



## AFAS & RED DOG GALLERY NOVEMBER 2019 NEWSLETTER

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### AFAS November Events

The **November Gallery Hop at Red Dog Gallery** takes place on Friday November 1st from 7-10pm with the opening reception for the "Art Unwrapped" exhibit.

**Activity Studios** on the second floor will be open for November Gallery Hop with a Dia de Los Muertos and Hafla at 7PM in the Unleashed Arts Center. Bring \$10 cash for donation/admission, and an optional simple refreshment to share, and if you have a gently used pet toy to donate. Join us for this wonderful show and open floor dancing. We are trying to have face painting between 6-7PM. Proceeds to be donated to the Forsyth Humane Society. Details of the line-up to be AFAS calendar on the website.

**Saturday ARTJam**—Bring the kids to the Unleashed Art Center on Saturdays, November 2nd and 16th, between 12:30-3:00PM (drop in) and create a fun ART project with Team AFAS!

**September 2nd and 16th** — Latin Social Saturday

**Hip Hop Yoga** on Mondays and R&B Yoga on Thursdays.

**Open studio portrait painting sessions** by ArtAbout on Wednesday evenings.

**A Preschool Art Experience!** Tuesdays, from 9:00am to 10:00am, hosted by ArtAbout.

**Art at the Heart Winston-Salem** is an after school art program every Tuesday from 4 to 6pm.

**ArtAbout Evening Events** are back by popular demand, on November 19th from 6:30 to 9:30pm.

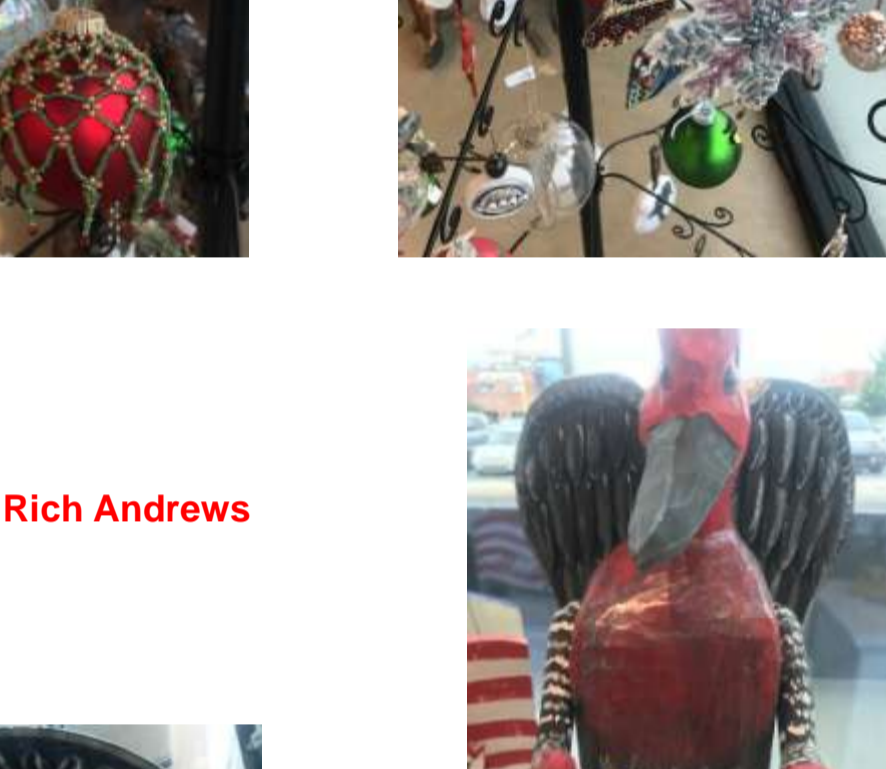
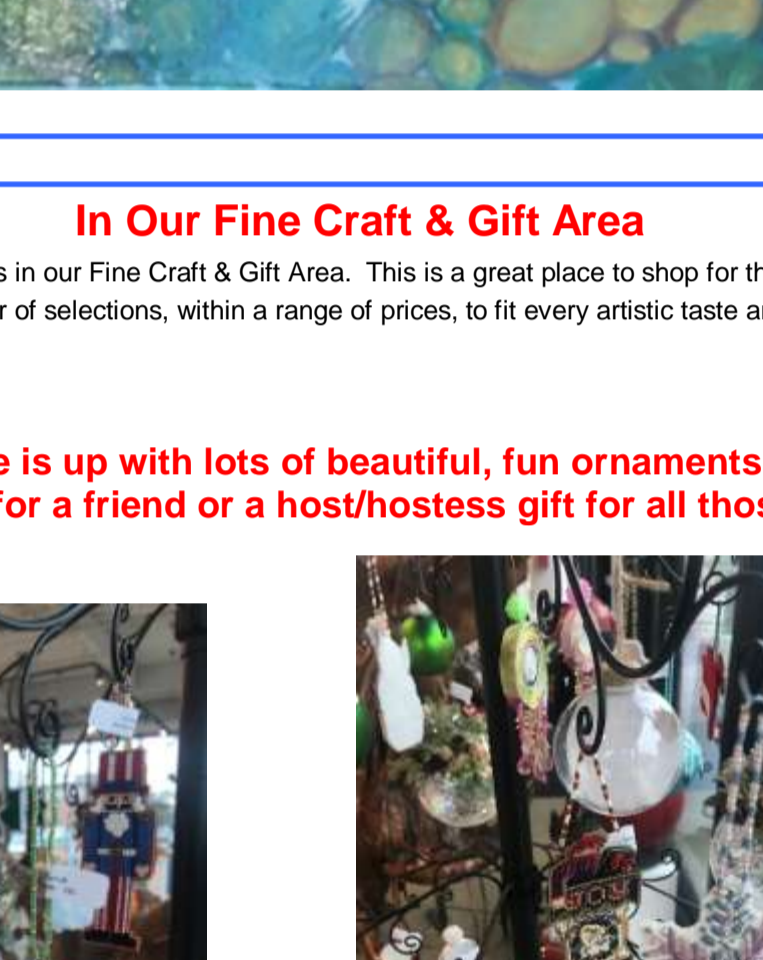
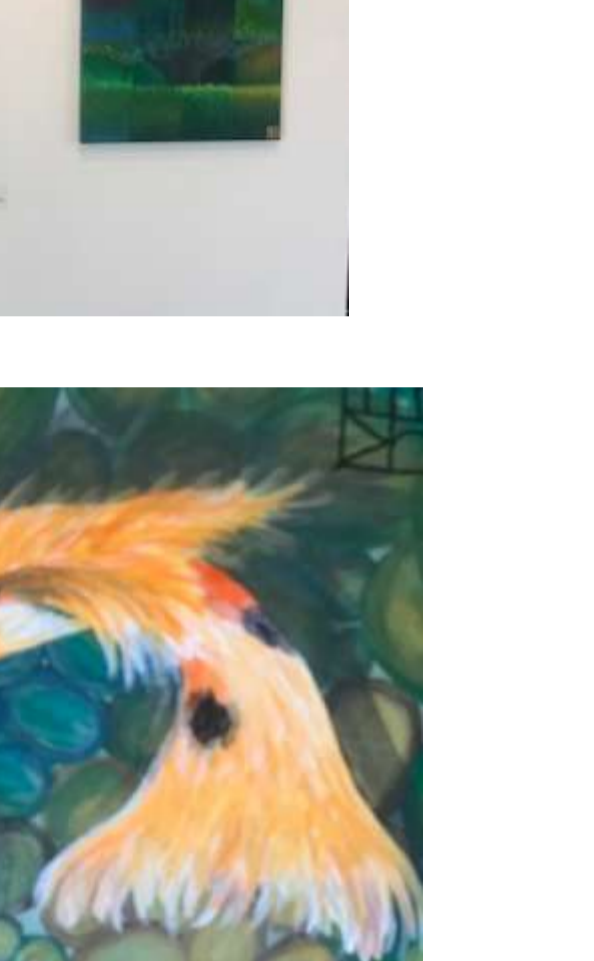
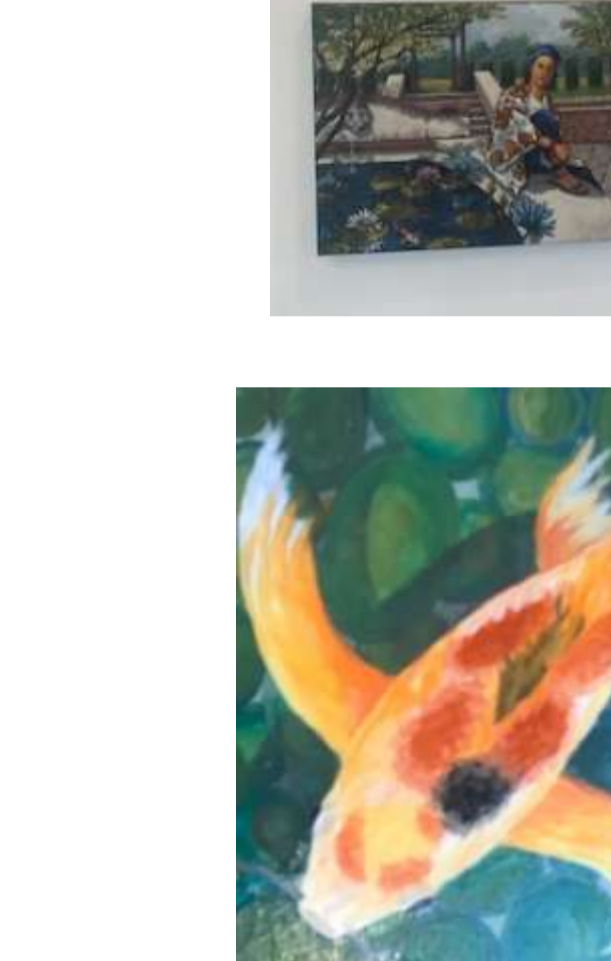
Details on these and other items throughout the newsletter!

