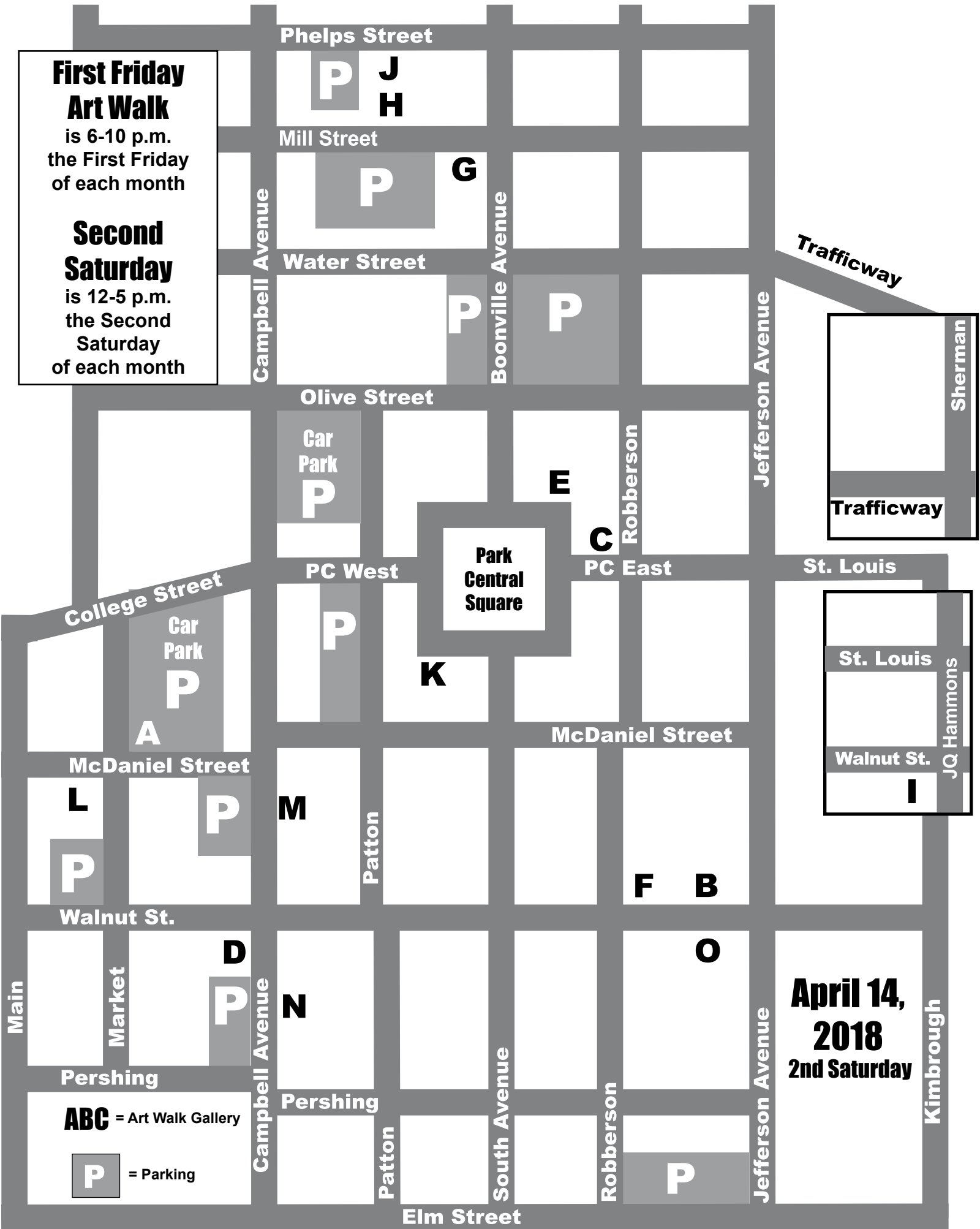


First Friday Art Walk
 is 6-10 p.m.
 the First Friday
 of each month

Second Saturday
 is 12-5 p.m.
 the Second
 Saturday
 of each month



**April 14,
 2018
 2nd Saturday**

ABC = Art Walk Gallery

P = Parking



A **Art Inspired**, 230 S. Market, presents **Journey** by **Featured Artists Juliana Goodwin and Sony Hocklander**, an exhibit of outdoor and travel photo art from the Ozarks to the ocean and beyond. (417) 868-8084 Open 10 a.m.-6 p.m. M-Sat

B **BookMarx**, 325 E. Walnut St., Ste. 101, presents **A Show to Be Announced** in April. www.facebook.com/bookmarxbooks

C **European Café by Sweet Couture**, 207 Park Central East, a proud Art Walk sponsor, invites you to enjoy local art and wildly creative edibles. www.417EuropeanCafe.com (417) 942-5055

