



Springfield Regional Arts Council presents First Friday Art Walk

Members host events on the first Friday of the month or you can catch the displays throughout the month during regular hours. March's First Friday events will be on March 3rd with variable hours between 5-10 pm.

Fresh Gallery



Join Fresh for the **2023 Fresh Gallery Jury Art Show** artist reception and awards ceremony at FFAW from **6-9pm**. The show is sponsored by **Simmons Bank Private Wealth** and features local and regional artists.

Hold Fast Brewing

Hold Fast Brewing is thrilled to be welcoming back **Isaac Kenneth** and his sultry voice. Brewery opens at **12pm**, food truck starts serving by **5pm**, and music starts at **7pm**. Cheers!



Formed: An Artist Collective



Join **Formed** for their celebration of artist **Andi Snethern** from **6-9pm**. "I am mostly self-taught and love to paint bright florals, landscapes and pet portraits... It was an honor to have 'The Ozark Bridge' selected for the 2022 Watercolor USA exhibition at the Springfield Art Museum." Enjoy live music by **Harley's Muse** from **6:30-8:30pm**.

Brick City Gallery



Rick Briggnerhorst & Shauna Le Ann Smith, *Our Tears*
2022 Mark J Hall Best in Show

The **Annual Juried Student Exhibition** features work from the breadth of MSU's department's undergraduate and graduate students. MSU's **Brick City Gallery** will be open between **6-9 pm** for the Art Walk.

Drury Pool Arts Center Gallery

How Many More? By **Rebecca Miller** opens on March's FFAW from **5-8pm**. "This work is about remembrance, grief, nostalgia, and loss... It is our choice to balance the desire to protect ourselves and those we love with the freedom to limit the insanity that has become guns in America..." The images in this series are acrylic on canvas paired with items from the artist's childhood (c. 1976-1981)



Park Central Branch Library



Park Central Library will be open from **6:30-9 pm** for the Art Walk. They will be hosting photographer **Gregory L. Booker** with his exhibit **West**. At **7pm**, **Jacqueline Batista-Martinez** will be giving an Art Talk on "**Ambition and Homesickness at the Mosque of Cordoba**."

March 2023

Be sure to check out our **new** and **improved** web page on the **springfieldarts.org** website!



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Sculpture Walk Springfield features sculptures by local, national, and international artists throughout downtown. Find them on the map and visit their website for an audio tour on Otocast.



meet our ffaw members!

Meet our Art Walk Members who are open this month!



Best of Luck Beer Hall, 313-B-S S. Jefferson Ave., Open for FFAW. Open regularly Tue.-Thu. 5pm-12am, Fri.-Sat. 2pm-1am, Sun. 2-7pm. (417) 522-9009, <https://bestofluckbeerhall.com/>



Forming Art Studios, 330 South Ave, open for FFAW 6-9pm only. Peek in on their seven resident artists and sign up for classes and workshops! formedgallery.com/classes



MSU's Robert and Margaret Carolla Arts Exhibition Center, 326 N. Boonville, open for FFAW. Open regularly Mon-Fri 11am-6pm and Sat 12-4pm (417) 836-6999 or sec.missouristate.edu



BookMarx, 325 E. Walnut St., Ste. 101, New & used books, art, and Googey the cat! Open **until 9pm** for FFAW, regularly Mon-Sat 10:30am-7pm. facebook.com/bookmarxbooks



Formed: An Artist Collective, 210 E. Walnut Street, open for FFAW 6-9pm. A multi-artist gallery and retail space hosting forty local and emerging artisans. Open regularly: Tue - Thurs 10am-6pm, Fri - Sat 10am-7pm, Sun 10am-2pm. (417) 350-1142, formedgallery.com



Obelisk Home, 214 W. Phelps Ste 101, open 6-10pm for FFAW. Art gallery, retail store, and interior design! Three levels to explore. Open regularly Tues-Fri 10am-6pm & Sat 10am-5pm. obeliskhome.com (417) 616-6488



Creamery Arts Center, 411 N. Sherman Parkway, open 5-7pm for FFAW. Open regularly Mon-Fri 9am-5pm. springfieldarts.org, (417) 862-ARTS (2787)



Hold Fast Brewing, 235 N. Kimbrough Ave., open for FFAW 12pm-11pm. Open regularly Mon-Thurs 3-9pm, Fri-Sat 12-11pm and Sun from 11am-7pm. hfbrewing.com (417) 761-2318.



