

Paul Hee



Corvette off the Coast of Calais



Retrospective Exhibit and Sale of the Maritime Paintings of Paul Hee

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tory, including the most recent. His works are presently exhibited in state historic sites, public institutions and private collections. His artwork may be seen across the US and internationally.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call the gallery at 252/985-5268 or visit (www.nwc.edu/Arts/Mims/).

Carolina Creations in New Bern, NC, Offers Works by Brenda Behr

Carolina Creations Fine Art and Contemporary Craft Gallery in New Bern, NC, is presenting the exhibit, *North Carolina Meets French Impressionism*, featuring works by Brenda Behr, on view through Oct. 31, 2012.

Behr is no stranger to oil painting. Her dad gifted Brenda her first set of oils and private painting lessons when she was just ten years old. She is also no stranger to plein air painting, having taken her first plein air workshop in 1981.

Behr holds an MFA degree from Syracuse University and she has studied with the late Robert E. Wood, Cheng-Khee Chee, Frank Webb, Don Andrews, Albert Handell and John de la Vega, and Susan Sarback. Sarback is a former student of Henry Hensche, an American painter linked to renowned French Impressionist painter Claude Monet.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 252/633-4369 or visit (www.carolinacreations.com).

Craven Arts Council in New Bern, NC, Features Works by Members of the Watercolor Society of North Carolina

Craven Arts Council in New Bern, NC, is presenting *Only the Best for Our Watercolor Exhibit*, featuring a Signature Show by members of the Watercolor Society of North Carolina, on view at the Council's Bank of the Arts through Oct. 30, 2012.

A Signature Show of the Watercolor Society of North Carolina (WSNC) includes only artists whose works have been judged into at least three WSNC exhibitions. Of 300 WSNC members, only a third have achieved that status. So, visitors to the Bank of the Arts will see the best work of the best artists.

"Expect to see works ranging from



Work by Jeff Jakub

abstract contemporary to realistic street scenes," says WSNC Eastern Region Director Holly Cook. Participating Signature artists in this exhibit include many names that

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Collectors Event

Ann McCray's
Studio
Clean-Out

Oct. 22 -
Nov. 17, 2012



Ann McCray, *Red Sky at Night*, 36 x 48 inches



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have grown familiar to Craven Arts Council members. How many do you recognize of the following - Jeff Jakub, Janet Dixon, Karen Van Gamper, Cora Mae Pipkin, Dixie Leibert, Pat Holscher, Francis Baker, Barbara Hesketh, Martha Smith Brooks, Russell Yerkes, and Brenda Behr?

An added feature to this exhibit is a WSNC fundraiser. Artists are contributing 8" x 10" canvases to be displayed on panels in the middle of the gallery. Tickets for these

paintings will be sold at \$30 each. Ticket holders return to a second reception at 3pm on Saturday, Oct. 6, where the paintings will be given out based on the numbers on their ticket. The new owners are then free to exchange paintings with one another.

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, contact the Arts Council at 252/638-2577 or e-mail to (cravenarts@cravenarts.org).

Sunset River Marketplace in Calabash, NC, Offers Works by Ann McCray

Sunset River Marketplace in Calabash, NC, will present a rare collectors event with Ann McCray's *Studio Clean-Out*, taking place between Oct. 22 through Nov. 17, 2012. The event offers a rare opportunity for collectors and art lovers to acquire art pieces by Wilmington, NC, artist Ann McCray at greatly reduced prices. The collection includes a large selection of recent and

earlier works by the artist.

Gallery owner Ginny Lassiter said, "Anyone who has ever painted large in a small studio space understands the concept and necessity of clearing out the studio from time to time. That's what's going on here and we are thrilled to offer this incredible selection of Ann's naturesscape abstractions

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