

# Museum of Florida Art

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Museum Hours: Tues.-Sat. 10 am-4pm, Sun 1-4 pm  
Gallery Admission: Members - Free, Non Members - \$3.00, Children under 12 - Free

The Museum of Florida Art offers a venue where:

- creativity is fostered
- appreciation of art is nurtured
- all people are welcomed

The mission of the Museum of Florida Art is to integrate exhibitions and education to create an enriching and stimulating experience for a diverse audience. The Museum of Florida Art offers a venue for emerging and established Florida artists to support the cultural legacy of our state.

## Museum of Florida Art June 2007

| Sun   | Mon   | Tue  | Wed   | Thu  | Fri  | Sat  |
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| <p><b>For more information on these events, please contact the museum at (386) 734-4371 or online at <a href="http://www.delandmuseum.com">www.delandmuseum.com</a></b></p> |   |  |   |  |  |  |
| 3   | 4 Camp Create (6-12 yrs), Wk 1: "Horsing Around"      | 5  | 6 Jack Mitchell Gallery Talk Noon-Free-<br><b>Don't miss this opportunity!</b>    | 7  | 8 Camp Create Youth Exhibit Reception 3-4 pm -Free-<br>Rotary Youth Volunteers--not open to public | 9 Mom's Morning Out: 10 am - noon<br>Art Day with Children's Cancer Foundation--not open to public |
| 10  | 11 Camp Create (6-12yrs), Wk 2: "Architecture as Art" | 12   | 13 Jack Mitchell Gallery Talk with University of Arkansas. Not open to the public | 14 Teen - Open Studio (ages 13-19) 6- 8 pm | 15 Camp Create Youth Exhibit Reception 3-4 pm -Free-   | 16 Mom's Morning Out: 10 am - noon   |
| 17 Jack Mitchell & Equus III <b>last day to see these exhibits!</b>   | 18 Camp Create (6-12yrs), Wk 3: "Florida Story"       | 19 Teen - Open Studio (ages 13-19) 6- 8 pm | 20  | 21 Teen - Open Studio (ages 13-19) 6- 8 pm | 22 Camp Create Youth Exhibit Reception 3-4 pm -Free-   | 23 Mom's Morning Out: 10 am - noon   |
| 24  | 25 Camp Create (6-12yrs), Wk 4: "Botanicals"          | 26 Teen - Open Studio (ages 13-19) 6- 8 pm | 27  | 28 Teen - Open Studio (ages 13-19) 6- 8 pm | 29 <b>Print Makers &amp; Common Threads Opening Reception 5-7pm</b>                                | 30 Mom's Morning Out: 10 am - noon   |

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## Schedule of Events

- **June 1** – Jack Mitchell Gallery interview airing on WMFE Arts Connection - 7pm
  - **June 2** – Jack Mitchell Gallery interview airing on WMFE Arts Connection – noon
  - **June 6** – Jack Mitchell Gallery Talk, noon – Free
  - **June 8, 15, 22, 29** Camp Create Youth Exhibit Reception 3 - 4pm - Free
  - **June 9** – Art Day with Children's Cancer Foundation – not open to the public
  - **June 17** – Final exhibit day for Jack Mitchell & Equus III
  - **June 29** – Opening Reception: Florida Print Makers, *Common Threads*: Lauren Austin & Henry Sinn. 5 – 7pm – Free
  - **July 11** – Laura Austin & Henry Sinn Gallery Talk 6:30 pm – Free
  - **July 15 and Aug 19** 9 am - 4 pm Textile workshop with Laura Austin & Henry Sinn. Each class \$55.
- Mark your Calendar!**
- **September 15–** 5:30– 7pm, Fall Festival of the Arts, featured art unveiling
  - **October 13** – *Arts in Autumn* Gala at the Stetson Mansion
  - **Oct 18 – Dec 16** Stetson Mansion Showcase Home Tours (Thurs.- Sunday)

