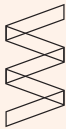




LJ Eidolon, *Boardwalk in Bloom*, 2023. Digital, 18 x 24 in. Courtesy of the artist


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OCTOBER 20-22, 2023

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Friday, October 20 | 9 AM–4 PM  
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On the Virginia Beach  
Boardwalk from  
24<sup>th</sup> to 35<sup>th</sup> Street

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Saturday 10:00 AM–4:00 PM  
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Virginia MOCA is a fine example of a museum that has had an extraordinary impact on the Hampton Roads community. Director & CEO Gary Ryan and her team have done a wonderful job of keeping the museum’s doors open through these uncertain times. Please know that the proceeds from the Boardwalk Art Show help Virginia MOCA continue to bring our region exciting programs, exhibits, and events, as well as deliver first-class educational programs to children and adults.

It is a treat to get to see everyone again as we gather for the 67th Boardwalk Art Show—a Virginia Beach tradition. Congratulations, and thank you to all the staff and volunteers who have worked tirelessly to produce this event. Please enjoy the fine art, great food, and live entertainment!

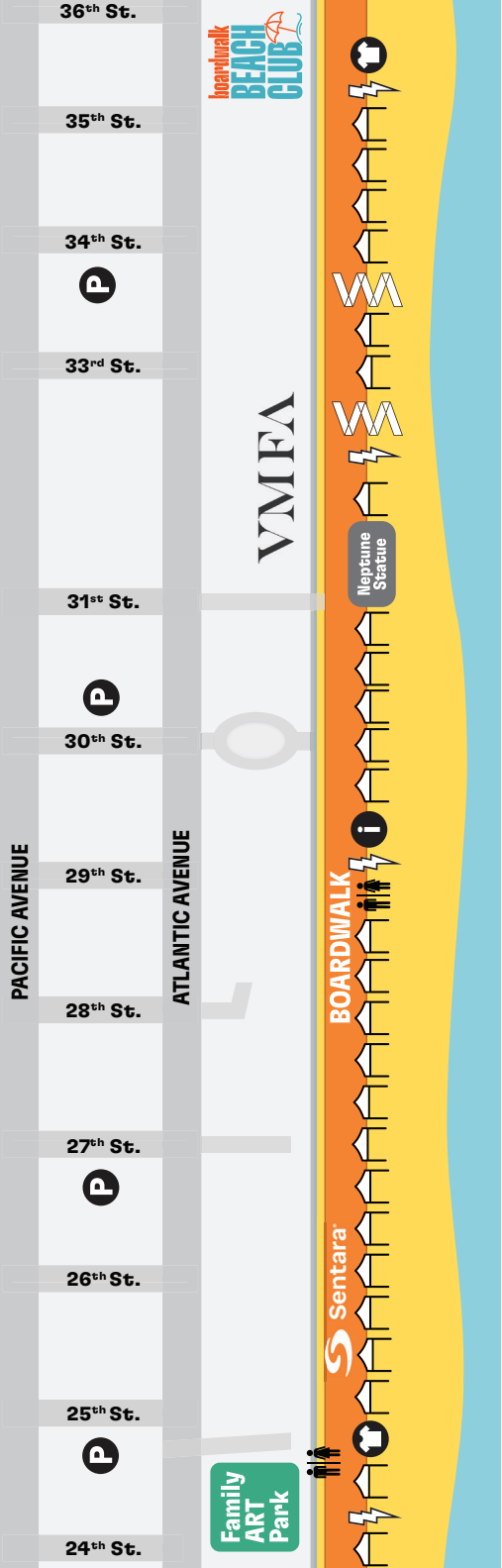
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VIRGINIA MOCA

# boardwalk art show

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## event map

- Artist Tents
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ViBe Creative District  
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Booths 2409, 2912, 3212, 3512

### Boardwalk Art Show 2023 STUDENT BOOTHS

Norfolk State University  
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Old Dominion University  
Located on 25th Street

# ARTIST LISTINGS

Find your favorite artists' locations on the boardwalk—beginning at 24<sup>th</sup> Street (Booth 2411) and ending at 35<sup>th</sup> Street (Booth 3506).

