

# ART FIRST GALLERY

*Fredericksburg's oldest Artist Co-op Gallery*

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Don't forget you can

**SHOP ONLINE!**

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*Opening Reception*

*First Friday July 7th*  
6-9 pm

*Exhibit on View:*

July 6-30  
Thurs-Sun. 11am-5pm

# "As Above" a solo show by Nicole Myers

Local artist, Nicole Myers, shares a collection of all new landscapes in her third annual solo show at the Art First Gallery. Her work depicts vistas from her favorite places including, local farms and battlefields, the Shenandoah Valley and Skyline Drive as well as the Outer Banks of North Carolina. Inspired by dramatic skies in her travels, Nicole chose to highlight some memorable cloudscapes in her new works.



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AUGUST 2023

*"The Epic of Flight"*



A SOLO SHOW BY  
**JOEL SIMPSON**

## *Our 2023 Show Calendar*

|                 |   |                  |   |
|-----------------|---|------------------|---|
| <b>January</b>  | <i>Red Tag Sale</i>                                   | <b>July</b>      | <i>"As Above"</i><br>by Nicole Myers              |
| <b>February</b> | <i>Tribute to Johnny Johnson</i>                      | <b>August</b>    | <i>"The Epic of Flight"</i><br>by Joel Simpson    |
| <b>March</b>    | <i>"Spring Into Art"</i><br>an All Member Show        | <b>September</b> | <i>"Ancient of Days"</i> by<br>Gary Close         |
| <b>April</b>    | <i>"Pretty Little Things"</i><br>an All Member Show   | <b>October</b>   | <i>Patti Durbin &amp; Patricia<br/>Giovannoni</i> |
| <b>May</b>      | <i>"the Dailies"</i><br>by Ariel Freeman              | <b>November</b>  | a solo show by<br><i>Wayne Russell</i>            |
| <b>June</b>     | <i>"Water Water Everywhere"</i><br>an All Member Show | <b>December</b>  | <i>All Member Holiday<br/>Show</i>                |



# Now Accepting Applications!

Are you an active artist looking for somewhere to show and sell your work? Become a member of the Art First Gallery, Fredericksburg's oldest continuous co-op gallery.

*What's a co-op gallery?*

In our gallery, all members take equal ownership of and responsibility for the gallery, its upkeep and its longevity!

## How to Become a Member

### Prepare a portfolio

- 10 of your favorite pieces that best represent you as an artist
- Artists of all media are welcome and encouraged to apply!

### Fill out the application

- Fill out the application online at: [www.artfirstgallery.com/membership](http://www.artfirstgallery.com/membership) or pick one up at the gallery
- Send digital files of your portfolio to: [Creative@ArtFirstGallery.com](mailto:Creative@ArtFirstGallery.com)

### Membership Requirements

- \$90 monthly dues
- Docent the gallery 1 x every month
- Participate on 1 gallery committee (usually 1 x each month)
- Gallery Commission is 25%

*\*See the website or contact us for more details\**



### Interview

- Meet with a small panel of current gallery members to show off your work and get a better overview of us and our gallery.

Check out [www.artfirstgallery.com/membership](http://www.artfirstgallery.com/membership) for more!