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## Welcome to a New Business

Mister DipZ Cookies & Sweet Treats has come to a brick and mortar here in the Arts District at the Executive Plaza, just west of Northern Blvd. at 10707 E Winner Rd suite #100. Mister DipZ was established March 17, 2019 by a young entrepreneur, Frankie Beal, an 11 year old from Independence, MO. This youngster started his business with less than \$100.00.



He took a business class, a food handlers class, & Business Banking Account class, from there he landed an audition for Shark Tank. After the Shark Tank experience he received a lot of exposure and investors! He decided to bring something different to the community, so that everyone can enjoy it! His creative imagination that represents his culture of our society with flavors that enhance the five senses that satisfies the heart.

Mom, Sonja Beal, became a full time "Momager" de Classes and bought Frankie a food truck for his cookies and sweet treats in July of 2020. So Frankie became the youngest food trucker in the Metropolitan area. Sonja says being a momager has really motivated her not only to inspire others and touch others lives by saying anything is possible! She



makes it possible that the food truck can make it to where they need to go as Frankie, is not old enough to drive. To schools, to nursing homes, to private parties, completion battles, work events, churches, Art Walks, and festivals. Where would you like them to come with their food truck? The BEST thing about our cookies & sweet treats are they are a GRAB-N-GO. There are over 58 different flavors you can choose from and you can dip them, stuff them, or top them, too! There are a variety of sweet treats in store, daily. Soon to offer much more. Come by and see us at 10707 E Winner Rd., Suite 100. Support our youth entrepreneur!

Mister DipZ is accredited with the BBB, the Independence Chamber of Commerce, the KC Star special edition of Black Business Week, Black Restaurant Week, and soon to be a new member of the Englewood Business Association.

Chocolate Salted Pretzels Cookies/ Cupcake





Oreo Stuff Cake Cookies Golden & Chocolate



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**B-Vogue Salon & Gallery** will be open to with a special Art Rescue, reasonable adoption fees!

**Blue Mango Boutique** will stay open until 8:30 PM for you to check out their new item of the day!

**Darkwood House Gallery** will be open from 5:00 – 10:00 PM. Entrance and parking in the rear of the building. Come in to see all that's new and creepy. Art work, antiques, vintage glass, retro clothing, historical costuming, bones, & newly acquired postmortem cards! New Hours Thurs - Sat 1-6 pm.

**Englewood Café** is open until 8:00 PM serving great comfort food and drinks.

**Englewood Row Gallery & Art Space** enjoy a charming point, evening of creative art by a local artist Robin Rice, and listen to the LIVE luck of the Irish Music by Patty O'Brien. Open until 8:30 PM. Music begins promptly at 5:30 PM. Treat yourself to delicious baked goods from Anita's Home Bakery - Sugar Cookies & Mint Brownies and to top it all off Eclairs de la Lune: Pistachio Scones. Refreshing drinks will be provided to compliment your goodies.

Frannie Franks Coffee Cakes will be open for Art Walk, serving St Patrick's weekend coffee cakes and a new "Doggie Cake". Anyone mentioning the post will get a \$1 off each cake.



a middle layer of crushed Mint Oreos<sup>®</sup> and chocolate chips, then topped with more Oreos<sup>®</sup> and a rich, Ghiradelli<sup>®</sup> chocolate drizzle. Four Corners Framed Art will be open and featuring beautifully Framed Art!

**KC Property Solutions** will have local art in the front foyer, open until 8 PM.

La Plaza Restaurant will be serving their authentic Central American cuisine until 9 PM.

**Mister DipZ Cookies** come by and try our delicious cookie cake, 1/2 block West of Northern Blvd. at 10707 E Winner Rd suite #100, in the Executive Plaza Building.

Puppetry Arts Institute will be open for tours.

Three Trails Trading Post and Artisan Gallery will have a several of local Artists, Sylvia Tanner, with beadwork, Vira Dobbins, with wonderful alass treasurers, and Rick Schlosser, with Custom Made Birdhouses and Feeders, all have a variety of price ranges for your budget needs. The Man of Faces, will 1,000 be back, Michael McQuary from 5:30 - 8:00 PM for a special "Your Essence in Seconds" masterpiece. #youressenceinseconds! Only \$30



**Vivilore** has upstairs open for your perusing pleasure, two floors of art, antiques, gifts, jewelry, seasonable, and boutique items plus dinner and drinks inside or out in the beautiful courtyard garden.

**Wine Down 109** will be open again this month stop in for a great drink and some beautiful artwork of Karen Polka's.

What is Mine Can be Yours will be open late. Entrance on Harris the side of the Englewood Row Gallery & Art Space building, also some things hanging upstairs in the Englewood Row Gallery.

