

# CAYCE ARTS GUILD

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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 FEBRUARY MEETING

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 6 PM**

The speaker will be CAG Jay White, artist and proprietor of The Warehouse in West Columbia. He is a hard-working fella, fun, talented, just an all-around treasure. Check out the website for <https://www.thewarehousec.com/> We look forward to hearing about his art and business journey.



Since 2017, The Warehouse has offered carefully selected consigned new, antique, and vintage furniture, home accessories, architectural salvage, and gifts. It is especially proud to show and sell a large selection of original art of over 100 local artists. We are honored to have been named Best Furniture Consignment and Best Antique Store by The State Newspaper, each year beginning in 2021.

### Message from CAG President, Renea Eshleman

As I draft this message, we are captive at home with freezing stuff on all things, grateful for a warm, safe, comfortable environment. There needs to be art-making going on, but I've not yet found my motivation since the holidays. Soon, please...there are several shows and opportunities coming hard and fast. Guess what? You have to have art to enter!

We have several exciting things coming up this spring. Judy Sellers is coordinating space at Tartan Day South at the Columbia Speedway, Charleston Highway. We hope to participate at SOTA in a March 8 event in collaboration with a Jazz concert at the Art Lot (plein air painting anyone?). We will keep you informed as plans develop.

The annual juried show at Still Hopes Episcopal Retirement Center is scheduled for April and May. The details will be developed and distributed to you soon. Thanks to CAG member Ed Shmunes for being an on-site representative of the Guild and serving on the Art Committee at Still Hopes. He's another jewel! Early reminder: the April meeting with be the reception for the show instead of a meeting at the Cayce Tennis and Fitness Center.

We still need your input for programs/presentations for the meetings. Send ideas to me or to Trudy Dyer. Art practitioners, art business (what topics specifically). Do you prefer lectures or art-making demonstrations? Let us know!

Be well, safe, and make art.  
Renea Eshleman

## CAG 2026 Officers

The below list is officers for 2026. Let Renea Eshleman know if you are willing to serve as a member at large or if there are responsibilities you could take on. Speak up! Skip Willits has agreed to serve as publicity chair!

Renea Eshleman, President Sandra Courie, Vice President JJ Burton, Treasurer Katty Hite, Secretary Trudy Dyer, Programs Judy Sellers, Hospitality Margie Shelburg, At Large Skip Willits, Publicity David Phillips, At Large Ann Kinsinger, Web Master

### HOSPITALITY!

Judy Sellers facilitates treats at our meetings. 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. Let Judy know if you are able to bring snacks to share! [JudynWade@aol.com](mailto:JudynWade@aol.com). We are grateful for Sue Shrader and Sandra Courie for having facilitated hospitality for quite a while!



### ROTATIONS

#### Best Mattress

#### Next rotation

**February 11, 9:00**

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. If you cannot be there for the scheduled time, let Renea or Skip know so they can make arrangements for you.

Currently showing: Zakiry Guin, Judy Sellers, Lauraette Kirkland, Sue Shrader, Margie Shelburg, Renea Eshleman, JJ Burton, Robert Johnson, Skip Willits, Ann Anrrich, Marion Mason, and Harold Blackwood



#### Tri-City Leisure Center

**Next rotation TBA**, 485 Brooks Avenue, West Columbia, SC 29169 Facilitator: Chuck Mikell (803) 636-4026 [mikell1425@att.net](mailto:mikell1425@att.net)

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. Chuck plays pickle ball at TCLC so is there a couple of times each week. Contact him about having your work there too. Thanks to Margie

Shelburg for having served as facilitator for this venue for several years! She did a good job – as she does for everything she accepts.



