

AUGUST CALENDAR

AUGUST

1-4 · *Perception of Sense and Appalachian Magic*, Asheville Area Arts Council's Refinery Creator Space, ashevillearts.com.

1-4 · Hot Springs, Laughing Heart Literary Festival, Laughing Heart Lodge, laughingheartliteraryproject.org.

1-5 · Burnsville, *The Interbeing Project, the Interface of Woman & Nature*, TRAC Burnsville Gallery, bonniecooperphotography.com, toeriverarts.org.

1-5 · Swannanoa, Swannanoa Gathering, Warren Wilson College, swangathering.com.

1-6 · Flat Rock, *Sacred Ground: Bringing New Mexico Home*, Gallery at Flat Rock, galleryflatrock.com.

1-12 · *Forms, Figures and Function*, The Village Potters, (closing reception, Saturday, August 10, 4-6 p.m.), thevillagepotters.com.

1-12 · Mars Hill, *LINEAGE: Celebrating Rock Creek Pottery*, Mars Hills University's Weizenblatt Gallery, woodfirenc.com.

1-18 · Brevard, Brevard Music Center Summer Festival, brevardmusic.org or 828.862.2105.

1-18 · Hendersonville, Music on Main Street, Hendersonville Visitor Information Center, visithendersonvillenc.org.

1-18 · Spruce Pine, *Inheritance*, Toe River Arts Council Spruce Pine Gallery, toeriverarts.org.

1-20 · *Southern Migrations: Five Years in Asheville*, Grovewood Gallery, grovewood.com.

1-20 · Flat Rock, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, Flat Rock Playhouse Clyde and Nina Allen Mainstage, 866.732.8008, flatrockplayhouse.org.

1-23 · *Coming Home*, American Folk Art and Framing, (premieres online Tuesday, Aug. 1, 11 a.m.; at the gallery Thursday, Aug. 3, with opening reception, Friday, Aug. 4, 5-8 p.m.), amerifolk.com.

1-25 · *Forging Futures: Studio Craft in Western North Carolina*, Center for Craft, Creativity & Design, Blue Spiral 1, bluespiral1.com.

1-25 · Cullowhee, *Water Portraits: Barbara Tyroler*, Western Carolina University Fine Art Museum, bardoartscenter.wcu.edu.

1-31 · *Home Land*, On the Slope, Asheville Art Museum, ashevilleart.org.

1-31 · *The Luthier's Craft*, Smith-McDowell House, Western North Carolina Historical Association, wnchistory.org.

1-31 · Ceramic Art of Trish Salmon and Denise Baker, Odyssey Cooperative Art Gallery, odysseyceramicarts.com.

1-31 · Featured artists Paul Moberg and Julie Calhoun-Roepnack, F.W. Gallery at Woolworth Walk, woolworthwalk.com.

1-Sept. 1 · Black Mountain, *Sibling Artistry*, Black Mountain Center for the Arts, blackmountainarts.org.

1-Sept. 2 · *Frank Hursh: Marking Space + Place*, Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center, blackmountaincollege.org.

1-Sept. 2 · *Robert Motherwell: The Quiet + The Wild*, Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center, blackmountaincollege.org.

1-Sept. 3 · Black Mountain, 50th Annual Juried Members Art Show, Swannanoa Valley Fine Arts League, Red House Gallery and Studios, svfalarts.org.

1-Sept. 4 · *Spirit of Place*, The North Carolina Arboretum, ncarboretum.org.

1-Sept. 30 · Modern Traditions, Caldwell Arts Council, caldwellartscouncil.com.

1-Oct. 9 · *A Year in the Life of a Mountain Bog*, North Carolina Arboretum, ncarboretum.org.

1-Oct. 15 · Bakersville, *Flights of Fancy*, Mica Gallery, micagallerync.com.

1-Oct. 29 · *Clouds*, Adler Gallery at Posana Restaurant, (Weathering Life's Storms, Talk by Pamela Wright, Wednesday, August 16, 6:30 p.m.), conn-artist.com.

1-Nov. 30 · Cullowhee, *Ancient Forms, Modern Minds: Contemporary Cherokee Ceramics*, Western Carolina University Fine Art Museum, bardoartscenter.wcu.edu.

2-6 · *Summer Lights*, North Carolina Arboretum, ncarboretum.org.

3 · Yadkinville, Blue Ridge Heritage Trail Listening Session, Yadkin Valley Cultural Arts Center, blueridgeheritage.com.

3-19 · *Six Knots*, The Magnetic Theatre, themagnetictheatre.org.

4 · Author Tim Barnwell (*Great Smoky Mountain Vistas*), Grovewood Gallery, grovewood.com.

4 · Hendersonville, *An Evening with Artists of the Carolinas*, Silver Fox Gallery, silverfoxgallery.net.