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#### Up Coming Events

The Darkwood House Gallery Uncertain Tea, this SUNDAY March 13, 5:00 PM, for an elegant evening filled with a variety of teas, devilish delights, and ghost stories all in the ambiance of candlelight and dark art. \$10 per attendee, payable at the door. Mourning attire encouraged, although basic black would be most appropriate.

Three Trails Trading Post & Artisan Gallery Classes for jewelry making are scheduled by appointment, small bubble groups are very popular since the Covid 19! When is a good time for you? You and your best girlfriends? You and your kids? You too, can be an artist, with a little guidance! Look at the website and see what classes spark your interest. <u>www.3trailstradingpost.com</u> Here is the line-up for scheduled for our Lampwork, glass bead making classes: 2 is our magic number! Sign up by calling 816-252-5622, or threetrails@sbcglobal.net.

#### Lampwork or Glass Bead Making

March 261 PM Glass Bead MakingApril 23Part 14 hours\$65.00March 272 PM Glass Bead MakingApril 24Part 24 hours\$65.00Or you schedule an appointment for 2 at



What is Mine Can be Yours everything Englewood Pop-up Shopping Event, 16 days of shopping in the Historic Englewood Arts District April 1 - April 16, 2022. Mon-Thurs 12 - 6 PM, Fri 12 - 8 Pm Sat 10 - 6 PM, Sun 10 AM - 3 PM. 1722 Harris Ave. This is a coloration of Local Artists, & Vintage Vendors to bring this amazing shopping event to the community! Canvas & framed art, upcycled art, original photography, antiques& collectables, refurbished furniture, vintage & hand crafted décor, and so much more.

Up Coming Events



Admission \$5.00 per person reservations are requested, as seating is limited.

April 2 & 9, 11:00 am & 2:00 pm Three Little Kittens Lost Their Mittens Performed by Nancy Clark.



Puppetry Arts Institute 11025 E Winner Rd., Indep., MO 64052

Art Bliss provides art lessons and painting parties with all materials and instruction. We travel to you. We also paint murals, interiors, and commissioned work. Message artblissindep@gmail.com.

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## HeArt 2 HeArt

What a warm Loving Winter we have had here in Englewood all the way up town, around the Square! A big Thank you goes out to WestiNd Connection that made it possible for all of us to enjoy and share our love!

Thank you to all who purchased HeArts, WestiNd Exceeds Expectations! They were pleased to announce that well over 300 hearts were sold this year! Because of these sales, WestiNd Connection is able to donate \$5000 to Englewood Arts!

This completes their five-year pledge of donating \$10,000 to Englewood Arts. And the got it done in THREE years with an additional \$1000 donation! They couldn't have done it without YOU! Thank you to all who painted, prepared, and purchased hearts this year! We all LOVED seeing everyone's HeArts in theirsocial media posts when you've found your heart and share the love.

WestiNd is getting ready for their spring concerts, and has great things planned coming our way soon! Chalk the walk coming the end of April, Pride Walk in June, and the ongoing planning for the Sermon Anderson Project to find out more information go to <u>https://</u> westindconnection.com













# 1st Annual Pop-Up Shopping Event

### 16 Days of shopping in the historic Englewood Art District

April 1 - April 16, 2022 Monday-Thursday 12-6 PM, Fridays 12-8, Saturdays 10-6 PM, and Sundays 10-3 PM

### 1722 Harris Avenue, Independence, MO 64052

# This is a collaboration of Local Artists & Vintage Vendors

to bring this amazing shopping event to the community!

Canvas & Framed Art • Upcycled Art • Original Photography • Antiques & Collectibles Refinished Furniture • Vintage & Handcrafted Decor • So Much More



## Artist Palette "What's the Point?"

Featured artist of the month at Englewood Row Gallery and Art Space is Robin Rice is a very parotitic gal she grew up in Liberty and



has lived here in Independence for 27 years. She has been drawing and painting most of her life. Using acrylics and watercolor upon occasion to create art, the medium she prefers is pen and ink. The technique is called pointillism or stippling for short.

Robin blends different colored dots to create texture, depth, and shape. Her inspiration is based on George Pierre Seurat, the father of pointillism.



Previously Robin has shown in the Crossroads Arts District, the West Bottoms, City Market Coffee, and the Englewood Arts District. She has participated in the KCPT auction several being awarded honorable mention and even an overbid! Robin a graduate of the University of Central Missouri with a BS in Art education. She is semi-retired after 24 years in the Kansas City Public Schools. Currently she teaches 2 days a week at a private school.

Robin is very passionate about art, especially the strong women artists like Georgia O'Keeffe and Frida Kahlo who made their claim to fame when the dripline was denominated by male artists.





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