

North Charleston Cultural Arts Department

2023-2024 ARTS OPPORTUNITIES FOR SCHOOLS

We offer a variety of cultural arts experiences for tri-county area students throughout the year. Visit the Arts & Culture section at www.northcharleston.org or call 843-740-5854 to learn more about these opportunities.

FIELD TRIP DESTINATIONS.

PARK CIRCLE CITY GALLERY: View exhibitions of two- and three-dimensional works by regional and local artists in a variety of subjects and media. Gallery hours are Wed.-Fri. 11am-6pm, Sat. Noon-4pm, Fri. closed Sun.-Tue., 4820 Jenkins Avenue, North Charleston, SC 29405. Free Admission. For more information, or to schedule a tour for your school, contact the Cultural Arts Department.

CITY OF NORTH CHARLESTON'S PUBLIC ART COLLECTION: Visitors can view more than 75 of the pieces in the City's collection on display along the atrium areas of three floors in North Charleston City Hall, located at 2500 City Hall Lane, North Charleston, SC 29406. The collection features a variety of subjects and themes and includes photographs, paintings, drawings, fiber art, mixed media, and fine crafts. Rotating exhibitions are installed in place of the permanent collection during the North Charleston Arts Fest in May. For more information, or to schedule a tour for your school, contact the Cultural Arts Department.

HISTORY/ARCHIVES ROOM: The history of North Charleston is rich and colorful. The H&A Room contains pictures and descriptions of early settlers, the Charleston Navy Base, the Olde Village and early industries. Visitors leave with a better appreciation of what life was like from the early 1700s to present. For more information, or to schedule a tour for your school, contact the Cultural Arts Department.

NATIONAL OUTDOOR SCULPTURE COMPETITION & EXHIBITION and GREATER CHARLESTON NAVAL BASE MEMORIAL AT RIVERFRONT PARK: This annual juried exhibition features sculptures by established and emerging artists from across the nation. The thought-provoking and imaginative exhibition runs May - March, with works rotated in April. This year's exhibit includes thirteen pieces. Riverfront Park, located at 1001 Everglades Avenue, North Charleston, SC 29405, also hosts the Great Charleston Naval Base Memorial. The memorial includes pictorial and print displays of the Charleston Naval Base and Shipyard history from 1901 to Base Closure in 1996, unique water features, and several sculptures of military themes. Don't miss the boardwalk along the Cooper River, picnic shelter, playground, and play fountain that makes this a perfect field trip destination!

PARTICIPATION OPPORTUNITIES

NORTH CHARLESTON ARTS FEST: There are several participation opportunities May 1-5, 2024. Most events are **FREE!** Schools can arrange field trips to festival events, apply to perform, or submit student artwork to the TRI-COUNTY YOUTH ART COMPETITION & EXHIBITION and the TRI-COUNTY YOUTH SCULPTURE COMPETITION & EXHIBITION.

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