## Studio 55 Newsletter: November 2017

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## November 8th Program: 1:00 p.m.

National Avenue Christian Church
1515 S. National Avenue

"Faces"

## **Featuring Artist David Bigelow**

David Bigelow will demonstrate the concept of drawing faces using value instead of line. Participants will have the opportunity to draw right along with him, both during and after the program. Materials will be provided, or you can use your own. He will also display some of his etchings and drawings and share his love of using humor in his creative process. "I am serious about humor. I draw to get ideas, and then keep drawing to make them clearer and funny...titles come last to explain it. The goal is serious art with humorous content.," said Bigelow. Some of his work can be found at <a href="https://www.dbigelowstudio.com">www.dbigelowstudio.com</a> or on Facebook David Bigelow Printmaker.

David Bigelow was born and raised in Michigan. He earned a Bachelor of Fine Art in printmaking and painting and a Master of Fine Arts in printmaking and drawing, both from the University of Michigan. He taught at six different institutions and is currently teaching at Evangel University in Springfield, MO. David and his wife Marcia operate Bigelow Studios where he creates and sells his etchings and drawings. He sells his work internationally on line, through galleries, direct marketing, art fairs and juried competitions and shows.

Visitors and members are invited to "show and share" their art following the program.



**Etching by David Bigelow** 



**David Bigelow, Evangel University** 



"Tamworth" oil pastel by David Bigelow

## STUDIO 55 EXHIBITS

November 13th - February 12th: Studio 55
Regional Arts Council will host a juried show for Studio 55 at the Sky Gallery, located at the Springfield/Branson International Airport. You will be notified of your acceptance on November 3rd and those picked to exhibit will drop off their art on November 13th between 9-10 am and can park for free in the employee parking lot.

**MEMBER EXHIBITS & RECEPTIONS** 

November 3: 5:00, Eric Ray's Art Opening, First Friday Art Walk Rosette Studios, Arts & Letters in the Back Gallery. Location: 214 S. Campbell Ave. The show represents thousands of hours of work in 27 pieces. Exhibit through the month of November.

November 9, 5:00 -6:00 (Thursday)
Maschino's Artist Reception and Awards
Ceremony at Maschino's. Located at 1715 S.
Campbell and the reception is free and open to the public. The Exhibition may be viewed Mon through Sat, from 9:30- 6:00, through January 5, 2018. For your future planning, the theme for the next open and juried Jan/Feb exhibit is "Dreams of the New Year.

November 9, at 5:00 pm Waverly House "Small Wonders" opening reception at 2031 South Waverly. The exhibit continues through December 23rd. Congratulations to Judy Ferguson who won Best of Show "Fly me to the Moon". Drop in at the reception and see other member's art who are exhibiting at this show.



"Fly Me to the Moon" by Judy Ferguson

One of the posters for this year's "Small Wonders" event features a watercolor painting by Jane Waschick. A portion of the sales of all artwork from this show will be donated to A Sporting Chance.



Other members in the "Small Wonders" exhibit: Vivian Terbeek, Dee Giles, and Fran Young.

Nov.17: Joellen Mittlestadt and Carol Snyder's "exhibit and opening reception, Juanita K. Hammons Hall, 525 S John Q Hammons Pkwy. 5:30 to 7:00 pm Their art will be displayed from Nov. 17-30. Sponsored by VAAS.

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