4 · Waynesville, Art After Dark, Haywood County Arts Council, haywoodarts.org.

4-5 · LEAF Downtown AVL, Pack Square Park, theleaf.org/downtown.

4-5 · Burnsville, Mt. Mitchell Crafts Fair, Yancey County Chamber, Burnsville Town Square, exploreburnsville.com.

4-5 · Morganton, The Spanish & Indian Colonial Trail Festival 450th Anniversary, Catawba Meadows Living History Village, exploringjoara.org.

4-Sept. 2 · *Peter Pan*, Montford Park Players, Hazel Robinson, Amphitheatre, montfordparkplayers.org.

4-31 · *True Colors*, Asheville Gallery of Art, (reception, Friday, Aug. 4, 5-8 p.m.), ashevillegallery-of-art.com.

4-Sept. 30 · Lenoir, *Modern Traditions*, Caldwell Arts Council, (reception Aug. 4, 5-7 p.m.), info@caldwellarts.com.

5 · *On Pots and Food* with Lindsay Rogers, The

Village Potters, thevillagepotters.com.

5 · Southern Highland Craft Guild Wood Day, The Folk Art Center, craftguild.org/woodday.

5-6 · 45th Annual Village Art and Craft Fair, Cathedral of All Souls, newmoringgallery.com.

6 · Canton, Coffee Branch Band: Bluegrass and Old Time Gospel, Canton Public Library, haywoodarts.org.

7-10 · Lake Junaluska, Festival of Wisdom and Grace, Lake Junaluska Conference and Retreat Center, lakejunaluska.com/wisdom-and-grace.

7-18 · Hendersonville, *Bring Us Your Best*, Arts Council of Henderson County, (awards reception, Friday, August 4, 5-7 p.m.), acofhc.org.

8 · Brasstown, Blue Ridge Heritage Trail Listening Session, John C. Campbell Folk School, blueridgeheritage.com.

9-12 · Laugh Your Asheville Off Comedy Festival, Highland Brewing and Diana Wortham Theatre, Additional Late Night Shows at The Disclaimer Lounge, ashevillecomedyfestival.com.

9-13 · Canton, Women's Wilderness Workshops, Camp Daniel Boone, womenswildernessworkshops.com.

10 · *Female Authors: Writing America Between the World Wars*, lecture and film series with Ellen Glasgow featured, The Wilma Dykeman Legacy, West Asheville Library, wilmadykemanlegacy.org.

10 · Celebrating Stoney Lamar, Blue Spiral 1, bluespiral1.com.

11-12 · Maggie Valley, Smokin Rodz in the Smokies car show, Maggie Valley Festival Grounds, maggievalley.org.

11-12 · Penland, 32nd Annual Benefit Auction, Penland School of Crafts, penland.org.

11-12 · Valdese, 42nd Annual Waldensian Festival, townofvaldese.com.

12 · Second Saturday Celebration, Odyssey Co-op Gallery, odysseyceramicarts.com.

12 · Waynesville, Crafters Showcase, Historic Shelton House, sheltonhouse.org.

13 · Storytelling Art Studio: *Visual Expressions of Character, Mood and Theme Using Mixed Media* with Cathy Nichols, Malaprop's Bookstore and Café, malaprops.com.

14 · Author Christopher Blake (*River of Cliffs: A Linville Gorge History*), Malaprop's Bookstore and Café, malaprops.com.

16 · Teach-In, Author Nancy MacLean (*Democracy in Chains: The Deep History of the Radical Right's Stealth Plan for America*), Malaprop's Bookstore and Café, malaprops.com.

16-20 · Black Mountain, Ecological and Natural Building Workshop, School of Integrated Living, schoolofintegratedliving.org.

16-Sept. 15 · Brevard, *Through the Needle's Eye*,

Transylvania Arts Council, tcarts.org.

17 · Sylva, Author Ben Anderson (*Smokies Chronicle: A Year of Hiking in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park*), Jackson County Public Library, fontanalib.org.

17-19 · Maggie Valley, Maggie Valley Summer Rally, Maggie Valley Festival Grounds, maggievalley.org.

18 · Hendersonville and Flat Rock, Third Friday Art Hop, various galleries, facebook.com/artgallerytrailwnc1.

18-19 · Asheville Wine and Food Festival, Pack Square Park, ashevillewineandfood.com.

18-19 · Lake Lure, Dirty Dancing Festival, Morse Park Meadows, Chamber of Hickory Nut Gorge and McConnell Group, dirtydancingfestival.com.

18-21 · Brevard, Eclipse Weekend@BMC with Lyle Lovett and His Large Band, Brevard Music Center, brevardmusic.org.

19 · Front Porch Jam, Smith-McDowell House, Western North Carolina Historical Association, wnchistory.org.