## ceramics

Brett Beasley	2603
Jennifer Cherpoek	2811
Joey Chessey	2702
Paul Henry Devoti	2815
Janie Everett	3504
Rebecca Grant	3427
Becca Irvin	2610
Doreen Jakob	2928
Daeil Kim	2728
Sarah Kohart	3416
Alyssa Ligmont	3006
Scott & Jenny Martin	3413–3414
Justin & Melanie Mckenney	2808
Stephanie Paskiewicz	2907
Kelly Pawlusiak	2726
Clay Savely	3115
Andrew Wender	2920

## digital

LJ Eidolon	3015–3016
David Gwaltney	3019
John Leben	3409

## drawing

Robbin Brothers	3315
Kyle Brown Jr	2809
Bruce & Jayne Easley	2416
Diane French	2902–2903
Brie Hayden	2622
Brittany Johnson	3018
Vonnie Whitworth	2526
Kayleigh Willis	3002
Richard Wilson	3107



richardwilsonart.com

### RICHARD WILSON

#3107  
Wendell, NC

*Faithful Journey*, 2015.  
Pastel on archival  
sanded pastel paper

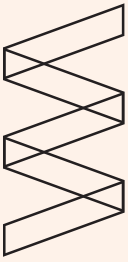
## fiber

Elie Abdelahad	3210
Amos Amit	2916
Andres Arango	2604
Jan Barco	2807
Shengzhu Bernardin	2422
Cliff Garren	3223–3224
Teresa & Joel Howard	3418
YanFang Inlow	2917
Megan Laguereuela	3218
Svetlana Lechkina	3304
Natalia Maurer	3407

FIBER ARTIST LISTINGS  
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**Walk-ups welcome on the  
boardwalk at the 35<sup>th</sup> Street  
Beach Club check-in tent!**

# ARTIST LISTINGS

## FIBER CONT'D

Janvier Ngamije	2827
Enid Kate O'Rourke	3007
Diane Perry	2817
Roberto Quintero Velez	2511
Iliyana Skrobanska	2718
Jazmine Torres	2429
Yuliya Wolf	2620-2621
& Kenzie Cieslinski	

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#2620-2621  
Hartford, WI

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## glass

Matthew Butterworth	3028
Debi Dwyer	2806
Lee Gordon	2413
Fred Imhoff	2829
Robin Kittleson	3219
Henry Levine	2417
Kathy Wooldridge	2414

## KATHY WOOLDRIDGE

#2414  
Newport News, VA

*The Big Bang*, 2018.  
Sand carved and  
stained glass



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## graphics/ printmaking

Chris Charles	2819
Abigail West	3306

## jewelry

Chelsea Bird	2609
Vivian Blanco	2927
Michael Bonardi	2906
Colleen Cody	2908
Lisa Davin	2529
Kate Rothra Fleming	3116
Samantha Freeman	2813
Suzanna Garrett	3011
Lynn Harrisberger	2727
Jenna Hirt	2427
Percy Iglesias	2506
Valerie Lamott	2612
Hannah Long	3503
Jana Margeson	3109
Juanita Martin	2608
Aleksandr Maryaskin & Tim Wright	3111
Jessica McGrath	3314
Jason McLeod	3114
Joan Michlin & Skip Ennis	2822
Brenda Morrison	2510
Odaybea Morrow	3118

**JEWELRY ARTIST LISTINGS  
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# LJ EIDOLON FEATURED ARTIST

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at the Merchandise Tent

LJ Eidolon, *Boardwalk in Bloom*, 2023. Digital, 18 x 24 in.  
Courtesy of the artist

**“This flavor of surrealism is mainly born from the mixing of various time periods and is a reflection of the present times we live in. In the age of the internet, past and present exist simultaneously in a fascinating way. Much of my work stems from that: with art history, color, and context offering endless inspiration.” —Eidolon**

**Award-winning, Charleston-based artist LJ Eidolon** has a love for context, color, art history, and the surreal. With a background of 20 years in oil painting, collage, and assemblage, this new body of work is the continuation of these techniques in a digital realm. LJ’s work can be found in private collections throughout the U.S. and Europe. Recent exhibitions include select art fairs as well as *LJ Eidolon: Dreams, Allegory, and Gestalt*, a solo exhibition at the Arlington Museum of Art, and *Art of Homage: Translation, Interpretation & Appropriation* at Georgetown University.

