



September, 2018

NEWS FROM ARTISANS ON FIFTH

*The only artists' co-op gallery in downtown Mt. Dora, featuring unique
fine art, fine crafts & gifts handmade by Florida artists.*

"Art Among the Books" Exhibit Starts Sept. 1st



Artisans on fifth is proud to present "Art Among the Books", an exhibit of artwork by Artisans artists at the Eustis Memorial Library. The exhibit will be changing each month from September to November, so stop by each month to see the newest 2D and 3D artwork from Florida artists.

Each time you are there, be sure to pickup a postcard that looks like the one shown. On the back, is a discount for
10% OFF YOUR ENTIRE PURCHASE
at Artisans on fifth in Mt. Dora. Just bring the card to Artisans, and show it when you checkout. There is no expiration on the discount, but you can use only one per visit.

The Eustis Memorial Library is at 120 N Center St. in Eustis FL 32726. Hours are: Mon. & Thurs. 9 am - 8 pm, Tues., Wed. & Fri. 9 am - 6 pm and Sat. 9 am - 1 pm.





Get Your Train Ticket Discount at Artisans

Do you want a fun train experience? The Royal Palm Railway train ride recreates the nostalgia of traveling in 1940's era passenger train, the lap of luxury for that time, across long distances to a destination. Now it only goes from

Tavares to Mt. Dora and back, (or from Tavares to Eustis and back).

Artisans on fifth has entered into a joint agreement with the Royal Palm Railway, (Orlando and Northwestern Railways, LLC) to offer **10% off train tickets for the Golden Triangle Route** with each purchase from Artisans.

In addition, Royal Palm Railway is offering a **10% discount off your ENTIRE PURCHASE at Artisans on fifth** when you present your train ticket stub and a special coupon at Artisans. The coupons are available when you pickup your tickets. Get train ticket information at (352) 472-7200 or at www.thefloridatrain.com.

Special note: our posters and coupons feature the artwork of one of our photographers, Shara Abel and her "Ghost Train." These special offers begin September 1st.

FEATURED ARTISTS FOR SEPTEMBER

Our Featured Artists during September will be Sue Cannon, a potter, and Patricia Christmas, a silversmith. Their artwork will be displayed in our front window and is for sale at Artisans on fifth.

NEW ARTISTS JOIN ARTISANS

Artisan on fifth would like to welcome Jeanie Beline as an Associate and Susan Davis Jones as a Consignor.

Below is a beautiful wooden



Sue Cannon makes pottery that often features Florida seahife on her Raku pieces. Her pottery is all oven, dishwasher and microwave safe. Her colorful small dishes are very popular. Many of Sue's pieces are hand decorated with volcanic ash glaze to make them very unique and beautiful.

box created by **Jeanie Beline**. Jeanie creates using scratch board, acrylic and wood burning.



Below is one of the beautiful porcelain pieces created by **Susan Davis Jones**.



Patricia Christmas is a silversmith who creates very unusual, unique designs in silver jewelry. Her designs include natural gemstones in a variety of shapes all artfully crafted to make beautiful pieces anyone would love to have. They make great gifts.

LAURA HOWELL WINS AGAIN

Laura won two awards in the Florida Camera Club Council's 2nd Tri-annual Digital Competition. A Red Ribbon for the black and white "Orb Detail" below, and a yellow ribbon for "Building Circle #4" below. Congratulations Laura.



BRA-VO ART BRA FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT ARTISANS

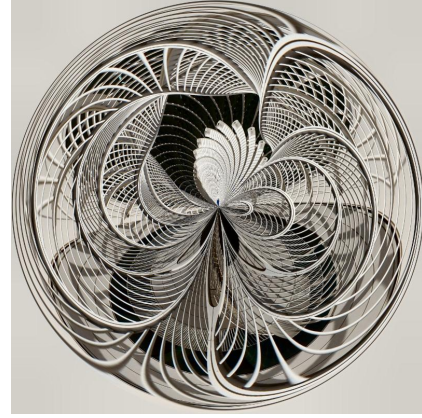
It is that time of year again when Artisans on fifth launches it's annual fundraiser to raise money to provide low or no cost diagnostic testing for breast cancer for Lake County residents, in conjunction with Breast Cancer Awareness Month - October.

In the last 6 years, Artisan has donated an incredible \$38,318 to the Waterman Foundation at Waterman Hospital. Last year's fundraiser raised over \$6,000. Artisans on fifth donates 100% of the Bra-Vo net proceeds to the Waterman Foundation. Bra-Vo shows what can happen when a caring community of businesses, merchants, students, artists and everyday citizens united in a cause can accomplish together.

