

WS/FCS teachers display art at Delta Fine Arts

CHRONICLE STAFF REPORT

Winston-Salem Delta Fine Arts Inc., 2611 New Walkertown Road, is preparing to host a panel discussion titled "Innovations in Art Education" on Thursday, May 21 from 12:30 p.m. to 2 p.m.

This discussion will accompany Winston Salem/Forsyth County Schools' Visual Art Department's first ever Art Teachers' Exhibit featuring the work of visual art teachers throughout the county from through June 27 in the Simona Atkins Allen Gallery at the Delta Arts Center.

An opening reception was held Thursday, May 7, where teachers whose art is on display attended.

For the panel discussion, RSVP is required to nadiyah@deltaartscenter.org by today (Thursday, May 14).

Guest panelists include:

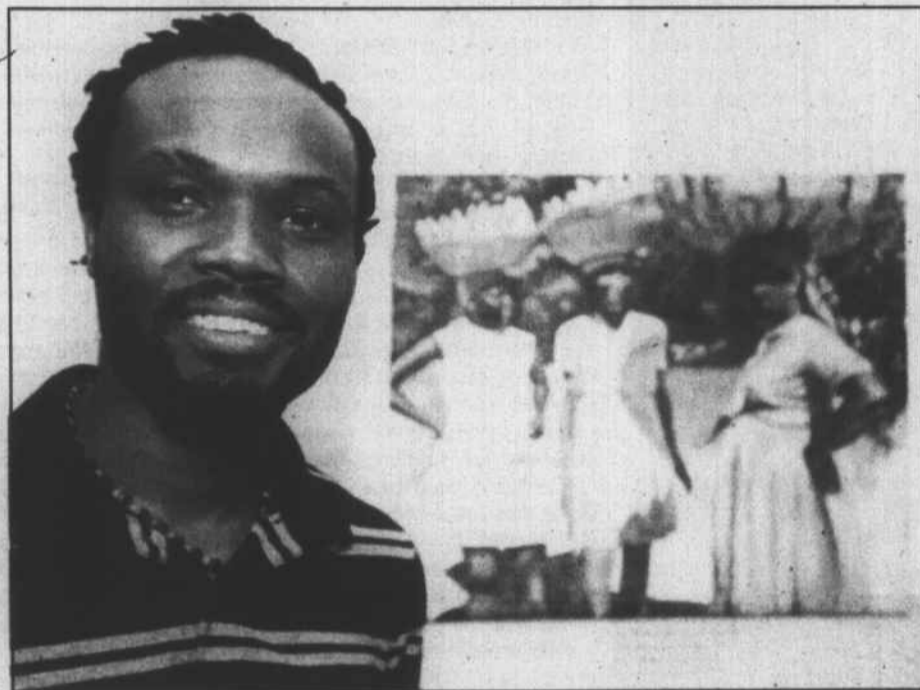
- *Karen Morris, arts coordinator at R.J. Reynolds High School
 - *Dr. AmyBith Harlee, education coordinator at RJ Reynolds High School
 - *Amanda Gordon, Arts Magnet Program at Diggs-Latham Elementary School
 - *Katherine Foster, executive director at New Winston Museum
 - *Jeri Baker, education coordinator at Delta Arts Center
- Guest moderator will be Jim Sparrow, president & CEO at Arts Council of WSFC.

Winston-Salem Delta Fine Arts is a funded partner of the Winston-Salem Forsyth County Arts Council and receives support from the North Carolina Arts Council Department of Cultural Resources and contributions of individuals.

Tours of the exhibition can be arranged by calling the center at 336-722-2625. Gallery Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. The gallery is closed every third Saturday of the month.



ARTIST: *Natasha K.W. Crisp*
TITLE: *Rest*
WORK: *ceramic clay relief, 2010*
SCHOOL: *Forest Park Elementary School*
"Creating something from nothing is kind of like my therapy," said Crisp



ARTIST: *Joseph King*
TITLE: *Jamaican Banana Woman*
WORK: *acrylic on canvas, painted 2008 **PAINTED IN JAMAICA WHERE JAMES IS FROM***
SCHOOL: *Spears Elementary School*



Wendee Haywood, teacher at North Hills Elementary School, stands before her featured 2015 oil pastel work, "Her Black on Black," as she tells the story of being upset on the day she brought the piece to life. It only took 15 minutes to complete. She cited "art as my escape."

ARTIST: *Wendee Haywood*
TITLE: *Her black on black*
WORK: *oil pastels on black canvas, 2015*
SCHOOL: *North Hills Elementary School*

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