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## 6 things to do this weekend in Greensboro

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After the holiday slowdown, events and activities have begun to pick up again in Greensboro. Take in some art shows, go skating or enjoy some live music. Here is a sample of what's happening.

### Piedmont Winterfest



Enjoy ice skating for a few more weeks this season in downtown Greensboro.

Piedmont Winterfest runs through Jan. 31 at 123 W. Lewis St. in the Southend.

The rink's capacity has been reduced this year from 100 to 40 to allow for social distancing.

Tickets are \$12, which includes skate rental. Masks are required.

Saturday is Sponsor Night, with raffles and prizes during the noon, 2 and 4 p.m. sessions.

Make reservations and find more details at **[piedmontwinterfest.com](https://www.piedmontwinterfest.com)**.

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## Trial by Fire at The Blind Tiger



Journey tribute band Trial by Fire will return to The Blind Tiger, 1819 Spring Garden St. for a 7 p.m. show on Saturday.

Trial by Fire previously had performed there in August (pictured above).

The venue will open its doors at 6 p.m. There will be no opening act.



Tickets will range from \$10 in advance with a hotdog basket, to \$100 for a reserved table for four.

Go online to **theblindtiger.com** for tickets and more information.

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## Alexis Lavine's watercolors



Artist Alexis Lavine displays her recent watercolors at The Artery Gallery, 1711 Spring Garden St., through Jan. 23.

Among paintings in the "Seeing Eye to Eye" exhibition is the one above, "Toppa the Eighth," representing people at a Greensboro Grasshoppers game.

Visit the "Seeing Eye to Eye" exhibition in person from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, or 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

Or see it online on the gallery's Facebook page at **[www.facebook.com/ArteryGalleryGreensboro](https://www.facebook.com/ArteryGalleryGreensboro)**.



Watch the opening reception via Zoom at 7 p.m. Friday by visiting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86732732247>. View exhibition paintings and learn about Lavine's process.

ALEXIS LAVINE, PROVIDED

## GreenHill's Winter Show



Artist Lauren Worth's mixed collage on canvas is among pieces on display at the Winter Show of GreenHill Center for North Carolina Art.

The 41st annual show runs through Feb. 7 at the GreenHill gallery in the Greensboro Cultural Center, 200 N. Davie St.

The gallery is open from noon to 5 p.m. Wednesday through Saturday. Admission is free; artwork is for sale.

Advanced registration is not required, but visits will be spaced for social distancing.



Go to **greenhillnc.org** to view the show's catalog and learn more.

GREENHILL CENTER FOR NORTH CAROLINA ART, PROVIDED

## Exhibitions at UNCG's Weatherspoon Art Museum



UNCG's Weatherspoon Art Museum will open three exhibitions this winter that tap the museum's collection to explore looking.

The first, "Markmaking," runs through April 3.

The artworks show a plethora of approaches to markmaking, a term used to describe the different types of lines, scratches, smudges, patterns, dots, and textures that result from the way an artist applies a material, such as graphite or paint, to a surface.

The untitled image above by Charles Clough comes from the museum's Dorothy and Herbert Vogel Collection: Fifty Works for Fifty States.

The museum is open to the public with updated hours, capacity limitations to encourage social distancing, and increased health and safety procedures including required face coverings.

Admission is free. Go to **[weatherspoonart.org](https://weatherspoonart.org)** to learn more.

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## Cooper inauguration ceremony



If you're at home on Saturday morning, UNC-TV Public Media North Carolina will broadcast the swearing-in of Gov. Roy Cooper and the Council of State at 10 a.m. on UNC-TV's main channel.

It will be followed by Cooper's second inaugural address.

The broadcast also will be livestreamed on UNC-TV's website at **[www.unc.tv/watch/watch-live-now](https://www.unc.tv/watch/watch-live-now)**.

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