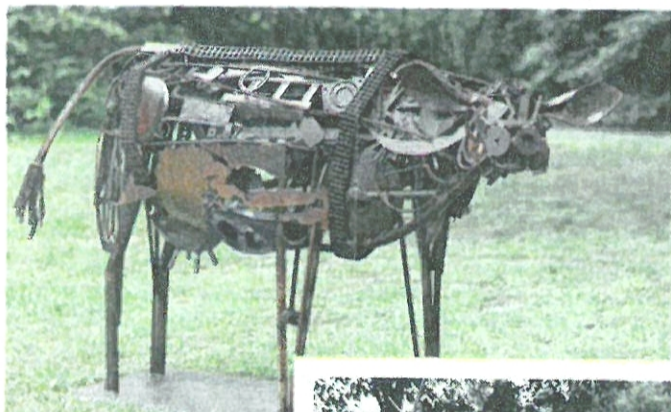




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Above, Sarah Palmer, 9, has her photo taken by her mother, Renee, on June 7 inside artist Mike Richardson's Blue Collar during the Willow Walk art festival in Willowbrook Park in Burlington. Left, the art piece "Appalachian Spring" by Charles Pilkey is shown. Below, "Cow" by Jonathan Bowling is shown. Bottom left, "SC Death Star Palm" by Mike Richardson will be displayed in Burlington. Bottom right, "Let's Fly A Kite" by Jordan Parah will be shown in City Park, Burlington.



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Willow walk sculptures will find new homes

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The biennial Willow Walk featured the work of more than 35 artists and 100 pieces of art, including several purchased by or gifted to local municipalities.

The pieces of art will be displayed in various Burlington, Graham and Mebane parks and buildings, with other locations yet to be determined. A series also will be displayed at Glen Raven's Community Park.

A number of the pieces were gifted to the municipalities through funds from the Alamance County Arts Council, New Leaf Society, Glen Raven Inc., Alamance County Convention & Visitors Bureau and Carolina Biological Supply Co.

"New Leaf contributes to public art because we believe it's a way of enhancing the public facilities," said Kelly May of New Leaf. "So whether we put a piece in Burlington or Graham or Mebane, we believe in that program."

Gifted public art pieces:

■ Title: *Cow*
Artist: Jonathan Bowling (Greenville)

Proposed location: City of Burlington (site undetermined)

■ Title: *SC Death Star Palm*
Artist: Mike Richardson (Burlington)

Proposed location: City of Burlington (site undetermined)

■ Title: *Goats* (2 pieces)
Artist: Jonathan Bowling (Greenville)

Proposed location: Glen Raven's Community Park

■ Title: *Dogs* (4 pieces)
Artist: Jonathan Bowling (Greenville)

Proposed location: Glen Raven's Community Park

■ Title: *Rabbits* (6 pieces)
Artist: Jonathan Bowling (Greenville)

Proposed location: Glen Raven's Community Park

■ Title: *Moby*
Artist: Mike Roig (Carrboro)
Proposed location: City of Graham (site undetermined)

■ Title: *Blue Collar*
Artist: Mike Richardson (Burlington)
Proposed location: Holt City Park, Mebane

The following public art piece was purchased by the city of Burlington:

■ Title: *Let's Fly A Kite*
Artist: Jordan Parah (Green-

ville)
Proposed location: City Park, Burlington

The following public art pieces were purchased by the city of Mebane:

■ Title: *Rosa Parks Whisper Bench*
Artist: Jim Gallucci (Greensboro)

Proposed location: Mebane Arts and Community Center, Mebane

■ Title: *Ziggy - Curious Wren Series*
Artist: Jeff Hackney (Hillsborough)

Proposed location: City Hall, Mebane

■ Title: *Appalachian Spring*
Artist: Charles Pilkey (Mint Hill)

Proposed location: City Hall, Mebane