

Kalā Gallery in Morganton, NC, Offers Works by Andrew Chapman

Andrew Chapman's metal work continues a centuries old tradition in metal in the most modern of ways and will be presented at Kalā Gallery in Morganton, NC, on view through Sept. 30, 2013.

The three ingredients of fire, metal and creative vision combine at the hands of Chapman to create works of metal artistry. Traditional blacksmithing techniques using hammer and anvil and artistic vision, deeply rooted in modern sculpture, work together in each of Chapman's handcrafted works. He moves and molds the metal to his vision, making all imaginable.

Leaves and branches from nature, scrolls or classic motifs and modern twists and turns that defy gravity all take shape on Chapman's anvil. These pieces range from large scale architectural elements and furniture to small flowing table top sculpture and handheld objects. Each project shows the process and techniques learned during his years of experience.

Chapman's introduction to the field of metal began while earning his BFA in sculpture at the University of Cincinnati. Since then, he has zigzagged the country, working in custom metal shops from Texas to Knoxville to North Carolina learning and perfecting his craft at each stop. Homes across the country feature his works. Chapman has also added teacher to his list of skills, sharing his techniques



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and craftsmanship during group classes and as a featured smith during regional blacksmithing conference.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 828/437-1806 or visit (www.kalagallery.com).

Woolworth Walk in Asheville, NC, Offers Works by Jennifer Barrineau

Woolworth Walk in Asheville, NC, will present Subjective Realities, featuring paintings by Jennifer Barrineau, on view in the FW Front Gallery, from Sept. 1 - 29, 2013. A reception will be held on Sept. 6, from 5-7pm.

Barrineau studied illustration at

Ringling College of Art and Design, while living in Sarasota, FL. She has been living in Asheville for over 8 years. The mountains provide an ideal place to create, paint and raise a son. Inspired by all things in nature, flora and

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fauna, the artist uses paint to interpret her visions of nature's beauty.

Barrineau's artistic expression takes us to places where vibrant color, texture and shape collide. With acrylic and canvas, worlds of painted dimensional thought provoking images are created.

Barrineau can be found painting in her studio at Art Mob in Downtown Hendersonville, NC. Paintings and prints can be found there, at Faison O'Neil Gallery in Black Mountain, NC, and The Woolworth Walk in downtown Asheville.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 828/254-9234 or visit (www.woolworthwalk.com).



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Upstairs Artspace in Tryon, NC, Offers Unique Fundraiser Exhibit

The Upstairs Artspace in Tryon, NC, presents 100 x 100 Canvas Project, which is your chance to own an original painting by one of many talented, professional artists! This is not an auction! Each 10x10 canvas will sell for \$100 each! The big difference is the works will not be identified as to who the artist is.

The exhibit opens on Sat., Sept. 14, 2013, with an opening reception beginning at 5pm. Paintings will go on exhibit for viewing only during Tryon's Gallery Trot. At 6:30pm, paintings will become available for purchase on a first-come, first-served basis for \$100 each.

A closing reception will be held on Sat., Sept. 28, 2013, beginning at 6pm, when guests are invited to mingle with participating artists and may ask to have their paintings signed. Paintings may then be taken home.

At 7pm, three collaborative pieces will be featured in a special auction. Each piece is created by a professional artist in our area and partnered with a selected



member of the community. A fourth painting will be created right in front of your eyes by one of our region's most prolific artists and auctioned at the end of the evening!

For further information check our NC Institutional Gallery listings, call Artspace at 828/859-2828 or visit

(www.upstairsartspace.org).

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