

DECEMBER CALENDAR

1 · *The Nutcracker and the Mouse King*, Diana Wortham Theatre, Asheville Contemporary Dance Theatre, DWTheatre.com

1 · Holiday Makers Sale, Folk Art Center, Southern Highland Craft Guild, CraftGuild.org

1 · Black Mountain, *A Slice of Life: An Evening of Stories*, Black Mountain Center for the Arts, BlackMountainArts.org

1 · Flat Rock, *Artists Exposed*, The Gallery at Flat Rock, GalleryFlatRock.com

1 · Hendersonville, Holiday Sale & Open House, Bullington Gardens, BullingtonGardens.org

1-2 · Brevard, *The Festival of Trees*, Paul Porter Center for the Performing Arts, Brevard College, Children's Center of Transylvania County, 828.885.7286

1-2 · Sylva, Holiday Weekend, DiscoverJacksonNC.com/Your-Trip/Calendar

1-2 · Yancey & Mitchell counties, TRAC Holiday Studio Tour, ToeRiverArts.org

1-2, 8-9 · Weaverville, Q Evon Jewelry Design Holiday Sale, Q Evon Jewelry Design, info@qevon.com

1-7 · Cullowhee, Three exhibits (*Glass Catalyst: Littleton's Legacy in Contemporary Sculpture; Julie Buffalohead: You and I; SUSTAIN + ABILITY*), WCU Fine Art Museum at Bardo Arts Center, BardoArtsCenter.wcu.edu

1, 8 · Merry Christmas Greens Market, French Broad River Garden Club, Clem's Cabin, fbrgc.org

1, 8 · Chimney Rock, Santa on the Chimney, Chimney Rock State Park, ChimneyRockPark.com

1-9 · Kathryn Phillips exhibit, Asheville Regional Airport, KathrynBPhillips.com

1-14 · *Night Wings*, Artist David Hopes, Weizenblatt Gallery, Mars Hill University, MHU.edu

1-15 · 25th Annual Bernstein Family Christmas Spectacular, Magnetic Theatre, TheMagneticTheatre.org

1-15 · *How Native Bees Prepare for Winter*, Asheville Museum of Science Insect Exploration Station, Spriggly's Beescaping, AshevilleScience.org

1, 15 · Sewing Classes, Diamond Brand Gear & In Blue Handmade, Diamond Brand Microfactory, Facebook.com/pg/DiamondBrandGear/events

1-16 · Hendersonville, *Nuncrackers: The Christmas Nonsense Musical*, Hendersonville Community Theatre, HendersonvilleTheatre.org

1-19 · Show & Tell Holiday Pop Up Shop, Asheville Masonic Temple, ShowAndTellPopUpShop.com

1-22 · *Altering Nature: Pictures of a Changing Environment*, photo + sphere, Tracy Morgan Gallery, PhotoPlusAvl.com

1-22 · Flat Rock, *A Flat Rock Playhouse Christmas*, Flat Rock Playhouse Mainstage, FlatRockPlayhouse.org

1-29 · *Forging Ahead: A Blacksmith Invitational*, Folk Art Center Main Gallery, Southern Highland Craft Guild, CraftGuild.org

1-29 · Burnsville, Glass Exhibition of David Wilson, TRAC Gallery, ToeRiverArts.org

1-30 · Scott Mills, F.W. Gallery at Woolworth Walk, (artist reception, Friday, Dec. 7, 5-7 p.m.), WoolworthWalk.com

1-31 · *Wish List Celebration*, American Folk Art & Framing, AmeriFolk.com

1-31 · *Energy and Life*, Asheville Gallery of Art, (artist reception, Friday, Dec. 7, 5-8 p.m.), AshevilleGallery-of-Art.com

1-31 · *Space, Geometry and Design*, Contemporaneo Gallery, ContemporaneoAsheville.Shop

1-31 · *Winter Lights*, North Carolina Arboretum, NCARBoretum.org

1-31 · *Eat, Drink & Be Merry*, Grovewood Gallery, Grovewood.com

1-31 · *Roots*, Asheville Regional Airport art gallery, FlyAVL.com

1-31 · Bakersville, *Reinventing the Classics: Modern Functional Ceramics Based on Historic Styles*, In Tandem Gallery, InTandemGallery.com

1-31 · Bakersville, Valerie Beck exhibit, Winter Wrap-Up, Mica, MicaGalleryNC.com

1-31 · Hendersonville, *Home for the Holidays*, Downtown, VisitHendersonvilleNC.org

