



## AFAS & RED DOG GALLERY MARCH NEWSLETTER

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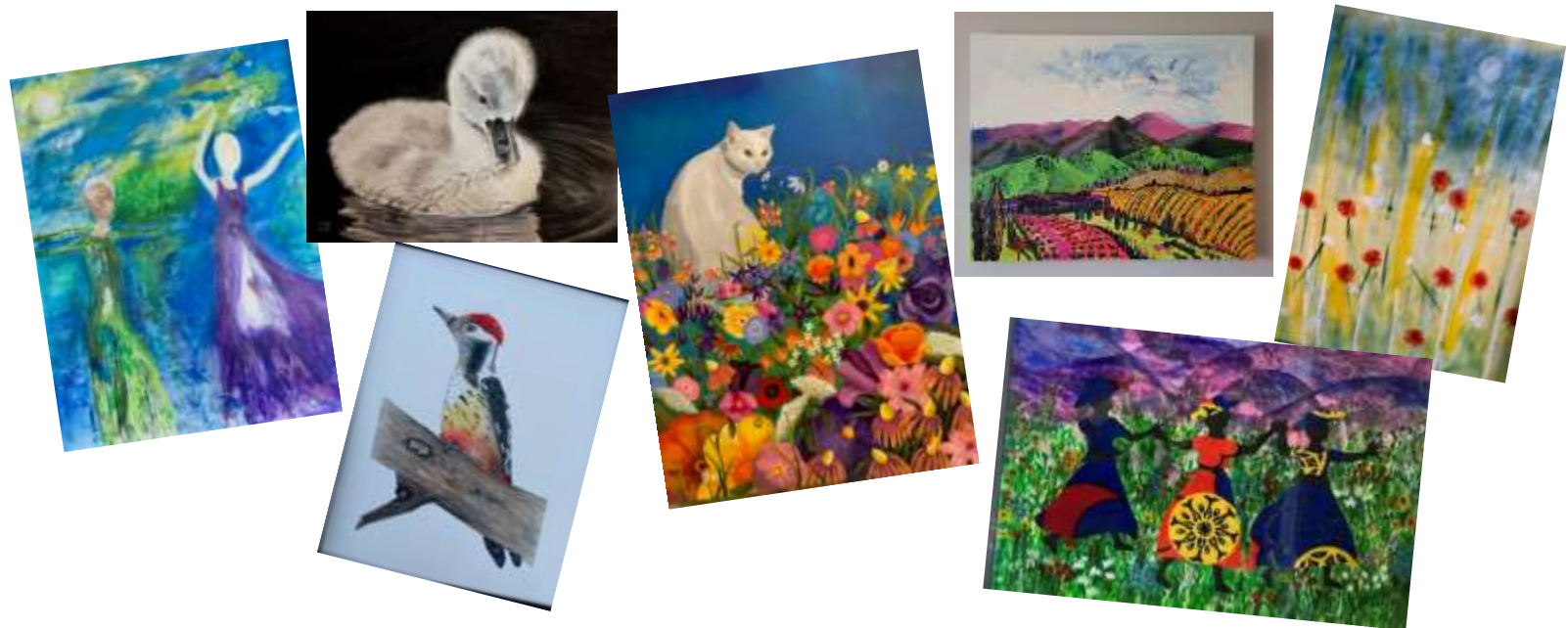
### RED DOG GALLERY EXHIBIT



We invited member artists to show us what the HeART of Spring is to them! From the return of warm weather to the joys of new growth. They showed their love of Spring through art!

For this group exhibit at The Red Dog Gallery we invited artists to submit up to 3 pieces of art that represent "The HeART of Spring". We did not place a dollar limit on pricing for this show, but encouraged the artists to consider smaller pieces of art with an affordable price for our patrons as well as what the art community can bring in this area.

This Show will be running until March 25th, so you still have time to come by and see it. Be sure to come by for First Friday on 03-03-2023 from 6-8 pm to meet some of the participating artists, too!



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

# THEN NOW

This is a call for all AFAS artists to submit your latest work for “**Then & Now**” a juried exhibit at Red Dog Gallery. For our upcoming Red Dog Gallery group show called “**Then & Now**” we invite artists to submit up to four pieces, two older works & two newer works. We want to see how far you have come with your work as an artist! Show us how your skill, style & subject has changed & grown over time! Show us the artist you were THEN & the artist you are NOW!

For this group exhibit at The Red Dog Gallery we invite artists to submit up to **4** pieces of art that represent “**Then & Now**”. We are not placing a dollar limit on pricing for this show, but we are encouraging you to consider smaller pieces of art with an affordable price for our patrons as well as what the art community can bring in this area.

