



CAYCE ARTS GUILD MEETINGS ARE HELD SEPTEMBER THROUGH MAY

Second Thursday each month *

Cayce Tennis and Fitness Center (CTFC)

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 the “free” table.

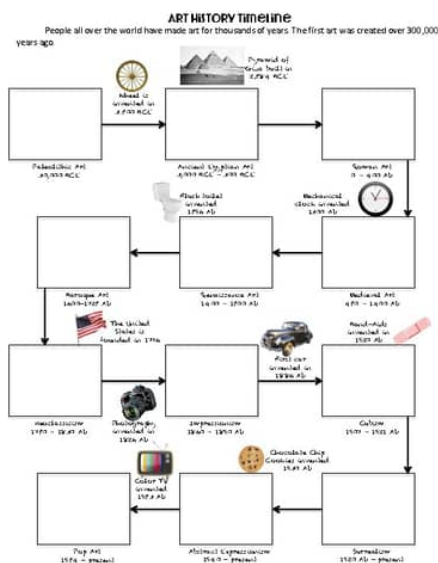
REMINDER ABOUT THE NOVEMBER MEETING

***TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 6 PM**

NOTE: This is a rescheduled date because of a conflict at the CTFC.

The speaker will be CAG member Marion Mason. Here is his description of the planned presentation.

Art History?! That's so last year! Well, many of us artists abhorred AH class; face plant, drooling. Well, seeing and learning about other artists' work can enrich and expand your art frame of reference and inspire you. At our November meeting, Marion Mason will present three very different artists in a fun, interactive art history presentation.



1 <https://www.teacherspayteachers.com/Product/Art-History-Timeline-Graphic-Organizer-Handout-for-Art-History-1021499>

Message from CAG President, Renea Eshleman

You are all appreciated beyond measure. Please help us continue with the success of CAG! Coming up in November and December are the regular festivities of the season. Opportunities abound for you to learn about art, fellowship with artists, and display art. In my book, that's a home run!

Please note the November meeting is Tuesday, November 11. The Center where we meet had a schedule conflict and, since they are so accommodating to the needs of the Guild, we gladly relinquished the second Thursday, a simple move to meet Tuesday (two days early).

The Cayce Historical Museum has again asked that the Guild decorate a tree in the downstairs museum space. The decorations will be seen by the folks who attend the annual Christmas Traditions Holiday Open House on December 6.

I hope to see you at the November 11 meeting; Marion is a gifted and experienced teacher.

Gratefully, Renea

Sponsoring a Christmas Tree at the Cayce Historical Museum

Andy Thomas, Cayce Historical Museum curator, invited the Guild to decorate a tree to be displayed in the lower level space of the museum. They provide the tree and lights and the Museum has a good number of decorations on hand. Also, Guild members have from time to time made decorations we use that add a hand-made, artistic touch to the tree. **Please let Renea know** if you are able to make decorations (they will be returned to you after the new year) and/or meet her to decorate the tree on Wednesday, November 12, at 10 AM. There is no “theme” this year as they have in some years. reshleman@sc.rr.com.

November 12, 10 AM tree decorating

November 25, 5-9 PM Pizza, decoration, fellowship for volunteers

December 6, 6-9 PM Open House

Christmas in Cayce

December 4, 6 PM

Christmas in Cayce: 46th Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Claus, local school choirs and bands, hot drinks, sweets, tree lighting. Take canned goods and non-perishable food items. Sponsor lights to commemorate loved ones, as funding for God’s Helping Hands.

December 6, 6-9 PM

Historical Museum’s Christmas Traditions Holiday Open House

Christmas trees, live entertainment, light refreshments, Mr. and Mrs. Claus, historical lantern tour, outdoor Christmas market with local vendors selling gifts, food, and drinks.

December 13, 12 PM and 5:30 PM

Parade Day and Holiday Parade of Lights

Live music, vendors, holiday activities. Christmas parade hosted by the Greater Cayce West Columbia Chamber of Commerce.

