

A quarterly newsletter highlighting exhibits and events - Spring 2023

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UPCOMING EXHIBITS & EVENTS



**35th Tri-State Juried
Water Media Exhibition**

May 18 - June 24

Opening Reception

Thursday, May 18, 5:00 - 7:30PM

This annual exhibition attracts artists throughout the region and is juried by nationally accredited artists. The selected artists explore a variety of watercolor techniques and subject matter, showcasing the beauty of this medium.



**Metamorphosis:
Transformations**

Feat. Quilters Unlimited

July 11 - August 3

Opening Reception

Tuesday, July 11, 5:00 - 7:30PM



Abstracto: Land of Dreams

Feat. Leslie Anderson

August 10 - September 21

Opening Reception

Thursday, August 10, 5:00 - 7:30PM

Call for Entries: lemoyne.org/calltoartists

Deadline: Saturday, July 17



Women Among Us II

September 28 - October 28

Opening Reception

Thursday, September 28,
5:00 - 7:30PM

Visit lemoyne.org/currentupcoming for more information.

Letter from our President

Dear Friends of LeMoyné,

I am honored to serve as the 2023 LeMoyné President and extend my sincere appreciation for the leadership provided by Paul Craft over the past two years.

This year, LeMoyné Arts celebrates its 60th anniversary as a cultural cornerstone in our region. Through tremendous growth and expansion, we pay tribute to the legacy of our founding members. I admit, I am awestruck by how far we've come in the past year.

Under the guidance of Kelly Dozier and Paula Fortunás, the new Education Center is open for business, the garden renovations continue to flourish and the new Studios at LeMoyné are in the works. We have much to celebrate – and celebrate we will, beginning with the incredible 23rd annual Chain of Parks Art Festival on April 15 & 16!

I'm pleased to be part of this dynamic board of directors. In December 2022, several of our distinguished members retired from the board and we are grateful for the lasting impacts made by Pamela Doffek, Susan Fiorito, Kaye Kendrick, and Trimmel Gomes. In early January, we were delighted to welcome four new board members – Leslie Anderson, Quia Atkinson, Scott McLuckie, and Opal McKinney-Williams. There is much work to be done, but we are up to the task!

The revitalization of LeMoyné would not be possible without our dedicated staff. Through education, exhibits, events, marketing, membership building, grant procurement, and day-to-day operations, this team works tirelessly to fulfill LeMoyné's mission of Creating Community Through Art!

In this 60th year, we truly stand at the nexus of LeMoyné's rich history and its future promise. I extend a heartfelt THANK YOU to our members, donors, and patrons. Your friendship and support makes this journey possible.

Stephanie Whitfield, Board President



Letter from our Executive Director

As LeMoyné celebrates its 60th year, I am so pleased to be a part of this dynamic and beloved organization. My goals for 2023 include building on the partnerships that help us reach further into the community and engaging youthful audiences, the next generation of leaders. Our full calendar of exhibits and events is sure to delight — encouraging all to stay a little longer and come back to visit. And, as our Art for Always projects get closer to the finish line, weddings and graduations are already booked in the garden this spring! There really is something for everybody at LeMoyné. Stop by and see us!

Arielle Raff, Executive Director



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LeMoyné Arts Education Moves into New Home, 131 North Gadsden Street

The art education department is excited to announce that we have officially moved into our new home at 131 North Gadsden Street! All art classes and art camps will now be held in the newly renovated building.

Our ceramics program has received an upgrade as well, having moved to what was previously known as Studio C & D in the old education annex. This expanded space allows for dedicated wheel throwing and hand-building areas and quicker access to the Charles Rockwood Kiln Pavilion. The previous ceramic studio under our gallery at 125 N Gadsden Street has been shifted to hold our youth ceramic classes.

We can't wait to see what creative projects our students will produce in this inspiring environment. Be part of the movement and sign up for one of our art classes today!



Get Creative this Summer with our Art Classes!

Summer Session:
June 12 - August 5

Offerings for:
Acrylic Painting
Ceramics
Watercolor Painting
Oil Painting
Drawing & Illustration

Classes available
for all ages!

Sign up today @
lemoyne.org/education

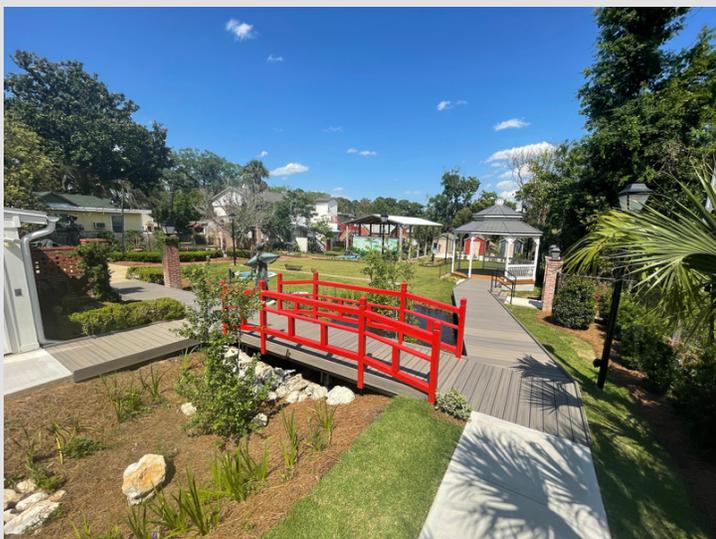


Our Gardens have Reopened!

