Directory of New Bedford Galleries & Visual Artists

Visual ART GUIDE

Destination New Bedford
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The phenomenal economic successes of the whaling and textile industries in the 19th century would turn New Bedford from a sleepy backwater to a cosmopolitan city in which the arts could not only exist but thrive. Whaling merchants and mill owners became collectors and patrons. Even members of the Quaker elite commissioned portraits of themselves.

Names that became internationally famous in the art world — Albert Pinkham Ryder, Augustus Saint-Gaudens, William Bradford, Robert Swain Gifford, Francis Millet, Dwight Tryon, Clifford Ashley and Dodge Macknight, among many others — either called New Bedford home or found inspiration in the surrounding landscape. Albert Bierstadt, raised in New Bedford and the country’s most preeminent painter of the American West, felt confident enough in New Bedford’s commitment to the arts to mount the first major exhibition in the city in 1858 featuring work by both local artists and established figures in American and European painting. The New Bedford Free Public Library served as the earliest permanent repository for artwork donated by those who wished to share their collections with the community.

Founded in 1881, Swain School of Design went through several evolutions before becoming a nationally known fine arts school in the 1960s. Under the leadership of New York painter and Hans Hoffman disciple David Loeffler Smith, Swain exerted a major influence on regional artists in the 20th century.

More recent decades have seen a new artistic renaissance in the city. Fed by the arts programs of the University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth; the conversion of long-dormant textile mills into plentiful studio space; and the establishment of organizations like Gallery X, the New Bedford Art Museum/ArtWorks!, the New Bedford Whaling National Historical Park, the monthly cultural collaborative AHA! (Art, Architecture & History), and the state-designated New Bedford Seaport Cultural District, artists and artisans have once again discovered New Bedford. Shops, galleries, museums and restaurants populate the revitalized downtown. Painters, sculptures, ceramicists, woodworkers and metalsmiths open their studios to the public multiple times a year during the New Bedford Open Studios. So visit and experience for yourself the place Atlantic Magazine ranked the seventh most “artistic” city in the country.

Welcome to New Bedford, a historic city that shines with pride for its arts community. Find out why many have found their inspiration here and decided to open art studios. Indulge your eyes and soul in a variety of artwork in all media! Support the artists by buying uniquely-made local artwork - the most memorable souvenir from New Bedford, MA!

-Dagny Ashley, Director of Tourism and Marketing, and Jerrie Lyndon, Marketing and Cultural Tourism Manager, City of New Bedford. DestinationNewBedford.org
**Art Galleries**

**Downtown**

**The Arthur Moniz Gallery**
Exhibiting the Largest Selection of Area Artwork & Custom Framing
22 William Street
508. 997. 8644 / www.arthurmonizgallery.com
Hours: daily 10am - 5pm

**Crowell’s Fine Art & Framing**
Art Sales & Custom Framing
382 Acushnet Avenue
508. 992. 5231 / www.crowellsfineart.com
Hours: Tuesday - Friday 10am - 5pm, Saturday 12 - 4pm

**Gatlin’s Framing and Gallery**
Framing, Art Supplies and Photography
209 Union St
774.202.0649 / www.henrydanielgatlin.com
Tuesday-Friday, 10am to 6pm. Saturday, 11am - 5pm

**New Bedford Art Museum / ArtWorks!**
Exhibitions, Classes, and Local Artists’ Shop
608 Pleasant Street
508. 961. 3072 / www.newbedfordartmuseum.org
Summer: Tues - Sun 11am - 5pm, Thurs till 9pm
Winter: Wed - Sun 12 - 5pm, Thurs till 9pm

**Paradise McFee Gallery**
Studio & Art Gallery
104 William Street
508. 965. 3445
www.paradisemcfee.com
Daily 1pm - 8pm

**Robert Hunt Gallery**
Working Photography Studio and Local/Regional Gallery
48 Union Street
617.290.8009 / roberthuntphotography.com

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**Gallery 65 on William**
Artist Cooperative Featuring Fine Arts & Crafts of the Southcoast
65 William Street / 508. 994.1595
www.gallery65onwilliam.com
Hours: Tues - Sat:11am - 5pm. Till 9pm on AHA!

**TL6 the Gallery**
Local Artwork & Hand-Crafted Gifts
100 William Street
508. 992. 8100 / www.facebook.com/TL6thegallery
Monday - Saturday 11am - 6pm
Sunday 12 - 4pm (seasonal)

**U.G.L.Y. Gallery**
(U Gotta Love Yourself)
Urban Contemporary Art & Apparel
246 Union Street
508. 971. 4936
www.uglygallery.com
Hours: Tuesday - Saturday 11am - 6pm

**Gallery X**
An Artist Cooperative Since 1990
169 William Street / 508. 992. 2675
www.galleryx.org
Hours: Wednesday - Friday 11am - 5pm
Saturday & Sunday 11am - 3pm
Art Galleries

This city has a special relationship to the arts. Arts are, and always have been, central to the life of our City, as much a part of our DNA as seafaring and manufacturing. It’s no wonder that New Bedford was named the 7th most artistic community in the nation by Atlantic Magazine.

