



## AFAS & RED DOG GALLERY MARCH NEWSLETTER

March 1, 2022

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# RED DOG GALLERY EXHIBIT



You still have time to celebrate the beauty of the natural world with Red Dog Gallery. For this group exhibit at The Red Dog Gallery we invited artists to submit pieces of art that embody the “Nature Calls” theme through flora or fauna. The results are truly exciting and in some cases surprising!

**The exhibit will run to March 26, 2022.**

We have a “Shop Red Dog Gallery” page on our website [www.theafasgroup.com](http://www.theafasgroup.com) where patrons can shop this exhibit anytime from anywhere. You can email or call the gallery manager if you are interested in purchasing a piece at 336-723-4444. We encourage you to share this option on your social media and with friends and family. Please help market your work through the entirety of the exhibit. Just a few of the spectacular submissions are shown below. Please plan to join us at the Red Dog Gallery to see more!



The Red Dog Gallery is open Tuesday - Friday 11 - 6, and Saturday 11 - 4



## Happening in March at the Unleashed Gallery!

SonCaribe Latin Dance Presents:

# LATIN DANCING AT AFAS Nights

WHEN: EVERY 2ND SATURDAY  
TIME: 7:00 PM - 11:00 PM  
WHERE: AFAS, 630N LIBERTY ST. WINSTON SALEM, NC  
COST: \$10.00 AT THE DOOR, \$8.00 IN ADVANCED  
Salsa, Bachata, Merengue, Kizomba, and more...

### Beginner Beading Class For ages 12 and above



Mixed Tila Bracelet  
Tuesday, March 8<sup>th</sup>  
and Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup>  
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Located at:  
Unleashed Arts Center  
(2<sup>nd</sup> floor above Red Dog Gallery)  
630 N Liberty St, Winston Salem, NC

Class and supplies \$35.00

Contact Tina Tonozzi to register:  
336 978 4738  
[tinatonozzi@gmail.com](mailto:tinatonozzi@gmail.com)

### Would you like to attend the Salsa Party above?

Don't know how to dance, and don't have time for weekly classes? Come to the SanCaribe Boot Camp on Wednesday nights, or on the night before (March 11) and learn to dance Salsa and Bachata in just 1 evening! This course is for beginners with limited Salsa or bachata experience.

When: Every Wednesday night and Friday March 11  
Cost: \$30 Per Person or \$50 per couple  
Location: AFAS Building, 630 N Liberty St, W S, NC 27101  
No Partner Required!

#### What to Bring:

Comfortable clothing - heels and dress shoes.  
Jeans are great. Water is available.

Reservation required. Register through link below:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfJeOnJMYHiX4pw7EHox-hGaPkSZ9KWLCpDUUddNpdVsjsPKw/viewform?usp=sf\\_link](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfJeOnJMYHiX4pw7EHox-hGaPkSZ9KWLCpDUUddNpdVsjsPKw/viewform?usp=sf_link)

### Saturday ArtJam in the Park is back!



Bring the family and let's explore the fun of doing art together.

This is a FREE event, and all supplies are included to help children (between the ages of 6 - 12) create their own individual masterpieces.

We have instructors who are experienced with helping kids tap into their creativity.

Come on out and join us for this fun & free experience...

You're sure to enjoy it!

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**New Show coming in April**

**Featured Artist:** Raman Bhardwaj

**Show Name:** Karmic Connections

**Description:** Based on the Hindu spiritual ideology of Karma and the belief of reincarnation, in the Karmic Connections series, Bhardwaj, in his expressionist style, explores the circle of life and past/present life influences and associations.

**Show Start Date:** 03-29-2022 **Show End Date:** 05-28-2022

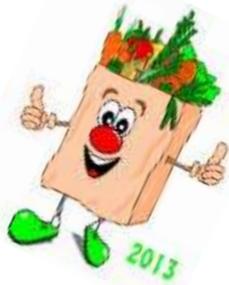
**Reception:** 04-01-2022 **Time:** (6-8 pm)



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## Please help us help others by contributing to the Food for Thought Pantry



### WS/FCS Food for Thought Pantry

#### Items most needed:

- Canned fruits & vegetables
- Pasta and pasta sauce
- Crackers Granola bars and cereal bars
- Rice
- Beans
- Non-frozen microwaveable meals
- Instant potatoes
- Soup
- Bottles of juice
- Cereal
- Kid's multivitamins
- Toiletries

Thank you for donating!



With over half of our 55,000 children qualifying for free and reduced lunch there is an enormous need in our community. Many children rely on school breakfasts and lunches each school day, but are still in need of food in the evening and on weekends. Providing children with these basic needs allows them to have a better chance at succeeding in school as well as leading healthier and happier lives. The recent pandemic has created even more challenges for families who are struggling with lost wages and homes. The need to feed children and families has never been greater. The Food for Thought Pantry is housed in the WSFCS Social Work Office downtown at City Market. It is supported through generous contributions from Mt. Tabor United Methodist Church and other local community partners and individuals. The pantry serves any one of our 55,000 students who may be experiencing food insecurity. Social workers receive referrals and assess the need before taking food to their home. We greatly appreciate the support that so many have provided to keep this pantry stocked and ready to help those in need. **No one should go hungry."**

Checks may be written to The Lynne H. Berry School Buddies Fund and can sent to:  
WS/FCS Social Work Dept. 601 N. Cherry St, Suite 300, Winston-Salem, NC 27101  
We have a container in the Red Dog Gallery for any canned or dry goods, vitamins, toiletries, etc. You can collect cash and write a check or bring us cash if you prefer. We will give you a receipt for any donations that you drop off with us.