### Opening Reception for the New Exhibit "Art Unwrapped"

**A Juried Exhibit of AFAS Artists  
November 1, 2019—February 1, 2020**

"Art Unwrapped" is a juried exhibit at Red Dog Gallery. This is the gift giving season when many are looking for just that right gift for a friend or loved one. We hope to help them do just that! The artists could submit up to 5 pieces for this show and they exceeded our expectations! Come check out all the new works!

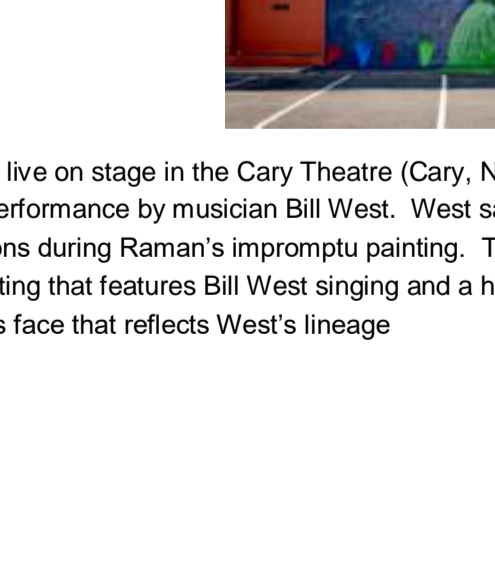
Come out during Gallery Hop, on Friday November 1st from 7 to 10 pm, to meet some of the artists and see the show.



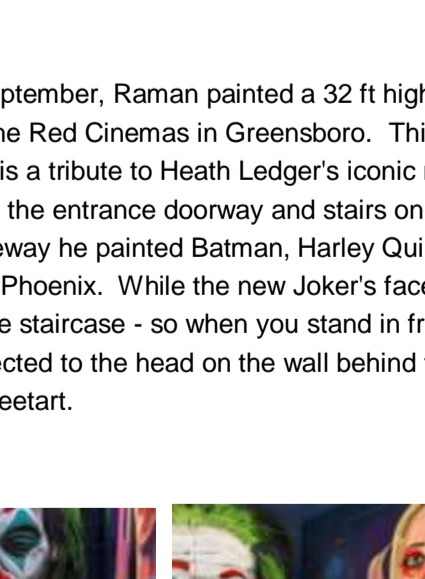
### In Our Fine Craft & Gift Area

Check out the offerings in our Fine Craft & Gift Area. This is a great place to shop for that special gift. We offer a number of selections, within a range of prices, to fit every artistic taste and budget.