## *Common Threads*: Lauren Austin & Henry Sinn

**Opening Reception:**  
June 29 5 - 7 pm

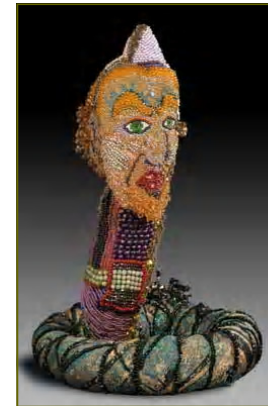
**Exhibit Dates:**  
June 29 - September 2

*Lauren Austin's work speaks of personal history and heritage. Henry Sinn's work speaks of whimsy and surrealism. Their commonality: the use of fibers and fabrics.*



*Stormy Weather*, Textile by Lauren Austin

Lauren Austin is a gifted quilter who works with her own hand-dyed, hand-painted fabric to create fabric portraits and fabric memory quilts.



*Snake*, Sculpture by Henry Sinn

Her distinctive quilts evolved from traditional geometric patchwork to fabric portraits of people and situations in African American work and life, as well as political and legal themes. Austin's current works include a series of photo quilts about her father's childhood, folk tales, and International Human Rights.

Henry Sinn is a self-described pack rat. His surreal assemblages are reflective of his imagination, dreams and interest in mystical themes. Henry's work bridges both abstract concepts and recognizable objects.

In addition to the separate displays, the artists will be working together to create a collaborative installation. This piece will reflect their unique talents and background woven together with a common thread.

## EQUIFEST Artist Award Winners

We would like to congratulate our Artist Award winners from the museum's third annual EquiFest Family Festival: Bob Schinder of Port St. Lucie, Norm Bernier, of Holly Hill, Kathy Ivers of Lake Helen and Robin Masek of Palm Bay. Each artist received a cash prize and an invitation to exhibit in next year's event scheduled for April 12, 2008.

## WMFE Arts Connection

WMFE Arts Connection interviewed Jack Mitchell here at the Museum for an upcoming radio broadcast. **The special will be airing on June 1 at 7 pm and on June 2 at noon.** Please visit [www.wmfe.org/artsconnection](http://www.wmfe.org/artsconnection) for more information or to listen to the broadcast online.

## Jack Mitchell Gallery Talk

Don't miss this opportunity to meet the man who for thirty-five years photographed nearly every major figure in the arts. Mitchell's stories, like his photographs, bridge the gap between subject and viewer. His photographs engage, humanize, and most of all, give the viewer a sense of the warmth, intelligence, passion and beauty of the artists who shaped the cultural landscape of the late twentieth century. Mitchell's exhibit *Icons and Idols: A Photographer's Chronicle of the Arts, 1960-1995* was organized by Atlantic Center for the Arts and will be on display at the museum until June 17th. The Gallery talk will be on **June 6 at noon.**

## Common Threads Gallery Talk

Join us as we discover how two very different artists with differ-

ent influential backgrounds and artistic approaches use the same media to create their unique works of art. On July 11th at 6:30 pm Lauren Austin and Henry Sinn will be taking us through their personal artistic styles and backgrounds to discover the meanings behind their fascinating works.

## Summer Art Classes

**Mom's Morning Out** is a new 8 week program for mothers and children aged 4 to 5. Registration is \$60 and includes all 8 sessions. The group meets on Saturday mornings from 10 am to noon. The first class will begin on June 9.

**Teen Open Studio with Bryan Carsen** is another new 4 week program for ages 13-19. The \$65 registration includes 6 evenings courses, Thursdays and Tuesdays 6 - 8 pm. The first class will begin on June 14.

**Camp Create** sessions are filling up fast! If you know of an artistic 6 to 13 year old who would benefit from these theme focused weeks, please encourage them to register today! Each session runs from Monday to Friday, 9 am to 4 pm. Students should bring a lunch, but snacks will be provided. Registration is \$100 per

session for members who sign up prior to June 1.

