



## **June Mixed Media**

# **Stanly Arts Guild June Meeting** **6:30 PM - Thursday, June 5, 2014**

We have an action packed meeting planned for June. We will start with our annual social and covered dish. The Guild will provide hot dogs and buns, so bring your favorite side dish, desserts, or fixings. The program will start at 7:00; our two scholarship recipients will be there to receive the scholarship and to show some of their work. You won't want to miss that; these young people are fantastic artists. Following the awards, Aly Perez and Alex Whisonant, from Cheap Joes, will demonstrate mediums for painting and drawing on fabric. You will have the opportunity to try out the mediums so come with a design in mind for you fabric sampler. Fabric will be provided. See you there!

## **From the President**

Changes are coming to the Stanly Arts Guild. New officers were elected in the May meeting so you will be seeing some new faces: President: Millie Campbell, VP: Malia Bryngelson, Recording Secretary: Lee Crowell, Corresponding Secretary: Judith Williams, Treasurer: Lorrie Hatley, Member at Large: Jackie Layman. Please congratulate our new officers when you see them.

Nancy Lipe is stepping down as Gallery Director after 5 years and the organizational structure for the Gallery is being restructured. I want to thank Nancy for all that she has done. When you look at where the gallery was 5 years ago and where it is today, you will see the progress that has been made. Nancy led us through a lot of change and we all owe her a debt of gratitude for her hard work. Nancy is continuing as a Gallery member and member of the Finance committee for the Gallery.

I am so encouraged by the creativity and the enthusiasm that the members of the Stanly Arts Guild exhibit with everything that you do. It is a pleasure to work with each and every one of you. I look forward to the exciting programs and activities that we will offer in the future.

*Susan Lackey*

*The "earth" without "art" is Just "eh"*

# At the Gallery

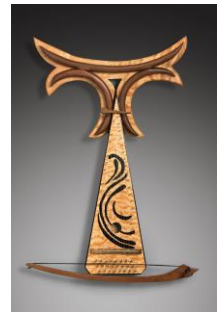


**Stanly County's own Roger Thomas in Falling Rivers Gallery  
May 30 thru June 14**

We are happy to welcome artist, Roger Thomas to Falling Rivers Gallery for this solo exhibition. Roger is a Stanly county native and well known for his landscapes and architectural images of a bygone era.

On June 7th join us downtown for First Saturday and meet Roger, discuss his inspirations and learn about this very talented and humble man.

## Welcome Archie Smith and his Musical Instruments June 20 thru July 5



I first met Archie Smith at the Sanford Pottery Festival in 2008. His dulcimers and psaltery are magnificent and functional. It was even more intriguing that he lives not far from me in Mt. Pleasant, NC. When we first began discussing the concept of solo shows, he was at the top of my list as I was fairly certain that most Stanly County residents don't even know about his creations. –by Nancy Lipe

### Artist Bio:

In the late 1970's Horsebottom Ridge Instruments was developed in the basement studio of our home on - where else? Horsebottom Ridge. Horsebottom Ridge is a ridge that lies just east of the village of Banner Elk in the Appalachian Mountains of northwestern North Carolina. Making instruments began as a hobby and a diversion from my "primary" profession of teaching history at a local college. As time went on, I became more and more enthralled with the fascinating art/craft of instrument making. In the spring of 1997, after thirty years of teaching, I resigned my position as Associate Professor of History. My wife, Rosie, and I moved back to the farm in piedmont North Carolina where I grew up to pursue instrument making full-time. This provides me with the time to develop new creative ideas and techniques. To reflect the ongoing growth and development of my artistic instrument making, I have renamed Horsebottom Ridge Instruments to Archie Smith Instruments. –by Archie Smith

## "The Summer Art Explosion"

### Attention all artists:

The Summer Art Explosion will soon be here. Now is your time to get ready for this show.

The show begins on July 15 through August the 8th.

Jaclyn and Anita will be accepting art on July 11 and 12th at the gallery. Hope to see you there.

## Showing at the Agri-Civic



Reda Icenhour is having a showing of her photography at the Agri Civic Center from May 19<sup>th</sup> through the end of June. Reda has been doing photography for about six years. She enjoys doing landscapes, pets and animals as well as children and grownups. She has won several contests through the Stanly County Arts Guild and other local galleries. She recently won 1<sup>st</sup> place for her photo at Cabarrus County Art Guild. Her work can be seen at Falling Rivers Gallery in Albemarle, NC.

Reda Icenhour was born and raised at Banner Elk NC where she learned to love the mountains and scenes of the hills of her home state. She is constantly striving to grow in skills and really loves sharing what she has learned as well as showing her work to others.

## Patricia Blake Hartley Visual Arts Scholarship



The winner of the Patricia Blake Hartley Art Scholarship for 2014 is Austin King of Hollybrook Drive, Albemarle. He was graduated from Stanly Community College in May of this year with an Associate of Arts degree, having a G. P. A. of 3.39. He has been accepted into Liberty University this fall to pursue a Bachelor of Studio and Digital Arts in Graphic Design.

He comes highly recommended from his high school art teacher, Mr. John Williams, Jr., and by community sources where he has been very active. The Stanly Arts Guild is very pleased to present Austin King this \$1000 award at the June guild meeting.

## Stanly Arts Guild Scholarship

Cameron M. Beauvis of 1026 Monitor Drive, Concord is the first recipient of the Stanly Arts Guild 2014 Scholarship. He is Graduating from Central Cabarrus High School and will be attending UNC-Charlotte pursuing a BA of Fine Arts.

Cameron's experience with artistic media includes video work, ceramics, photography as well as drawing and painting. He comes highly recommended and his presentation to the Arts Guild was professional and well prepared. It is with pleasure that the Stanly Arts Guild awards its first ever scholarship to a rising freshman in college to Mr. Cameron Beauvis.

# Artist Opportunities & Links

*Listed here are links to area artist groups and activities. These are not activities sponsored by the Stanly Arts Guild. They are listed for your information and convenience.*

Charlotte Art League Event Calendar <http://www.charlotteartleague.org/wp/cal-events-calendar/>

TAG Galleries Highpoint [www.tagart.org/index.php](http://www.tagart.org/index.php)

Sundae Art Gallery – Union Street, Concord [www.sundaeartgallery.com/](http://www.sundaeartgallery.com/)

Anson County Art League [www.ansonartleague.com/](http://www.ansonartleague.com/)

Moore County Art's Council [www.mooreart.org/programs/visual/exhibit-your-art/](http://www.mooreart.org/programs/visual/exhibit-your-art/)

Cheap Joe's workshops [www.cheapjoes.com](http://www.cheapjoes.com)

## Member News

**Stony Run Pottery** participated in the Albemarle Post's VFW Arts & Craft Show May 10, 2014. It was sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

**Artist opportunity:** There is an opportunity for you to exhibit your *art* or *craft* in the showcase at the Agri-Civic Center, please contact Jackie Layman, by email, phone or come by the gallery.

**Susan Lackey:** won an Honorable Mention in the Mooresville Artist Guild ArtFest Show.

**Guild Members:** won several awards in the Cabarrus Art Guild Spring Show. James Shaffer won 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Jennie Tomlin won Honorable Mention, and Judge's Choice awards were given to Malia Bryngelson, Reda Icenhour



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