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#### **RECENT EVENTS**

Spring Exhibition - Hoover Watercolor Society - LA State Exhibit Museum 2024

Bad Bunnies Art Show – Stray Cat - Shreveport, LA 2024

Sing a Song of Cheer – A Norton Holiday Exhibition (Father Time) – R. W. Norton Art Gallery 2023

Winter Exhibition - Hoover Watercolor Society - The Bailey Gallery 2023

Artists Up! - Central Art Station - Shreveport, LA 2024

Inktober Myths and Monsters Exhibit (Goblins) at R.W. Norton Art Gallery 2023

Touchable Art - East Bank Gallery - Bossier Arts Council 2023

Contained – 12x12 – East Bank Gallery – Bossier Arts Council 2023

Inktober Myths and Monsters Exhibit at R.W. Norton Art Gallery 2023

Unstrung - 9 story mural Fairmont Towers - #Uncommon Murals - Shv Regional Arts Council

Poppy Mural 8'x24'- Giuseppe's Villa- Aulds Florist - Shreveport, LA

## FEATURED ARTICLES AND VIDEO

Interview for Collectible Artist 2021 – Scott Crain Studios for SRAC on Youtube

Club 365 promotion for The Unstrung Marionette - Loving Living Local/ KTAL6 w Biskie Duncan

In the Studio – Feature Article in Shreveport Times by Tiana Kennel

Embrace-Therapeutic Art for Breast Cancer Patients –Article -Shreveport Times-Tiana Kennel

Southern Heritage - Feature article - Shreveport Times by Tori Ladd

Artist Brings Solace – Feature Article – Shreveport Times

Incognito Artist Demonstrates Body Painting-Feature Article in the Marshall News Messenger

Local Artist Goes Green by Shelli Brieri KTAL 6 Ark-La-Tex News -Louisiana

## **GALLERY REPRESENTATION**

Uneeda Loft Gallery - Shreveport, LA 2023 - present

The Bailey Gallery = Shreveport, LA 2023 - present

Aulds Florist - Sheveport, LA 2019- present

The Agora Borealis – Shreveport, LA 2016 - present

Gingko Leaf Gallery - Marshall, Tx 2015 to 2019

#### SOLO AND COLLABORATIVE EXHIBITIONS

Artists Up! – Central Art Station – Shreveport, LA 2024

Collectible Artist 2021 Exhibition w Connie Eaton and Rachul McClintic – Central Art Station

Artist in Residence - Creativity Center - Bossier City, La

Blooms - Featured Artist for WAM (Wine-Art-Music) at 1800° Prime

Pleasure Pixies Beckon You to Highland Table - Shreveport, LA

Vauxdoux & Southern Folk Lore w/ Karen LaBeau - Norsworthy Gallery

Pastel Painting on stage to Tchaikovsky's Romeo & Juliet performed by Shreveport Symphony

ARTini - Featured Artist - Horseshoe Casino Riverdome - Bossier Arts Council

Follow That Octopus - Main Gallery Solo Exhibit - East Bank Gallery-Louisiana

Sightz & Soundz, Bistro Byronz - Featured Artist - Shreveport, Louisiana

Giftspace/Café@Artspace Artist of the Month - Shreveport, Louisiana

#### **AWARDS**

Collectible Artist - Shreveport Regional Arts Council 2018, 2021

Behind the Mask (2nd place, 3rd Place) East Bank Gallery – Louisiana

Spring Arts Festival (Best in Category) Creative Arts Connection – Louisiana

Perspectives: NWLA Through the Lens (Honorable Mention) -East Bank Gallery

Spring Arts Festival: (1st Place) - Creative Arts Connection Louisiana

The Miniature Show (2nd Place & Honorable Mention) - CAC - Louisiana

## **JURIED/INVITATION EVENTS**

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Inktober Exhibit at R.W. Norton Art Gallery 2022

