



VALLEY ART NEWS

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You Might Like to Know....

How can an art project under Memorial Bridge strengthen our neighborhoods? Join your neighbors from Norwich, Mountain View, Wasena, and Raleigh Court as we find out together.

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Next Meetings:

5 PM at Mountain View Rec. Center

- JUNE 12: Community Goal Setting
(bring your neighbors and ideas!)
- JULY 10: Creative Placemaking Workshop
(calling all artists and creatives)

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- NEIGHBORHOOD CREATIVITY INVENTORY
- PROJECT IDEA SURVEY

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Thirty some neighbors and artists gathering on May 29 to brainstorm with city staff about how a National Endowment for the Arts grant can transform the space under the Memorial Avenue Bridge through public art. **Local artists will submit ideas and be hired for this place making project and its not too late to be involved!** See invitation above and join us on June 12 or check out our progress [on line.](#)



Trojan Dog, the beloved sculpture by Ann Glover has taken up temporary residence at the Raleigh Court Public Library. He will be returned to Fire Station number 7 in the fall of 2020 when the new station is completed.

The City of Roanoke through the Roanoke Arts Commission recently purchased two art works that were selected for the 2019 Roanoke College Biennial. The new works are **Lotus by Sarah Muse** and **We Used What We Had by Haden King**. Muse's work is Hand formed copper in-relief tile with patina and King's is acrylic and charcoal on wood panel. Both can be viewed on the Second Floor of the Municipal Building North. To find out more about these talented artists visit www.sarahmuse.com and www.hadenking.com. This brings the City of Roanoke Collection to a total of 160 pieces, of which regional artists created 113. The Roanoke Arts Commission has purchased 22 works for the regional art collection in the last 10 years.

Events and Exhibitions



June 7 is Art by Night in downtown Roanoke. You can visit [here](#) for a map and gallery listing. Here is a sample of the events taking place tonight.

[She's International Boutique](#) at 108 Market Street SE will present the international photography of local artist **Xaviar Duckett**. You can also enjoy music and international cuisine from 6 until 9 PM.



[Alexander/Heath Contemporary](#) presents "Inscribing the Skin" an exhibition of NYC Artist & Parisian Artist Katy

Martin & Diana Quinby

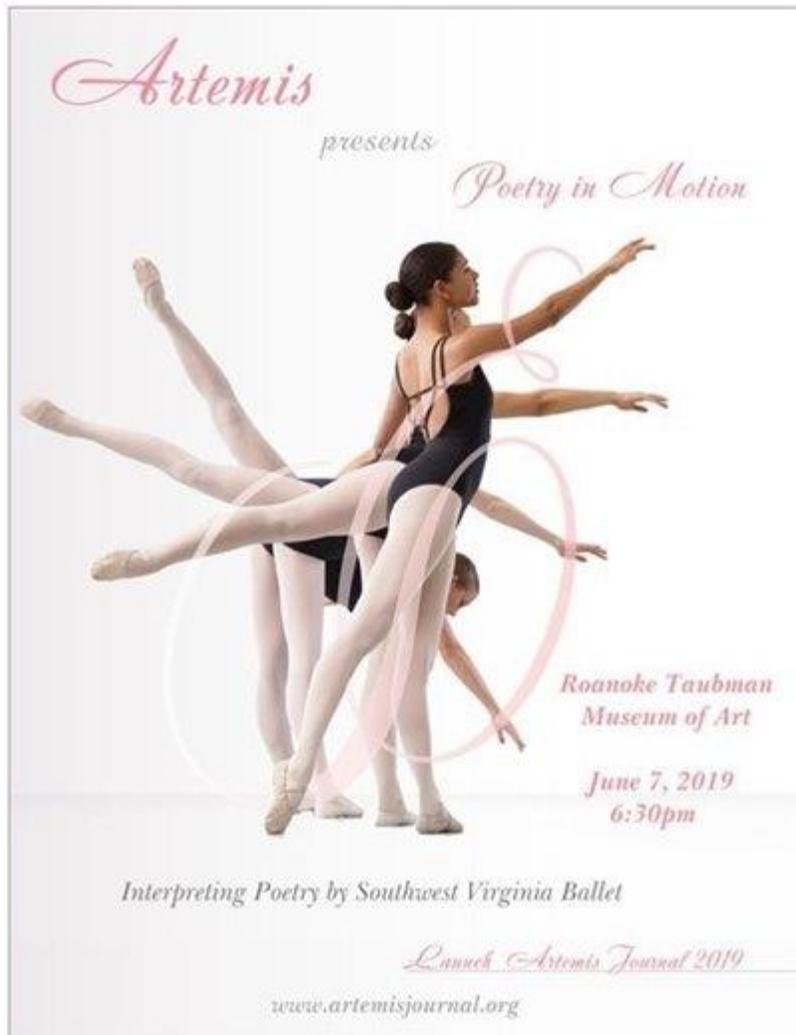
June 7 through July 26, 2019 with an opening reception during Art-by-Night Friday, June 7th, 5 to 10 pm, Artists Talk at 7:30 pm

Gallery open Tuesday-Thursday 1 to 3:30, Fridays, 7-8:30 pm or by appointment: contact via Email: hettig@alexander-heath.com Cell: Edward Hettig, 607.226.2473

[The Little Gallery](#) at 301 Market St. presents "Mountain Light" Opening - Friday, June 7, 5pm-9pm featuring Oil Painter/Plein Air Artist Ed Hatch

Ed will be there to talk with guests and The Friends of The Blue Ridge Parkway will be serving up tapas and bubbly during the event!