We invite you to take action by participating in Bra-Vo events and making a difference in our community. Making art by decorating a bra form for voting and auction, is just one way to support this important cause. This fundraiser saves lives by making testing available to those who can't afford it.

There are several ways to support this cause:

- Become a business sponsor.
- Decorate a bra form for voting and auctioning.
- Vote for lots of bras online or in person at MDCA.
- Sponsor student artists who will decorate bra forms.
- Make a monetary donation.
- Donate artwork, or other items, for the Bra-Vo live or silent auctions.
- Buy a pink plastic flamingo in honor of someone you know who has been affected by cancer, or help with the flocking of the flamingos.
- Participate in the "Pinking Ceremony" at Waterman Hospital



Laura also had her photo "Wise Old Owl" (below) accepted into the "Animalia" exhibit at SOBO Gallery. The Exhibit will run during Sept. and Oct. and the Opening Reception is 9/6/18 5:30 pm - 8 pm at 127 S. Boyd St. in Winter Garden, FL.



UPCOMING EVENTS IN AND NEAR MT. DORA

When you come near Mt. Dora, visit Artisans on fifth, 134 E 5th Ave. in Mount Dora.

- Village Farmers Market every Sunday 9 am - 2

- when the flamingos are flocked.
- Make a Breast Pocket to be auctioned.
- Help with any Bra-Vo activities. If you want to help, email artisansbravo@gmail.com

Bra forms and entry packets are now available at Artisans on fifth (address and hours below). They are \$35 and you have a choice of a male or female form. Business sponsorships start at \$60 and fees and donations can be paid in cash, check or charge at Artisans on fifth. Forms for Student Sponsorships and donations are also available at Artisans.

The bra forms are due back Sept. 26, 2018 at 5 pm, and will be part of an exhibit October 6 - 28, 2018 at the [Mount Dora Center for the Arts Gallery](#) (MDCA) at 138 E 5th Ave. in Mt. Dora, FL. The public is invited to visit the Gallery and support the event by voting in person or online (after voting opens), at www.Bra-Vo.org, or participating in live or silent auctions. There are three categories to vote for: Student Artist, Artist and Business. Vote for as many as you like. Voting closes Oct. 28 at 5 pm.

The calendar of events is available at Bra-Vo.org. Be sure to check it out so you don't miss any important deadlines. Pick up bra forms, entry forms, sponsorship forms, and flamingos at Artisans on fifth.

The Bra-Vo 2018 Gala Reception for Artists and Sponsors will be held on Oct. 12, 2018 from 5 to 9 pm at MDCA during the "Second Friday Art in the Alley" event. It is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.

Artisans on fifth is a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) corporation, so all donations are tax deductible.

pm at Sunset Park, 230 W 4th Ave. Mt. Dora

- **Oct. 4 - 7 - Annual Bicycle Festival:** A Chamber-sponsored event attracting over 1,000 cyclists. Lake County is recognized as one of the best places in the world to ride. For more information click [here](#).
- **Oct. 27 - 28 9 am - 5pm - 34th Annual Craft Fair:** This nationally-ranked juried event attracts over 100,000 visitors and over 400 of the best crafters in the country. (No pets allowed). For more information click [here](#).
- **Nov. 10 - 11 - 24th Annual Mt. Dora Plant & Garden Fair:** This takes place in Donnelly Park (right across the street from Artisans).
- **Nov. 23 - 25 ONCE A YEAR SALE at Artisans on fifth.** Don't miss it!

ARTISANS ARTISTS CONTINUE TO COME UP WITH NEW DESIGNS

The artists at Artisans on fifth are always creating new and unique artwork and gifts. These are some of the items that the artists have created recently. These may be on display at Artisans.

This is one of the new photos by **Shara Abel**. She does composite photography where she combines several images to make one beautiful one.

For more information, contact Artisans on fifth (see below), or email artisansbravo@gmail.com. Mail donations or forms to Bra-Vo, PO Box 1932, Mount Dora FL 32756-1932.



Flamingos will be available Sept. 1st. You can purchase 2 flamingos for \$10. You can take one with you and the other one will be "flocked" somewhere in Mt. Dora. Both flamingos will have a card attached in honor of your loved one who is, or has, dealt with cancer.



QUOTE OF THE MONTH

"If you ask me what I came to do in this world, I, an

artist, will answer you: I am here to live out loud." by Emile Zola



Ann Coker is also a photographer, but her work is entirely different than Shara's. Ann's photos focus on nature, landscapes and travel.



Heather J.W. Hopcraft has created some fun tote bags with VW Buses on the front. These are selling like hot cakes.



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