D **Fresh Gallery**, 400 W. Walnut, invites you to enjoy its **2018 Juried Competition Exhibition**. Fresh is an artist collective gallery featuring regional artists in painting, ceramics, jewelry, metal sculpture, woodturning, stained glass and much, much more! (417) 862-9300

E **The History Museum on the Square at the Fox Theatre**, 157 Park Central Square, presents **Memories of the Mother Road - Birthplace of Route 66**. Travel back in time on Route 66 and learn about the places that put Springfield on the map. Enjoy the great music of that period and learn more about the popular local diners and drive-ins on the Mother Road. Regular admission applies for Second Saturday. (417) 831-1976 www.historymuseumonthesquare.org

F **Hotel Vandivort**, 305 E. Walnut St., a proud Art Walk sponsor, is open for First Friday and **Second Saturday**. (417) 832-1515 www.hotelvandivort.com

G **IdeaXFactory**, 351 N. Boonville, presents **Adventures in Polymer Clay** for Second Saturday, plus its April exhibition, **We Could Be Heroes**.

Lura Faye shares tips and techniques using polymer clay to create jewelry, beads, and sculpture 1-5 p.m. April 14 during Second Saturday Art Walk.

We Could Be Heroes: We asked a wide variety of artists for their heroes for this exhibition – be they from history, literature, music, movies, comics, friends, relatives ... To explore or present diverse heroes so we can all discover something new. <http://ideafxfactory.com>

H **MSU Brick City Gallery**, 215 W. Mill, and the Department of Art+Design, presents **The Road I Call Home: Portraits and Films by Randy Bacon; Stories by Our Homeless Friends** through April 20.

The Road I Call Home is a series of simple, direct, casual studio portraits of homeless individuals, emphasizing the beauty, identity and integrity of each person. Accompanying each portrait is a panel outlining the subject's circumstances in his or her own words.

The artist's goal is to challenge viewers to recognize a common bond, consider intently and open their minds and hearts.

Based on his work with the homeless community in Springfield, Bacon has been invited to work with and document the stories of homeless subjects in Oklahoma City, San Francisco, Kansas City, Missouri, and Oakland, California. (417) 836-6794 <http://art.missouristate.edu/148370.htm>

I **MSU Student Exhibition Center**, 838 E. Walnut St., presents the **MSU Art + Design Department Per Course Art Faculty Exhibition**. Art and Design's per course faculty are active and involved artists, designers or art educators. Their work ranges from photography, paintings and sculptures, to new media and more. (417) 836-6999 www.sec.missouristate.edu

J **Obelisk Home at the Inspired Commerce Building**, 214 W. Phelps, proudly presents **Woodlands: The Art of Jane Troup**

Artist Statement: "I live in the country, surrounded by nature, something more rare now. There are moments during walks through the fields and woods where I feel connected to all things. I strive to put that idea into my work.

"I might describe this show as *My Friends the Trees*, but this is not unique, I always paint trees.

"How I might describe my work: a bit of Dr. Seuss done by an Amish gal—structured, precise, thoughtfully articulated but radical, like nature." —*Jane Troup* (417) 616-6488 www.obeliskhome.com

K **Park Central Branch Library**, 128 Park Central Square, invites you to join Isabel's House to **GO BLUE** for Child Abuse & Neglect Prevention Month. On Display: **Hope of Isabel's House**. (417) 831-1342 <http://facebook.com/thelibrary.org>

L **Springfield Brewing Company**, 305 S. Market Ave., rejoined Art Walk as a sponsor in April! Enjoy works by **Featured Artist Gary B. Parks**.

About the Artist: Gary B. Parks was born a Texan but was raised in the farmland of Iowa. He followed in his father's footsteps learning how to build, but he gained a wealth of knowledge from both of his parents and grandparents on how to think outside the box. His father used his creativity in building, but also in welding iron and wood designs. His mother was an artist and he studied her use of color. His grandfather inspired him to collect agate rocks and saw them in half to see the beautiful colors inside.

M **Springfield Hot Glass Studio**, 314 S. Campbell Ave., a working artist studio, offers **Live Demonstrations** of the ancient glassblower's art for Second Saturday. (417) 868-8181 www.springfieldhotglass.com

N **Springfield Pottery**, 416 S. Campbell Ave., is a fine craft gallery and community clay center that not only produces a range of amazing ceramics, but also features examples of **Fine Craft by over 45 Local, Regional and National Artists**. Springfield Pottery welcomes you to **Second Saturday** in April. (417) 864-4677 www.springfieldpottery.com

O **Transformation Gallery & Tattoo**, 330 E. Walnut, displays works by **Kit King, Casey Baugh and Nick Baxter** in its permanent collection, plus, for a limited engagement, works by local oil painter **Michael Buesking** and local metal sculptor **James Dale**. Don't miss Transformation's selection of artist prints, as well (417) 869-2338 www.transformationgallery.com