1-Jan. 4 · *John L. Cleaveland Jr: A History in Landscapes*, Blue Spiral 1, BlueSpiral1.com

1-Jan. 4 · Ceramics Invitational, Blue Spiral 1, BlueSpiral1.com

1-Jan. 4 · 26th Annual National Gingerbread House Competition Display, The Omni Grove Park Inn, OmniHotels.com

1-Jan. 6 · *Reclaimed Creations*, North Carolina Arboretum Baker Exhibit Center, NCARBoretum.org

1-Jan. 6 · Blue Ridge Fiber Show: *Fiber Connections*, North Carolina Arboretum, Western North Carolina Fibers/Handweavers Guild, NCARBoretum.org

1-Jan. 6 · Asya Colie exhibit, Ananda Hair Studio, AsyaColieArt.com

1-Jan. 6 · Black Mountain, *Deck The Trees*, Monte Vista Hotel, MVHotel.com

1-Jan. 12 · *Between Form and Content: Perspectives on Jacob Lawrence and Black Mountain College*, Black Mountain College Museum + Art Center, 120 College Street, BlackMountainCollege.org

1-Jan. 26 · *In Times of Seismic Sorrows*, The Center for Craft, Creativity and Design, CraftCreativityDesign.org

1-Apr. 27 · Charlotte, *Michael Sherrill Retrospective*, The Mint Museum Uptown at Levine Center for the Arts, MintMuseum.org

2 · Black Mountain, Mountain Folk Harpers, Black Mountain Center for the Arts, BlackMountainArts.org

2 · Flat Rock, Hendersonville Community Band Holiday Concert, Blue Ridge Community College Conference Hall, HCBMusic.com

2-30 · *Toys*, (reception, Saturday, Dec. 8, 4-7 p.m.), Trackside Studios, VirginiaPendergrass.com

4 · Cullowhee, *The Nutcracker*, Bardo Arts Center, WCU Arts and Cultural Events, Arts.WCU.edu/calendar

5-Feb. 28 · *Eyes, A Group Art Show*, Adler Gallery at Posana, Conn-Artist.com

6 · Tim Shelton's *A Very Vintage Christmas*, Asheville Community Theatre, VeryVintageChristmas.com

6 · Flat Rock, *Light and Life: Encounters with Grace and Healing Power of Beauty*, The Gallery at Flat Rock, GalleryFlatRock.com

6-8 · *A Christmas Carol*, The American Myth Center, Vance Birthplace State Historic Site, AmericanMythCenter.org

6-8 · Cullowhee, *Light Chasers*, Hoey Auditorium, WCU School of Stage and Screen, Arts.WCU.edu/calendar

6-9, 13-16 · Hendersonville, *Junie B. in Jingle Bells Batman Smells*, Flat Rock Playhouse Downtown, FlatRockPlayhouse.org

7 · Celebrate Safe Motherhood, One World Brewing West, Mama Maisha, MamaMaisha.ejoinme.org/2018

7 · Hendersonville, Ye Olde Fashioned Christmas at the Heritage Museum, Historic Courthouse Rotunda, HendersonCountyMuseum.com

7 · Sylva, Author Georgann Eubanks (*The Month of Their Ripening: North Carolina Heritage Foods through the Year*), City Lights Bookstore, GeorgannEubanks.net

7-8 · Holiday Sip and Shop, Grovewood Gallery, Grovewood.com

7-8 · Dillsboro, Festival of Lights and Luminaries, MountainLovers.com

7-8 · Lake Junaluska, Lake Junaluska's Appalachian Christmas, LakeJunaluska.com/Christmas

7-8, 14-15, 21-22 · Lenoir, Hometown Handmade Holiday Market, Caldwell Arts Council, CaldwellArts.com

7-9 · *The Nutcracker*, Asheville Ballet, Diana Wortham Theatre, DWTheatre.com

7-15 · *Ad Lucem: Masking and the Resilience of a Human Spirit*, Photo exhibition by Shawn Winebrenner, (opening reception, Friday, Dec. 7, 6-8 p.m.), S. Tucker Cooke Gallery/Owen Hall, UNCA, shawnwinebrennerdesign@gmail.com

7-Jan. 11 · *Asheville Through Brown Eyes* (opening reception Friday, Dec. 7, 5-8 p.m.), Thom Robinson and Ray Griffin Exhibition Space, Asheville Area Arts Council, AshevilleArts.com

8 · Holiday Makers Sale, Folk Art Center, Southern Highland Craft Guild, CraftGuild.org

