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New Shop in the Arts District!

One of Englewood's newest shops, that opened last month on 3rd Friday Art Walk is **Ezra October's Fantastical Creations** and is located along side of the The Darkwood House Gallery at 10918 E Winner Rd. When you walk in, it is as if you are entering another world; a magical space where anything you dream can be brought to life.



Ezra Ethetton is a transgender man and lover of all things beautiful. It is his pleasure to be a tailor and fantastical costume designer, specializing in commissions ranging from daily wear to eveningwear, dance, and theatre costumes, and event pieces. He has been sewing since as long as he can remember, sewing washcloths into pockets and making his own Halloween costumes year after year. He loved the idea of being able to bring 2D objects to life into the 3rd dimension, with just an outfit turning into someone different, something else. He trained under costume designers and master tailors for years, cultivating his ability and

learning the rules so he could fashionably break them. Ezra firmly believes that when anyone puts on a good outfit or costume, they can become someone they never were before; a powerful ruler, an an-

cient spirit, a beautiful deity, or even a simple milkmaid. He uses his love for historical clothing and fantasy costumes, as well as subcultures in fashion to create unique, timeless clothing.

All of the clothing is made avoiding the use of sweatshop labor; from the textile to the finished garment. One focus on using recycled materials and bio-degradable materials such as linen, wool, and silk, all of which will feel wonderful and natural and will decompose unlike polyester. That way, everyone can wear clothes guilt-free. Everything is fully customizable, from the color to the material and the fit for your unique body, and proud to say that he services any

gender and any size, from 2XS to 6XL and beyond.

If you're ever looking for clothing made to fit you, specialized down to the very detail to make you comfortable and confident, stop by 10918 E Winner Rd, or contact Ezra by email for a quote: EzraOctober@gmail.com





B-Vogue Salon & Gallery will be open highlighting featured Artist Melissa Ann Zuniga, Phillip Zuniga, Shannon Carleton and Ellie too!

Blue Mango Boutique will be open for you to check out their new items for Summer and she will have a bonus sidewalk sale!

Darkwood House Gallery, The will be open with a new entrance on the front of Winner Rd. Come in to see all that's new in the bigger space. Art work, antiques, vintage glass, retro clothing, historical costuming, bones, and more!

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

Englewood Row Gallery & Art Space enjoy an evening listen to the LIVE music by KC super star singer, songwriter, and guitarist Brian Ruskin. Browse an eclectic variety of artworks by local artists. Open until 8:30 PM. Music begins promptly at 5:30 PM. Treat yourself with delicious Anita's Home Bakery Blueberry & Lemon Scones and Chocolate Crinkles cookies. To top it all off, Spring water & La Croix Sparkling water, and a wine tasting featuring a decadent choice of Chateau Ste. Michelle Wine.

Ezra October Fantastical costuming, historical and fantasy costumes. Newly opened shop come in and check everything out!

Frannie Franks Coffee Cakes will be open for Art Walk, with special cakes for Father's Day.

Four Corners Framed Art is featuring investment grade fine art for 3rd Friday and throughout the summer!

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

Kasper's Home Decor and More will have Nike Golf Shirts, Dixie Belle paints, Scentsy, Silvey's Soap, and Father's Day shirts, signs, and gifts, Summer items, and projects! La Plaza Restaurant serving until 9pm, their authentic Central American cuisine.

Mister DipZ Cookies food truck will be on location just a 1/2 block West of Northern Blvd. at 10707 E Winner Rd suite #100, in the Executive Plaza Building, a variety of cheesecakes, and Twix cake cookies.

Mugs Up Diner will be open serving the famous Zip-burgers and Rootbeer. Also a verity of other items.

Pottery Art has many different greenwears for you to choose from and paint yourself.

Puppetry Arts Institute will be open for a SPECIAL viewing of the Missouri Bicentennial room and Also a Dr. Seuss puppet display. The gift store is always open!

Three Trails Trading Post and Artisan Gallery will have a several of local Artists, Sylvia Tanner, with beadwork, Vira Dobbins, with wonderful glass treasurers, and owner Kara Paris with many leather bags, phone cases and medicine bags.

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, stop in for a and enjoy a cocktail, martini, wine, or beer and some beautiful artwork of Karen Ann Polka's.

Guest Artists for 3rd Friday Artwalk

River & Rain Soap Co. is a mom-owned, handmade natural soap company. With eco-friendliness first in mind.





