



FLAME RUN®

HOTSHOP AND GALLERY

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Company Backgrounder

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About Flame Run

Flame Run™, Louisville's largest contemporary glass art studio and gallery, is owned by Brook Forrest White, Jr. The renovated 12,500 square foot building at 828 East Market Street in Louisville's East Market Street Arts District showcases contemporary and original glass creations. It also includes a working glass-blowing hot shop and offers classes for beginning glass artists. Hours are: Tuesday through Saturday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and by appointment. Log on to www.flamerun.com or call (502) 584-5353 for more information.

Historical Overview

Opened by founder Brook Forest White, Jr. in 2005, the Flame Run gallery is one of the largest art-glass facilities in the country. From the art glass studio and art glass gallery tours, hot glass demonstrations, contemporary glass art exhibitions, and community classes to visiting artists' workshops, Flame Run has put Louisville on the map as a destination for contemporary glass artists, educators, and collectors. In keeping with Brook's ambitions, the studio has become a center of contemporary art glass creativity in the American heartland, a slower-paced, easier-living alternative to New York and Seattle, where the form originally developed and prospered. Flame Run boasts several resident as well as visiting artists who work at the hot shop. Flame Run is about seeing, feeling and experiencing the passion of their glass artists. At Flame Run the focus is glass.

Mission

Flame Run's mission is to share the endless possibilities of glass with the public. They accomplish this through hot glass demonstrations, visiting artists' workshops, studio and gallery tours, special events, private lessons, teambuilding seminars and studio rentals. Flame Run is putting Louisville and Kentucky on the map as a destination for contemporary glass artists, educators, and collectors.

Biography

Brook Forrest White, Jr.: Owner of Flame Run Glass Studio. White is a Kentucky Arts Council 1998 Al Smith Fellowship recipient and a juried participant of the Kentucky Craft Marketing Program. His work has also been recognized at the national level, including the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C., the Huntington (W.Va.) Museum of Art, the Asheville (N.C.) Art Museum and the Owensboro Museum of Fine Art. Brook invests himself in the magic and mystery of hot glass. He creates colorful, seductive forms with patterning that take the viewer to a fifth dimension.

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