- Mayor Jon Mitchell,
City of New Bedford, MA

University Art Gallery
UMass Dartmouth College of Visual & Performing Arts
715 Purchase Street
508. 999. 8555
www.umassd.edu/universityartgallery
Monday - Sunday 9am - 6pm
Sundays During Summer: 12 - 6pm

The South End

COLO COLO Gallery
National and International Contemporary Art
127 W. Rodney French Blvd.
508. 642. 6026
facebook.com/pages/colo-colo-gallery
Hours: Wed - Sat 1 - 6pm, Sun 12 - 5pm

Judith Klein Art Gallery
Exhibits of Finest Local, Regional Artists & Judith’s Art & High Craft
127 Rodney French Blvd / 508. 965. 7396
www.judithkleinart.com
Hours: Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri 12 - 5pm
Saturday 11am - 3pm & by appointment
Visual Artists

Al Hawi, Ebla
Fiber Arts, Mixed Media
www.umassd.edu / facebook / Ebla_h@hotmail.com
Fiber Club of UMassD

Barry, Kim
Painting, Drawing, Ceramics, Sculpted Tile
claytroutpottery.com
claytroutpottery@gmail.com
kimbarrypainting.com
Gallery 65 on William and Hatch Street Studios

Berthelette, Heather
Painting, Drawing
www.heather-berthelette.com
hberthelette@gmail.com
(508)728-0925

Bregoli, Jessica
Sculpture Steel Fabrication, Murals
508.933.0257 / jbregoli@gmail.com / on facebook

Brightman, Milton H.
Painting, Drawing, Watercolor
milton.brightman@afscmelocal2948.org

Burr, David C.
Painting, Drawing, Mixed Media
http://counterintuitions.tumblr.com
Counterintuitions.
davidcburr@gmail.com
508.498.7082
CVPA Studios

Burton, Don
Film, New Media, Fine Art
donburtonmedia.com
donburton1@gmail.com
310-867-5038
New Bedford Open Studios

Coomey Thornton, Pat
Painting, Drawing, Watercolor, Mixed Media
patcoomeythornton.com

Crowley, Kathy
Ceramics, Mixed Media, Collage
www.pumpkinheadted.com
crowley_kathy@yahoo.com
Supporter of Gallery X

Lori Bradley
Painting, Ceramics, Mixed Media
88 Hatch Street
loribradleyart.com / loribradley@comcast.net
Gallery 65 on William, Gallery X, Hatch Street Studios

Be inspired at
New Bedford Art Museum/ArtWorks!
Art Classes for kids, teens, & adults
Museum Shop
Exhibitions
Lectures
Fundraisers
608 Pleasant Street
New Bedford, MA 02740
newbedfordartmuseum.org
Summer Hours 11-5 Tuesday - Sunday
Winter Hours 12 - 5 Wednesday - Sunday
Thursdays open until 9PM
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Daniel Kamman
Industrial Jewelry
Jewelry from industrial components
123 Sawyer St, Unit 5
www.industrialjewelry.com / danielkamman@industrialjewelry.com
Ropeworks Studios, New Bedford Open Studios

Daniels, Kelly Lynn
Ceramics
715 Purchase Street
www.kellylynnandaniels.com
dancingclay@gmail.com
Star Store CVPA

Eadie, Brad
Sculpture, Puppetry, Metals, Folk Artist Extraordinaire
127 West Rodney French Blvd
www.etsy.com/shop/HBEadie
weathervanest@gmail.com
New Bedford Puppet Coalition

Foley, Patti
Painting, Drawing, Watercolor
Wamsutta Place
pati1221@verizon.net
Bierstadt Art Society

Gilmore, Susan
Painting, Photography, Sculpture, Mixed Media, Digital Graphics
www.susangilmoreart.com
gilmore1@comcast.net
508.295.2219
New Bedford Open Studios

Headcase Press
Printmaking, Mixed Media, Metals, Letterpress
127 West Rodney French Blvd.
www.headcasepress.com
headcasepress@gmail.com / 914-489-6353
Kilburn Artist Studios, Ropeworks, New Bedford Open Studios