**The Holiday Tree is up with lots of beautiful, fun ornaments. Great for your tree, a gift for a friend or a host/hostess gift for all those holiday parties!**

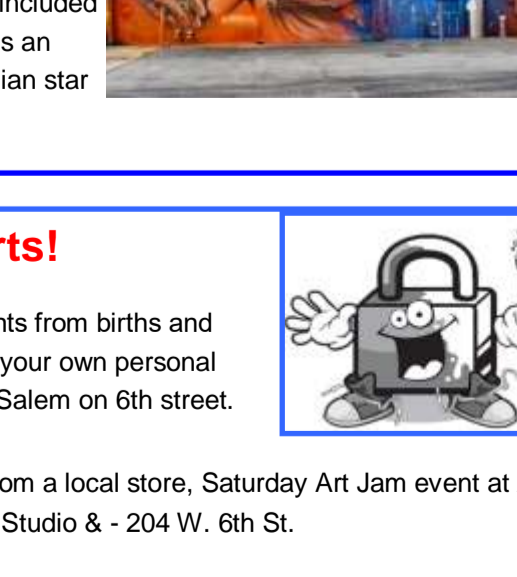


**Birdhouse by Rich Andrews**



**Pottery by Tony Bledsoe**

**Day of the Dead Fairy by Linda Starkey**



### AFAS Artist Happenings

Here are some events involving our AFAS artists that you may enjoy.

**Hip Hop and R&B Yoga with Ashley Robinson**

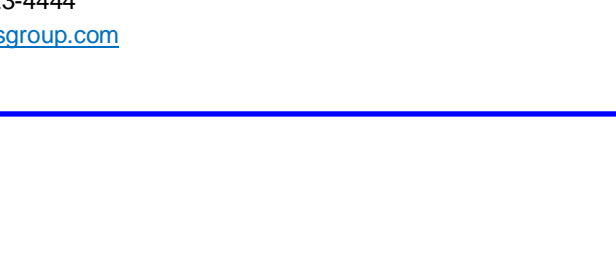
This is the yoga class you always wanted!!! Hip Hop Yoga is every Monday at 6pm and R&B Yoga is held every Thursday 6pm in the Unleashed Arts Center, Second Floor of the AFAS Center for the Arts, 630 N. Liberty St., Winston-Salem, 27101. A Shabaka James LLC Event  
Cost: \$10 per class or \$50 for seven(7) classes which is like taking two classes for free. Please check the AFAS calendar holiday schedules.

**Hip Hop Yoga with Ashley Robinson** held at NC  
Why Because it's the yoga class that you always wanted!  
When: Every Monday at 6 pm  
Cost: \$10.00 per Class or \$50.00 for seven (7) Classes!  
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**Saturday ARTJam—Various AFAS Artists**

Learn, Play, Create! Bring the kids to the Unleashed Art Center on Saturdays, November 2nd and 16th between 12:30-3:00PM (drop in) and create a fun ART project with Team AFAS! All ages/skill levels are welcome and it's a free community ART event! No need to register ahead of time, just show up and bring your imagination. Parents/guardians must stay with kids at all times while at the arts center. For large groups of 10 or more or if you have any questions, contact Program Director - Stewart Knight at 336.209.1236 or email theafasgroup@gmail.com

Saturday ART Jam is sponsored by The AFAS Group Youth Arts & Education Programs. Plan ahead and mark your creative calendar for the 1st and 3rd Saturday of every month (year-round) - and create an awesome new ART project at Saturday ART Jam! AFAS Center for the Arts, Unleashed Arts Center - 2nd floor, 630 N Liberty Street, Downtown Winston-Salem Arts District. www.theafasgroup.com



