



JUNE 1st Thursday

Use this passport as a guide to all 1st Thursday destinations. All venues are open to the public from 5-8pm.

1. DISTINCTIVE FRAMING N' ART

1333 State Street, 805-882-1058

Join us for our Grand Opening! We will be featuring local artist Chris Potter. Potter grew up in Santa Barbara and has developed a fascination for the beauty of the area. Come and meet the artist and view his amazing works of Santa Barbara and the surrounding wonders of our coast! Refreshments will be served.

www.distinctiveframingandart.com

2. SANTA BARBARA FRAME SHOP & GALLERY

1324 State Street, Suite J, 805-729-2184

Showcasing the work of artist Rima Muna. Her abstract paintings are influenced by her love of travel and the diverse cultural background she grew up in. She earned a Masters in Education degree in Art at UCSB. Come see her work and enjoy coffee from Renaud's Patisserie.

3. SULLIVAN GOSS – AN AMERICAN GALLERY

7 & 11 East Anapamu Street, 805-730-1460

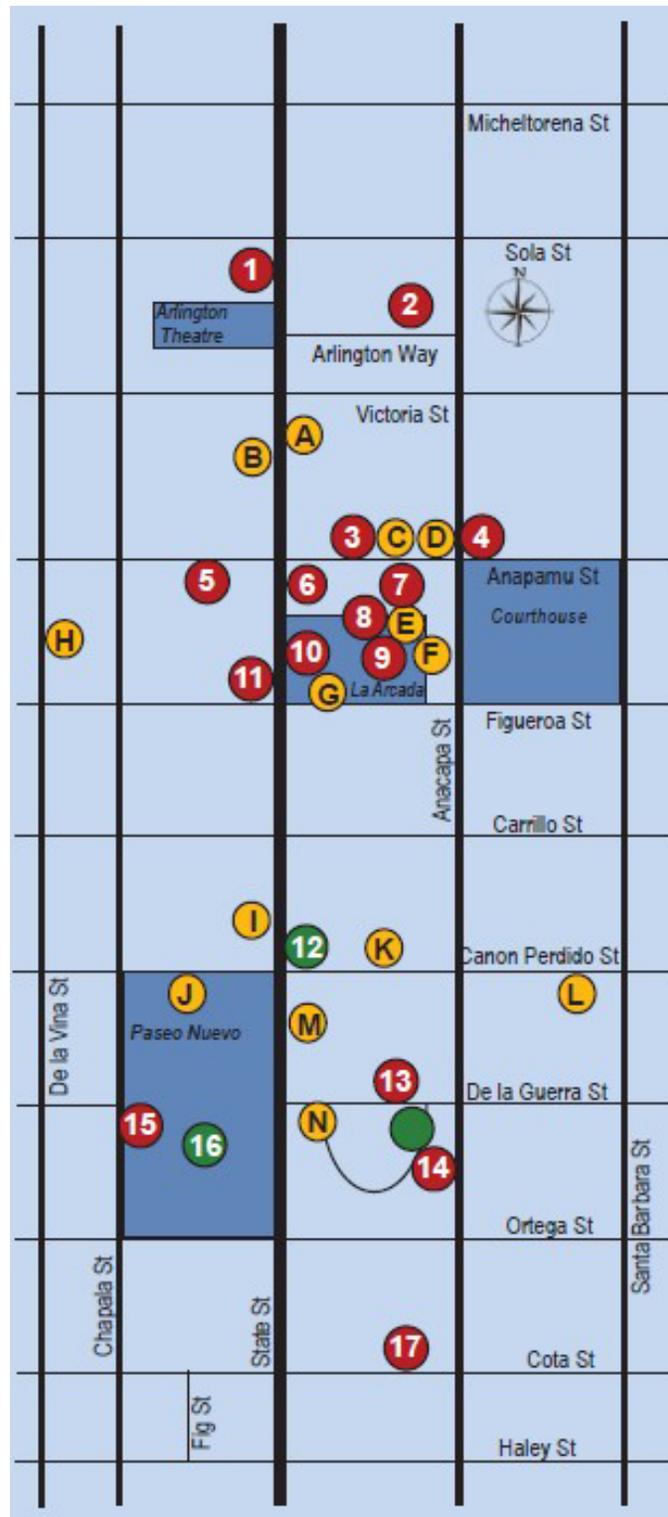
Celebrating the opening of two new shows this month. For her fifth solo show at Sullivan Goss, Angela Perko brings a new group of landscapes, still lifes, architectural scenes and figurative pieces in her unique and iconic style. We also celebrate the second *10 under 30* exhibition, with 10 emerging artists under the age of 30 demonstrating the diversity and vibrancy of contemporary art on the West Coast. Also on view: *Andrew Wyeth: American Master* and *Along El Camino Real: Edwin Deakin's Twenty-One Missions in Watercolor*.

