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On the front cover: A Wahl-Coates
student practices violin in music class.
Photograph by Joshua Vaughan



THANK YOU!

We have had a great response to our inaugural issue of ARTZINE, and we thank our sponsors Ms. Harvey Wooten and the Daily Reflector for making this “mini” magazine happen. Our goal with this publication is that we can give our community a snapshot of all that Pitt County has to offer, and we have a lot of talent to show off.

Each issue we hope to highlight organizations and events around our community, and inform you about cultural happenings you can attend. The arts not only impact our economy in a big way, they also make our communities “cool” places to live. And the arts in Pitt County are doing that thanks to a lot of hard working arts organizations, artists, and patrons. Yes, you. We thank you for supporting our local arts community. Whether it is attending a concert, festival, gallery, museum, class, or simply gazing at a piece of public art, you are helping!

Continue to support the arts. Remember to check out our Cultural Arts Calendar at pittcountyarts.org/events and make room in your busy schedule to slow down and see, listen, and move to all that the arts has to offer.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Holly M. Garriott'.

Holly M. Garriott
Executive Director
Pitt County Arts Council

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An alphabetical
listing of Arts
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in Pitt County

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Ayden Arts & Recreation

[ayden.com/departments/
arts-recreation](http://ayden.com/departments/arts-recreation)

City Art Gallery

cityartgreenville.com

East Carolina ArtSpace

[facebook.com/East-Carolina-
ArtSpace-119799115390720](https://facebook.com/East-Carolina-ArtSpace-119799115390720)

Eastern Youth Orchestra

easternyouthorchestras.org

ECU Arts

[ecu.edu/cs-admin/tickets/
index.cfm](http://ecu.edu/cs-admin/tickets/index.cfm)

ECU GlasStation

[ecu.edu/cs-cfac/soad/
GlasStation.cfm](http://ecu.edu/cs-cfac/soad/GlasStation.cfm)

ECU Joyner Library's Faulkner Gallery

[media.lib.ecu.edu/
development/faulkner-
gallery.cfm](http://media.lib.ecu.edu/development/faulkner-gallery.cfm)

Emerald City Band

emeraldcityband.com

Emerge Gallery & Art Center

emergegallery.com

Farmers and Makers Market

farmersandmakersmarket.com

Farmville Community Arts Council

[farmville-nc.com/quality
oflife_artsCouncil.htm](http://farmville-nc.com/qualityoflife_artsCouncil.htm)

Faux and More...

Lisa Jordan

bylisajordan.com/

Folk Arts

Society of Greenville

fasgnc.org/FASG/Home.html

Gianino Fine

Studio Furniture

[http://gianino.business
catalyst.com/home.html](http://gianino.businesscatalyst.com/home.html)

Greenville Brushstrokes

greenvillebrushstrokes.com

Greenville Choral Society

greenvillechoralsociety.com

Greenville Civic Ballet

greenvillecivicc Ballet.com

Greenville Museum of Art

gmoa.org

Hobby Horse

jonathanbowling.com/

Jaycee Park Arts and Crafts Center

[greenvillenc.gov/play/
center-for-arts-crafts-at-jay](http://greenvillenc.gov/play/center-for-arts-crafts-at-jay)

Katura Dance

katuradance.com

Magnolia Arts Center

magnoliaartscenter.com

Music Academy of Eastern North Carolina

musicacademyec.org

Music House

[visitgreenvillenc.com/visit/
the-music-house](http://visitgreenvillenc.com/visit/the-music-house)

NC Academy of Dance Arts

danceacademyofnc.com

North Carolina Furniture School

ncfurnitureschool.com

Opus 126 - St. Paul's Episcopal Church

opus126.com

Pitt Community College Symphony

[pittcc.edu/continuing-
education/pcc_symphony
_orchestra/](http://pittcc.edu/continuing-education/pcc_symphony_orchestra/)

Pitt Community College Fine Arts Gallery

pittcc.edu

Pitt County Schools Arts Education

pitt.k12.nc.us/Page/1446

R. A. Fountain General Store

rafountain.com

Spazz Presents

[facebook.com/
spazzpresents](https://facebook.com/spazzpresents)

Smiles and Frowns Playhouse

smilesandfrowns.org

Uptown Art Supply

uptownart.net

Uptown Greenville

uptowngreenville.com

Whirligig Stage

whirligigstage.com

Winterville Historical and Arts Society

[facebook.com/Winterville
HistoricalAndArtsSocietyInc/](https://facebook.com/WintervilleHistoricalAndArtsSocietyInc/)

Wonderbox Gallery

lindaadelegoodine.com

Wright School of Music

wrightmusicschool.com



Countywide Arts Calendar

pittcountyarts.org



Presenting 75 major events.

