



Art Lines

Art Gallery & Education Center

The Antioch Fine Arts Foundation serves the community by providing education, resources and a forum for the creation and expression of the arts for members and residents in Antioch and surrounding areas.

CALENDAR

November Featured Artists' Exhibit, Dennis Boehm Gallery – Ted and Doug Foss.

November 9, Saturday – Stop in for some live music as “The Musicians” play during gallery hours.

November 9, Saturday – Join Sue Hahl’s Artist Trading Card (ATC) club – 10am to noon – see page 8 for details

November 10, Sunday – Opening Reception for November Featured Artists

November 13, Wednesday – AFAF Board Meeting – 6pm AFAF Membership Meeting – 7pm

Support Your Gallery! Nominations for Board of Director Positions Accepted

November 20, Wednesday – Brew up some great conversation at Creative Coffee... Art Show and Tell - 9:30am

November 28 – Thanksgiving – Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday.

December 2, 3, 4– Gallery changeover.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT A GLANCE

December Featured Artists – AFAF all member Small Works Show – Theme is Doors and Portals

December 7, Saturday – Holiday Party and Small Works Exhibition Reception, 12-4pm

November Featured Artists – Ted and Doug Foss

Opening Reception Sunday, November 10th, 1-4pm Ted Foss

Ted Foss has been a scientist, business man, photographer, artist (painter), writer and videographer. In his show ‘Potpourri’, he will show a little of all of these.

He has been working at photography since he was 12 yrs old and started painting much later (about fifteen years ago). He is a published author (one of his short stories will be available at the show). He loves to do portraits both in photography and painting. With very few exceptions, he paints from his own photography.

He will show videos in a viewing room and popcorn will be available . Come and see this 82 yearr-old’s work.



Doug Foss

Douglas Foss, a photographer and a computer geek. Douglas started on his photography journey at the age of seven when his father gave him a rangefinder camera.

Since then Douglas has worked on digital imagery to make his photographs come to life.

For the last few years Douglas has been exploring his black and white roots, this year is not exception.

Douglas started working on Black and White photography in the darkroom and fell in love with the results. He has decided to transfer this love into his digital portfolio.

This show is titled “The elegance of Black and White”.

AFAF & Member News

A Fantastic Evening of Art and Community came together at the Antioch Fine Arts Foundation Annual Art Auction and Fundraiser

We are fortunate to have such generous AFAF Artists who donated their artworks to the Raffle, Silent and Live Art Auction – we applaud you: Jim Brooksher, Dennis Downes, Ted Foss, Carol Giannasi, Shelly Heiss, Chuck Keller, Marjorie Krutsch, Larry Lemm, Ken Lutgen, Mary Lynnes, Lenny Lynnes, Don Muscarello, Leslie Nauta, Sunny Parenteau, Meredith Schnelle, Roger Shule, Bernita Schutte, Bev Walczak and Jana Weigel.

We are grateful to our fantastic donors and sponsors: Dennis Downes and Janelle Joseph for their benevolent gift; music by Michael Lescher; Antioch Fine Wine & Liquor; and sponsor location Anastasia's Restaurant. Thank You!

And, we extend a big Thank You to the following businesses for supporting the Arts in our Community! Please Support Them!