Gomes, Patricia
Painting, Mixed Media
patg73@hotmail.com
Gallery X

Goodwin, Marcia
Painting, Drawing, Printmaking, Mixed Media
mstaro@comcast.net
508-880-3273/ Darn It Studios

Grab, Eric
Painting, Drawing, Sculpture
www.ericgrab.com
ergrab@gmail.com

Grace, Claudia
Writing, Poetry, Documentary Film
www.accessartcorpintl.org
accessart@comcast.net
A.C.C.E.S.S. Art Corp.Int’l

Grace, Thomas
Painting, Photography
www.accessartcorpintl.org
t.grace@comcast.net
A.C.C.E.S.S. Art Corp.Int’l
Visual Artists

Granger, Helen
Painting, Drawing, Printmaking, Sculpture, Mixed Media, Inks, Pastels
www.hgranger.com
arr@hgranger.com

Hauck, Susan
Painting, Mixed Media, Jewelry
46 South Sixth Street
susan_hauck@yahoo.com
Gallery X

Hoaglund, Don
Painting, Drawing, Watercolor, Photography, Sculpture, Metals, Gems/High End Jewelry
pegasusartisans.com
pegasusart@verizon.net
508-999-6265
Pegasus Studio

Knutsen, Kat
Painting, Drawing, Fiber Arts, Mixed Media, Animation
43 William Street
www.katknutsen.com / kat@katknutsen.com
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Lawton, Jim
Ceramics
www.jimlawton.com

Leavitt, David
Photography, Mixed Media, Writer
davidleavitt@gmail.com
@David_Leavitt on Twitter

Letourneau, Joshua Art
Painting, Drawing, Ceramics, Sculpture, Mixed Media
www.etsy.com/people/jleto123
joshlet22@gmail.com
www.facebook.com/jletourn

Lyndon, Jerrie K.
Painting, Chalk Art
www.idealbity.com
creativemindforward.com
jerrielyndon@gmail.com
New Bedford Puppet Coalition

Lynn, Dick
Sculpture, Installation Art, Furniture
Dicklynnstudios@cox.net
401.835.5747

Meunier, Zachary
Painting, Drawing, Mixed Media
z.meunier@gmail.com

Hoss, Pamela
Painting, Drawing
88 Hatch St., #409
phoss@umassd.edu
Hatch Street Studios

Jeff, Stryker
Painting, Sculpture
101 West Rodney French Blvd.
strykerjeff@comcast.net
508.961.9845
Kilburn Mill Studios

Jordankova, Alexandra
Painting, Photography, Mixed Media, Silk Paintings
www.fineartbyalexandra.com
fineartbyalexandra@gmail.com / 617.733.5216
Gallery X

Judith Klein Studio
Painting, Drawing, Watercolor, Photography, Ceramics, Printmaking, Sculpture, Fiber Arts, Mixed Media, Metals
127 W. Rodney French Blvd.
www.judithkleinart.com
12julika@comcast.net
508.965.7396
Kilburn Artist Studios

Lapointe, Michelle T.
Painting, Photography, Mixed Media, Glass
88 Hatch St #407
lapointeunlimited@yahoo.com
Hatch St. Studios

New Bedford artists have been a key component to the vibrance and growth of our post-industrial city. By occupying the charming, interesting factory and warehouse spaces, our artists have revitilized these once dormant buildings. There are so many wonderful treasures to uncover in New Bedford.

- Tracy Silva Barbosa
Co-Chair of New Bedford Open Studios
www.nbopenstudios.org - “Always Open”
A short walk through any city that “gets it” in terms of public art and you will notice one overarching theme, it’s everywhere. There is no doubt that art on walls, art performed on the street, sculptural installations, enrich the lives of everyone that interact with them in a way that is unique, refreshing, and inspiring. I for one am not an artist and travel as often as I can too see public art in other cities, because it makes me happy. Knowing I can now do that in my own city, is beyond words. Enjoy with open eyes, minds, and hearts.

- Jeremiah Hernandez
Owner of UGLY Gallery
(You Gotta Love Yourself)

Featured on the cover: 1: Chrissy Ann Ceramics. 2: Judith Klein Art. 3: View of the working waterfront, NPS photo. 4: Head-case Press. 5: New Bedford Art Museum /ArtWorks! 6: Chuck Hauck’s whimsical sculpture 7: Artists participating in AHA! Night. 8: Glass Etching by Tracy Silva Barbosa

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Explore the creative present of New Bedford. Get inspired by the city’s rich history filled with stories of whaling days, the Underground Railroad and the legendary white whale Moby Dick by Herman Melville. Find your adventure outdoors. Indulge your tastebuds in delicious ethnic cuisine and seafood.

Plan your visit at [www.destinationnewbedford.org](http://www.destinationnewbedford.org)

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