4. CHANNING PEAKE GALLERY

105 East Anapamu Street, 805-568-3990

Featuring W. Dibblee Hoyt's *Far Reaches* exhibition. The County Arts Commission presents an exhibition of images, juried by Brett Leigh-Dicks, including former students of Dibblee Hoyt, as well as Hoyt's own series of photographs. His works document the cowboy/ranch life of Rancho San Julian, a film shoot of *Steal Big, Steal Little* and travels throughout Russia. Hoyt is a photojournalist, writer and mentor teacher, who taught at Allan Hancock College and was a founding member of many of the camera clubs in North County and inspired many of his students to become photographers.

www.sbartscommission.org



5. ARTAMO GALLERY

11 West Anapamu Street, 805-568-1400

Presenting the surreal-fantastic work of well-known Hungarian artist András Györfi with his first solo exhibition in the U.S., *My Own Paradise*. In his work, which shows a reminiscence to medieval tableaux with a witty or even satirical touch, the artist defends his personal paradise, his garden of Eden, his place to live and love, against foreign occupation, crusaders and intruders from the modern outside world. He lets the viewer dive into a different and strange new world of phantasy gardens with red spheres everywhere, turning him into Alice in Györfi's wonderland. www.artamo.com

6. SANTA BARBARA MUSEUM OF ART

1130 State Street, 805-963-4364

Featuring a wood trunk show by Eilam Byle. This member of the Ojai Studio Artists group presents stunning functional art pieces, including furniture and hollow forms and vessels, much made from urban reclaimed lumber.

Family 1st Thursday: Bring the whole family to enjoy 1st Thursday together in SBMA's Family Resource Center, located across from the Museum Café on the Lower Level. Reimagine some of Santa Barbara's most stunning geography by rendering rolling hills, pale skies and towering oaks in pastel, inspired by the *California Dreaming* exhibition. 5:30–7:30 pm.

California Dreaming: Plein-Air Painting from San Francisco to San Diego: presents a selection of early 20th century paintings that celebrate the specific topography and climactic effects associated with the regional landscape from San Francisco to San Diego. www.sbma.net

7. FAULKNER GALLERY AT THE SANTA BARBARA PUBLIC LIBRARY

40 East Anapamu Street, 805-962-7635

The Santa Barbara Art Association presents a juried show of artwork by its members in a variety of media. Open during library hours. www.sbpblibrary.org

8. SANTA BARBARA ARTS

1114 State Street Suite #24, 805-884-1938

Featuring historic photographs of Santa Barbara dating as far back as 1890. See images of State Street with horses and buggies, *The Flying A Studio*, The Potter Hotel and much more. A great collection of days gone by. Wine will be poured by Grassini Family Vineyards. www.sbarts.net

9. GALLERY 113

1114 State Street #8, in La Arcada Court 805-965-6611
Artist of the Month, Erica Shaw's show *Music and Mind* gives a sneak peek into the space between ideas and creation. The theme is such that each piece is as unique as a thought. Bold, colorful, imaginative and deep, this body of modern art is a must see. The featured artists are Carolyn Croxford, Sue Slater, Michael Fisher, Carrie Gordon, Ali Shahrouzi, Suemae Willhite and Jenny Zur. www.sbartassoc.org

10. OLIVER & ESPIG

1108 State Street, in La Arcada Court, 805-962-8111
Featuring the astonishing and magical artwork of Marivonne LaParliere. French born award winning and internationally acclaimed artist, LaParliere captures the imagination with her beautiful rendered acrylic paintings on 3-Dimensional furniture objects. Also featured is Kestas furniture designer and master wood carver. www.oliverandespig.com

11. BELLA ROSA GALLERIES

1103-A State Street, 805-966-1707
Featuring *In Shock* by Sharon Schock. Schock is a California based artist known for her bold, colorful urban landscapes. Completing one new painting every day, painting this way keeps her paintings loose and lively. Her chosen subject matter is a mix between landscapes and cityscapes, a little bit of everything, tall palm trees contrasted against the sky, seaside cliffs, adorable bright buildings, quaint little towns. Sharon's goal is to isolate and build upon things that she finds beautiful, things that others may have overlooked. Share some wine and support the Breast Cancer Resource Center of Santa Barbara. www.bellarosasb.com