**Booth #3015-3016 | [ljeidolon.com](http://ljeidolon.com) | [@ljeidolon](https://www.instagram.com/ljeidolon)**



# ARTIST LISTINGS

## JEWELRY CONT'D

Rosa Murillo	2918
David Nugent	2919
Rocky Pardo	2711
Marjorie Rawson	3205
Joyce Slate	2824
Carl Tanner	2709
Holly Ulm	3204
Juan Velez	3124
M. Kristine Waldron	3506
Jessica Weiss	2812
Sarah West	3405
Evgeny Zidarov	2430
Jeff Zoellner	2923

### JOYCE SLATE

#2824  
Sarasota, FL

*Mosaic Butterfly*,  
2022. Handmade glass  
tesserae, silver, marble,  
and linseed oil



mythosjewelry.com

## mixed media

Lisa Arkus	2703
Erin & Gordon Blair	3316
Ryan Boase	3422-3423
Robin Anne Cooper	3302
Jim Flood	3119
Doug & Stephanie Gasher	3027
Mike & Sharon Hankerd	2717
Katie Hofacker	3318
Victor & Megan Huston-Field	2909
Stephanie Lavender	2820
Corrina Leidy	3010
Sanjib Mallik	3207
Kent Maxwell	2716
Cheryl Mayer	3308-3309
Michael Merriman	3005
Paul Nikitchenko	2910
Ashley Sauder Miller	3122
Melissa Schappell	2605
Vladimir Vitkovsky	2611
Nickolai Walko	3013

## metalworks

Anthony Arkus	2704
Dylan Curran	2816
John Grammer	2823
Douglas Hain	2701
Steven Lloyd	3126
Colby Smith	2509

vitkovskyfineart.com



### VLADIMIR VITKOVSKY

#2611  
Holly Springs, NC

*Concert*, 2020.  
Paper sculpture

# Family ART Park

**24<sup>th</sup> Street Park**

**Saturday | 10:00 AM–3:00 PM**

**Sunday | 11:00 AM–3:00 PM**

Bring the entire family to 24<sup>th</sup> Street Park for free interactive art experiences and activities provided by local non-profit organizations, as well as rotating performances from local music and dance groups.



## PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

### Saturday

10:15–10:45 AM	Rhythm Project
11:15–11:45 AM	Dancespace Studio
12:15–12:45 PM	Twinkle Toes Performing Arts Company
1:15–1:45 PM	Mosaic Steel Orchestra
2:15–2:45 PM	U.S. Fleet Forces Band

### Sunday

11:15–11:45 AM	U.S. Army Band
12:15–12:45 PM	Teens With a Purpose
1:15–1:45 PM	School of Rock Virginia Beach
2:15–2:45 PM	School of Rock Chesapeake

### Within the 24<sup>th</sup> Street Park, look for...

- Face painting
- Free button making
- Children's Museum of Virginia
- Virginia Beach SPCA
- Virginia Aquarium & Marine Science Center
- YMCA

### DON'T MISS:

**Virginia MOCA's ARTlab LIVE**  
Educators from the Museum will be on hand to share hands-on artmaking activities.

**ViBe Creative District**  
Stop by to help paint a mural with the artist!



**Find the show directory and most updated information here**

# ARTIST LISTINGS

## painting

David Abrahamson	2606
R. L. Alexander	3003
Paulina Archambault	3211
Emily Baker	3408
Marianne Bechtle	3026
Stephen Brehm	2925
Mark Butts	2708
Ruth Odile Davis	2901
Erikan Ekefrey	2810
Kate Fitzpatrick	2730
Amelie G. Dehart	2828
Phillip Harris	3001
BaoMing Ke	3220
Sang Kim	2729
Tim Kliewer	3404
Eric Lindbergh	2415
Kwame Boama	2423-2424
Mensa-Aborampa	
Leanne Moss	3203
Micah Mullen	3108
Brian Murphy	2804
Barbra Myers	3025
Anu & Muthulakshmi	3303
Narasimhan	
Karin Neuvirth	3419
Ed Obermeyer	2929
Daniel O'Connor	3417
David Oleski	2507-2508
Rahmon Olugunna	2428
Damon Pla	2814
Marisa Ray	2921
Daniel Robbins	2802
David Ruggeri	3209