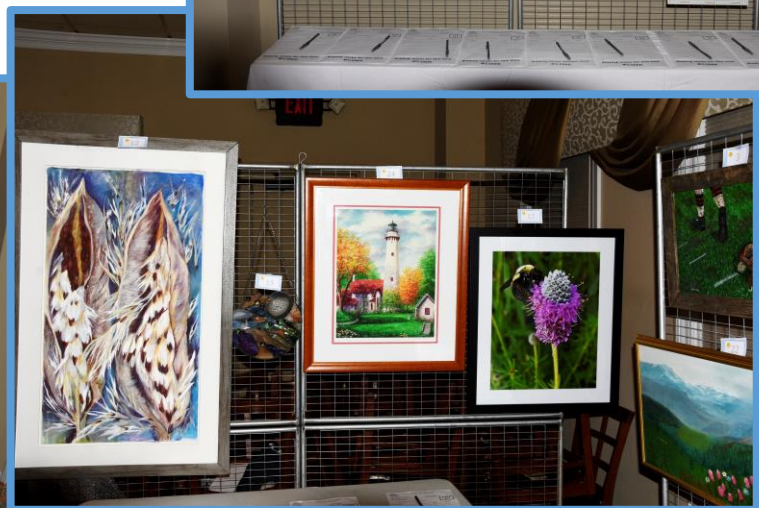
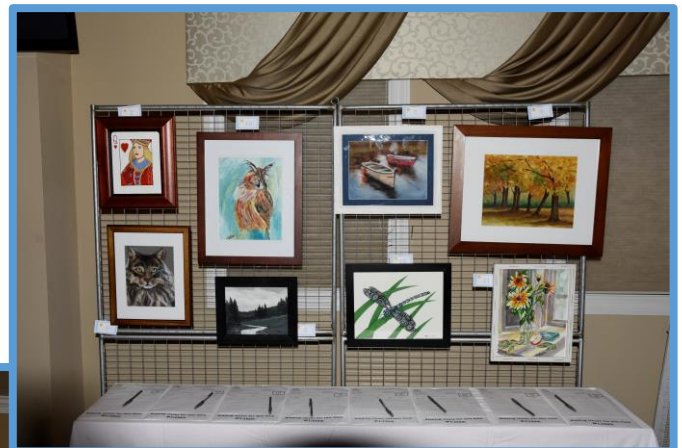
American Coins, Anastasia's Restaurant & Sports Lounge, Antioch Family Chiropractic, Antioch Fine Wine & Liquors, Antioch Fire Department, Antioch Flower Shop, Antioch Pizza Shop, Antioch Woman's Club, Blazin Ceramics, Blu Rain, Bobby's Lakeside Restaurant, Café Book, Christina Mitchell, Corniciones, Dennis Downes, Dunkin Donuts, Elite Embroidering, Floral Acres, Granny's Lakeside Diner, Impressions Count, J.J. Blinkers, Las Vegas Restaurant, Jennifer Lichter, Living Well Hair Studio, Lovin Oven Cakery, Mail Drop Shoppe, Mexican Paradise, Michael Lescher, Mirror Images, Mr. G's, Sunny Parenteau, Raymond Chevrolet, Something Sweet, Spring Valley Country Club, Stacy Iwanicki/Volo Bog, The Lodge, Vigneto del Bino, Village Bakery and Café, Waldron Construction, and Zanna Dunes.

To our Fundraiser Committee and hardworking volunteers who gave their time and effort to make this event a success...*Much Appreciation!*

We Hope Everyone Enjoyed the Evening and Found their Creative Wings!



Dennis Downes presents \$1000 combined donation from Dennis and Janelle Joseph to Angela.



AFAF & Member News

October Annual Fundraiser a Huge Success and a Good Time for All
Check out the Bonus Content to see more pics of "Creative Wings" and Fun



AFAF & Member News

Help Frame the Future of Antioch Fine Arts Foundation!

The Antioch Fine Arts Foundation Board of Directors nominations are open for the 2020 year. Nominations are accepted at the Wednesday, November 13 Meeting. Voting will be held at the December meeting.

Board Positions

Officers:

President - open
Vice president - open
Treasurer
Secretary

Committee Chairpersons:

Education Coordinator - open
Membership - open
Marketing /Administration - open
Newsletter



A BIG Call... forsmall!

The Small Works Show is a Big Deal at AFAF. This little show in December in our Dennis Boehm Gallery brings large crowds. Artists, bring in your 12"x12" (including frame) 2D or 3D art pieces by Sunday, December 1st. This year's theme is "Doors/Portals/Windows".

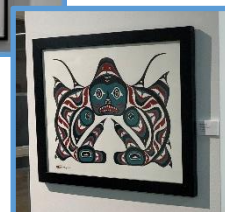
Reception, December 7th, 12-4pm

Congratulations to Cindy Trombino, Logan Ghormley, Chuck Keller and Jeff Harold

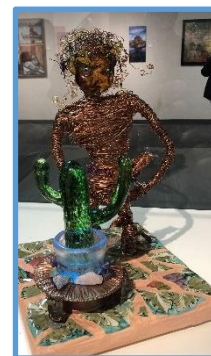
All had entries accepted to the College of Lake County's 39th Annual Juried Exhibition for Lake County Artists. The artwork is on display from Oct. 18 to Nov. 24 at the Robert T. Wright Community Gallery of Art. Chuck Keller had three pieces accepted, Jeff Harold had two, and Cindy Trombino and her son Logan Ghormley had three collaborative pieces accepted. *See their work in the Bonus Content section or visit our website AntiochFineArts.org.*



Jeff Harold



Chuck Keller



Cindy Trombino
and Logan
Ghormely

Congratulations to Chuck Keller and Jeff Harold

Both had entries accepted in the Starline Factory Fourth Friday Juried Art Exhibition and both had works purchased.

