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ARTS DISTRICT NEW ORLEANS ANNOUNCES “Art BEYOND Arts’ Sake”

Member Galleries in the Arts District New Orleans are looking Beyond Arts’ Sake to raise money for various local non-profits during the month of October.

NEW ORLEANS, LA (24 September 2020) – Arts District New Orleans (ADNO) is proud to announce *Art Beyond Arts’ Sake*, a charitable re-imagining of the annual Art for Arts’ Sake event. Art for Arts’ Sake traditionally kicks off the art collecting season, where each gallery puts its best foot forward with exciting new exhibitions and opens their doors to the community for a night of art appreciation.

The driving force behind Art for Arts’ Sake is the philosophy that the value of art lies within the art itself and does not require any further justification. However, in light of the global and national strife that communities are facing during this current moment, we’ve decided to flip this event on its head and focus on the ability of art to nurture, to reflect, to speak, to inspire, and to heal. This year, we are promoting art for its ability to go beyond.

As part of Art Beyond Arts’ Sakes’ mission to highlight the power of art to transcend, galleries in the Arts District New Orleans have partnered with local charities and organizations and will be contributing a portion of their proceeds during the month of October to these organizations.

Art collectors and enthusiasts can learn more about the participating galleries and their partnered charities at www.artsdistrictneworleans.com/events. For more information on the featured exhibitions in the Arts District New Orleans for the month of October, you can visit the gallery websites linked on www.artsdistrictneworleans.com/galleries.

PARTICIPATING GALLERIES + NON-PROFITS/ ORGANIZATIONS

Ariodante Gallery, 535 Julia St.
Bethlehem Lutheran Church

LeMieux Galleries, 332 Julia St.
Orleans Public Defenders

Arthur Roger Gallery, 432 Julia St.
Krewe of Red Beans

Martine Chaisson Gallery, 727 Camp St.
KID smART

Callan Contemporary, 518 Julia St.
Ogden Museum of Southern Art

Octavia Art Gallery, 700 Magazine St.
New Orleans Women & Children's Shelter

Gryder Gallery, 615 Julia St.
Innocence Project New Orleans

Spillman | Blackwell Fine Art, online only
Southern Solidarity

JONATHAN FERRARA GALLERY, 400A Julia St.
House of Tulip

View a full list of ADNO member galleries here: www.artsdistrictneworleans.com/galleries

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About Arts District of New Orleans

The Arts District of New Orleans (ADNO) is a burgeoning hub for New Orleans' professionals and creatives. ADNO strives to connect all aspects of the visual arts, culinary arts, musical arts, and the art of travel to make New Orleans a recognized destination for the arts. ADNO has 16 contemporary art galleries, three world class museums and institutions presenting visual and performing arts, a rotating outdoor public sculpture collection, and a number of cafes, bars and renowned restaurants. For more information, visit www.artsdistrictneworleans.com.