Join us! Select spring highlights include:

Junie B. Jones. A musical mashup of five books from author Barbara Park. 3/16 FAMILY FARE

Golden Dragon Acrobats, the internationally-acclaimed purveyors of superhuman physicality and spellbinding beauty. Family friendly. 3/18 SRAPAS

Dance 2018. An evening of dance that's as diverse as it is entertaining. 3/22-27 PLAYHOUSE

Four Seasons Chamber Music Festival: Thrilling Season Finale, with works by Bruckner, Mendelssohn and Dvořák. 4/5-6 FOUR SEASONS

Poulenc's opera *Dialogue of the Carmelites.* Faith, family and the French Revolution. 4/6-7 OPERA THEATER

Broadway Backstage! What if Belle married Gaston? It happened in real life! Hear backstage banter from six decorated Broadway stars. 4/6-7 SRAPAS

ECU Symphony Orchestra. World premiere of Matthew Ricketts' concerto for piano and orchestra, a NC NewMusic Initiative commission. 4/14 NEWMUSIC

William Shakespeare's *A Midsummer Night's Dream.* Lovers, fairies and "rude mechanicals" meet in the forest on a midsummer's eve. 4/19-24 PLAYHOUSE

Billy Taylor Jazz Festival Gala Concert, with special guests Vanessa Rubin, Allyn Johnson. 4/21 MUSIC

Visit artscomm.ecu.edu

Background image: Glass ornaments crafted by Mike Tracy. Make your own glass art in ECU's GlasStation as a continuing education student.

Individuals requesting accommodation under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) should contact the Department for Disability Support Services at least 48 hours prior to the event at 252-737-1016 (voice/TTY).

Arts Smart

Billy Taylor Jazz Festival

Burroughs Wellcome
Gallery

ECU Chamber Singers

ECU Guitar Ensemble

ECU/Loessin Playhouse

ECU Percussion Ensemble

ECU Symphony Orchestra

ECU Opera Theater

Erwin Gallery

Family Fare

Four Seasons Chamber
Music Festival

The GlasStation

Greenville Community
Youth Arts Festival

NC NewMusic Initiative

S. Rudolph Alexander
Performing Arts Series

Student, guest and
faculty recitals

Wellington B. Gray Gallery





NC FURNITURE SCHOOL

Located in the heart of downtown Ayden, the North Carolina Furniture School (NCFS) is the state's only craft school dedicated to all things woodworking.

They welcome people of all skill levels from absolute beginners to advanced hobbyists and professionals. Classes at the school are conducted as intensive workshops ranging from 1 – 3 days. NCFS offers Weekend Workshops in the studio twice each month, as well as Weekday Workshops 1–2 times monthly, or by special appointment for private groups. In addition to classes, NCFS is proud to be Eastern North Carolina's only purveyor of premium hardwoods and fine woodworking and woodturning equipment.

They are also proud to announce the North Carolina Furniture School Mobile Classroom. This exciting innovation allows them to bring personalized woodturning and woodworking instruction to your home, church, civic event, or business. The Mobile Classroom has 8 fully equipped lathe stations, a full size bandsaw, tablesaw, planer, and joinery

equipment. The Mobile Classroom is generator-powered, so they can bring it anywhere! Classes in the Mobile Woodturning Classroom are conducted in one of two ways: 1– 3 hour classes held monthly at a sponsoring location; or pre-arrange full day intensive courses.

Classes at the shop in Ayden and the Mobile Classroom are open to adults and children over 12, with an adult chaperone. Tools, equipment, and materials are provided for all of the classes. NCFS also provides healthy lunches and refreshments for all full day intensive courses at the main shop.

For more information, call or email: 252.916.8226 or info@ncfurnitureschool.com

Information, schedules, tickets and registration are available online at ncfurnitureschool.com



(Top: Stuart Kent at the NC Furniture School. Photograph by Charles Harris.
Bottom: A student sands a surface. Right: Woodcarving in progress.)



Wahl-Coates School of the Arts

Beautifully situated adjacent to Green Springs Park and the City Greenway, and less than a mile from East Carolina University's main campus, Wahl-Coates Elementary School of the Arts embraces its desirable setting to engage students in multiple learning environments.

Here, students are provided numerous opportunities to access ECU's extensive resources through field trips and visits from local and regional guest artists and teachers. The combination of its strong teaching staff and its ideal location enables Wahl-Coates to provide a unique arts education environment, immersing students in creative thinking while learning science, math, technology, reading, and social studies.

The energy and enthusiasm are contagious in this arts-rich learning environment. On a daily basis throughout their K-5 years, students are engaged in the creative processes of composition, risk taking, mistake making, problem solving, imagination, innovation, and improvisation.

Through classes in theatre, orchestra, chorus, music, 2D and 3D visual arts, and creative movement/physical education, students are engaged in ensemble work that fosters individual and group responsibility, communication skills, self confidence while establishing a strong work ethic.

In any career path students may follow, those who can imagine, innovate, and make connections across concepts, disciplines and cultures, will have the competitive edge in the future workforce. A strong K-5 educational foundation begins at Wahl-Coates Elementary School of the Arts.

Please visit the official website www.pitt.k12.nc.us/wahlcoates for enrollment and additional information.



(Top, Mid, Bottom & Right) A mad tea party with the cast of Alice in Wonderland, Art class is in session, the music class tunes in on the violin, two students practice reading music.