### PAINTING CONT'D

John Schisler	3305
Ellen Sinclair	3004
Barbara Spraul	2724
Allison Swan	3029
Chloe Wang	2613
Stephen Wheeler	3225
Vonnie Whitworth	2526
Kathryn Wingate	2525



timkliewer.com

### TIM KIEWER

#3404  
Gum Spring, VA

*Lush*, 2023. Acrylic on stretched canvas



AllisonSwanArt.com

### ALLISON SWAN

#3029  
Virginia Beach, VA

*Catching the Light*, 2022. Oil on linen



# JUDGES



## **MAYA BROOKS**

**Assistant Curator of Contemporary Art at the North Carolina Museum of Art and Southeastern Center for Contemporary Art**

Brooks currently holds an intermediary position that forges her passion for technology with art history through exhibition curation and interpretation. Brooks's professional mission is to provide equitable museum experiences for diverse populations. Overall, she strives to restore access, inclusion, and agency in the museum field for historically marginalized communities.



## **HOLLY KOONS**

**Founding director of the new Mary M. Torggler Fine Arts Center at Christopher Newport University**

In addition to offering strategic oversight of programming and operations, Koons is actively engaged in curating many of the exhibitions on view at the Torggler. She ensures that the Torggler supports the core mission of the University while serving the public through exceptional exhibitions and educational programming.

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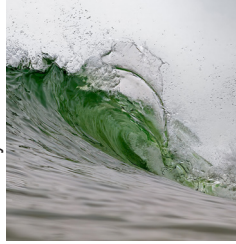
# ARTIST LISTINGS

## photography

Ray Becker	2926
Laura DeNardo	2623
Marie Gruber	2818
Joe Hiltabidel	2725
Glenn Lewis	3102–3103
Oscar Matos Linares	3216
Brian Miller	2719
Ed Obermeyer	2929
David Ogden	2801
Russell Pugh	2601
Bill Snyder	2710
Bill Wierzaliz	2707

## sculpture

John Denis	2527
Elizabeth Lemoine	2421
Ruben Medina	2904
Josh Price	2705
Thomas Wargin	3217
Shanti Yard	2825–2826



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#2929  
Virginia Beach, VA

*Bubble Barrel*, 2023.  
Photo print on metal

## wood

Tyson Andrews	3317
Brian Bortz	3426
Steven Cohen	3123
Mike Dennis	3406
Rodney Dunlap	3505
Cliff Garren	3223–3224
Walter Harper	2411–2412
Andre Maiwald	3012
Kipley Meyer	2805
Peter Mignone	2922
Paul Miller	3402–3403
Scott Roberts	2602
Ralph Souder	3117
Greg Thomas-Moore	2803
Kenn Young	3110

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# T-SHIRT DESIGN CONTEST WINNER

## Corinna Sayward



Virginia Beach-based artist Corinna Sayward is an abstract muralist who fell in love with the local creative community after moving to Hampton Roads six years ago. “We have a unique and exciting creative energy in this area driven by the locals who thrive in it. I believe Virginia, especially the Hampton Roads area, is an inspiring home base for artists to exist. In my design, I included the “two up two down” VA hand symbol as a way to pay homage to this area I now lovingly call home.”