Currently showing are Chuck Mikell, Skip Willits, Trudy Dyer, and Renea Eshleman.  
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## State of the Art Gallery and Pottery Studio (SOTA)

**Next rotation Wednesday, April 8, 10:30**

**AM** (NOTE change to second Wednesday of each quarter.)

2007 State Street, Cayce, SC 29033

Facilitator: Renea Eshleman (803) 767-5505

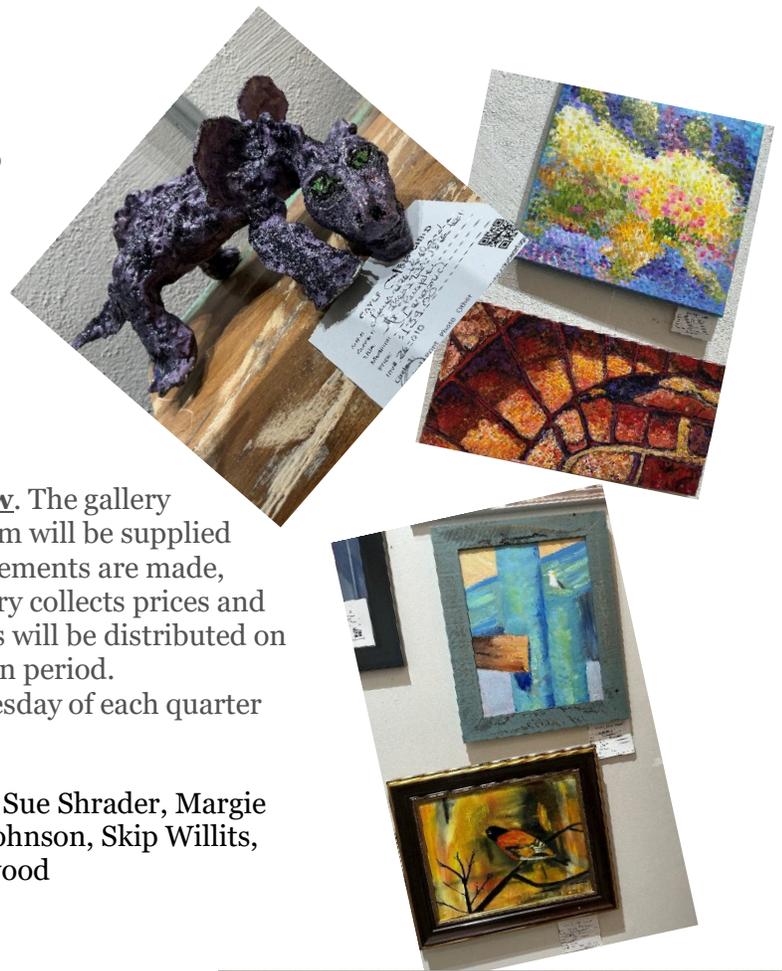
[reshleman@sc.rr.com](mailto:reshleman@sc.rr.com)

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

**You must let Renea know if you intend to show.** The gallery owner requests a bio on each artist; the inventory 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 second Wednesday of each quarter (January, April, July, October).

Currently showing: Judy Sellers, Lauraette Kirkland, Sue Shrader, Margie Shelburg, Renea Eshleman, Sandra Courie, Robert Johnson, Skip Willits, Marion Mason, Carol Blackwood, and Harold Blackwood



## Yummie Creations Next rotation Thursday,

**February 19, 2:00 (or after last customers are gone.**

Flight Deck Shopping Center,  
109 Old Chapin Road, Lexington,  
SC 29072 Facilitator: Robert  
Johnson (803) 542-3476  
[Bobj692001@yahoo.com](mailto: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.



Currently showing: Marion Mason, Wyatt Perkins, Sandra Courie, Robert Johnson, Renea Eshleman, Sue Shrader, Carol Blackwood, and Harold Blackwood.



### TARTAN DAY SOUTH – SATURDAY, MARCH 28

Cayce Arts Guild has been granted six spaces for tents at Tartan Day South. Five of the spaces are already reserved by folks who attended the January meeting. The event is March 28 at the Old Columbia Speedway, 1951 Charleston Highway.

This family-friendly event includes music (think bagpipes), dancing (think Scottish clogging), antique cars, arts, crafts, athletic events and competitions, sheep herding, traditional dress (think kilts), and all other things Celtic!

Vendors must set up their tents in assigned spaces the evening before, on Friday, March 27, then install their inventory for show and sale on Saturday morning. The Guild has three tents it can loan members; one is still available. Space sharing is allowed. There are no participant fees for CAG members but there is a fee for parking. Contact Judy Sellers for details. (803) 361-2237 [JudynWade@aol.com](mailto:JudynWade@aol.com).



*1 Ann Anrrich presents at January CAG meeting. My apologies to Cynthia Kent for not getting photos of her and to both of them for not getting photos of their work.*