Fall Exhibition - Hoover Watercolor Society 2022

Contained - East Bank Gallery - Bossier Arts Council

Pleasure Pixies - Sugar and Cream Coffee House - Shreveport, LA

BLOOM! - R.W. Norton Art Gallery - Shreveport, Louisiana

Painted Violins - Shreveport Symphony Orchestra - Shreveport, Louisiana

Unscene - Rich Table Event - 8 x 16' Mural of Poppies on an Italian Hillside

Art Exposition - Norsworthy Gallery, Shreveport, Louisiana

Central Art Station Grand Opening Exhibit - NOLA Entrepreneurial participants

Central Art Station - Photography from Uncommon Safari exhibited

Shreveport Uncommon Safari - Photography Exhibit - Artspace - Louisiana

Look But Don't Touch - East Bank Gallery - Louisiana

ARTini - Bossier Arts Council - Bossier City, Louisiana

Annual Winter Juried Show - Creative Arts Connection - Louisiana

Fleur de Artiste - Karpeles Manuscript Library, Louisiana

POP! Exhibit - Artspace - Shreveport, Louisiana

LPB Arts & Travel - Baton Rouge, Louisiana

ARTini - Bossier Arts Council Bossier City, Louisiana

The Money Show- West Edge Artist Co-op - Artspace, - Louisiana

## **JURIED MARKETS AND FESTIVALS**

HOSTS (Highland Open Studio Tours) – Shreveport, La – 2016 to 2023

Artwalk - Shreveport DDA - Shreveport, LA 2018-2020

Downtown TNT Trolley Tour & Street Faire - Shreveport, LA

WEAco Fine Arts Market - West Edge Artist Co-op - Boardwalk, Louisiana

Deck the Halls Market - Artspace - Shreveport, Louisiana

Jackson Hole Fine Arts Festival (collaboration) - Jackson, Wyoming

Red Earth (collaboration) - Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Red River Revel (collaboration) - Shreveport, Louisiana

#### **GROUP EXHIBITS**

Critical Mass 12 Visual and Literary - Open Exhibition - Artspace 2024

Touchable Art - East Bank Gallery - Bossier Arts Council 2023

Contained – 12x12 – East Bank Gallery – Bossier Arts Council 2023

Critical Mass events 1 thru 11- Artspace - Shreveport, Louisiana

Stripped Away, Exploring the Human Form - East Bank Gallery

Impromptu - Artspace - Shreveport, Louisiana

The Love Show - East Bank Gallery & Theater - Bossier City, Louisiana

12×12 - East Bank Gallery & Theater - Bossier City, Louisiana

City Wide Gallery - West Edge Artists Co-op - Louisiana

The Spirit of Elvis Has Not Left the Building - Shreveport Municipal Auditorium

Perspectives: The Holy Cross Church - Heritage Manor Gallery - Louisiana

## **DEMONSTRATIONS AND WORKSHOPS**

51 Shades of Intimacy - Live Body Art Painting - 624 Commerce Street Event Center 2023

Whimsical Watercolor Demonstration - Shreveport Art Club - 2023

Whimsical Watercolor Demonstration - Creative Arts Connection - 2024

Artist at Play Print with Paint Demonstrations - Shreveport Art Club and Creative Art Connections

Artist at Play Watercolor Demonstrations – Shreveport Art Club and Creative Art Connections

Artist at Play Artist Trading Cards Demonstrations - Shreveport Art Club and Creative Art

Connections Art Affair in the Garden: Scrimshaw - Barnwell Garden and Art Center

September Presentation: Scrimshaw - Creative Arts Connection - Louisiana

Mindenhall Peacemaker SASS Shooters: Scrimshaw – Jackson, Mississippi

Ark-La-Tex Gun and Knife Show: Scrimshaw - Shreveport, Louisiana

Dallas Market Hall Gun Show: Scrimshaw - Dallas, Texas

Jackson Hole Native American Fine Arts Festival-Scrimshaw-Jackson Hole, WY

Red Earth: Scrimshaw - Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

# **SCRIMSHAW LIMITED EDITION AND SERIES**

Swamp Rabbit Series - Commissioned collab with legendary LA wildlife artist Don Edwards 2024

Wildlife Series - Paul Hacker Flutes and Knives - Oklahoma 1992 to present

50th Anniversary Clark .45 Limited Edition, Clark Custom Guns - Louisiana

The Knife Maker - Dan Graves- Dixie Gardens, Louisiana

Growling Grizzly Lmt Edition, Paul Hacker Flutes and Knives – Wyoming

Custer and Sitting Bull Lmt Edition, Paul Hacker Flutes and Knives - Oklahoma

Whispering Wolves Limited Edition, Paul Hacker Flutes and Knives - Oklahoma

#### ART INSTALLATION

Homage to mathematician and author, Aro, creating an artwork encompassing the entire Municipal Auditorium arena 255ft x 15ft in a binary coded message expressed through color – Shreveport Memorial Municipal Auditorium – Louisiana

# **CURRENT ORGANIZATIONS**

Shreveport Regional Arts Council – Roster Artist - Exec Secretary- Visual Art Liaison to the Board Bossier Arts Council – Board Member Hoover Watercolor Society – Member HOSTS (Highland Open Studio Tours) – Communications

# **SOCIAL MEDIA**

Artist Statement and Images available at <a href="https://culturalyst.com/lynnlaird">https://culturalyst.com/lynnlaird</a>

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