & to be entertained by our feathered friends...Lucy & Gordon have worked together to create some beautifully rustic natural birdfeeders, sure to enhance any type of home landscape.

Included is a bag of birdseed to get you started!

For Valentine's Day giving, we have a new selection of sterling earrings as well as copper & silver pendants...handmade Valentine

cards...hanging heart sculptures in copper & glass...chunky stoneware mugs for sipping gourmet cocoa...love quotes hammered in copper...and don't forget our "Love" scented handcrafted soap; an exotic blend of lavender, ylang-ylang, rose geranium & patchouli...

Enjoy complimentary hot tea while you browse, and we always provide free gift boxes. Our Winter Hours are: Tues-Sat 11-6

Chelsee's Coffee Shop & More

For February we will be featuring the work of Sharon Hardin. Sharon has worked in watercolor as an Artist-in-Education through state Arts Councils in Illinois, South Carolina and Georgia. She has participated in grant programs through the Winston-Salem Arts Council/Forsyth County Schools and the Associated Artists Mentor Program. She has been a Juror for several exhibitions, including the National Watercolor Exhibition in Springfield, Illinois. Hardin's watercolors are published in the ART TALK series by Rosalind Ragans, Glencoe Publishing.

She has exhibited throughout the United States and Japan, and is included in several private and corporate collections including Bankers First, Kemer Insurance, Hilton Hotels and, most recently, Baptist Hospital's new Cancer Center. Hardin currently teaches Color & Design at NCSA and Drawing at Salem College.

Chelsee's is located at 533 N. Trade Street. Where customers are always No. 1.

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Upcoming events for February 2005

For all information/ticket reservations please visit www.albanelved.com or e-mail albanelved@triad.rr.com

* February 4: Millennium Arts Festival "Lena's Bath" with water Millennium Center, 101 W. 5th Street, Winston-Salem, NC after the Gallery Hop

* February 21-25: Classes and lecture demonstration with performance Salem College, Bryant Hall, Winston-Salem, NC

- February 17,18,19,20: Duke University, Durham, NC "Lena's Bath" and other works, Sheafer Theatre, additional events: master classes, dates, pre-performance talk, etc. tba

Hand to Heart

Piedmont Craftsmen's Artists of the Month for February are Kathleen Doyle and Thomas Reardon. They make fine jewelry and wall sculptures using a variety of metals. They encompass architectural elements that are constructed three dimensionally in relief adding to the depth effect of each piece. The artists are from Asheville, NC and have been exhibiting members since 1979. Their show will run February 4-26, with the opening during the February 4th gallery hop from 7-10pm.

Bring out everything that says, "I Love YOU!" Hand to Heart, Piedmont Craftsmen's Annual Valentine's Exhibition will run February 3-14th. This exhibition will feature fine jewelry, glass, wearable art, leather and ceramics. Give the gift of fine craft for all your loved ones.

Piedmont Craftsmen is located in the heart of the Arts District at
601 N. Trade Street
336.725.1516
Visit us at www.piedmontcraftsmen.org

The Return of Studios @625

We said good-bye
sorted and packed
donated junk
But, now we're back!

Thought we might clean
When - Lo and Behold!
We're back again
The tale unfolds

Yes, once more
We got a reprieve
New accomplices
the front - retail to be.

Studios at 625 - Alan and Marianne would like to say sorry about all the goodbyes - April Fools?

We would like to welcome: Bendetta Davis and Tisha Jackson who are opening "My Sistah's Place" - a cultural explosion of authentic African art, artifacts and an exclusive clothing line (WifeWear by Timogi). And Eric Harris opening NKOHA (backward "N") selling vintage cameras, vintage watches and metal arts.

All of us are hoping to be open for the Hop!
Remember! We are right across from Miller's Variety Store

Fiber Company

Here is where you can find gifts for the special people in your life.. handwoven scarves, hats, clothing, home accessories created in our studio (come by and see hand-weaving in our working studio) and jewelry , pottery, woodcrafts, floorcloths and photographs from local artists.

Fiber Company is a partnership of six handweavers, with our retail shop as you walk in the door. Located on the corner of Sixth and Trade Street, our regular hours are 10-5, Tuesday through Friday and 11-3 Saturdays, and by appointment.

Fiber Company
600 N. Trade Street
Winston-Salem, NC 27101
336/725-5277

Love SEED

The **seed gallery** will be having a "Love Show" for the month of February featuring art work by **seed** members and friends of **seed**. The opening will be on the first Friday Gallery Hop and **seed** will be open each Saturday in February from 1-4pm. **Seed** is located down soho alley behind Urban Artware in the Arts District.

'til next month

That's it for February!

Please remember to pass the **arts-e-letter** along to people on your e-mail list. The neighborhood is filled with events this month. We hope to see you there! The Downtown Arts District, where art lives. DADA events will be updated at www.dadaws.org calendar. Gallery

and business locations and phone numbers can be found in the directory at www.dadaws.org. Best wishes for you and the valentines in your life.

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