

Everyday Moments

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The Society of Bluffton Artists presents "Everyday Moments," a collection of original pastel and oil paintings by local artist Shirley Good Bacher, on display from February 3 through March 1.

"I am endlessly inspired by what we generally think of as everyday and commonplace," says Shirley. "Whether it be a gorgeous sunset, a beautiful old city, children playing, a quiet garden, street musicians entertaining the public and each other, I love it and can't resist trying to capture it in a painting." And capture it she does with quiet competence and grace in her brush and pastel strokes that transport the viewer to these places and moments of beauty.

Shirley Good Bacher was born in Beaumont, Texas. During her school years she won numerous state and international awards for her artwork. She was also an avid tennis player who discovered she enjoyed teaching the game as much as playing it. The result was an absence from the art world for 25 years while she taught tennis and became the owner/operator of her own tennis club. Now retired from the tennis world and living in Bluffton, she is delighted to have the opportunity to again enjoy the thrill of creating art.

Shirley currently works primarily in pastel and oil in a style she calls "contemporary representational"

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