We are looking for two and three-dimensional art in all mediums and sizes. This includes, but not limited to, paintings, photography, pottery, jewelry, sculptures, etc. We would love to see lots of different mediums represented.

The reception for the “**Then & Now**” exhibit will be held on Friday, April 7, 2023 from 6 to 8 pm. The exhibit will run March 27, 2023 to May 27, 2023. We encourage all AFAS artists to invite your friends and family to the event, as well as list the event on your Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and website pages. We also have a “Shop Red Dog Gallery” page where patrons can shop the exhibit anytime from anywhere. They can email or call the gallery manager if interested in purchasing a piece. We encourage you to share this option on your social media and with friends and family.

Please go to [www.theafasgroup.com](http://www.theafasgroup.com) website, click "Red Dog Gallery", and select "Submissions". Click on "Click here to Submit Your Exhibit Entry to Red Dog Gallery" in the "Then & Now" exhibit area to enter your submission, then step through the instructions on the screens. All your entries must be submitted at the same time.

## **READ CAREFULLY WHAT EXHIBITION READY IS REQUIRED AT OUR GALLERY!**

**Entry Deadline:** Saturday, March 18, 2023 at midnight.

**Art Drop-Off:** Friday, March 24 (11 am to 6 pm); Saturday, March 25

If you have any questions, please submit an on-line question to the Red Dog Curators team by using the "Questions?" link on the top of the Submissions page on the website. We look forward to receiving your entry and will see you at the Red Dog!

Red Dog Curators Team

## **Our Fine Craft & Gift Area**

Check out the offerings in our Fine Craft & Gift Area inside the Red Dog Gallery. This is a great place to shop for that special gift. We offer a number of selections, within a range of prices, to fit every artistic taste and budget.

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## CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

### **Salsa Class - Wed & Thur - March 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23 6:30pm – 9:30pm**

Salsa classes are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the AFAS Center for the Arts in the Unleashed Gallery.

Every Wednesday & Thursday evening from 6:30 - 9:30 pm. Hosted by Luis.

The cost for the above class works out at \$12.50 per session if booked monthly (\$50 for the month), or \$15 per session if you prefer to pay weekly

Stay tuned for more details

### **First Friday - March 3, 6pm – 8pm featuring “The HeART of Spring”**

Red Dog Gallery - first floor of the AFAS Center for the Arts

630 N Liberty St, Winston-Salem, NC

The Red Dog Gallery will be extending it's normal business hours until 8:00 pm

### **SonCaribe Latin Dancing Nights - Saturday March 11 & March 18 7pm – 1am**

Join us on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the AFAS Center for the Arts in the Unleashed Gallery for our monthly Latin dance social. A salsa lesson will be given from 7-8:00 PM. Social dancing will be from 8-1:00am, featuring a variety of rhythms (Salsa, Bachata, Merengue, Kizomba etc.).

We'll be observing Covid guidelines. Hand sanitizer will be available.

Please join us for Kizomba, Salsa, Bachata, Merengue, and more...

Admission \$10.

**Saturday ArtJam is on hiatus until Spring. Hoping to be back in full swing in April!**

## 2023 Karma Salon and Gallery Show

Clifton Taylor is a painter and internationally recognized theatrical scenic and lighting designer, author and teacher. He is interested in the subjects of color and light and his painting work reflects that passion. Most often working in either oil or watercolor, his work is often done *en Plein Air*. His work can also be seen on Instagram [@clifton.taylor.art](https://www.instagram.com/clifton.taylor.art). His designs for the theater can be seen at [www.designcurve.com](http://www.designcurve.com) and on Instagram at [@clifton.taylor.design](https://www.instagram.com/clifton.taylor.design). Mr. Taylor is a professor of Lighting Design at [UNCSA](http://www.uncsa.edu). He is also the co-founder of the [Studio School of Design](http://www.studioschoolofdesign.com), a not-for-profit institution dedicated to increasing access to and equity within the field of design to all people.

The Gallery will be showing Clifton Taylor's work through August 2023 in three different 2 month exhibitions. This first exhibition is centered around his plein air oil landscape work.

To learn more about this exciting exhibit of Clifton Taylor's work, please go online to:

<https://clifontaylor.com/2023-karma-salon-and-gallery-show/>

The Karma Salon and Gallery is located at 206 West 6th Street (at Trade Street), Winston-Salem, NC 27101.

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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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## **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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