



Newsletter

November 2020



President's Message

As we move into the month of November, many of us are entertaining thoughts of celebrating Thanksgiving. Savory home cooked meals, family, friends, football, games, laughter, and naps...perhaps. The "beast" continues to roam the earth and even though our family dinner attendance might be smaller this year, we can still be thankful for many things. So, please keep those incredible scientists, doctors, nurses, first responders and all essential workers in your thoughts and prayers this Thanksgiving.

Speaking of being thankful, the Fine Arts theatre group continues to entertain us with their wonderful Cabarets. If you missed the Halloween Cabaret in person, you can still view it online which can be accessed through their website. (www.fineartsassociation.org) "Stage Fright", A Halloween Cabaret, is packed with some great music, great talent, and wit.

Our board members met on October 19th via Zoom and we approved a \$3,177.29 repair cost for the Marquee out front which was not working properly. We respectfully had to decline sponsorship for the Halloween and Holiday concerts as we endeavor to increase the funds in our treasury. Our next board meeting will be, once again, using Zoom on November 16th at 10:15 a.m.

"The thankful heart opens our eyes to a multitude of blessings that continually surround us."
(James E. Faust)

Thanks to all of you who help support the Fine Arts Association!



Happy Thanksgiving everyone!

Karen Pribula



And the winner is: YOU and the Fine Arts Association

In place of our usual Holiday Benefit at the Kirtland Country Club, we will be holding a **50-50 raffle** by mail. By now you should have received your tickets.

The price of raffle tickets is \$5 each or 6 for \$25.

There will be three winners:

- 1st prize is the **50-50 cash amount**
- 2nd prize is 6 vouchers for performances at Fine Arts
- 3rd prize is 4 vouchers for Fine Arts.

The vouchers need to be exchanged for tickets of your choice and there is no expiration date.

The raffle will be drawn on December 6th which would have been the date for the benefit.

Want to make a real difference?

In addition to the tickets, an additional donation will help us be able to give as much as possible this year to Fine Arts, which needs our help more than ever. Your donation goes directly to the Fine Arts! Remember this is our major fund raiser, so please be generous.

Let's have some FUN and also RAISE SOME MONEY for the Fine Arts Association!

Roberta Lucia, Sandy Taddeo and Lois Wigton
Special Projects Committee



The Event Committee wishes to thank CEO Paul Holm for allowing us to use the new printing capabilities at Fine Arts. Also, we especially want to thank Marcia Kish, Special Projects Coordinator at Fine Arts, for all her help in design, printing and skill in using the new equipment. She was a pleasure to work with and we couldn't have done it without her.

Membership Committee Just a reminder....

Without our normally scheduled "Luncheon Series" it has been difficult reaching perspective new members...

SO WE NEED YOUR HELP.

Pease TELL A FRIEND about The Women's Committee.

Their \$25 membership will go a long way in support of the ARTS!

If you need a brochure and information sent to a perspective member please let me know. Also, I would be happy to reach out to them by phone.

Thanks

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Thanks to presenting sponsor Sugar Pines Farm and support from the Ohio Arts Council , FAA's 'Home for the Holidays' performance will take place at FAA from December 3-6 and virtually on December 20th
The Fine Arts Association