Discover the Seagrove Potteries

Seagrove is a Community of Working Potters & home to the North Carolina Pottery Center

You're invited....

to visit the Seagrove potters at their workshops & studios nestled in the countryside.

Experience a diversity of pottery from contemporary, one-of-a-kind art pottery, to traditional utiltarian forms, & folk art

It's an Adventure....

Pick up a free colored map at any of the pottery shops

Seagrove is located in the Center of North Carolina 40 miles south of Greensboro on Hwy. 220 (future I-73, I-74)

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certificates each for \$50. The gift certificates can be used at your favorite participating Seagrove shop. Pick up a card at your first pottery, get it stamped at six different potteries. After six stamps, leave your card at one of the shops or mail it back by May 15, 2021. Qualifying cards will be entered in a drawing, which will take place the weekend of May 22.

The public is invited to start their tour at the Luck Comer Lail Center at 798 NC Hwy. 705, Seagrove, NC, 27341. A welcome tent will be staffed with volunteers wearing masks to answer questions and share a printed pottery map of studio participants. The map offers a guide to the studios and shops. Pottery maps will be available for download the second week of April at (https://discoverseagrove.com/events/annual-spring-studio-tour-and-kiln-opening/).

In accordance with the NC Department of Health and Human Services Guidelines, when visiting the Seagrove area, all visitors are asked to wear masks and observe social distancing at the shops and studios. Potters



Work by Ben Owen III

will also be wearing masks to ensure customers' safety.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call Ben Owen, at 336/953-9596, e-mail to (contact@discoverseagrove.com) or visit (www.discoverseagrove.com).

Village Pottery Marketplace of Seagrove, NC, Presents Annual "Spring Kiln Opening" - Apr. 16 - 18

Village Pottery Marketplace of Seagrove, NC, will present its annual "Spring Kiln Opening" during the weekend, Friday – Sunday, 9am-5pm each day, Apr. 16 – 18, 2021

Village Pottery Marketplace want to welcome you back to Seagrove, our nation's top pottery community; winter is gone, let us ring in spring with a big celebration! We are located at 205 East Main Street in the center of historic, downtown Seagrove, NC.

Master potter, Walter Aberson of Concord, NC, will be our special guest; demonstrating turning pottery on the treadle wheel he built himself, all day Saturday and Sunday. He specializes in bird houses and feeders, super tankards and olive oil bottles with and without folk art faces and much more.

Melanie Dennison, of Seagrove will demonstrate stoneware slab-construction techniques all day Friday. Wyndham Dennison will unload his stoneware kiln Saturday with new items for this event. We have been hand-making pottery for 35 years each. We are known in the pottery community as, Wyndham Brooke Haven Pottery and are the founders (25 ½ years) and owner / operators of Village Pottery Marketplace Gallery. Village Pottery gallery showcases the handcrafted pottery, art and fine crafts of over 80 artisans and is open all year 'round. Our normal hours of operation are Monday – Saturday 10am-5pm and Sundays 1-5pm.



Work by Walter Aberson

Learn about the rich history of the area, watch demos, choose from items fresh out of the kiln, and enjoy refreshments. Ample parking and picnic area available. Welcome to all for a fun filled, family experience that is free to the public. We are respectful of Covid safety guidelines.

For further information check our NC Commercial Gallery listings, call the gallery at 336/873-7966 or visit

 $(\underline{www.seagrovevillagepottery.com}).$

The deadline each month to submit articles, photos and ads is the 24th of the month prior to the next issue. This will be Apr. 24th for the May 2021 issue and May 24 for the June 2021 issue. After that, it's too late unless your exhibit runs into the next month. But don't wait for the last minute - send your info now.

And where do you send that info? E-mail to (info@carolinaarts.com).



April 3 - 16

Free glassblowing demonstrations New handblown glass and glassware

Demonstrations April 3 & 10 Free Reservations Required Gallery Only Visits Available Masks Required



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Announcing Our Celebration of Spring Pottery Tour & Other Local Events

There is something always going on in Seagrove, North Carolina,
April is no different.

Our Celebration of Spring Pottery Tour will be the weekend of April 16-20th at participating potteries throughout the area.

More details to come!

Check out the upcoming events in the Pottery Capital of the USA!



Please visit our website for a map and shop hours.

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Masks must be worn inside pottery shops.