See more of the Fourth Friday fun in the Bonus Content section or visit our website AntiochFineArts.org.



Jeff Harold



Chuck Keller



Creative Coffee

Bring your latest art creations and get a bold start to your day at Creative Coffee! Enjoy great camaraderie at this "art show and tell" with a hearty brew. You don't want to miss it on **November 20 at 9:30am.**



Check Out the Bonus Content Online at antiochfinearts.org/news-2/ !!!!

From time to time we have more to show you than we have room for in the eight pages of the printed version of the monthly newsletter. The people reading the newsletter that they receive via email will be able to enjoy this additional content. You can find the email version of our newsletters at antiochfinearts.org under News.

More AFAF & Member News

Please join us in welcoming our newest Antioch Fine Arts Member: Jordan Reed

Please welcome Chuck Keller, joining Jeff Harold, to the AFAF Newsletter Team! Jana Weigel will be stepping down as Editor of the AFAF newsletter. See her farewell editorial in the Bonus Content section of the newsletter.

Want to Explore and Nurture your Creative Self?

Join Antioch Fine Arts Foundation! AFAF welcomes new and renewing Annual Memberships for 2020!

Some of the many benefits of being an AFAF member include: Opportunity to be a Featured Artist of the Month, exhibiting your art in the Gallery, informative monthly membership meetings, art demonstrations, creative workshops, and great camaraderie with art and music socials and events!

These inspiring Memberships run from January, 2020 through December, 2020. Membership forms are available at the gallery and on the website – www.antiochfinearts.org. Don't delay, register today!

October Featured Artists Mary and Lenny Lynnes ushered in autumn in a colorful way.

Their show combined a display of their distinct art visions from sports memorabilia and dramatic movement in scenery to the beautiful movement of nature and the human body.

See more of their work in the Bonus Content section or visit our website AntiochFineArts.org.

Mary Lynnes



Lenny Lynnes



Celebrating November Birthdays: Chuck Keller, Lenny Lynnes, Sunny Parenteau, Ann Buchanan, Mary Boardway.

How many famous artists can you name that were born in November? See page 8 for eight that we found.

View upcoming classes on the AFAF website www.antiochfinearts.org

Register online at www.antiochfinearts.org or at the Gallery during our business hours. For more information call the Gallery at 847-838-2274.

Classes can fill up quickly!
Please register early to ensure supplies are available and to secure your spot.

Stuff Your Creativity with an Art or Music Class!

Adult Art Exploration

This class is an introduction to various media, drawing, painting and crafts. Instruction is geared to the individual's interests and experience. Call for class availability.

Days: Tuesdays
Time: 4:00-6:00 pm
Instructor: **Sunny Parenteau**
Age: 18 years and older
Class Size: Minimum 1, Maximum 8
Fee: \$20 per artist, per class

Teen Art Exploration

This class is an introduction to various media, drawing, painting and crafts. Instruction is geared to the individual's interests and experience.

Days: Sundays
Time: 2:00-4:00 pm
Instructor: **Sunny Parenteau**
Age: 15 – 19 years
Class Size: Minimum 1, Maximum 6
Fee: \$15 per class session

Youth Art Exploration

This class is an introduction to various media, drawing, painting and crafts. Instruction is geared to the individual's interests and experience.

Days: Wednesdays
Time: 4:00 to 6 pm
Instructor: **Sunny Parenteau**
Class Size: Minimum 1, Maximum 4
Age: 10 - 14 years
Fee: \$15 per class session



Private Piano Lessons

Christina teaches students of all ages and abilities. She has taught in East Lansing, Michigan, Denver, Colorado and Antioch, Illinois. Christina holds degrees from Michigan State University as well as graduate work at Northwestern University.