Cayce Arts Guild Holiday Dinner

The Guild’s Holiday Dinner will be on the regular second Thursday, December 11. Keep in mind providing a fun gift for the exchange. We look forward to lots of laughs at this annual social. Plans are still pending but we may deviate from the traditional Christmas dinner of turkey and ham. We are open to ideas. Potato bar, taco bar, BBQ?

Also, let Renea know if you are willing to help by “adopting” a table to decorate with seasonal items and place settings. We’ve used the same decorations for at least five years so it’s time for a change. There are many who are talented in doing the Martha Stewart thing, The round tables seat eight and will have white table cloths. If plates are an issue, Renea has a pretty good selection and you can collaborate with other Guild members as well. We would need to have everything in place by 5 PM for the 6 PM dinner.



CAG 2025 Officers

The below list is officers for 2025. Let Renea Eshleman know if you are willing to serve as a member at large or if there are responsibilities you could take on such as **publicity**. Speak up!

Renea Eshleman, President
Sandra Courie, Vice President
JJ Burton, Treasurer
Katty Hite, Secretary
Trudy Dyer, Programs
Margie Shelburg, At Large

David Phillips, At Large
Ann Kinsinger, Web Master

VACANT: Publicity
VACANT: Hospitality

GOODIES ARE GOOD!

CAG VP Sandra Courie has agreed to facilitate refreshments UNTIL SOMEONE ELSE VOLUNTEERS. We love the hospitable atmosphere food gives to our meetings and know you do too. For those who bring food, please also provide a serving dish of appropriate size and serving utensils. Also, please arrive by 5:50 PM for setup.



ROTATIONS

Best Mattress

Next rotation TBA

713 Meeting Street, West Columbia, SC

Facilitator: Skip Willits

(803) 609-7424

skipw@sc.rr.com

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

Tri-City Leisure Center

Next rotation Thursday, TBA, 10:00 AM

485 Brooks Avenue, West Columbia, SC 29169

Facilitator: Margie Shelburg

(803) 609-3080 mshelburg@aol.com

2-D or 3-D, small works (16x20 or smaller) in a secure glass-fronted display. **Sign up with the rotation facilitator.** Sales happen often, especially for low-priced-gift items.

State of the Art Gallery and Pottery Studio (SOTA)

Next rotation Wednesday, January 7, 10:30 AM (NOTE change to first Wednesday of each quarter.)

2007 State Street, Cayce, SC 29033

Facilitator: Renea Eshleman

(803) 767-5505

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. 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 prices 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 first Wednesday of each quarter (January, April, July, October).



Yummie Creations

Next rotation TBA

Flight Deck Shopping Center,
109 Old Chapin Road, Lexington, SC 29072

Facilitator: Robert Johnson

(803) 542-3476 Bobj692001@yahoo.com

2-D, up to five pieces, no larger than 24x36. Hanging begins at 2 PM (or after the patrons finish their meals) so as not to interrupt the lunch hour service. **Sign up with the rotation facilitator.** Let him know whether you intend to leave work you have there, bring new work, remove your work, or will be a new participant.

INVITE FROM MARION MASON:

Later this week Sculptguy will be offering his unique, one-of-a-kind "wearable sculptures" at three events!

Thursday: First Thursday on Main, 6-9

Friday: Fall Back Fest in West Columbia, 5.30-9 30

Sunday: Sesqui Artists Market, Sesquicentennial State Park, 10-4.



WYATT PERKINS AT ARTISTIC ASPIRATIONS, LLC, IRMO

CAG member Wyatt Perkins will be included in Art Under the Oaks in Irmo on November 15. Congratulations, Wyatt!



State of the Art Gallery and Pottery Studio is excited to announce the availability of personal art studio space for lease in its newly renovated space, 2 Story Studios, 2018 State St., Cayce, SC. Move in today; first rent due January 15, 2026. \$290-375 a month, Wi-Fi and utilities all are included. One-year lease. Call or text 803-429-2323/ 803-542-2605 to arrange a tour and ask questions.

