

# Main Gallery

Cape Coral Art Center 2026-2027 Exhibitions



*Afro Blue*, Susi Wingenroth

## The Witching Hour 5: Parallax

**October 2 - 29, 2026**

*In this juried open call, "Parallax" invites viewers into a shifting landscape of visual illusion, where perception is fluid and reality feels uncertain.*

**Receiving:** Saturday, September 26, 9am-12pm  
& Monday, September 28, 9am-12pm

**Reception:** Friday, October 9, 5-7pm

**Removal:** Friday, October 30, 9am-12pm

## Places I Remember

**November 6 - December 17, 2026**

*In this solo exhibition, "Places I Remember," Kim Carioto-Krugle shares a visual diary of her travels near and far using layered paper collages and oil paintings.*

**Reception:** Friday, November 13, 5-7pm

## 50 Years in the Making

**January 8 - 28, 2027**

*In this juried open call, "50 Years in the Making," artists are invited to submit work that celebrates the 50th anniversary of the Cape Coral Art Center. The show honors five decades of creativity, community, and artistic expression.*

**Receiving:** Saturday, January 2, 9am-12pm  
& Monday, January 4, 9am-12pm

**Reception:** Friday, January 8, 5-7pm

**Removal:** Friday, January 29, 9am-12pm

## Expressions

**February 5 - 25, 2027**

*In this group exhibition, "Expressions" showcases work from members of our nonprofit partner, the Southwest Florida Fine Craft Guild.*

**Reception:** Friday, February 12, 5-7pm

## Art Focus

**March 5 - 25, 2027**

*The "Art Focus" annual exhibit showcases the work of fine arts students at the Cape Coral Art Center.*

**Receiving:** Saturday, February 27, 9am-12pm  
& Monday, March 1, 9am-12pm

**Reception:** Friday, March 12, 5-7pm

**Removal:** Friday, March 26, 9am-12pm

## TRIO

**April 2 - 22, 2027**

*In this group exhibition, "TRIO," the Studio Art Quilt Associates, presents a juried traveling exhibition of contemporary textile art by artists from Georgia, South Carolina, and Florida.*

**Reception:** Friday, April 9, 5-7pm

## Roots Remembered

**April 30 - June 24, 2027**

*In this juried open call exhibition, "Roots Remembered," artists are invited to share work that draws from folklore, family histories, and traditions.*

**Receiving:** Saturday, April 24, 9am-12pm  
& Monday, April 26, 9am-12pm

**Reception:** Friday, May 7, 5-7pm

**Removal:** Friday, June 25, 9am-12pm

## Sea Worthy

**July 2 - August 26, 2027**

*This group exhibition, "Sea Worthy" features ocean-inspired art by the Kellys. See how Kelly Williamson's dynamic pottery and Kelly Morrison's immersive abstract paintings capture the rhythm, movement, and spirit of the sea.*

**Receiving:** Saturday, June 26, 9am-12pm  
& Monday, June 28, 9am-12pm

**Reception:** Friday, July 9, 5-7pm

**Removal:** Friday, August 27, 9am-12pm

## Material Matters

**September 3 - 23, 2027**

*In this juried open call exhibition, "Material Matters," artists are invited to submit work that explore how art can be reimagined using recycled and repurposed materials.*

**Receiving:** Saturday, August 28 9am-12pm  
& Monday, August 30, 9am-12pm

**Reception:** Friday, September 10, 5-7pm

**Removal:** September 24, 9am-12pm



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# Side Gallery

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## Artists Among Us

**October 2 - November 19, 2026**

*Did you know our staff members are artists too? Enjoy an annual exhibition of artwork made by Art Center employees.*

**Reception:** Friday, October 9, 5-7pm

## Merry & Bright Art Market

**November 24 - December 17, 2026**

*Jump start the holidays and purchase some unique gifts in this annual open call to artists sales event.*

**Receiving:** Saturday, November 21, 9am-12pm

& Monday, November 23, 9am-12pm

**Removal:** Friday, December 18, 9am-12pm

## Somewhere

**January 8 - 28, 2027**

*This exhibition showcases artists and members of our nonprofit partner, the Fort Myers Beach Art Association and Gallery in a judged and juried exhibition.*

**Reception:** Friday, January 8, 5-7pm

## Open to Interpretation

**February 5 - 25, 2027**

*In this juried open call, "Open to Interpretation" invites artists to submit abstract works that celebrate experimentation and non-representational expression.*

**Receiving:** Saturday, January 30, 9am-12pm

& Monday, February 1, 9am-12pm

**Reception:** Friday, February 12, 5-7pm

**Removal:** Friday, February 26, 9am-12pm

## Inspire

**March 5 - 25, 2027**

*An annual exhibit showcasing artwork from Cape Coral Art Center instructors.*

**Reception:** Friday, March 12, 5-7pm



*Peeps, Kathy Summer*



*Untitled with Moon, David Acevedo*

## Tides and Tropics

**April 2 - 22, 2027**

*In this juried open call exhibition, "Tides and Tropics" invites artists to submit works in any medium that transport viewers on an immersive journey into the vibrant heart of the tropics.*

**Receiving:** Saturday, March 27, 9am-12pm

& Monday, March 29, 9am-12pm

**Reception:** Friday, April 9, 5-7pm

**Removal:** Friday, April 23, 9am-12pm

## New Life, New Journey

**April 30 - May 27, 2027**

*This solo exhibition, "New Life, New Journey," invites viewers to navigate through Angela Arroyo's life. She showcases her experiences and challenges through ceramics, printmaking, and painting.*

**Reception:** Friday, May 7, 5-7pm

## Birds of Paradise in Paradise

**August 6 - September 23, 2027**

*In this solo exhibition, "Birds of Paradise in Paradise" showcases the colorful paintings of Carolyn Gora. Her whimsical bird characters use playful visual wordplay in a lighthearted world of humor, storytelling, and imagination.*

**Reception:** Friday, August 13, 5-7pm

Open-call exhibitions are open to all local area artists. During receiving, artists can submit up to three artworks to be juried for a non-refundable fee of \$20. For more information on entries, ask for a prospectus or visit our website!

Are you a college student or veteran? Bring your ID to receive \$5 off your gallery entry fees!