Photography by Joshua Vaughan



(L to R) PirateFest, Community Youth Arts Festival, and the Dogwood Festival



Spring Into Festivals

Springtime in Pitt County brings warmer weather, flowers, and... Spring Festivals!

Go ahead and mark off nearly every weekend in April as festival time for the entire family. Each festival brings music, arts and crafts, and a unique flavor of the community to attendees. PirateFest sets sail on Friday, April 13th with a Brew & Cue night starting at 5PM, including local breweries and barbeque establishments in addition to a carnival, concert, and other food vendors. Plan to come back on Saturday, April 14th from 10am-7pm for a full day of arts vendors, music performers, food vendors, and of course — pirates!

The next weekend head out to Grifton for the town's annual Shad Festival. This is the 48th Annual Festival and is the oldest festival in Pitt County. Events include a street dance, arts and craft show, parades, rides, and lots and lots of fish plates.

Come on back to Greenville on Sunday, April 22nd from 10am-4pm for the Community Youth Arts Festival. This festival has been held on ECU's campus for the last 14 years, but this year it will be held at the Town Common to accommodate the growing community.

There will be art demonstrations, activities, and performances throughout the day. This year there will be added food vendors, and also performances by youth from our community. Auditions will be held earlier, so any interested youth please go to www.emergegallery.com.

The last weekend of April is the Farmville Dogwood Festival located on the Town Commons in Farmville. The center of the commons will feature the arts and crafts pavilion, and we are all looking forward to the rich talents of this budding arts community on display and for sale. They have music and amusements throughout each day and also a Kids Cool Fest tent where kids can create arts and crafts.

SPRING FESTIVALS CALENDAR

April 13-14:
PirateFest,
Uptown Greenville

April 18-22:
Grifton Shad Festival,
Grifton

April 22:
Community Youth Arts
Festival at Town Common,
Greenville

April 27-29:
Dogwood Festival,
Farmville



Emerge Adult Classes

There is so much data supporting that the arts help enrich the brains of our children.

However, this is still true for the adult brain. Not only do the arts help with problem solving and memory, but they can actually help us become healthier by reducing stress.

Emerge Gallery & Art Center has a full schedule of adult daytime and evening classes that meet once a week for six weeks. This is a great way to try your hand at something new or pick back up something you have tried in the past. Group classes in ceramics include pottery on the wheel and handbuilding with clay. Metalsmithing instructors teach basic jewelry making and small sculpture, including skills such as soldering and enameling. There are also drawing and painting courses that allow students to work with the materials of their choice.

Art classes are a great way to meet new people, learn a new skill, or have a few hours each week doing something just for you. Emerge has even had some students start their own businesses or go back to school to get their degree in the art!

Besides Emerge Gallery, Pitt County offers visual arts classes through Jaycee Park's Arts & Crafts Center and also ECU and PCC's continued education courses. For a full listing of courses visit www.emergegallery.com or email info@pittcountyarts.org for more information about countywide classes.



(L) Firing up a metals demo.
(R: Top, Mid, Bottom) A painting in progress, Throwing clay on the wheel, textures applied in metals.

PITT COUNTY ARTS COUNCIL AT EMERGE

MEMBERSHIPS

Become a part of the Pitt County Arts Council at Emerge and help support this non-profit art center. Members are an active part of Emerge and benefits are growing everyday.
Memberships are renewed yearly.

I would like to sign up for the following:
(Please check the membership of your choice)

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PCC & ECU only | (\$25) |
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Student/Senior \$25

Benefits for ECU and PCC students with valid ID and Seniors 65 years and older include monthly mailings, discounts on classes and workshops for the individual, seasonal newsletter, invitation to annual meeting, the chance to register first for Jolly Trolley Polar Express and free admission to select special events.

Individual \$40

Benefits include monthly mailings, discounts on classes and workshops for the individual, seasonal newsletter, invitation to annual meeting, the chance to register first for Jolly Trolley Polar Express and free admission to select special events.

Family \$65

Benefits include monthly mailings, discounts on classes and workshops for the entire family, seasonal newsletter, invitation to annual meeting, the chance to register first for Jolly Trolley Polar Express and free admission to select special events.

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Patron \$500

Benefits include monthly mailings, seasonal newsletter, 10% off in sales gallery, class discounts, invitation to annual meeting, one free 2 hour rental of the gallery, the chance to register first for Jolly Trolley Polar Express and expanded free admission to select special events.

Benefactor \$1,000

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10 weeks to choose from!

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Camp Times:

Half Day Camp - Morning (9am-12pm) & Afternoon (1pm-4pm)

Full Day Camp: Both Morning & Afternoon Camps (9am-4pm)

Lunch Bunch Options available for half day campers

Pricing starts at \$85 a week.

We offer 3 age groups:

Mini Masters (ages 3-5)

Emerging Artists (Grades K-5)

Advanced Youth (Grades 6 & up)

Check Out:

Children, Adult
Classes, &
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KIDS WITH CULTURE



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Spring Break Art Camp
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