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## March Calendar of Events

### **Salsa Boot Camp - Every Wednesday - Mar. 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 7pm – 10pm and also Friday March 11 7pm - 10pm**

Join us in the Unleashed Gallery on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the AFAS Center for the Arts to learn Salsa, Bachata, Merengue, Kizomba, and more.... Featuring DJ Cruz. Hosted by Luis. Admission \$30/Single or \$50/Couple.  
See more details on page 2

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### **First Friday - featuring *Nature Calls* - Friday Mar 4, 6pm – 8pm**

Red Dog Gallery - first floor of the AFAS Center for the Arts  
630 N Liberty St, Winston-Salem, NC  
Join us as we celebrate First Friday and the last month of this exciting show

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### **Saturday ArtJam in the Park - March 5 & 19 12:30 pm - 3:00 pm**

If the weather permits, it will be held in the Artivity Park, otherwise will be in the Unleashed Gallery. We know safety is a concern on everyone's minds so we will have a sanitation station set up and will have plenty of space for everyone to maintain social distancing while creating. Join us on the 5th & 19th, bring your family and let's explore the fun found in making art together as a community.....

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### **Beginner Bead Class - Tuesday Mar. 8 & Thursday Mar. 10 1pm – 3pm**

For ages 12 and above - In the Unleashed Gallery on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor of the AFAS Center for the Arts  
The class project is a lovely mixed tila bracelet.  
The class (including supplies) is \$35  
Contact Tina Tonozzi to register 336-978-4738 or email [ttonozzi@hotmail.com](mailto:ttonozzi@hotmail.com)

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### **SanCaribe Salsa Party Night - Saturday Mar. 12 7pm – 12pm**

Join us in the Unleashed Gallery on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the AFAS Center for the Arts for this celebration of Salsa dancing. Featuring DJ Cruz.  
Free cha-cha lesson at 7pm !  
Admission \$10.

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### **Winston-Salem Bead Society Meeting - Sunday Mar. 13 2pm – 4pm**

Winston-Salem Bead Society Meeting  
In the Unleashed Arts Center on the Second Floor of the AFAS Center for the Arts  
The annual cost of joining the Winston-Salem Bead Society is \$10.00 a year.  
There is a **venue fee of \$5.00 per person, per meeting.**  
We have beginner, intermediate and advance projects. Not all meetings will include a project. Some meetings will be demonstrations or discussions regarding beading.  
Please email Tina Tonozzi [[ttonozzi@hotmail.com](mailto:ttonozzi@hotmail.com)] so we can get a count of how many people will be attending. We need a count so we can have enough tables set-up and spaced accordingly.  
We meet to share information to those that want to learn to bead or already have the "bead bug".

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**Be sure to check the calendar on our website [www.theafasgroup.com](http://www.theafasgroup.com) for additional events that might be announced during the month**

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## March Holidays (abridged)

National Women's History Month  
Irish American Heritage Month  
National Craft Month

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| 1 Shrove Tuesday - Western Christian   | 21 International Day of Nowruz       |
| 2 National Read Across America Day     | World Poetry Day                     |
| Ash Wednesday - Western Christian      | World Down Syndrome Day              |
| 3 World Wildlife Day                   | International Day of Forests         |
| 4 National Grammar Day                 | 22 World Water Day                   |
| National Employee Appreciation Day     | American Diabetes Association Day    |
| 6 National Dentist's Day               | 23 World Meteorology Day             |
| 7 Clean Monday - Eastern Christian     | National Puppy Day                   |
| National Cereal Day                    | 24 World Tuberculosis Day            |
| National Be Heard Day                  | 25 Tolkien Reading Day               |
| 8 International Women's Day            | International Waffle Day             |
| National Proofreading Day              | 26 National Spinach Day              |
| 10 National Pack Your Lunch Day        | Purple Day                           |
| Popcorn Lovers Day                     | Earth Hour Day                       |
| 11 World Plumbing Day                  | 30 Doctor's Day                      |
| National Worship of Tools Day          | National take a walk in the park day |
| 12 National Girl Scout Day             | 31 Transgender Day of Visibility     |
| 13 <b>Daylight Savings time begins</b> | Cesar Chavez Day                     |
| 14 Potato Chip Day                     | World Backup Day                     |
| Pi Day                                 |                                      |
| National Napping Day                   |                                      |
| 15 World Contact Day                   |                                      |
| World Consumer Rights Day              |                                      |
| 16 National Freedom of Information Day |                                      |
| 17 <b>St. Patrick's Day</b>            |                                      |
| Purim – Jewish                         |                                      |
| 18 Holi – Hindu                        |                                      |
| Awkward Moments Day                    |                                      |
| 19 Hola Mohalla - Sikh                 |                                      |
| National Let's Laugh Day               |                                      |
| 20 International Day of Happiness      |                                      |
| French Language Day                    |                                      |
| Spring Equinox                         |                                      |
| World Storytelling Day                 |                                      |
| World Oral Health Day                  |                                      |
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## **DONATIONS / CONTACT**

If you would like to donate to AFAS and / or The Red Dog Gallery you can do so via our website [www.theafasgroup.com](http://www.theafasgroup.com) (via PayPal), regular mail (sent to the Red Dog Gallery address), or in person at the Red Dog Gallery. Please visit our website for more details and to see what your generous donation helps provide our community

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