Park Central Branch Library, 128 Park Central Square, open for FFAW 6:30pm-9pm. Downtown's library hosts art and frequent artist talks. Open regularly Monday-Saturdays 10am-6pm, Closed Sundays. (417) 831-1342



Drury Pool Art Center, 940 N. Clay St. will be open for FFAW. Open regularly MTWF 9am-5pm, Thurs 9am-7pm. (417) 873-6337.



J.L. Long Traders, 318 W. Walnut, open for FFAW 5-9pm. Find unique items and work by local craftsmen. Their Spring hours are Wed-Sun 1-5pm or by appointment. (417) 771-5452, jllongtraders.com



Transformation Gallery & Tattoo, 330 E. Walnut, open for FFAW 6-9pm. Open regularly Tue-Sat 9am-6pm. (417) 869-2338, transformationgallery.com/



Fresh Gallery, 401 N. Boonville, open **6-9pm** for FFAW. Fresh is a co-op gallery home to over 20 juried artists working in a variety of media. Open regularly Tues-Sat 11am-5pm. freshgallery.org, (417) 862-9300



MSU's Brick City Gallery, 215 W. Mill. open for FFAW. Open regularly Mon-Fri 11am-6pm, and Sat from 12-4pm. (417) 836-6794 art.missouristate.edu/



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Obelisk Home



Join **Obelisk Home** for the opening reception of **Life Underway: Abstract Assemblages on Life's Lessons** by **J. Kent Martin** for March's FFAW from **6-10 pm**. There will be complimentary beverages, socializing, and three levels of original art to explore!

Best of Luck Beer Hall

Best of Luck Beer Hall will be open for the Art Walk between **2pm-1am**. Join them for a tasty cocktail or draft beer!



BookMarx



For First Friday in March, **BookMarx** will be open between **10:30am-9pm!**

The Creamery Arts Center



Join the **Artists Empowerment Collective** for their 3rd annual **Show Your Colors: Artists Showcase!** Featuring work from local and regional artists of color, the show opens at the Creamery Arts Center on FFAW from **5-7 pm**. Be sure to stick around for live music by local band **Unessential Jane** from **6-7 pm**.

Carolla Arts Exhibition Center

Curated by Associate Professor **Sarah Williams**, **Tex-US** features work from **Annie Arnold, Bryce Lafferty, Robert Milnes, Ryder Richards, and Loring Taoka**, and is accompanied by a gallery talk from **Judy Tedford Deaton**. The **Carolla Arts Exhibition Center** will be open from **6-9 pm** for FFAW.



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ARTS EXHIBITION CENTER

Transformation Gallery & Tattoo



For March's Artwalk, **Transformation Gallery & Tattoo** is showing the work of **Megan Frauenhoffer**. She will be showing a mixture of mediums including acrylic paint, gouache paint, oil paint, and digital prints.

Sculpture Walk Springfield



Sculpture Walk Springfield Culinary Kickoff Dinner benefitting the **8th Collection of Public Sculpture** is in Downtown Springfield, MO on **March 26th, from 5-8pm**. Enjoy an evening at one of Springfield's finest restaurants, **Metropolitan Grill** for a curated 4-course dinner with wine pairings! You can buy tickets by following the **QR Code!**

Are you a business interested in being a part of the Art Walk?

We offer a few different options for businesses to get involved with FFAW! From becoming a participating venue to sponsoring FFAW, we have it all! Check out our website at ffaw.org/ or email artwalk@springfieldarts.org to learn more!

Are you an artist interested in being a part of the Art Walk?

Become an Art Walk Artist by sending 3-5 portfolio images along with a brief bio to artwalk@springfieldarts.org to become a part of our Venue Artist Registry!

First Friday Art Walk works to increase arts accessibility and foot traffic in the Downtown Arts District in Springfield, MO.



The Art Walk is a program of the **Springfield Regional Arts Council**.