Instructor: **Christina Mitchell**
Days: Tues, Thurs
Time: Tues 1:30 – 9:00 pm
Thurs 4:00 – 9:00 pm
Age:
Class Size: 1
Fee: \$25 per ½ hr

Private Guitar Lessons

Class description: Private one on one lessons with a professional guitar instructor. All ages from beginner to advanced. Classes covering a wide range of styles from Classical to blues, rock and jazz. Lessons are once a week.

Instructor: **Emric Montano**
Days: Tues, Weds and Thurs
Time: 3:00 – 8:00 pm
Age:
Class Size: 1
Fee: \$25 per ½ hr
email: emricmontano@gmail.com

Instructor: **Rick Manelis**
Days: Thurs
Time: 3:00-8:00 pm
Age:
Class Size: 1
Fee: \$25 per ½ hr
email: rick.manelis@gmail.com



The Artful Pen

Short Creative Writings

Thanksgiving Then and Now

We all look forward to Thanksgiving,
And think of our friends and family.
We have time to ponder what to bring,
Make something home made ideally.

Back then each one had their favorites,
A recipe that was perfected,
Each was delicious - a perfect fit.
The meal left us happy and well fed

Then after we eat we watch foot ball.
We all pitch in to clear the table.
But more gals than guys as I recall.
Their eyes were glued to the game on cable.

We always played a game of bunco,
And tried to win a choice grab bag gift.
To those good old days I'd like to go.
Thinking of it my mind starts to drift.

We can't go back, not all of the way,
But some of these things are still the same.
Getting together we do today,
Enjoy Thanksgiving and watch the game.

By Sue Hahl



Join our online communities and share with friends.

- Like us on Facebook!
facebook.com/AntiochFineArts
- Check out what's happening at our website!
antiochfinearts.org

Find more of The Artful Pen and Ask Arty at the Antioch Fine Arts website under the Artful Pen Creative Writings.

Ask Arty...



Dear Arty,

My photographer friend was talking about how some of the great artists used a "camera obscura" to create their paintings. What is a "camera obscura" and how is it related to art?

Thanks, Mary

Dear Mary,

"Obscura" is Latin for "dark chamber". The "camera obscura" was the forerunner of the modern camera. If you take a box and poke a pinhole in one side, the image coming through the hole is projected on the opposite side of the box. The image will be upside down and reversed from left to right. This is a practical way to view a solar eclipse without damaging your eyes. The theory behind this has been around at least since the 10th century. Artists would use this technique to improve the detail and perspective in their paintings.

In some cases we know that an artist used a camera obscura in his work (one is 18th century artist Giovanni Antonio Canal, commonly known as Canaletto) whose camera obscura is in the Museo Correr. One famous painter, Johannes Vermeer, whose portrait "Girl with a Pearl Earring" (sometimes referred to as the "Mona Lisa of the North") is suspected of using a camera obscura with a primitive lens. Part of the reason for this is the halation in Vermeer's painting that is an effect you would get with a camera obscura with a primitive lens.

Other famous artists are also suspected of using a camera obscura, including Rembrandt and Leonardo da Vinci. The camera was an aide in the accuracy of the drawing and perspective. However, this was a strange process and one artist in the 16th century was arrested and prosecuted for sorcery. Check out Shi Guorui who is a current photographer who is creating an interesting body of work using a camera obscura.

Was this cheating in creating art? Yes and no, but that's for another day.

Best, Arty



Art On-The-Wall

Check out this cornucopia of opportunities to showcase your works!

Please sign up at the gallery and contact Chuck Keller to coordinate locations at dr.ch.keller@gmail.com

Available Space	pieces	2019-20 LCAL Year											
		Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
Jack Benny Center	20-40		FMS	FMS	NA		NA	NA	SMS	SMS			NA
Lake Villa Library	7	program will most likely begin anew											
Mirror Images, Antioch	6												
State Bank of the Lakes, Antioch	5												
Heartland Bank, Antioch	8												
Antioch Dental Center	6												
Family Piano	6												
Undercroft Gallery, Waukegan	20-30												



Looks like a lot of pumpkin pie on the way to market!

Have a Happy Thanksgiving from everyone here at the AFAF Gallery!

Artist Trading Card Club

Nov 9th, at AFAF In Antioch, Illinois 9:30am--noon.

