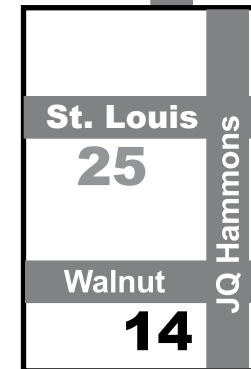
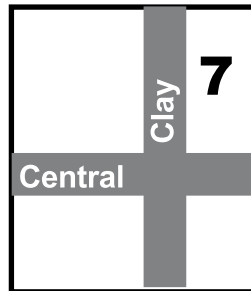


First Friday Art Walk

Art Walk is held 6-10 p.m. the First Friday of every month

www.ffaw.org



= Art Walk Gallery
 P = Free Parking

Dec. 5, 2014



1 Art Inspired, 310 S. Campbell, adjoining Springfield Hot Glass Studio, features **Art at a Bargain** for the December Art Walk. Enjoy prints and original works, all priced at \$60 and under. (417) 868-8084

2 Arts & Letters, 214 S. Campbell, presents **Construction Studies (papers)** by Gregory Benne plus a live, musical performance by **The Hamburger Cows**, and a tasting with the Leaky Roof Meadery. Artist's Incomplete Thoughts: "Paper is easy to cut fold tear combine paint. Abstraction is hard. Many of these pieces are recombined negative spaces cut from existing printed sources. Printed matter provides a cheap, easily manipulated source for colors and textures. The act of seeing and then making a "cut" is, at times, long removed from the actual construction of the collage. Additional cuts are common with time as well as edits in marker or paint. Sometimes the collages become source material for larger works. The entire process is wordless in that no reference to other objects is the goal. The works speak themselves. You may bring these references and words as a viewer, naturally." (417) 830-8186 www.artsandlettersspringfield.com

3 Blue Block Lofts, 431 S. Jefferson, Ste. 107 (Enter on Pershing) presents **Art by MSU Students** in December. Blue Block invites you to come have a cup of Joe, experience great art and see our variety of living spaces to lease, such as lofts, condos, apartments, townhomes and houses – all in the downtown and campus area. (417) 864-LOFT (5638) www.blueblocklofts.com

4 BookMarx, 325 E. Walnut St., Ste. 101, presents **Featured Artist Tom Beale**. From the artist: "My paintings are mostly tropical beach paintings. They're supposed to take you to the beach. They are supposed to make you smile, and they are supposed to let you watch all the colors of the Caribbean dance on the canvas. Hopefully, that's what these paintings do. Enjoy a little mini-vacation on me!" www.facebook.com/bookmarxbooks

5 The Creamery Arts Center, 411 N. Sherman Parkway, presents **Pop Art Remix 2** during December. The show takes inspiration from the late 1950's pop art movement, which drew heavily upon popular culture and American iconography, and gave rise to artists such as Andy Warhol, Roy Lichtenstein, and Jasper Johns. "Pop Art Remix 2" will open on First Friday Art Walk Dec. 5 with a public opening reception 6-9 p.m. (417) 862-ARTS (2787) www.SpringfieldArts.org

6 DB Design Salon & Art Gallery, 326 S. Campbell, features **Acrylics by Stevia Bonebrake, Whimsical Horse Paintings by Deborah Young and Pottery by Desiree Young**. (417) 864-4343



Discovery Center of Springfield, 438 E. St. Louis, invites you to join students and staff from Ozarks Technical Community College (OTC)

departments for First Friday Art Walk. OTC's **Honors World Music** students will highlight sustainability by showcasing musical instruments they built out of recycled materials. Students will not only demonstrate their instruments, but will also share information that will enable visitors to create their own instruments at home. Additionally, visitors will be able to enjoy **Frontiers of Exploration: The World's Fairs**. Visitors will travel back in time while also jumping into the future when visiting OTC's World's Fair exhibit. From foods to artifacts, this demonstration will display World's Fair exhibits from 1904, 1934, 1964, 1984 and 2015 while also showcasing some future innovations. 417-862-9910, ext.713 www.discovercenter.org

7 Drury Pool Art Center Gallery, 940 N. Clay St., presents **The Creative World of Synthia Saint James**, featuring the work of the renowned artist, author, speaker and educator during the Dec. 5 Art Walk. (417) 873-7263 www.drury.edu/pacgallery

8 European Café by Sweet Couture, 207 Park Central East, invites you to enjoy its artistry in edibles. www.417EuropeanCafe.com (417) 942-5055

9 Fresh Gallery, 400 W. Walnut, presents **Featured Artist Mike Maloney** in December. Mike is a bronze and pewter artist. He was born in Austin, TX, to parents who loved art and encouraged his own path. His western and wildlife sculptures range from miniature to larger-than-life size. "Reflections of Texas" has been chosen as an official commemorative sculpture for the Texas Sesquicentennial and is currently housed in the Texas State Archives. Do not miss an opportunity to see his magnificent works in person. www.freshgallery.org (417) 862-9300

10 The History Museum on the Square at the Fox Theatre, 157 Park Central Square, is proud to present **Then & Now: Downtown for Christmas**, focusing on downtown Springfield and its fabulous holiday history. Free admission during First Friday Art Walk (regular admission applies for Second Saturday.) (417) 831-1976 www.historymuseumonthesquare.org

