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Hole Inspector by Al Barnes

## Delray Beach, FL

### Marine Artists Exhibition ▲

#### CORNELL MUSEUM OF ART

Members of the American Society of Marine Artists travel to the Cornell Museum of Art and American Culture this month for their 15th annual exhibition. The show runs October 27 to January 9, 2012, then travels to seven other museums around the country until 2013. Members participating in this year's event include Al Barnes, Kim Shaklee, C.W. Mundy, Donald Curran, and Carolyn Hesse-Low. The exhibit showcases more than 120 pieces of sculpture and paintings of marine life, coastal scenes, and seascapes. The next stop on its tour is the Mobile Museum of Art in Mobile, AL. For more information: 561.243.7922 or [www.oldschool.org](http://www.oldschool.org).

## Nashville, TN

### Hal Pickel Show TWO MOON GALLERY

American farmers and their land are the subjects of choice for Hal Pickel, who lives in Tennessee. He employs a palette knife to achieve texture in his mixed-media works. His newest works, on display this month at Two Moon Gallery, focus on road trips he has taken through the Tennessee Valley



Shelter by Hal Pickel

and Mississippi Delta. "I am continually drawn to the agricultural regions of the South. The endless dirt roads lead to hidden landscapes where time has stood still," he says. Meet the artist at an opening reception on Thursday, October 20, from 5 to 9 p.m. His works are on display through November 20. For more information: 615.942.5352 or [www.twomoongallery.com](http://www.twomoongallery.com).

## Manhattan, KS

### Lisa Lala Show STRECKER-NELSON GALLERY

Strecker-Nelson Gallery presents a solo show of paintings by Lisa Lala, who works at her studio in Kansas City. She comes from an artistic family—her mother is a painter and sculptor, and her father is a sculptor.

Lala paints on glass, which artists have done since the 13th century, as well as on canvas using layers of thick paint. Her past works include paintings of birds atop wires and abstract shapes. The show runs through November 5. For more information: 785.537.2099 or [www.strecker-nelsongallery.com](http://www.strecker-nelsongallery.com).

## Hilton Head, SC

### Dean Mitchell Show MORRIS & WHITESIDE GALLERIES

Paintings by Dean Mitchell take the stage this month at Morris & Whiteside Galleries. The Florida artist employs watercolor, acrylic, and sometimes oil when painting. He is known for portraits of ordinary people along with architecture, such as dilapidated buildings and storefronts. The show opens on October 7 with a reception from 6 to 8 p.m. at the gallery. For more information: 843.842.4433 or [www.morriswhiteside.com](http://www.morriswhiteside.com).

## Charleston, SC

### J. Christian Snedeker Show ELLA WALTON RICHARDSON FINE ART



Folly Marsh by J. Christian Snedeker

Landscape paintings in oil by J. Christian Snedeker are on display at Ella Walton Richardson Fine Art this month. The South Carolina-based artist paints the local