Let's get together and have some fun, And do art with a THANKSGIVING THEME Perhaps make a gift to give someone. We can work together as a team.

We meet at AFAF ,SAT.NOV.9
NEW EXTENDED HOURS
930 am to NOON
WE WILL BE PRINT MAKING.



Artist Trading Cards (ATC's) are 2 ½" by 3 ½" cards made of materials of your choice and then often traded. This is a FREE AFAF Activity for all!

Famous artists/muscians born in November include –Edouard Vuillard, Georgia O'Keefe, Henri De Toulouse-Lautrec, William Merritt Chase, Robert Mapplethorpe, Auguste Rodin, Louis Daguerre, Walker Evans

Artists, please continue to send us information on what you are up to so we can let everyone know. As we point everyone to your work, please remember to send those you meet back to the AFAF gallery to see all the work here!

AFAF Board & Committee Heads:

President - Angela S. Vitacco
Vice President – Linda Richter
Secretary - Beverly Walczak
Treasurer - Bernita Schutte
Committee Heads:
Building Maintenance Manager – Lenny Lynnes
Gallery Director – Marjie Krutsch
Gift Shoppe - Susan Hahl
Newsletter - Jana Weigel , Jeff Harold, Chuck Keller
Membership - Jana Weigel
Education Coordinator - Linda Richter
Music Director - Emric Montano
Website Administrator – Jeff Harold

Serving the arts in the community since October, 2001!
In addition to providing educational experiences and support for local artists, we are honored to support or be part of;

- Sponsoring an award at CLC's Recent Works Exhibit
- Donating to Antioch and Lakes High School
- Donating time/talent and a sponsor for Antioch Chamber of Commerce fundraisers (i.e., Dogs/Bears/Chillin/Treasures/Reflections on the Chain and Dickens Village)
- Juror the Women's Club Spring Art Show
- Donating to Save-A-Pet
- Donating to Open Arms Mission – Starving Artists Against Hunger program
- Blending Art and History Exhibition
- Exhibit in local businesses to foster appreciation and drive traffic to those locations
- Supporting Education (District 34 Event at our location)
- Promoting Art in Schools and Community (i.e., Art Crawl)
- Reciprocal Support with PM&L
- Art in the Yard & Art on the Lawn

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Gallery Hours:
Thursday - Saturday 10 am - 4 pm
Sunday 12 noon - 4 pm

A 501 (c)(3) Non-profit Foundation serving our community

Bonus Content

Letter from the Editor

Greetings good AFAP art people. I want to inform you that this November 2019 Art Lines Newsletter will be my final edition as Newsletter Editor. I have enjoyed absorbing and bringing you all the art, music and writing activities of Antioch Fine Arts Foundation for the last 6 ½ years. I have been intrigued, excited and educated on the excellent art and art happenings with outstanding artists at this fantastic Gallery and supportive community. I feel that we have shared some wonderful experiences and interactions through this vessel and I am grateful to you the reader.

I am happy to leave the Newsletter, precious to me, in good hands with Jeff Harold and Chuck Keller. Jeff has done a great job in formatting, adding new content to the newsletter and expanding the reach to our AFAP audience with the added “Bonus” section. And welcome Chuck Keller to the team! Chuck is an outstanding artist and is very engaged with AFAP. Yes, I am happy that the newsletter is in good capable hands and creative minds.

It has been a privilege to write for, and share photos to the newsletter over these years and I hope you will continue to appreciate the thought and energy that goes behind each monthly edition bringing you news of AFAP and interesting matters of the arts locally, from around the country and the world.

Signing off from the Art Lines Newsletter.... but.... still hope to see you at the Gallery!

