



Wolf Kahn, *Cotton Barn at Beech Island, S.C.*, 1998. Oil on canvas. Morris Museum of Art, Augusta, Georgia.

The Sand Hills Garden Club, a member of the Garden Club of America, presents *A Southern Sojourn*, a competitive flower show featuring floral interpretations of 16 paintings and 4 glass sculptures in the collection of the Morris Museum of Art.

The show will be open to the public from 2 until 5 P.M. on Wednesday, October 24, and from 10 A.M. until 5 P.M. on Thursday, October 25, 2018. Admission is free. A cocktail reception to celebrate the opening of *A Southern Sojourn* will be held on Wednesday, October 24, from 6 until 7:30 P.M. This is a ticketed event. To purchase tickets, call **Brooke Shivers at (706) 828-3867.**

The Sand Hills Garden Club was founded in 1927 and accepted into the Garden Club of America in 1929. The Morris Museum of Art, which opened to the public in 1992, is the oldest museum in the country devoted to the art and artists of the American South.

As is noted in *The Garden Club of America Flower Show and Judging Guide* (July 2017), "The purpose of a flower show is three-fold: to set standards of artistic and horticultural excellence; to broaden knowledge of horticultural, floral design, conservation, photography and other related areas; and to share the beauty of a show with fellow club members and with the public."

Similarly, The Morris Museum of Art is dedicated to encouraging artistic inquiry, providing a rich visitor experience, and exercising civic responsibility. The Morris's mission is supported by the belief that, as museum pioneer John Cotton Dana once wrote, "a good museum attracts, entertains, arouses curiosity, leads to questioning, and thus promotes learning."