



OPEN STACKS

Martha Clippinger

DATE

Artist Commissioned December 2018

Installed August 2019

LOCATION

16500 Holly Crest LN
Huntersville, NC 28078

DESCRIPTION

In *Open Stacks*, two- and three-dimensional elements combine to create a colorful mural reflecting the act of reading. Horizontal planks exist on the wall, like text on a page. Blocks of jewel-like colors leap from one plank to another, skipping from left to right and back again. The movement created by these arrangements of colors guide our eyes back and forth across the page. Where the words of a text remain fixed to the paper, our imagination transforms the author's words into visions of our own.

SELECTION PANEL

Mecklenburg County requested ASC public art staff directly select Martha Clippinger as the sole source for the public art opportunity.

FUNDING PARTNER

This project is funded through Mecklenburg County's 1% for the Arts Ordinance. ASC administers the public art program for the City of Charlotte and Mecklenburg County. Artist Selection and designs are approved by the appointed Public Art Commission.

PUBLIC ART PROGRAM

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