Jana Weigel

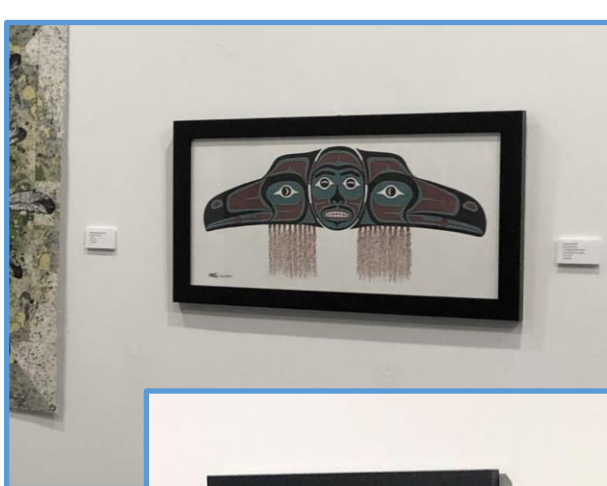
Bonus Content

More October Annual Fundraiser "Creative Wings" and Fun Pics



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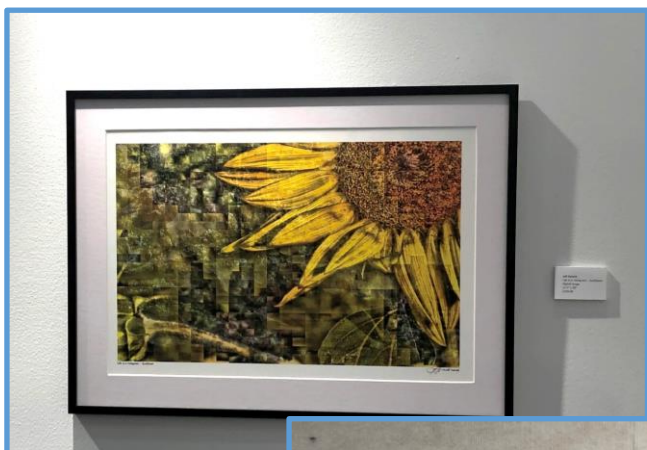
2019 Recent Works Exhibition at Robert T Wright Gallery



Chuck Keller



Cindy Trombino and Logan Ghormley

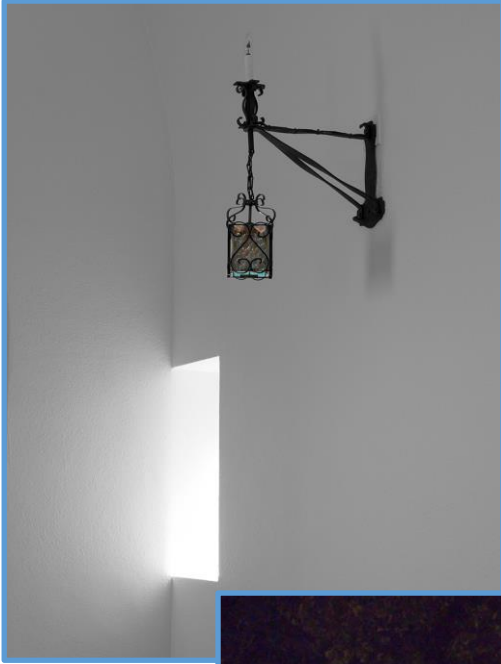


Jeff Harold

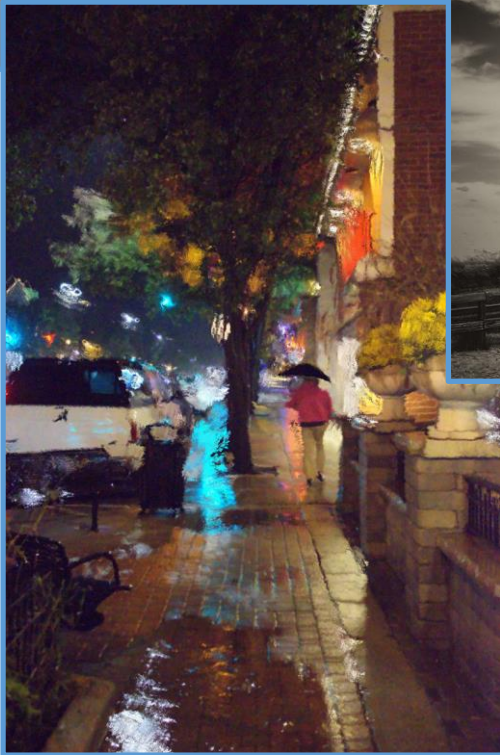


Bonus Content

Starline Factory Fourth Friday Juried Art Exhibition



Chuck Keller



Jeff Harold



Bonus Content

More work from October Co-Featured Artist – Lenny Lynnes



Bonus Content

More Artwork by the October Co-Featured Artist – Mary Lynnes

