

This exhibition offers viewers an opportunity to explore a singular and still vigorous aspect of American photorealism. Gallery open daily, 11am, closed on Tuesday. Exhibition through Feb. 5, 2024.

Asheville Art Museum, 2 S Pack Square

Romare Bearden: Ways of Working

This exhibition highlights works on paper and explores many of Romare Bearden's most frequently used mediums including screen-printing, lithography, hand colored etching, collagraph, monotype, relief print, photomontage, and collage. Gallery open daily, 11am, closed Tuesday. Exhibition through Jan. 22, 2024. Asheville Art Museum, 2 S Pack Square

Vessels of Merriment

This invitational exhibition will feature handcrafted drinking vessels by 15 studio potters from around the country. Viewers will have the opportunity to browse ceramic mugs, goblets, whiskey cups, wine cups, tumblers and more. Gallery open Monday through Sunday, 10am. Exhibition through Dec. 31. Grovewood Gallery, 111 Grovewood Rd

Spark of the Eagle Dancer: The Collecting Legacy of Lambert Wilson

This exhibition celebrates the legacy of Lambert Wilson, a passionate collector of contemporary Native American art. Gallery open Tuesday through Friday, 10am. Exhibition through June 28, 2024 WCU Bardo Arts Center, 199 Centennial Dr, Cullowhee

COMMUNITY MUSIC

Asheville FM Live Music Sessions: Thomas Kozak & The Poets

This month features Thomas Kozak, a locally-based singer-songwriter known for his poetic lyricism and captivating guitar mastery.

WE (12/20), 9pm, FR (12/22, 29), SA (12/23, 30), 7:30pm, The Getaway River Bar, 790 Riverside Dr

Chloe & Leah of Rising Appalachia

An intimate candlelit evening concert of unreleased new songs, a global song and expressive singing master class.

WE (12/20), noon and 7pm, AyurPrana Listening Room, 312 Haywood Rd

The Songwriter Sessions w/Elaine Anderson, Jon Charles Dwyer & Charlie Wilkinson

An evening of original songs in a natural acoustic listening room. This week features Elaine Anderson, Jon Charles Dwyer and Charlie Wilkinson.

WE (12/20), 7pm, The Brandy Bar, 504 7th Ave E, Hendersonville

December Live Series: Laura Boswell

Boswell, on guitar, will be playing intimate folk music with classical influence that has been described as meditative, transcendental.

TH (12/21), 6pm, FR (12/22), noon, Asheville Art Museum, 2 S Pack Square

Ritual of Senses Winter: Winter Solstice Celebration w/Meg Mulhearn

A record release party with Meg Mulhearn that features Elisa Faires, Farewell Phoenix and DJ set from NHN.

TH (12/21), 7pm, Eulogy, 10 Buxton Ave

Travelling Pilsburys Holiday Special

Five local Asheville singer and songwriters, get together for an evening of brilliant vocal harmonies and beautiful songwriting.

TH (12/21), 7:30pm, Asheville Guitar Bar, 122 Riverside Dr

Candlelight Holiday Special: The Nutcracker & More

A live, multi-sensory musical experience to awe-inspiring locations. Discover the music of *The Nutcracker* and more under the gentle glow of candlelight.

TH (12/21), 8:45pm, AyurPrana Listening Room, 312 Haywood Rd

Vienna Light Orchestra

A collection of holiday favorites performed by world-class musicians and vocalists from around the world. With over two thousand flickering candles illuminating performers and surrounded by sparkling Christmas trees.

FR (12/22), 4pm, Asheville Masonic Temple, 80 Broadway St

Candlelight: Holiday Pop Classics & Modern Favorites

Discover the music of holiday pop classics and modern favorites under the gentle glow of candlelight.

FR (12/22), 6:30pm and 8:45pm, AyurPrana Listening Room, 312 Haywood Rd

Queen Bee & The Honeylovers Holiday Concert

Hear your favorite holiday standards as well as Asheville-themed originals in *Hot Club* swing style with a string quintet and tight vocal harmonies.

FR (12/22), 8pm, LEAF Global Arts, 19 Eagle St

Holiday Caroling

A gathering neighborhood friends and family for an afternoon of caroling. There will be at least one musician on hand and songbooks for those who want to

sing along. **SA (12/23), 3pm, Barn Door Ciderworks, 23 Lytle Rd, Fletcher**

Classical Guitar Holiday Show: Andy Jurik, Rachel Hansbury & Jake Mossman

Classical guitar compositions by Andy Jurik accompanied by the vocals of Rachel Hansbury singing Edith Pilaf with holiday classics and Flamenco by Jake Mossman. **SA (12/23), 6pm, Asheville Guitar Bar, 122 Riverside Dr**

Open Folk

A songwriters showcase where the audience is required to stay silent while six songwriters play three original songs each. Donations are accepted. **TU (12/26), 7pm, Funkatorium, 147 Coxe Ave**

Adama Dembele, Chinobay & Friends

An evening of African-themed music featuring two talented masters of their craft, Adama Dembele of Ivory Coast and Chinobay of Uganda. **TH (12/28), 7:30pm, White Horse Black Mountain, 105C Montreat Rd, Black Mountain**

Billy Jonas Band: Pre-New Year's Eve Family Concert

A performance for adults, families, school groups, faith communities that entertains and moves people literally and figuratively. **SU (12/31), 1pm, The Grey Eagle, 185 Clingman Ave**

Reuter Center Singers

Seasoned seniors that study and perform classical, popular, show tunes and other favorites. Membership fees apply. **MO (1/1), TU (1/2), 6:15pm, UNC Asheville Reuter Center, 1 University Heights**

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