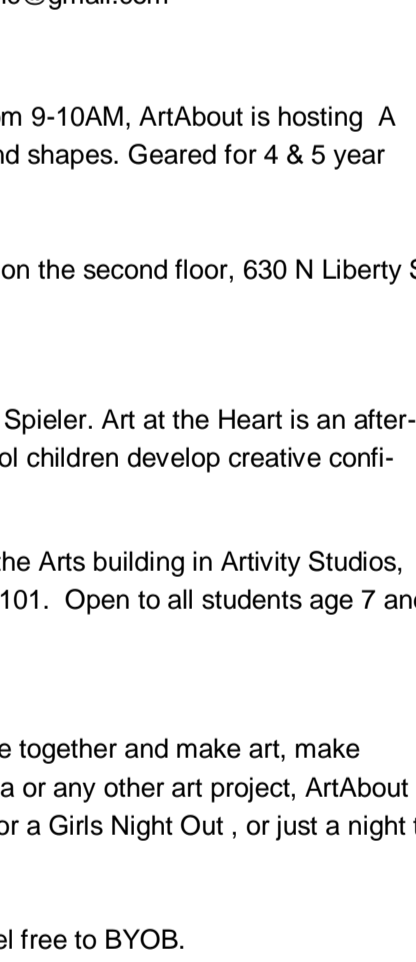
**Latin Social Hosted by Salsa Triad**

Come join the fun the every month for a Latin Social. Come and join us to dance with the hottest Salsa and Bachata music. Invite your friends, family or special someone. Looking forward to seeing you. Check the AFAS website calendar for dates.

Videos of event at Facebook and YouTube at SalsaTriad1  
7-11 pm - Lets dance to Latin music.  
Water is \$1

The funds will be used to promote the events, such as this one, invite your family, friends or special someone and let's have fun. Located in the AFAS Center for the Arts, Unleashed Arts Center, Second Floor, 630 N. Liberty Street.

Enter from the 7th Street Main Entrance



# ArtAbout

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**Wednesday Open Studio Portrait Painting Sessions**

ArtAbout is hosting an open studio, portrait painting session every Wednesday evening. 6:30-9:30pm. \$15 at the door. This year, we will be painting 50 women's portraits. Please join us!

All ages and skill levels welcome. Several standing easels and many table easels available

Held in the AFAS Center for the Arts building in Unleashed Arts Center on the second floor, 630 N Liberty St, Winston-Salem, NC 27101. Please email with any questions. Artaboutnc@gmail.com

**A Preschool Art Experience!**

Beginning Tuesday January 8 and recurring every Tuesday morning from 9-10AM, ArtAbout is hosting A Preschool Art Experience! Bring your young ones to play with colors and shapes. Geared for 4 & 5 year olds. \$15 per class.

Held in the AFAS Center for the Arts building in Unleashed Arts Center on the second floor, 630 N Liberty St, Winston-Salem, NC 27101.

**Art at the Heart Winston-Salem**

Art at the Heart Winston-Salem is brought to you by ArtAbout with Beth Spieler. Art at the Heart is an after-school art program in its 7th year running! Our goal is to help your school children develop creative confidence through the practice of ART.

We meet EVERY TUESDAY from 4-6pm. Held in the AFAS Center for the Arts building in Activity Studios, Studio #9 on the second floor, 630 N Liberty St, Winston-Salem, NC 27101. Open to all students age 7 and older \$10 per class.

**ArtAbout Evening Events**

Back by popular demand, these evening sessions are for adults to come together and make art, make friends and have fun! Whether we make a painting, a mosaic, a mandala or any other art project, ArtAbout Evening Events are an enjoyable and relaxing! Perfect for a Date Night, or a Girls Night Out, or just a night to be creative and get to know others.

\$30 per session includes supplies, light snacks and a glass of wine. Feel free to BYOB.  
Sign up info on ArtAbout Facebook page. 2019 Remaining Event Dates: 11/19, 12/17. 6:30pm-9:00pm.

Held in the AFAS Center for the Arts building in Unleashed Arts Center on the second floor, 630 N Liberty St, Winston-Salem, NC 27101.

**Artist Carolina Corona presents "Wild Intimacy"**

A new exhibit inside the June Porter Johnson Gallery in the Elbertson Fine Art Center of Salem College. The show runs from October 18—November 22, 2019

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Opening Reception Friday, October 18, 5:30pm - 7:30pm