**Youth Exhibit Receptions** will showcase works from our summer programs. Please help us encourage these budding artists Fridays from 3 to 4pm.

**Adult Textile workshop** In these workshops, Laura Austin's and Henry Sinn's students will learn methods to construct their own fiber art. Bring any old letters, family photos, fabric, threads, buttons, ribbons, shells, or jewelry you would like to incorporate into your future heirloom. Knowledge or experience with quilting is NOT necessary! This class has no rules other than to have fun! Two classes are available: July 15 and Aug 19. Each class will run from 9 am to 4 pm. Registration is \$55 per class.

## Stetson Mansion

The beautiful former home of John B. Stetson will be the setting of this year's *Arts in Autumn* slated for Sat, Oct 13. Mark your calendar for this once-in-a-lifetime black tie gala.

**Private tours** of the palatial Stetson Mansion are being scheduled for the months of October to December. Groups



Clamshell Orchid, woodcut by Mollie Doctrow

This exhibit was organized and made possible by Lise Drost, Florida Printmakers President

## On Exhibit: Florida Print Makers Invitational

Opening Reception:  
June 29 5 – 7 pm

Exhibit Dates: June 29 – September 2

A range of printmaking techniques including etchings, woodcuts, lithographs, silkscreen, and mixed media will come together for an exhibition of the Florida Print Makers at the Museum of Florida Art this month.

Among the contemporary printmaking artists featured at this exhibit are Marilyn Nelson, Mollie Doctrow, Martha Hayden, Alberto Meza, David Mohallatee, Caroline Thorington, Tom Virgin, Helga Kahl, Caroline Thorington, Kip Deeds and Deborah Bryan.

Each artist in the exhibit has a distinctive approach to printmaking and imagery. The combination of excellence in technique paired with clarity of artistic vision determined the collection. Some of the works are very detailed and figurative, others non-objective, some quite serious with a formal tone and others have humorous content. **Don't miss this opportunity to see the best of printmaking from the Florida Printmakers.**

of 10 are invited to call the museum to book a mansion tour and experience an in-depth look at the art and architecture of this exquisite 1886 home. \*Special events and programs scheduled

## Growth and Development

Over the past two years, the Museum of Florida Art Board of Trustees has established an endowment fund for the programming needs of the museum, which serves approximately 74,000 guests annually. This year, according to Section 1201 of the Pension Protection Act, anyone over the age of 70.5 years is permitted to direct their IRA custodian to distribute any amount up to \$100,000 directly to a 501(c) 3 charity such as our museum. The distribution from the IRA will be exempted from income tax. This opportunity is only available through **year end of 2007**. Endowment funding is the key to long-term foundation and growth. We thank you in advance for any contribution you can make to the Endowment Fund of the Museum of Florida Art .

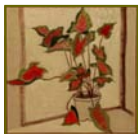
## On Exhibit in the Lower Galleries

Jack Mitchell:  
*Icons and Idols*  
On Exhibit until  
June 17, 2007



Main Gallery  
John Lennon and Yoko Ono,  
Photograph by Jack Mitchell

Norma Pruden:  
*Selected Works*  
On Exhibit until  
Sept 2, 2007



Chris Harris Permanent Collection Gallery  
Caladium, Acrylic Painting by Norma Pruden

Florida Print  
Makers  
Invitational



June 29 to Sept 2, 2007  
Main Gallery  
View East, Print by Martha Hayden

## On Exhibit in the Upper Galleries

*Equus III: The  
Art of the Horse*  
On Exhibit until  
June 17, 2007



Florida Art Galleries  
Raisin, Painting by Melissa Mason

Lauren Austin & Henry Sinn  
*Common Threads:*  
June 29 to Sept 2, 2007  
Florida Art Galleries



Left: *He Drums Lubolo*, Textile by Lauren Austin \*details  
Right: *Barbie Layer*, Textile by Henry Sinn \*details