12. DAVID COURTENAY

900 State Street, Marshall's Patio
Singer, guitarist and composer David Courtenay began his music career here in Santa Barbara at the age of 17, putting together a band and playing venues all over the city. His music has since taken him to L.A., where he recorded his debut album as a solo artist and filmed his first music video, to Chicago, where he formed a new band and toured all over the country. He returned to his hometown of SB in 2012 and has been playing his unique blend of rootsy rock, funk, and reggae at festivals, wineries and night clubs all around the area. He's about to release a new CD and two new music videos. www.DavidCourtenay.com

13. JAMES MAIN FINE ART

27 East De la Guerra Street, 805-962-8347
Recent Additions: A collection of works by early California artist. Featuring etchings by Edward Borein and Carl Oscar Borg. Impressionist paintings by Fernand Lungren, Ray Strong, William Ritschel, Thomas McGlynn, John Wesley Cotton and others. www.jamesmainfineart.com

14. ART IN THE MAYORS OFFICE

City Hall, 735 Anacapa Street
Mayor Helene Schneider with support from the Santa Barbara Arts Collaborative will be opening the ninth in a series of rotating exhibitions in her office of artwork by regional artists. This round's theme was *Alternative Viewpoints*. The Mayor's office will only be open from 5-6pm on 1st Thursday for public viewing. www.sbartcollaborative.org

15. SANTA BARBARA CONTEMPORARY ARTS FORUM

653 Paseo Nuevo, Upper Arts Terrace, 805-966-5373
Featuring in the Forum Lounge: *Robbinschilds, I Came Here On My Own*. Moving towards more conceptual themes in their new work, the New York-based Robbinschilds draws from an archetypal allegory known as *Man Alone*, which the duo encountered during their residency in New Zealand. Through video installation and performance, Robbinschilds exchanges the *man* with *woman* in a feminist reworking of the estranged mythic tale. 5pm Happy Hour. 7pm Performance. www.sbcaf.org

THE ART CRAWL

735 Anacapa Street
The Santa Barbara Arts Collaborative will lead a curated Art Crawl through the 1st Thursday festivities. The curator for the Art Crawl is Sophie Leddick from the Contemporary Arts Forum. This month the Art Crawl will start at 5:30 in de la Guerra Plaza on the back steps of City Hall. www.sbartcollaborative.org



16. SOLSTICE WORKSHOP STATION

Paseo Nuevo Center Court
Come by the Solstice Workshop Station to see what this year's parade has to offer while putting your creativity to work with a fun art project. This year's theme is *creatures* and the parade will be held on June 22nd. www.solsticeparade.com

17. GALLERY 27 AT BROOKS INSTITUTE

27 East Cota Street, 805-690-4913
The Dialect of Form: Body Language & Photography
Our Body Language serves as an often uninhibited expression of our thoughts and feelings, conscious or not, creating a visual dialect from the time and culture we are apart of. This group exhibition of photography explores the ever-evolving relationship photography has with the body. www.facebook.com/brooksgallery27

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JUNE 1ST THURSDAY PARTNERS

A. METROPOLITAN

1226 State Street, 805-845-7571

David Kafer is a recent graduate of the Master of Fine Arts Program at Brooks Institute. His images undertake an exploration of that which is beneath the level of consciousness and the ways in which the unconscious mind both stimulates and smothers conscious experience. Through the process of building and photographing environments he creates representations of his psychological state. www.metropolitansb.com

B. ART & SOUL OF SANTA BARBARA

1221 State Street #7, 805-722-5054

This beautiful new gallery is featuring artist Chris Potter and music by Spencer Vincent. Come by to enjoy wine, music, arts and crafts and let the celebration continue at Art & Soul!

C. THE BOOK DEN

15 East Anapamu Street, 805-962-3321

Meet author Fred Nadis who will discuss and sign copies of his new book, *The Man from Mars: Ray Palmer's Amazing Pulp Journey*. Palmer was a hustler, a trickster, a visionary and the legendary writer and editor who ruled over America's fantasy and supernatural pulp journals in the mid-twentieth century. Fred Nadis is a visiting assistant professor of American studies at Doshisha University in Japan. Previously, he worked as a freelance journalist, publishing articles in the *Atlantic Monthly* and other magazines. www.bookden.com