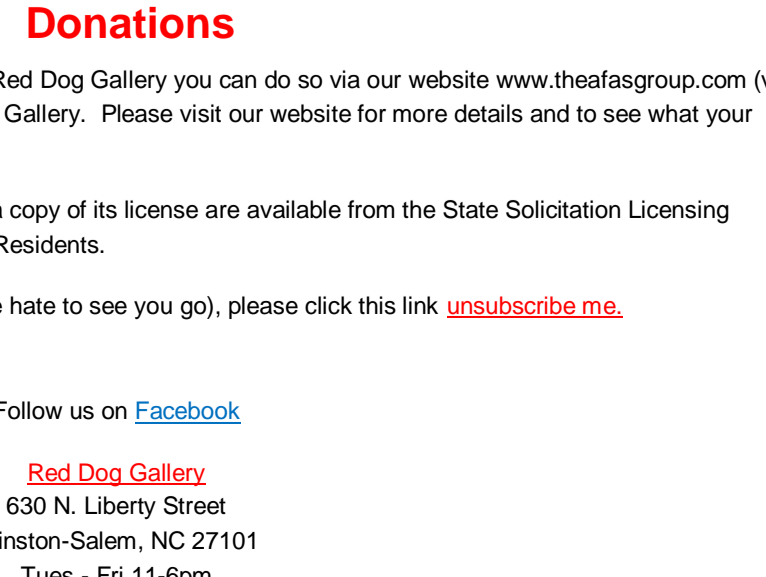
**Karma Salon & Gallery presents "In Appreciation of Trees"**

A new exhibit of a collection of paintings by Lea Lackey Zachmann—"Inspired works from a longstanding fascination with and appreciation of the world of trees."

Exhibition runs October 28<sup>th</sup> through December 27<sup>th</sup>

Karma Salon & Gallery  
206 W. 6<sup>th</sup> Street  
Winston-Salem, NC 27101  
336-682-2671

Hours:  
Tuesday-Thursday 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM  
Friday 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Saturday and Monday By Appointment



**Raman Bhardwaj**

In August Raman Painted a 22 x 24 foot mural at the Westover gallery of shops, Greensboro. The mural is titled "Ballerina" and is painted to celebrate the grace of ballet. It is based on one of Raman's paintings. The mural was curated by Kotisstreetart.



On September 14, live on stage in the Cary Theatre (Cary, NC), Raman painted during a performance by musician Bill West. West sang a hour of original compositions during Raman's impromptu painting. The result is a 30 by 40 inch painting that features Bill West singing and a huge Native American woman's face that reflects West's lineage



In late August through mid September, Raman painted a 32 ft high by 26 ft wide mural on the exterior wall of the Red Cinemas in Greensboro. This mural is titled "My name is Joker" and is a tribute to Heath Ledger's iconic role as Joker. Raman extended the mural to the entrance doorway and stairs on that wall. On the three walls in the entranceway he painted Batman, Harley Quinn, and the new Joker played by Joaquin Phoenix. While the new Joker's face is on the wall, his body is painted on the staircase - so when you stand in front of the stairs you see the body connected to the head on the wall behind the stairs. The mural was curated by Kotisstreetart.



Raman also painted a mural, located near World of Beer, in the Westover Gallery of Shops (Greensboro, NC), titled "Enter the Dragon". This mural is a tribute to Bruce Lee, the most influential martial artist and pop icon of all time. It is also a personal trip down Raman's childhood memory lane, when Bruce Lee inspired with his strength and discipline in the days of print media, video tapes and no Internet. Growing up in 1980s, kids in India were huge fans of his posters, stickers and movie tapes. He also changed the perception of Asians being represented in Hollywood. Raman included a Hindi text in the mural to mark his Indian roots and also as an ode to the Bollywood movie "Khalid" which featured an Indian star who is a martial artist.



### Lock Yourself Into the Arts!

Capture and lock your memory in time. Celebrate life's events from births and marriages to graduations and birthdays! Design and attach your own personal lock to the Archway in the Art District in downtown Winston-Salem on 6th street.



**Step 1: Purchase Lock** You can purchase your lock from a local store, Saturday Art Jam event at AFAS or for \$5.00 at The Red Dog Gallery—630 N. Liberty St. Or Studio & - 204 W. 6th St.

**Step 2: Prime Lock**—Prime your lock with an outdoor primer (either spray or brush) if you did not purchase already primed. Give your lock two coats of primer before painting.

**Step 3: Paint Lock**—Customize your lock into a one of a kind work of art with paint, permanent markers, etc.

**Step 4: Clear Coat Lock**—Apply two coats of a clear coat finish, either using a spray clear coat or brush on clear coat. This will protect your creation from the sun & weather.

**Step 5: Attach lock to Archway to the Arts and toss the key in the Arch base!**

### Donations

If you would like to donate to AFAS and / or The Red Dog Gallery you can do so via our website www.theafasgroup.com (via PayPal), regular mail, or in person at the Red Dog Gallery. Please visit our website for more details and to see what your generous donation helps provide our community

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