Gypsy Mercantile will be here with their bus parked at the North East end of Winner Rd near B-Vogue Salon.



Grandpas Reclaimed Products Wood Woodworker and artist Dana Sipes will have frames and birdfeeders and more.

Crafty Btches, earrings, key rings, jewelry, home décor, and more.







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Overnight Plush is a small crochet business, specializing in making amigurumi creatures of all kinds. It started as a hobby, and has very quickly become a passion. Unique dolls for unique people is the motto of Autumn's business!





gARTen glass by Jill Fields beautifully repurposed, reused glass! Find the perfect dishes for your yard!







The Englewood Beautification **Project on Winner Road**

(Sterling Avenue to Northern Blvd)

\$200 donation helps fu

- Concrete Pots
- Natural Plants/Flowers
- River Rocks
- · And Other Supplies Needed









Music with Frank every third Thursday, June 16, 5:00 to 8:00 PM \$5.00 cover. Come and listen to some tunes, enjoy a cocktail, a martini, wine, or beer and food, dinner or an appetizer is available by Dida as well! Shop for some beautiful artwork of Karen Ann Polka's while you are here. Future dates, 3rd Thursday, July 21, 5:00 to 8:00 PM. \$5.00 cover. Save the date!



Up Coming Events—Summer Camp





Shopping, Workshops, Entertainment, and

Puppet Shows

Admission \$5.00 per person

reservations are requested, as seating is limited.

June 24, 7:30 pm, June 25, 11:00 am

Uncle Rabbit's Adventures a Spanish-Bilingual tale

Performed by Eulenspiegel Puppet Theatre, of West Liberty, Iowa.



Puppetry Arts Institute
11025 E Winner Rd., Indep., MO 64052
816-833-9777 www.puppetryartsinstitute.org

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. www.3trailstradingpost.com
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

June 18 Part 1 1 PM Glass Bead Making
July 16 4 hours \$65.00

June 19 Part 2 2 PM Glass Bead Making
July 17 4 hours \$65.00

Or you schedule an appointment for 2 at your convince.

ENGLEWOOD Summer Arts Camp

Sponsored by Englewood Arts June 20 thru July 29, is a great way for children, ages 7-12, to experience first hand, the power of art making, while learning a variety of new things in one of our four dedicated classes. Our second year of camp will run from 8:30am to 3:30pm, Monday- Friday and will focus on the visual arts and give the children the openness to explore their own ideas as we teach them how to sculpt, paint, draw, and assemble their way to becoming amazing artists.

Thanks to the wonderful generosity of our donors we are pleased to offer full and partial scholarships for **a single class**, apply through the scholarship application button below on our web site.

Each week is associated with a different theme and we will be utilizing clay, painting, drawing and sculpting to bring those themes to life. Classes per week cost \$245 with an additional \$75 for lunch (optional). Pick one that sounds like the most fun for you! See all classes on our website. if you are interested in applying for a scholarship please make sure to click the Scholarship application separately.

www.englewoodarts.art

Week 1: Making Music (June 20 – 24)

Music is all around us and we can make beautiful music together. Play and make some noise as we turn everyday items in to beautiful sounding Instruments and create an orchestra.

Week 2: Food of Art History (June 27 – July 1) Images of food have always been a popular subject in art, we will be looking at artistic food and using it to make art. We can have fun reimagining our favorite

snacks through sculpting and paintings.

Week 3: Rec-Creation (July 4 - 8) Working as a team to make Art. Our sports and recreation week will have us building our own sculptures in a competition, while we stay active in our drawings, paintings and making new games!

Week 4: S.T.E.A.M. (July 11—15) Science & Technology, interpreted through Engineering and the Arts based in Mathematics. We will use creative problem solving and art to make kinetic sculptures, while learning to make primitive robots and more! STEAM WEEK IS FULL! Registration for this class will put you onto a waiting list.

Week 5: Plants, Bugs and Birds (July 18-22)

From the smallest seeds to the largest trees we will have fun exploring Nature. We can sculpt bugs, use flowers and leaves as painting tools and then add them to a beautiful collage as we learn more about the world around us.

Week 6: All About Animals (July 25 –29)

We will be exploring the animal kingdom through drawing, painting and sculpting. We get to talk with experts about wildlife and learn everything we can about our favorite animals and even some we never hear of.

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