D. COFFEE CAT

1201 Anacapa Street, 805-962-7164

Presenting local photographer Peter Price. *Shine* is an exhibition of his photographs printed on aluminum. Alluring colors bend, shimmer and shine, calling to mind iridescent creatures. Striking black and white images take on a new and intriguing patina. This month's theme, *Summer Solstice Celebration* is represented by the striking photograph *Sol Eclipsed*. Price provides a deft, varied and crowd-pleasing exhibition in this still evolving medium. Enjoy the famous Coffee Cat ambiance with drinks and food while you visit. www.pewterchrome.com

E. ENCANTO

1114 State Street #22 La Arcada Court 805-722-4338

Featuring a jewelry trunk show: *June Invitational*. Come meet local jewelers and marvel over their artistry. Vino and live jazz from the *Bue Moon Quartet* will be served from 6-8pm. www.studioencanto.com

F. CIELITO RESTAURANT

1114 State Street in La Arcada, 805-965-4770

Kim Snyder will be showing a select collection of her original oil paintings and prints illustrating surrounding beauty of the area for one special evening at Cielito. Enjoy our Latin and authentic Mexican flavors and be serenaded by the mastery of Flamenco Latino Guitar, Guitarist Tony Ybarra. If Santa Barbara were a movie, Tony Ybarra would conduct the score. Come and celebrate! www.cielitorestaurant.com

G. ISABELLA GOURMET FOODS

5 East Figueroa Street, 805-585-5257

Join us for our Grand Opening kickoff, featuring the sensual and alluring artwork of Carlos Mascherin. Newly opened, Isabella Gourmet Foods is downtown's only boutique artisan grocery, highlighting the local food community with thoughtfully chosen organic and small batch products from kitchens and farms along the Central Coast and select goods from the Napa/Sonoma region, the Northeast and abroad. www.isabellagourmetfoods.com

H. GARDEN COURT

1116 De La Vina Street, 805-884-0095

The first floor of Garden Court, a senior housing community, will be showing art from residents, family members and friends in a show called *Art for the Ages*. The definition of art will be rather broad, showcasing the creative spirit of our residents and community partners. This can be anything that they have created that they are proud of, which is their art including drawings, oil and watercolor paintings, photography, sculpture and life time accomplishment displays. There will be live music by the *Glendessary Jam Band* and resident musicians in the courtyard, fresh lemonade, wine and beer. www.gardencourt.org

I. PLUM GOODS

909 State Street, 805-845-3900

Featuring a new collection of work from Santa Barbara's Tami Snow. Snow's work is defined by a confident use of line, color and form, expressing a sense of optimism that is paramount to the spirit of the art and the artist. Everyday life is represented in a range of multi-media techniques to create works of art at home in every environment. Meet the artist and join the Plum Party! www.plumgoodsstore.com

J. IMAGINE

11 West Canon Perdido, 805-899-3700

Proud to feature local metal sculptor and designer Erin Boehme. Boehme's gift for recycling and reclaiming material for art allows the playful whimsy of a wire bird or animal to come to life. Come meet Boehme and her menagerie of wire sculpture.

K. CASA MAGAZINE

23 East Canon Perdido Street, 805-965-6448

Celebrating *Life in Paradise* and 20 years of arts coverage at *CASA Magazine*. Join the CASA team for a 20 year birthday party including wonderful 2-D and 3-D work by a few of Santa Barbara's talented artists. Enjoy music with Harold Kono and our poetry wall curated by Carol DeCanio. Celebratory refreshments and libations. www.casasb.com

L. SOJOURNER CAFE

134 East Canon Perdido Street, 805-965-7922

Featuring singer songwriter, Lainey Taylor from Ventura, Solstice Archival posters and wine tasting. Join us before, during or after your evening out. www.sojournercafe.com

M. 33 JEWELS AT EL PASEO

814 State Street, 805-957-9100

Actress Belinda Montgomery, *Doogie Howser, M.D.*, *Miami Vice*, *TRON: Legacy*, is also an accomplished artist! Her Santa Barbara debut *Scenes from An Actor's Studio* showcases works of gorgeous vistas from Paso Robles to Los Angeles in oil, acrylic and watercolor. Join Belinda for drinks and refreshments. www.33jewels.com

N. INDUSTRY HOME

740 State Street Suite #1, 805-845-5780

Presenting artist Leslie Lewis Sigler and the art of the family heirloom. Silverware, china and tools are often the focus of Siglers work. The paintings aim to provoke memories, start conversations and explore the lineage that connects us all. Stop by to see how these pieces are given new life and perspective through art! Local beer and wine will be served. www.industry-home.com



www.SantaBarbaraDowntown.com