

**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.**

**CAG Holiday Dinner - Heavy hors d'oeuvres**

**Thursday, December 11, 6-8 PM**

**Cayce Tennis and Fitness Center**

- 1: RSVP by Tuesday, December 9, to Sandra Courie [sandra@courie.com](mailto:sandra@courie.com)
- 2: Let Sandra know what you will contribute for food, a savory appetizer or a sweet canape' or both!
- 3: Bring your food item with an appropriate serving dish and utensils. No boxes. Get fancy! Be sure to take home your serving dishes and utensils. Please plan to be there before the 6 o'clock start time so Sandra can have all the food situated.
- 4: Bring a gift for THE fun gift exchange

So far, the following items are on the menu:

Corn dip  
Mini hot dog bar  
Spinach dip  
Mini quiche

The Guild will provide table coverings, disposable tableware, and tea.

Be ready to enjoy good food, lots of laughs, and great fellowship with your art community.

Thanks to the following people who agreed to decorate a table with seasonal items.

Please plan ahead so the tables will be set and ready by 6 PM. Depending on how many RSVP, we may need additional volunteers. The tables are the round banquet style that sit eight.

Table decorations to be provided by: Cynthia Kent, David Phillips, Trudy Dyer, Ann Huffman, Renea Eshleman



*1 2024 Christmas Chow*

We will play the “naughty Santa” game. Please bring a gift of \$15-20 value. That’s the fun game where participants draw a number and are allowed to pick a gift and unwrap it. The next person can either pick an unwrapped gift or one a previous person has. Each gift may change hands up to three times and each participant may have their gift taken up to three times. It is fun and entertaining to see what is popular. Keep that in mind as you decide what to bring.



## Message from CAG President, Renea Eshleman

CAG members and friends:

I count 2025 as a successful year for the Guild! We have maintained membership numbers and attendance as well as having continued to show art at four venues in the area. The Still Hopes show was no less than spectacular and resulted in several sales. We have also participated in arts-community events and helped make those successful. The Cayce Historical Museum is so thankful for the Christmas tree we decorated at the Welcome Center. We also provided a “goodie basket” of art things (special thanks to JJ Burton) for the Museum’s fund-raising event. Thank you for participating, CAG members!

Things come faster it seems. We are past Thanksgiving and headed to participate in several Christmas events. Take advantage of the opportunities!

Gratefully, Renea

## Christmas in Cayce Events

**December 4, 6 PM**

**Christmas in Cayce: Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony  
Cayce Arts District Winter Wonderland at SOTA and Piecewise Coffee  
Inside market at Piecewise Coffee mail room We still have  
room for participants to show and sell their work. Contact  
Renea (803) 767-5505 [reshleman@sc.rr.com](mailto:reshleman@sc.rr.com)**

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.

