

PRESS RELEASE
September 27, 2011
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Event: Court House Cultural Center 21st Annual Juried Exhibition
When: Exhibit continues through Thursday, November 17, 2011
Where: Court House Cultural Center, 80 E. Ocean Blvd., Stuart, FL
Who: The Arts Council, Inc.

Stuart, FL: The Arts Council is proud to announce the award recipients for the Court House Cultural Center 21st Annual Juried Art Exhibition. Members of the Board of Directors, Gallery Committee, and many artists, Arts Council members, and guests were among the 200 art enthusiasts who attended the opening reception on Friday, September 23, 2011. The juror and Florida artist for the exhibition, Jill Cannady, was also present at the reception.

Awards were presented to the following artists:

Best of Show: Black & White Series # 12 – Carol Staub

1st Place: Royal Wedding Fever 1 – Andrea Hamilton

2nd Place: “Mist over the Canal” – Chris Kling

3rd Place: “Rocks Rule” – Elizabeth Huggins-Thompson

Honorable Mention awards:

“Bike and a Boat” – Maria Miele

“Beleuthahachee” – Petey Cox

“Vaca de Columbia” – Gisela Hunnicutt

The exhibition continues until November 17, 2011 at the Court House Cultural Center, 80 E. Ocean Blvd., downtown Stuart. Gallery hours are Monday – Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. The exhibit is open to the public for viewing.

The exhibit is presented by the Court House Cultural Center Gallery Committee and Co-chairs Maggie Griner, Cheryl Ritland, and Noreen Sherman.

The Arts Council is the designated local arts agency for Martin County. The Arts Council provides services to visual and performing artists, arts organizations, students and the public and strives to instill a passion for and participation in the arts. For more information, please call 772-287-6676 or visit www.martinarts.org. The Arts Council is sponsored in part by the Florida Department of State, Division of Cultural Affairs, the Florida Arts Council, the National Endowment for the Arts, the City of Stuart, Martin County Board of County Commissioners, and private contributions.

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L-R front: Jill Cannady, Chris Kling,
Elizabeth Huggins-Thompson, (back)
Jim Simoneau