



Eastern Regional Exhibition Opening Weekend Schedule of Events • October 11 - 13, 2024

Friday, October 11, 2024

5:00 – 8:00 pm • Gallery Opening and Awards Presentation

Location: Centerpiece Gallery, 7400 Six Forks Road, Ste 19, Raleigh, NC

Join us to celebrate the beautiful artwork selected for this year's Eastern Regional Exhibition. This show features exceptionally talented artists from North America. Elizabeth Pollie OPA, the Juror of Awards, will announce the winners at approximately 6:30 pm.



Saturday, October 12, 2024

9:30 - 12:00 pm • Elizabeth Pollie OPA Painting Demo

Location: Centerpiece Gallery

Elizabeth Pollie's work has been celebrated in the art world, earning numerous awards and media coverage. Her art is featured in collections across the country, and she excels at finding the extraordinary in everyday life. Elizabeth has been passionate about art since childhood, and she earned her BFA from The College for Creative Studies, where she later taught. She finds "significant wonder" through light, shadow, color, design, and quiet contemplation in her creative process. Elizabeth holds Signature Memberships in Oil Painters of America, American Impressionist Society, and the Society of Animal Artists as well as being an American Women Artists Master Signature Member.



12:00 - 1:15 pm • Lunch at Vivo Ristorante

Location: 7400 Six Forks Rd, Raleigh, NC

Cost: Guests will order off the menu. A 20% gratuity will be added, and separate checks will be issued.

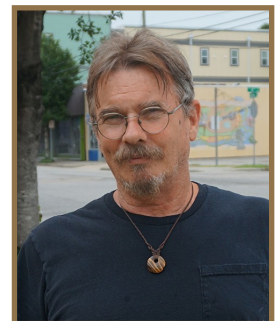
Vivo Ristorante is just around the corner from The Centerpiece Gallery and features salads, sandwiches, pizzas and traditional Italian entrees. Artists are allowed order off the menu. Separate checks will be issued with a 20% gratuity added. See the menu here: <https://vivoraleigh.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/Vivo-Ristorante-Lunch-Menu.pdf>



1:30 - 4:00 pm Dan Beck OPA Painting Demo

Location: Centerpiece Gallery

Dan Beck is a highly acclaimed artist who has been prominently featured in numerous art publications. His artworks have been showcased in successful solo and group exhibitions in galleries nationwide and have garnered considerable attention from private and corporate collectors both within the United States and internationally, including Canada, Japan, and the Middle East. Notably, his work is part of the permanent collection of the Littleton Historical Museum, and he has exhibited with the Phippen Museum in Prescott, Arizona. As an impressionist painter, Beck is particularly focused on exploring visual elements such as line, shape, value, edge, texture, and color, prioritizing expressive qualities over precise representation. Influenced by both French and American Impressionists, Beck embraces the potential for enigma and the role of intuition in the creation of his paintings.



Sunday, October 13, 2024

10:00 am - Noon • Visit North Carolina Museum of Art

Location: 2110 Blue Ridge Road, Raleigh, NC 27607

The [North Carolina Museum of Art](#) showcases over 5,000 years of art, from antiquity to the present, and aims to create a welcoming environment through the People's Collection and a 164-acre Park. The Museum Park features site-specific works of art and programming that highlight the connection between art and nature. Admission to both the museum and the park is free. ncartmuseum.org

Registration Information

Each individual must register for the event(s) they're planning to attend. [CLICK HERE](#) to register or go to: <https://www.oilpaintersofamerica.com/2024-eastern-regional-exhibition-registration/>. If you have questions about the events, please contact us at registration@oilpaintersofamerica.com.

Travel Information

Airport: The closest airport is Raleigh-Durham Airport (RDU)

Transportation: Taxis, ridesharing, and car rentals are available at the RDU terminals. If renting a car, a reservation is recommended. RDU is a quick 20-minute drive to The Centerpiece Gallery.

Hotel: A complimentary room block has been made at the Fairfield Inn & Suites. A discounted rate is offered if you mention Oil Painters of America when making a reservation. **Last Day to Book is Sunday, September 15.**

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott Raleigh Crabtree Valley
2201 Summit Park Lane
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[CLICK HERE](#) to make a reservation and receive the discounted rate

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