

The Curated “Front Wall”

The Art Initiative’s “Front Wall” grids are reserved for curated exhibits. Themes and artists are selected by the Initiative’s co-curators or in collaboration with juried show judges.

Besides an invitation, what does it take to become a “front wall” artist? Fresh ideas and professionalism in presentation are key.

A great way to get inspired is by joining one of the local art or photography groups and attending their meetings (see contact info in this brochure). Also, attending art events in the area such as the annual FAACE Artist Studio Tours, usually held in the spring, or the Magnolia Arts Festival, held in October.

One of the most important missions of Peachtree City Library’s Art Initiative is to build community for local artists and to showcase local art.

Honey Corbin
Curator/Administrator
Peachtree City Library
Art Initiative



All artists whose work is in the montage on the front of this brochure have been featured in curated shows, left to right from top left: Mia Broder, Michael Ottensmeyer, Meihua Lu, Pam Green, Jim Mashburn, and Michael Sawecki

Art in the library — Our short history

Peachtree City Library’s Art Initiative will see its seventh year in 2022 under the leadership of fine artist Honey Corbin. Joining in 2021 to assist with the program is artist Andrea Boswell.

Fayette Society of Fine Art and Newnan-Coweta Art Association had long had a standing arrangement with the Library for exhibit space, but the space allotted seemed meager once the library was expanded to its current 30,000 sq. ft. in 2005. What if others besides these two groups were invited in? Thus was born the idea of curated shows.

In 2016, the library was eager to see an expanded effort to showcase local, regional, and perhaps even national artists in the library. Former Librarian Rebecca Watts spearheaded the initiative to bring utilize the library wall space and bring in even more art to the attention of the public.

Early input and discussions also included local fine art photographer and teacher Donna Rosser, who suggested the library’s first “Tape Up” photography show.

Within a few years, with the support of both the Friends of the Library and library administration the amount of exhibit space in the library expanded and the sense of community among local artists grew.

The Art Initiative has proven that art in the library works — and it is yet one more reason Peachtree City Library is a great destination!

TAKE THE ART TOUR

at Peachtree City Library
with The Art Initiative



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Six exhibits throughout the year — showcasing nearly 100 works with each new show

Take the Art Initiative's Self-Guided Tour!

1 Teaser Triangles Can you find the three triangle tower grids scattered about the library? Each of our association partners claims one tower for smaller works.

2 Front Wall Curated Show
Our art administrators curate exhibits on this wall throughout the year (by invitation only).

3 Fayette Society of Fine Art
Most often two artists will be represented with each of "SOFA's" six exhibits during the year. <https://fsofa.org>

4 Peachtree City Photography Club
Generally, half a dozen photographers feature here for each exhibit. <https://meetup.com/Peachtree-City-Photography-Workshop-Meetup/>

5 Display Case Curated exhibits of three-dimensional art or collections may be displayed in this case. (Exhibits may run longer than two months.)

6 Circulation Desk for overflow
You may see works from one of our guest artist's in this area.

7 Newnan-Coweta Art Association
Five grids beyond the Circulation Desk plus space on both sides of the divider wall on the main aisle opposite the Reference Desk. Find them online: <https://newcaa.com>

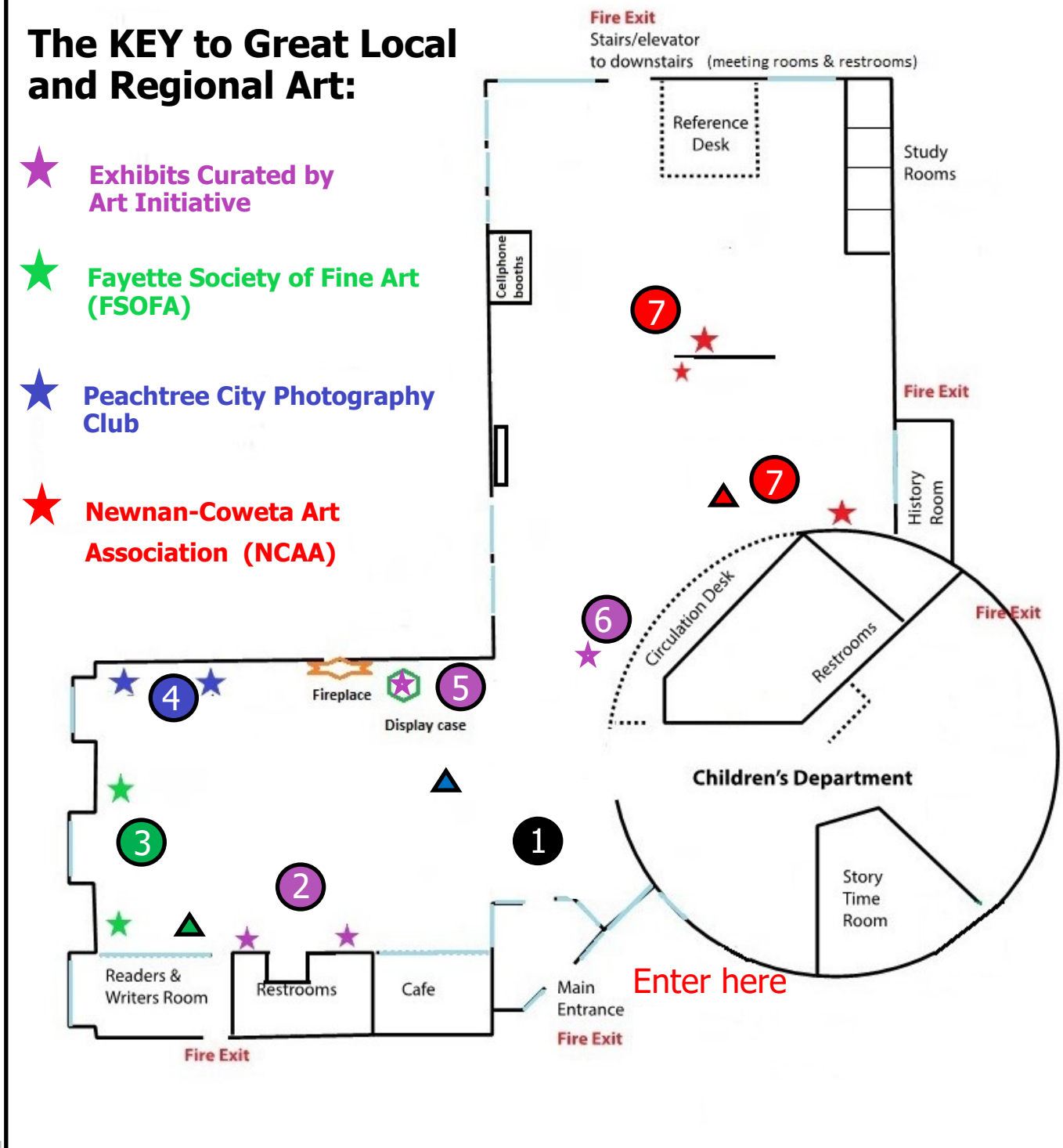
The KEY to Great Local and Regional Art:

★ Exhibits Curated by Art Initiative

★ Fayette Society of Fine Art (FSOFA)

★ Peachtree City Photography Club

★ Newnan-Coweta Art Association (NCAA)



We wish to thank the Friends of the Peachtree City Library for their support of the PTC Library Art Initiative.