19 · Dillsboro, Summer Arts & Craft Market, visitdillsboro.com.

20 · Author and *The Laurels*' editor Frances Figart (*Seasons of Letting Go: Most of What I Know About Truly Living I Learned by Helping Someone Die*), Malaprop's Bookstore and Café, malaprops.com.

20 · Naturalist Walk, Botanical Gardens at Asheville, ashevillebotanicalgardens.org.

20 · Storytelling Tell-Off, West Asheville Park (Vermont Ave. Ext.), Asheville Storytelling Circle, ashevillestorycircle.org.

21 · Jackson County and Western North Carolina., The Great American Solar Eclipse, nceclipse.com; greatamericaneclipse.com.

21-Dec. 8 · Cullowhee, *Return From Exile*, (reception and symposium, Nov. 10), Western Carolina University Fine Art Museum, baroartscenter.wcu.edu.

23 · Author Ken Haedrich (*The Harvest Baker*), Malaprop's Bookstore and Café, malaprops.com.

24 · Penland, Blue Ridge Heritage Trail Listening Session, Penland School of Crafts, blueridgeheritage.com.

24-Sept. 9 · *The Maids*, Attic Salt Theater, atticsalt.org.

26 · *Moscow Meets Manhattan: Dueling Pianos*, Diana Wortham Theatre, dwtheatre.com.

26 · *Milkweed, Monarchs & Migration*, Botanical Gardens at Asheville, ashevillebotanicalgardens.org.

26 · Fletcher, Carolina Mountain Land Conservancy Conservation Celebration, Taylor Ranch, (Reservation deadline Aug. 18), conservationcelebration.org.

26 · Waynesville, Pyramid Brass: Brass Ensemble, Haywood County Public Library, haywoodarts.org.

27 · Asheville's 16th Organicfest, Pack Square Park, organicfest.org.

27 · Mars Hill, Kruger Brothers, Ebbs Chapel Performing Arts Center, madisoncountyarts.com.

31 · Artists' Breakfast, 362 Depot Gallery, River Arts District, 828.234.1616.

31 · Blue Ridge Heritage Trail Listening Session, Southern Highland Craft Guild, Folk Art Center, blueridgeheritage.com.

SEPTEMBER

1 · Waynesville, Haywood Community College Art Show, Haywood County Arts Council, haywoodarts.org.

1-2 · 47th Annual Smoky Mountain Folk Festival, Lake Junaluska Conference and Retreat Center, lakejunaluska.com.

1-3 · Lenoir, 13th Annual Happy Valley Fiddlers Convention, happyvalleyfiddlers.org.

2 · Fungfest: A Celebration of Mushrooms, Warren Wilson College, Bryson Building, Asheville Mushroom Club, ashevillermushroomclub.com.

2 · Hendersonville, *Fifth Annual World Masterwork Series Benefit Concert-The 3B's*, Hendersonville Symphony Orchestra, dwtheatre.com, worldmasterworkseries.com.

2-3 · Maggie Valley, Maggie Valley Labor Day Craft Show, Maggie Valley Festival Grounds, maggievalley.org.

4-15 · Cullowhee, *Don Sawyer: MFA Candidate, School of Art and Design*, Western Carolina University Fine Art Museum, baroartscenter.wcu.edu.

7 · Cullowhee, *The Who's Tommy: A Bluegrass Opry*, Western Carolina University Performance Hall, baroartscenter.wcu.edu.

8 · Mills River, Mystical Poetry and Music, Unity of the Blue Ridge, 828.299.8361.

8-9 · Swannanoa, 4th Annual Organic Growers School Harvest Conference, Warren Wilson College, organicgrowersschool.org.

9 · Waynesville, Crafters Showcase, Historic Shelton House, sheltonhouse.org.

9-Nov. 1 · *Grain*, Asheville Printmakers, Asheville BookWorks Gallery, (opening reception, Saturday, September 9, 5:30-7:30 p.m.), ashevillebookworks.com.

10 · Blue Ridge EV Club Celebration of National Drive Electric Week, Asheville Outlets Mall, cleanvehiclescoalition.org.

14 · *Female Authors: Writing America Between the World Wars*, lecture and film series with Julia Peterkin featured, The Wilma Dykeman Legacy, West Asheville Library, wilmadykemanlegacy.org.

15 · Hendersonville and Flat Rock, Third Friday Art Hop, various galleries, facebook.com/artgallerytrailwnc1.

21 · Waynesville, Author Ben Anderson (*Smokies Chronicle: A Year of Hiking in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park*), Haywood County Library, haywoodlibrary.libcal.com.

23 · WNC AIDS Project's Raise Your Hand Auction & Gala, Asheville Events Center, wncapgala.org.

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