

CAYCE



ARTS GUILD

**CAYCE ARTS GUILD MEETINGS ARE HELD SEPTEMBER THROUGH MAY**

**Second Thursday each month**

**Cayce Tennis and Fitness Center**

**1120 Fort Congaree Trail, Second Floor Conference Room**

**Cayce, SC 29033**

**6:00 snacks and fellowship**

**6:30 business, art sharing, featured speaker**

**You are welcome to bring a piece or two of your art to share. Be prepared to give a very brief description of the work or process.**

**Bring new or gently used art supplies you no longer need for “free” table.**

**A Note from Renea Eshleman, President**

It's thrilling to begin the 2024-25 “season” of the Guild meetings on September 12. Our guest speaker will be Craig Houston. In addition to being a “top tier” artist, he is the director of the Fine Arts Division of the SC State Fair. We look forward to hearing about his art journey and contributions to the arts community!

We have a new opportunity for you to spend time with other artists! Beginning on September 12 (and each second Thursday the Guild meets), we will have access to the meeting/conference room at the Cayce Tennis and Fitness Center beginning at 1 PM, up until the 5:30 set-up time before the Guild meeting! Artists need each other for fellowship, feedback, encouragement, and to learn from each other. Gatherings such as this are highly rewarding. So, bring whatever you wish to work on, be it as simple as paper and pencil or even just to fellowship, and come join the fun! We will have table coverings but you provide whatever materials you need to protect the floor for your work area. The room will be set up for the Guild's meeting, but there's plenty of room and we can arrange tables and chairs as we need. Come for the whole time or any time during the afternoon.

Yay!!!

**CAYCE FALL FEST**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5**  
**Noon - 6 PM**

KID'S AREA | FREE FAMILY FUN | ARTS & CRAFTS VENDORS

**Granby Gardens Park**  
1800 12th Street, Cayce

Live Music From:  
*Headlining Band*  
**CASH MONEY EXPERIENCE**

**WILLIE WELLS & THE BLUE RIDGE MOUNTAIN GRASS**  
**CHRIS REED & THE BAD KIDS**

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The City of Cayce's Fall Festival is Saturday, October 5 at Granby Gardens Park, 1800 12th Street. Although vendor space is full, plan to visit during the festival. They have great entertainment scheduled!

Mark your calendars with dates for upcoming activities that include rotations at venues, fall/winter meetings, and our annual holiday party.

Renea Eshleman, President

## Rotations

Access to these venues to show your work is a great benefit to CAG members! Congratulations to those who recently made sales through these venues: Skip Willits, Sharon Funderburk, Renea Eshleman, and Margie Shelburg. Get your work “out there” to be seen, appreciated, and purchased!

### **Best Mattress**

**Next rotation September 4, 9 AM**

713 Meeting Street  
West Columbia, SC  
Facilitator: Skip Willits  
(803) 609-7424  
[skipw@sc.rr.com](mailto:skipw@sc.rr.com)

Large work shows well in this spacious showroom. Notify the facilitator if you wish to show or have any questions.

### **Security Federal Bank**

**Next rotation September 18, 10:00 AM Contact the facilitator to arrange to show your work.** The photography of Skip Willits is currently showing at this venue

Sunset Boulevard  
West Columbia, SC 29169  
Facilitator: Margie Shelburg  
(803) 609-3080  
[mshelburg@aol.com](mailto:mshelburg@aol.com)

This venue features three pieces on floor-standing easels from one artist. Artists who provide their own stands for 3-D work can display at this location. Notify the facilitator if you wish to show or have any questions.

### **Yummie Creations**

**Next rotation October 3, 1 PM lunch, 2 PM hanging**

Flight Deck Shopping Center,  
109 Old Chapin Road, Lexington, SC 29072  
Facilitator: Sue Shrader  
(803) 261-9317  
[sue\\_shrader@mindspring.com](mailto:sue_shrader@mindspring.com)

2-D, up to five pieces, no larger than 24x36

Hanging begins at 2 PM so as not to interrupt the lunch hour service. **Sign up with the rotation facilitator.** Let her know whether you intend to leave work you have there, bring new work, remove your work, or will be a new participant.

## State of the Art Gallery and Pottery Studio (SOTA)

### **Next rotation October 8, 10:30 AM**

2007 State Street, Cayce, SC 29033

Facilitator: Renea Eshleman

[\(803\) 767-5505](tel:(803)767-5505)

[reshleman@sc.rr.com](mailto:reshleman@sc.rr.com)

2-D and 3-D; up to five pieces, no larger than 24x36.

**You must let Renea know if you intend to show.** Marion Mason, Benji Hicks, Sharon Funderburk, Margie Shelburg, Jackie Brown, Sue Shrader, Charles Hite, and Renea Eshleman currently have work showing. The gallery owner requests a bio on each artist; the form will be supplied when you commit to participate. Unless other arrangements are made, currently showing work must be picked up. The gallery collects sales and sales tax and retains thirty percent commission. Sales will be distributed on the 15th of the month following the end of the rotation period. This rotation is typically scheduled the second Tuesday of each quarter.

## Tri-City Leisure Center

### **Next rotation September 19, 10 AM**

485 Brooks Avenue, West Columbia, SC 29169

Facilitator: Margie Shelburg

[\(803\) 609-3080](tel:(803)609-3080)

[mshelburg@aol.com](mailto:mshelburg@aol.com)

2-D or 3-D, small works in a secure glass-fronted display. **Sign up with the rotation facilitator.** Current work must be removed.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES (at Cayce Tennis and Fitness Center)	
September 12, 1-5:30 PM	Artists gathering
September 12, 6-8 PM	Guild meeting featuring Craig Houston
October 10, 1-5:30 PM	Artists gathering
October 10, 6-8 PM	Guild meeting
November 14, 1-5:30 PM	Artists gathering
November 14, 6-8 PM	Guild meeting
December 12, 6 PM	Guild members and guests holiday party

### **Hospitality**

Our thanks to Sue Shrader. She coordinates hospitality duties for the Guild. Thanks to the Board members for providing snacks at the September meeting. We will have a sign-up sheet for volunteers for the October and November meetings. Tentatively, as in previous years, the Christmas party will be covered dish except the Guild will provide turkey and ham.

### **Membership renewal**

CAG's fiscal and membership year is the calendar year. Dues are \$25 a year or \$45 for an advanced level that includes a gallery of your work. It's the best deal in town! Not sure if you have renewed? Contact treasurer JJ Burton (803) 917-3049 [backyardkoi2015@gmail.com](mailto:backyardkoi2015@gmail.com).

You may join or renew from the website [www.cayceartsguild.org](http://www.cayceartsguild.org) or through Paypal to [cayceartsguild@gmail.com](mailto:cayceartsguild@gmail.com), or mail a check to CAG, POBox 5557, Cayce 29171. CAG's treasurer, JJ Burton, will also be glad to accept cash or check at a meeting or event. We currently have 70 members!

**Congratulations to State of the Art Gallery and Pottery Studio!**

The Cayce Beautification Foundation recently presented SOTA with a Business Beautification Award for their efforts to beautify the community! Congratulations to our friends and supporters Barbara Wright, Levi Wright, and Daniel Meck!