[corinnasaywardartworks.com](http://corinnasaywardartworks.com) | [@corinna.elise](https://www.instagram.com/corinna.elise)

Corinna Sayward, *VA is for Artists, 2023*

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### Oceanfront Eats

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#### Pilot House

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### Tautog's Restaurant

205 23<sup>rd</sup> Street | 757-422-0081

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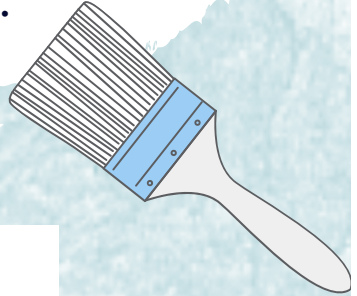


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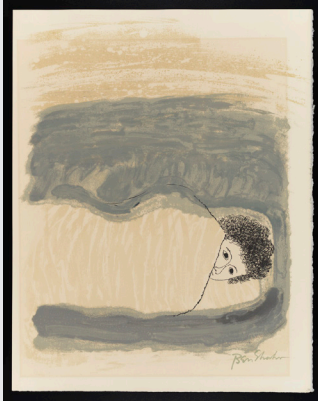


For all event needs, call Nancy Rosen at  
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*VMFA on the Road* is coming to the boardwalk with a new exhibition, *Love, Laughter, Tears: How Artists View Emotions*. Examining the relationship between emotions and art across various cultures and time periods, the exhibition features a diverse range of artworks, including paintings, photographs, prints, and, for the first time on the Artmobile, film. Happiness, loneliness, anxiety, humor, love, and tranquility—emotions felt by creators and viewers alike—are evoked by internationally recognized artists, including Toko Shinoda, Ben Shahn, Gabriel Sunday Tenabe, Ethan Brown, and Federico Cuatlatuatl.

Ben Shahn, *To Childhood Illnesses*, 1968. Lithograph on paper, 22 ½ × 17 ¾ in. Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond. The Council Graphic Arts Fund

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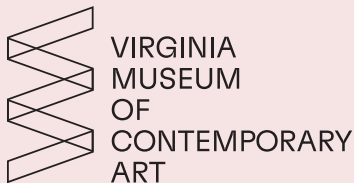
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Thursday, December 7  
6:00–10:00 PM

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# THE HISTORY OF THE BOARDWALK ART SHOW



**Celebrating its 67<sup>th</sup> year**, the Virginia MOCA Boardwalk Art Show presented by PNC is a nationally recognized art show drawing hundreds of artist applications from across the country every year. Proceeds from the show directly support the Virginia Museum of Contemporary Art, a non-collecting contemporary art museum located at the Virginia Beach Oceanfront. Each year, Virginia MOCA engages tens of thousands of visitors through its thought-provoking exhibitions, educational programming, tours, and studio classes.

It all started in 1952 when a group of local artists organized an exhibition to raise money for Winifred Nixon Greene, a Coastal Virginia artist who had suffered from a debilitating stroke. The event was very successful, not only in raising money for Ms. Greene's medical bills, but also in raising awareness of local artistic talent. In the show's wake, everyone involved decided to organize a local network of artists, which they coined the Virginia Beach Art Association (VBAA).

In 1971, the VBAA merged with the Virginia Beach Museum of Art and created a new organization, the Virginia Beach Arts Center, updating its corporate structure and hiring the first salaried director, Edward T. Jones. The Center was housed in the old World War II-era "Hospitality House" on Arctic Avenue until the completion of the current facility at 2200 Parks Avenue in 1989. The institution grew to become the Virginia Museum of Contemporary Art, receiving accreditation in 2010 from the American Alliance of Museums.

Growing out of the Boardwalk Art Show and propelled by its success, Virginia MOCA has long served as a gathering place for creatives and art lovers alike, rooted in the vibrant local arts network that brought the art show to life each year. Today, Virginia MOCA presents ever-changing exhibitions where neighbors, strangers, students, families, communities, and cultures are invited to explore our shared humanity, through locally relevant and nationally resonant, contemporary art that's exceptional—in all of its timeliness, restlessness, and beauty.



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February 9–June 9, 2024

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### MARK DION AND ALEXIS ROCKMAN: Journey to Nature's Underworld

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### SPENCER TINKHAM: Witness



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Alexis Rockman (American, b. 1962), *Pioneers*, from *The Great Lakes Cycle*, 2017. Oil and alkyd on wood panel, 72 x 144 in. Courtesy Sperone Westwater Gallery, New York, and American Federation of Arts

*Mark Dion and Alexis Rockman: Journey to Nature's Underworld* is organized by the American Federation of Arts. Support for the exhibition has been provided by Elizabeth Belfer and Victoria E. Triplett.