



THIS CENTURY ART GALLERY

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THIS CENTURY ART GALLERY'S ART EDUCATION CENTER RELOCATING TO EXPANDED FACILITY IN CITY ARTS DISTRICT

Effective, March 3rd, This Century Art Gallery's Art Education Center will relocate its one classroom facility from Williamsburg Crossing to 110 Westover Avenue. The new location will include additional classrooms to expand the arts education programs, house staff offices, and eventually incorporate a small gallery or display space.

Michael Kirby, Board President, stated that "The Westover Avenue facility will be an interim move for the Art Education Center and the Gallery until This Century Art Gallery has the resources to build a Community Arts Center to house all programs on Paper Mill Creek on South Henry Street. The North Boundary Street location will continue as the main gallery space, displaying local, visiting, and student art."

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The Gallery's new executive director, Kerry Mellette, acknowledged the GT Brooks family, stating that "The GT Brooks family's contributions to this effort made the expanded relocation possible. The expanded space will allow us to respond to the community's growing interest in a wide variety of art education classes."

In addition to offering more classes and workshops to the schedule, we will now be able to start new programs for both adults and youth. The annual Kids' Art Day, which is a free community outreach event of fun-filled, hands-on, creative art activities for children, will be the first event held at the Art Center's new location on Saturday, March 19, from 9 a.m. to noon. An Open House highlighting summer classes and Summer Art Camp for Kids (SACK) will be held in early June.

The Art Education Center will be the first business to relocate in the city's recently approved Arts District and meets the ordinance requirements to qualify for the District's economic incentives. "The City welcomes TCAG's classroom space to the newly designated Arts District," stated Mayor Clyde Haulman. "This is an excellent example of the type of business we would like to attract to the City."

This Century Gallery is a non-profit organization that presents and promotes high quality arts and crafts through regular exhibits, lectures, workshops, and art classes for the enrichment of the Williamsburg community. For more information on This Century Art Gallery and its classes and programs, please visit our website at www.thiscenturyartgallery.org or call 757-229-4949.