

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.

Reception: Friday, July 9, 5-7pm

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!