Artemis Journal 2019 with the theme *Women hold up half the sky*, will launch its twenty-sixth journal **Friday June 7 at the Taubman Museum of Art**. This event will also include a spectacular collaboration with Southwest Virginia Ballet. **Doors open at 6:30 pm and the program will be at 7 pm.** Click [here](#) to purchase ticket

The Taubman Museum presents Oral Histories and Memory Paintings

Friday, June 7, 6-6:45 pm, \$8/adults, \$5/students, FREE for Members

Join them for an exciting evening celebrating *Memory Painting: Harriet French Turner and Queena Stovall*, featuring an intimate conversation among curator Dr. Patrick Shaw Cable and two very special guests, Barbara Dickinson and Sherry Flournoy.

[Learn More and Purchase Tickets](#)

Also Happening

The 2019 [Floyd Artisan Trail Tour](#) is **June 7 – 9, 2019, Friday & Saturday, 10 am – 5 pm and Sunday, 12 pm – 5 pm**. There are over 25 trail sites in the heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains.

The tour features sites across Floyd County with activities at artisan home studios; galleries and shops; farms and farm markets; and restaurant and lodging sites. Site activities include the sales and exhibit of fine art, handcrafted and farm products; classes and demonstrations, and talks at sites throughout the county.



Opening Reception, New River Art Juried Biennial Exhibition at the Moss Arts Center, Virginia Tech June 13, 5–7 PM

Be among the first to view the exhibition of nearly 70 works and hear the presentation of awards. The art will be displayed until August 3.

The Harrison Museum of African American Culture presents the art of Roanoke artist Dyke Wood through Sept. 2019. This is Mr. Wood's premiere public forum to present his work, which is noted for its intense color.

Visual Artists Opportunities

2019 Athenaeum Invitational, Alexandria, VA DL Aug. 1, 2019

The Athenaeum Invitational celebrates the visual arts of Virginia, Maryland, the District of Columbia and West Virginia in the Athenaeum Gallery in Alexandria, VA. It is a theme-based event featuring the works of both specially invited artists who have exhibited in the Athenaeum Gallery in the past, as well as works selected through a call for submissions open to anyone living or working in VA, DC, MD or WV.

The theme of the 2019 Athenaeum Invitational is "Board: out of our minds!" The show will be held **Sept. 12 – Nov. 10, 2019 with the opening reception on Sunday, Sept. 15.**

[Learn More and Apply Now](#)

[55th Annual Bath County Art Show July 20–28 • Valley Elementary School, Hot Springs](#)

This large art show offers numerous cash awards. Artists may submit up to three paintings with an entry fee of \$10 per painting. Works must be delivered on Saturday or Sunday, **July 13 or 14**, between 1 and 5 p.m.

The Bath County Arts Association receives 30% commission on sales to support community programs, award scholarships to students, visual and performing arts programs, and art education in the Bath County Public Schools.

[71st Annual Virginia Highlands Festival Fine Art Exhibit July 26 – August 4 at The Arts Depot, Abingdon](#)

Artists may submit up to three paintings with an entry fee of \$20 per painting. Works must be delivered on Saturday or Sunday, **July 20 or 21**, between 2 and 5 p.m. Awards presentation will be at 5:30 p.m. on July 25.

The Washington State Convention Center and Pine Street Group seek an artist or artist-led team to create a site-specific artwork for a dramatic and highly visible site. Within Seattle's newly expanding Convention Center, The Party Room is a cantilevered space extending event activities at the Ballroom (6th floor) level. Below this event space is an impressive site for artwork—visible within the Convention Center Addition from the escalators and dramatic stair climb landings, and also from outside the building on Pine Street, a main east/west connector from Capitol Hill to the waterfront. Application: submission of an [online application](#) is required for this opportunity. **DL, July 3, 2019 by 4:00 PM PDT**

CALL FOR PROPOSALS: 2020 *In Practice* Exhibition, SculptureCenter, Long Island City, NY DL June 15, 2019 SculptureCenter is a not-for-profit museum that takes the history and legacy of sculpture as a framework from which to consider the diverse activity taking place in the field of contemporary art. Applicants are asked to propose new work for inclusion in SculptureCenter's annual *In Practice* group exhibition, which will open January 2020. Proposals should reflect new work to be realized between fall 2019 and early 2020. Artists selected for the *In Practice* exhibition will receive a \$250 honorarium and up to \$2,000 in production support. [Learn More and Apply](#)

The City of Aurora, CO is seeking an individual artist/artist team to join the design team for a new recreation facility with the goal of creating architecturally integrated artworks incorporating both interior and exterior opportunities. Especially desired is artwork that helps to celebrate or forge connections to the natural world and specifically the surrounding environment. Opportunities include but are not limited to the entryway treatments, floors, walls, suspended artwork, kinetic art, interactive art, wayfinding elements, and interior and exterior architectural elements.

DL 11:59 pm on June 17, 2019. All applications must be submitted through CaFÉ.

[RFQ for Mira Mesa Community Park Public Art Project](#)

DL Thursday, June 20, 2019, 4:00 PM PST

The City of San Diego is seeking applications from interested qualified artists to provide public art services for the Mira Mesa Community Park Public Art Project. An artist or artist team is sought to design, fabricate and transport permanent, site-specific artwork and consult during installation of artwork at the site by the City.

The City of Worcester, MA invites artists/designers to submit proposals for two public art opportunities in Worcester calling for painters and 2D artists as well as makers of benches and bike racks. Note that these opportunities are Requests for Proposals due to Massachusetts requisition regulations. **DL June 28 at 10 a.m.** [Download](#) the two City of Worcester RFPs – scroll to the bottom. More information [here](#).

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