Our gardens have officially reopened to the public after a year of renovations! The updates include the Guilday Gazebo, perfect for outdoor events and facility rentals to host a band or speaker; the Charles Rockwood Kiln Pavilion, which has expanded our ceramic course offerings by allowing us to now host alternative firing workshops and demonstrations; and new cottages, including Terrie's Cottage named after LeMoyné Arts supporter and friend Terrie Brooks. Visitors can now enjoy the refreshed space and take in the beautiful scenery!

HAVE YOUR EVENT @ LEMOYNÉ ARTS!

Looking for a space to host your next event? Our facility rentals are back and better than ever! With options to rent our gallery, gardens, and studios, we have the perfect venue you've been waiting for. Whether it's a wedding, corporate event, workshop, etc. make it memorable by having it at LeMoyné Arts. For more information, visit LeMoyné.org/facility-rental.



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CHAIN OF PARKS ART FESTIVAL MAJOR SUCCESS



Save the date for next year's Festival!
April 20 & 21, 2024

Thank you to everyone who made the festival possible! With the help and support of an outstanding 105 volunteers and committee members, the Chain of Parks Art Festival experienced our "Best Year Ever"! The Festival would not be the success it is without the many volunteers who share their talents, their time, and their passion for arts in our community. The Chain of Parks Art Festival raises vital funds for LeMoyne Arts' year-long programming and educational offerings. We were delighted to see our wonderful community come together to support our artists, vendors, and LeMoyne. Follow the Chain of Parks Art Festival on social media for fun new photos and updates.



1) Tallahassee's live oaks are in full display during festival weekend, making the parks as beautiful as the artwork presented!

2) Bringing the pavement to life – chalk artist Carlos Alberto GH adds the final touches to his colorful creations.

3) Festival staff pose for a celebratory photo with 2023 Best of Show winner Glen Woods! From left to right: Kelly S. Dozier, Festival Chair; Sheri Sanderson, Artist Relations Manager; Glenn Wood, 2023 Best of Show winner; Powell Kreis, Festival Manager.

4) Blowing soulful melodies, saxophonist Darryl Anderson captivates the crowd with his passionate performance.

5) The RAA Steel Drum Band gathers a crowd around the Festival's main stage as they get groovy with their calypso rhythms!

6) Representatives from Il Lusso mix up some VIP-level drinks at the VIP Experience bar.

7) Plenty of new friends and friendship bracelets were made in the Village thanks to the Oasis Center for Women and Girls.

Photos by Bob O'Lary and Katie Clark.



THANK YOU TO OUR NEW & RENEWED MEMBERS!

JANUARY 1ST, 2023 THROUGH MARCH 31ST, 2023

Brenda Abstein
Park Adams
Steve Adams
Stefanis Alexandres
Sherry Allen
Leslie Anderson
Renee Andrews
Marsha Antista
James Antista
Quia Atkinson
Robin Avrett
Mariyam Bashir
Patricia Beall
Connie Betterley
Mandy Bianchi
Catherine Birdsong
Chip Bloyd
Charla Boggs
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Marian Mather
Gregg Matthews
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Glenn Mayne
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Susan Rissman
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Nikki Rupp
Rhonda Saint
Diane Sams
Cheryl Sattler
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Scott McGlucky, for lending the Art Festival a four wheeler
The Tallahassee Garden Club Daffodil Circle, for landscaping
Bob O'Lary & Katie Clark, LeMoyné Arts' official photographers
Dr. Meredith and Elsa McKinney, for donating to our Permanent Collection

Thank You to Our Interns

Donald "Tripp" Brown
Jhonelle Chambers
Kaley
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Aloft Hotel	Christopher Crevello	McKibbon Hospitality
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Allison Aubuchon	Jim Davis	Oyster Mom
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Debbie Blinderman	Laurie Dozier	PROOF Brewery
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Bobby Brooks	Joe Earp	Sarah Marie Sherraden
Café de Martin	Ice House	Sustainable Tallahassee
Chicken Salad Chick	Daniel Hoge	Tallahassee Police Department
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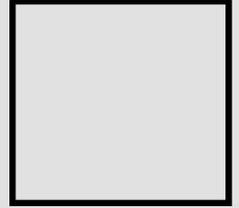
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lemoyne.org/engage



Alvis Horne & Karen Robertson after installing concrete leaves. Photo by Kelly Dozier.

Leaf Sculptures Channel Rainwater @ Education Center

Three of Karen Robertson's concrete leaf sculptures add artistic interest to LeMoyné's new education center while doing the work of channeling rainwater away from the building. Donated and installed by Karen Robertson and Alvis Horne on Saturday, March 18, the botanically accurate leaves will capture rainwater from the front downspout and turn into a fountain when it rains.



Help cultivate the next generation of artists by donating to our Art for All Scholarship Fund!

Our Art camps are a great way to foster creativity and self-expression in a supportive and inspiring environment. Campers work with our talented instructors and learn new techniques while making new friends. Every day, campers rotate between activities such as painting, drawing, sculpture, and mixed media.

Through our scholarship program, LeMoyne strives to make our high-quality camps available to all young artists, regardless of financial means. In 2022, thanks to generous support of the scholarship fund, we were able to award scholarships to 15 campers. This year, our financial goal is \$6,400, which equals full, 2-week sessions for 16 campers.

Your donation to the LeMoyne Arts Camp Scholarship Fund supports and encourages the next generation of artists. Every dollar in the fund provides free and reduced-cost camp to young artists in our community who may otherwise not have the resources to participate!

Please donate today at lemoyne.org/campscholarship.