11 IdeaXFactory, 351 N. Boonville, is **Closed for Construction** in December. http://ideaxfactory.com

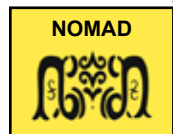
12 MSU Brick City Gallery, 215 W. Mill, presents **The BFA Senior Exhibition**, showcasing the work of 13 graduating art students in various

media. This exhibit completes the final requirements for their Bachelor of Fine Arts degrees. (417) 829-5092 http://art.missouristate.edu/148370.htm

13 MSU Center of International Programs, 301 S. Jefferson, **Will Be Closed** in December. http://international.missouristate.edu

14 MSU Student Exhibition Center, 838 E. Walnut St., will close out its 2014 season with the **Senior BFA in Studio Art Exhibition** through Dec. 12. Enjoy original works by students completing Bachelor of Fine Arts degrees in studio art at the public reception during the Dec. 5 First Friday Art Walk. (417) 836-6999 www.sec.missouristate.edu

Nomad, 318 W. Walnut next to Flame, a proud Art Walk sponsor, presents **Live Music & Original Art** for the Dec. 5 Art Walk. (417) 559-9695



15 Obelisk Home at the Inspired

Commerce Building, 214 W. Phelps, presents **Roots: The Art of Christie Snelson** in December. "My passion for painting is rooted in color. In each of these works, color is being analyzed. Studied. Creating a madness within. I am interested in color in regards to light; how certain colors can be placed next to each other to create an illusion of illumination. I am interested in how lines of color can create form and mix optically. How colors can create composition and the effect of refracted light and reflective color. These works embody what I love about painting." – *Christie Snelson* (417) 616-6488 www.obelisk-home.com

16 OTC Fine Art Gallery at The Gillioz, 325 Park Central East, Third Floor, presents The Fall 2014 Fine Arts Student Showcase, featuring artwork by OTC fine art students, as well as live music and theatrical performances. (417) 447-8975 www.facebook.com/otcfinearts and otc.edu/finearts

17 Park Central Branch Library, 128 Park Central Square, presents **The Natural World: Animals and Nature in Harmony by Elaine Johnson**, plus a First Friday Art Talk on **Revived Elements and Modern Innovations in American Southwest Pueblo Ceramics**, presented by Missouri State University art history major Allison Robbins 6-7 p.m., and hands-on art with **Bottle Cap Snowmen Ornaments**, 7-8 p.m. for all ages: Add a little frosty fun to your ornament collection by creating a bottle cap snowman. Materials will be provided. (417) 831-1342 www.facebook.com/parkcentrallibrary

18 Qdoba Mexican Grill, 401 S. Kimbrough, presents **Featured Artist Justin Gault** in December. (417)

866-1399 www.goodwillandguacamole.com

19 RSVPaint, 440 S. Campbell Ave., is proud to present **Featured Artist Connie Snelson-Luebbert** in December. Snelson-Luebbert is an internationally award-winning artist and owner of Salt and Light Studios, a graphic design firm out of Columbia, MO. With a unique twist on a traditional art form, Connie and RSVPaint present her Americanized Chinese Brush Paintings. www.RSVPaint.com (417) 413-4331.

20 Springfield Brewing Company, 305 S. Market Ave., presents **Featured Artist Kendra Miller of KwanaLee Art**, along with the **Johnny Strickler Trio** at 6 p.m. and the **Ozark Mountain Maybells** performing at 9 p.m.! (417) 832-8277 www.springfieldbrewingco.com

21 Springfield Hot Glass Studio, 314 S. Campbell Ave., invites you to enjoy **Live Crafting of Seasonal Glass Creations**, including blown glass Christmas ornaments and snowmen. Also, don't miss Hot Glass Studio's latest addition: fun, festive penguins, perfect for winter decorating! A working hot glass studio/gallery with facilities for furnace, torch and kiln work, Springfield Hot Glass offers live demonstrations on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays and First Fridays! (417) 868-8181 www.springfieldhot-glass.com

22 Springfield Police Museum at The Calaboose, 409 W. McDaniel, is **Closed for Winter**.

23 Springfield Pottery, 416 S. Campbell Ave., is a fine craft gallery and community clay center that features examples of fine craft by over 45 local, regional and national artists. (417) 864-4677 www.springfieldpottery.com

24 Transformation Gallery & Tattoo, 330 E. Walnut, is a venue for **Original Fine Artwork by Gabe Tenneson and Austin Evans**. Transformation serves as Springfield's connection to the fine art movement within the tattoo genre and is dedicated to the furtherance of other classical art mediums. (417) 869-2338 www.transformationgallery.com

The U @ Springfield, 318 Park Central East, across from The Gillioz, presents **A Holiday Market** in December. Enjoy unique, handmade gifts made by residents of The U, plus wares from Adelaide's Boutique and Cricket in the House. www.TheULiving.com (417) 895-8015

25 University Plaza Hotel and Convention Center, 333 John Q. Hammons Parkway, **Will Not Participate** in the December Art Walk while its atrium gallery is under renovation. (417) 864-7333 www.upspringfield.com