

September 2011

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Th, Fri & Sa 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
Sun 12 to 4 p.m.

<http://www.antiochfinearts.org>

**Next AFAF Member Meeting**  
**Tues, Sep.13 6:00pm**  
**AFAF Gallery**

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

### SEPTEMBER 2011

10-Foss Guys Artist Reception  
10-Live Folk Music at the Gallery  
13- Board Mtg 6:00pm Gallery  
13-Member Mtg 7:00pm Gallery  
**23-ART AUCTION/**  
**FUNDRAISER**  
24-Wine Walk

### OCTOBER 2011

8-Live Folk Music at the Gallery  
11-Board Mtg 6:00pm Gallery  
11-Member Mtg 7:00pm Gallery  
29,30,31 - Drop off new/pick up  
old artwork, pay hanging fees

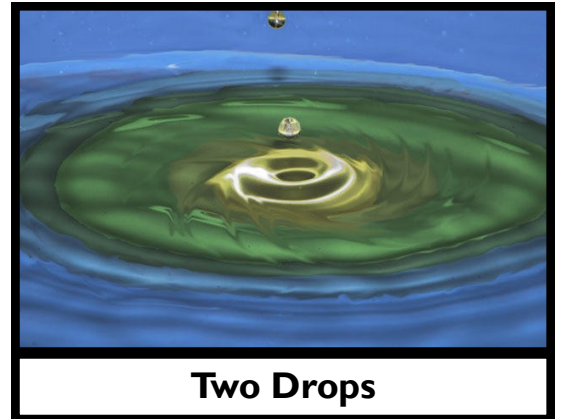
*“While there is perhaps a province in which the photograph can tell us nothing more than what we see with our own eyes, there is another in which it proves to us how little our eyes permit us to see.”*  
Dorothea Lange

## Featured Artist - White Room Show

### The Foss Guys

The father/son team of **Ted and Doug Foss** are going to have an opening at the Antioch Fine Arts Foundation on September 10, 2011. Doug is strictly photography while Ted will have both his photography and paintings on display.

**Ted** started doing professional work (with Doug's help) for over thirty years, having done food photography, giclees, landscapes, wildlife, model portfolios and general advertising work. He now owns his own advertising agency and video production company. He has also done photojournalism and has been published in both fiction and nonfiction. His favorite photography is still landscapes and wildlife.



**Two Drops**

**Doug**, on the other hand, took a hiatus from photography for a few years but has come back super strong since the advent of digital. He then decided to really part ways with his father and do abstract work, which still has Ted scratching his head. He loves to manipulate images in order to pique the viewers interest and certainly make them look twice and even three times at his work. He is often asked by other photographers how he either shot the image or his techniques in producing the final work.



**Genie 7**

Doug's website is 'fossgallery.net', Ted's is 'artbyfoss.com'.

The gallery opening is going to be on Sept 10, 2011 from 12:00 to 4:00 pm.

Refreshments will be served at that time. All are welcome

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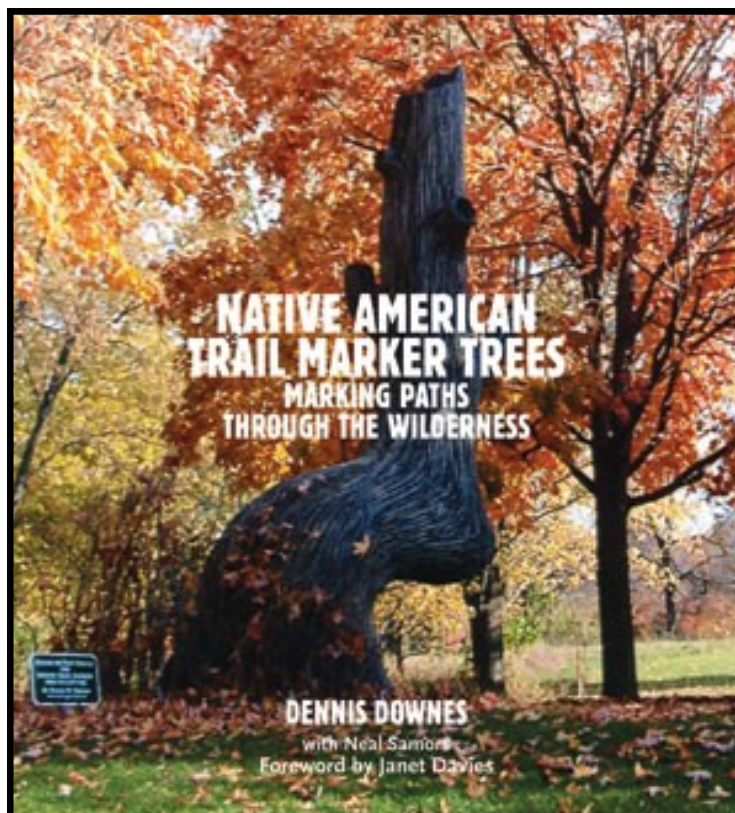
**Antioch Fine Arts Foundation** will be celebrating their 10 year anniversary at their one night fund raiser to take place on Sept 23, at the Comfort Inn and Suites in Antioch, from 5:00-8:30 pm. Many of our artists offer their work for a silent auction with the bids starting at half the price of the piece. **Dennis Downes**, a well known local artist will also be donating several pieces for the silent auction. Such a deal on beautiful, original artwork! Antioch Wine and Liquors provides several wines for the wine-tasting event. Local businesses have generously made donations for the raffle prizes. We will also be serving appetizers.

Visit our website for all the details of upcoming events. [www.antiochfinearts.org](http://www.antiochfinearts.org)

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**Dennis Downes'** research book, *Native American Trail Marker Trees: Marking Paths through the Wilderness* is finally completed! The book has been published by Chicago's Books Press and can be viewed and purchased on their website: [www.chicagosbooks.com](http://www.chicagosbooks.com). The book is 265 pages long and has over 200 photos from across the country, including a foreword from Janet Davies. It is currently available for purchase through Barnes and Noble and Amazon online. For anyone who orders the book, Dennis would be glad to sign it and write a personal note in it for you at any time in the future at a book signing, Trail Marker Tree exhibit, or art show. Just make sure to bring the book with you!

Come meet Dennis Downes at the Comfort Inn and Suites in Antioch, Sept. 23, 5-8:30 pm.



**Dennis Downes** and the Boise Basque Dancers, the Oinkari, surrounding the bronze high relief sculpture of Saint Valentin Berrio-Ochoa at St. John's Cathedral. This photograph was taken during the two day celebration denoting the installation of the bronze sculpture into the Basque Museum and Cultural Center in Boise, Idaho. This sculpture led C. L. "Butch" Otter, Governor of the State of Idaho, to officially proclaim July 29th to be *Saint Valentin Berrio-Ochoa Remembrance Day*. This special proclamation was read during the ceremony by Janet Gallimore, Executive Director of the Idaho State Historical Society.

The actual proclamation will be on display during the Art Auction and Wine Tasting on September



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In May of this year **Dennis Downes** participated in the AMDUR Productions Fine Art Show in Barrington, Illinois. This was the second year he took part in this juried, national show and both years he was awarded *Best of Show* in Mixed Media. Later this summer, Dennis was able to exhibit at the Northbrook Fine Art Show, Art in the Park for the tenth consecutive year. Dennis' work was awarded *Best of Show*, overall this year.

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**Lynne Krestan** was awarded Best in Category: 3-D Non-Functional at the David Adler Arts and Music Center's 31st Annual Festival of the Arts 2011 in August, 2011.

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Hans Hofmann, abstract expressionist painter