8 · Second Saturday, River Arts District, RiverArtsDistrict.com

8 · Montford Tour of Homes, MontfordTour.com

8 · Holiday Market, Village Potters, Riverview Station, TheVillagePotters.com

8 · Flat Rock, *Holidays at the Movies*, Hendersonville Symphony Orchestra, Blue Ridge Community College Conference Center, HendersonvilleSymphony.org

8 · Hendersonville, Christmas at Historic Johnson Farm, HistoricJohnsonFarm.org

8 · Mills River, 4th Annual *Make It Don't Buy It* Holiday Skill Share, Living Web Farms, LivingWebFarms.org

8 · Waynesville, *A Night Before Christmas*, DowntownWaynesville.com

9 · *BRO Revels! 2018*, Diana Wortham Theatre, Blue Ridge Orchestra, BlueRidgeOrchestra.org

9 · Joe Jencks & Si Kahn Concert, Isis Music Hall, IsisAsheville.com

9 · Free Planet Radio (*Stillness*) Album Release, Congregation Beth HaTephila, FreePlanetRadio.com

9 · Cullowhee, Screening of *Don Quixote* from the Bolshoi Ballet, Bardo Arts Center Performance Hall, Arts.WCU.edu/calendar

9 · Hendersonville, Cookie Caper & Historic Inn Tour, Hendersonville Historic Preservation Commission, HendersonvilleHPC.org

9 · Waynesville, Old Fashioned Appalachian Christmas and Grand Illumination, Shelton House, SheltonHouse.org

10 · Black Mountain, Pictures with Santa, Monte Vista Hotel, MVHotel.com

12 · Southeastern New Grape Growers Extension Meeting, pleb urban winery, PlebUrbanWinery.com

12 · Holiday Bazaar and Artist Reception, Asheville Salt Cave, AshevilleSaltCave.com

13 · *Southern Women Authors Writing America Between the World Wars* (Elizabeth Madox Roberts), Wilma Dykeman Legacy, (lecture, Dec. 13; book club, Dec. 19), West Asheville Library, WilmaDykemanLegacy.org

13 · Italian Night with Mike Guggino and Barrett Smith, Isis Music Hall, IsisAsheville.com

13-15 · *The Nutcracker*, Ballet Conservatory of Asheville, Diana Wortham Theatre, DWTheatre.com

14 · Weaverville, 3rd Annual Jason Janow Jewelry Trunk Show and Holiday Party, Miya Gallery, 828.658.9655

14-15 · Dillsboro, Festival of Lights and Luminaries, MountainLovers.com

14-15 · Marshall, 12th Annual Holiday Sale and Pop-up Shop, Madison County Arts Council, 62 South Main Street, MadisonCountyArts.com

15 · Hendersonville, Craft Show, Henderson County Crafters Association, National Guard Armory, HendersonCountyCrafters.org

16 · *A Swannanoa Solstice*, Diana Wortham Theatre, DWTheatre.com

16 · *Yes, Virginia: The Musical*, Celebration Singers of Asheville Community Youth Chorus, First Congregational Church, SingAsheville.org

18-Jan. 1 · Hendersonville, Iceless Skating Rink, Visitors Center, 828.768.4413

19 · Black Mountain, *Deck The Trees* Awards Ceremony, Monte Vista Hotel, MVHotel.com

20 · The Reel Sisters, Isis Music Hall, IsisAsheville.com

28 · Dangermuffin and Fireside Collective, Isis Music Hall, IsisAsheville.com

29 · Jamie Laval's Celtic Christmas: *Music and Stories for the Deep Midwinter*, Asheville Community Theatre, AshevilleTheatre.org

29 · Chimney Rock, Winter Tree ID Hike, Chimney Rock State Park, ChimneyRockPark.com

31 · Cirque Musica presents *Crescendo* with the Asheville Symphony Orchestra, Thomas Wolfe Auditorium, Asheville Symphony Orchestra, AshevilleSymphony.org

31 · Book Launch, *#Chill: Turn Off Your Job and Turn On Your Life* (Bryan E. Robinson), Malaprop's Bookstore and Café, Malaprops.com

31 · Yarn with Josh Shilling and Friends, Isis Music Hall, IsisAsheville.com

31 · Hendersonville, New Year's Eve Apple Rise, Historic Courthouse, hcprd.com

JANUARY

8 · Observatories Program, Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Asheville, Sierra Club, SierraClub.org/North-Carolina/Wenoca

10 · Film (*Jacob Lawrence: The Glory of Expression*), Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center, BlackMountainCollege.org

31 · Author Rachael Sparks (*Resistant: A Novel*), Malaprop's Bookstore and Café, Malaprops.com