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# Englewood Arts District

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Eletronic Newsletter for the Englewood Arts District Merchants and Artists

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#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday Art Walk

Shop Small this Holiday
Season! Daily Shopping Plus
Extended hours until 9 PM,
3<sup>rd</sup> Friday Art Walk
Holiday/Christmas Market
Buy unique, one-of-a-kind
gifts, art (big & small),
handmade items, music,
jewelry, and fashion, A wide
variety of gifts for that
special person on your list!
This is our 8<sup>th</sup> annual
Christmas Market! Normal
daily hours as well!





#### Holiday/Christmas Market



# Free Surrey Rides for the Public Thanks to our Patrons

Thank you to the patrons that have shopped in the Englewood Arts District. One penny from each dollar spent, paid in sales tax, comes back to our community, and we are spending some of those pennies with Ralph of Pioneer Trails Adventures, from the Square, for Free Rides to the public. We are asking for a food donation of a non-perishable, dry or canned good for the less fortunate this Holiday Season, we will be donating to Northern Blvd. United Methodist Church which passes out food w/Ruth's Pantry on Thursdays 5:30-7:30 pm. This Month we will have 2 pick up and drop off points, pick up on the North side of the street were Harvard runs to the south (usual place) and we are going to drop you off at Nirvana Coffee Bar & Game Lounge, one of our newest businesses here in the Arts District. Plenty of things for you to do and see. There will be a band Jem Razz listen to some smooth sounds while you play a game, coffee, and warm drinks to purchase, and they can even be spiked now! Nirvina received their liquor license in November. They will also have available Indian food for dinner; Butter Chicken, Naan and Pulao Outside a firepit and some cooking of Smore's. Catch your ride back up to Harvard.

## 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday Art Walk December 16

**B-Vogue Salon & Gallery** will be closed as they will be down at the **NEW WiNc Inclusion Center** located at 10910 E Winner Rd, Come visit them there.

**Darkwood House Gallery** will be hosting a Tarot Reader and Psychometrist (a person who draws psychic information from an object), as well as several merchants for Three Witches art market.

**Englewood Arts Center** will be selling glass ornaments, they will also be making them in the glass lab, Experience the Martin City Melodrama of song, dance, and comedy with their rescue dog troupe at 7:00 PM. Also, Pop-up Pickens Sweet Treats from the Innovation Center will be here selling Fudge, Toffee, nut clusters, candy cane bark, and beautiful treats for gifts or to just enjoy.

**Englewood Café** is open until 8:00 PM. Serving great comfort food.

**Englewood Row Gallery & Art Space** will be open, featuring 3 Artists. Galleries available, check them out if you are looking for a studio.

**Ezra October** will be open drop buy for that special handmade sewn gift.

**Frannie Frank Coffee Cakes** will be open until 8:30 pm serving new flavors, Eggnog and Orange Cranberry. Come in and build your own gift basket!

**Four Corners Framed Art** will be open featuring beautifully framed Art, great gifts throughout the gallery.

**KC Property Solutions** will be open until 8:00 PM with area Artwork in the foyer.

**Kasper's Home Decore & More** will be open signing kids up for classes. Make and Take gifts for ages 7 and up, signs, Christmas Shelf sitters, reindeer,

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Christmas Trees, Snowmen, or ornaments \$25 per child. Adult Craft workshops, Tuesdays and Thursdays 6-9 PM \$35 per person. Call or email also to make an appointment 816-853-2629 or kdinwiddie2020@outlook.com.

Narvina Coffee Bar & Game Lounge will be open with a lot of things going on here. This will be one of the drop off pick up places for the FREE Surrey Rides, There will be live music with Jem Razz, Games, Hot Drings to warm you up, Adults spiked Drinks along with a full bar, are now available. Indian food available for dinner, Butter Chicken and Naan & Pulao Rice. Outdoors there will be a fire pit and Smores. Located ½ block West of Northern Blvb. 10707 W Winner Rd.

**Pottery Art** will be open for you to get a special made gift underway for a Christmas present.

**Puppetry Arts Institute** will be open lots of items in the gift shop for purchase for presents.



Three Trails Trading Post and Artisan Gallery will be open featuring several local Artists, Sylvia Tanner bead weaver, Denise Solary Glass Bead Maker, Vira Dobbins Glass Artist, Deb Sipes Clay Artist, and Michael McQuary with your Essence in Seconds from 5:30-8:00 pm.

**Vivilore** has 2 floors upstairs with very eclectic shopping for great Christmas Gifts, Antiques, jewelry, seasonable and boutique items. Come early for dinner and Drinks!

**WiNc Inclusion Center** is up and ready for a full opening that will support and serve the LGBTQ+ Community. Stop in and see the new look and buy a book!

**Wine Down 109** will be open serving seasonable drinks with featured Artist Karen Ann Polka with great Christmas gifts.

# Opportunities in the Arts District!





Art Gallery Lease, step right into business plan. There are already several artists in the Gallery, so income from the getogo. Englewood Row Gallery and Art Space, 10922 E Winner Rd. Call KC Property Solutions 816-285-6531.



1722 S Harris the newly renovated yellow barrel top building behind Englewood Row Gallery is NOW available for lease! 3000 Sq. ft newly remodeled, comes with 2 furnaces, AC unit, lights, fans, loft, 1/2 bath, office space (new garage door coming soon!) Everything is fresh & clean, features free parking, potential outdoor event space, 220 electric & more. he options are endless, this newly remodeled building could be a microbrewery, art and event space, fabrication shop, coffee roastery and/or more! Rent \$1650/mo, Year + lease, tenant pays utilities, landlord provides trash, security cameras, lawn & snow removal, building upkeep, etc! Call April at KC Property Solutions 816287-0460



Also looking for Guest Artist for 3rd Fridays! Applications online on the EBA website at www.englewood biz.org/vendar.





WiNc Inclusion Center partnering with B-Vogue Salon & Gallery Adopt-a-Family Program to assist families durring the holiday season. They are collecting canned goods, blankets, and new or gently used coats. They are also accepting finical donations that will be used to complete a Christmas wish list for adopted famlies. To donate bring unwrapped items and/or donation to B-Vogue Salon & galleryor to the WiNc Inclusion Center by Friday December 16<sup>th</sup>.





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### **Looking Forward**

**December 14, 5:30 – 8:30 pm, Wine Down 109,** Wednesday LoveX2 a WD Favorite.

**December 15, 5:30 – 8:30 pm, Wine Down 109,** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday Frank will be back with live music!

**December 15, Kasper's Home Décor & More,** Adult craft workshop.

**December 17, 11:00 AM** Puppetry Arts Institute "Holly Jolly Christmas" show Enjoy a special visit by Pady Blackwood creation Big Mama Bear, Yuletite Elf, and Miss Opera Singer. Puppeteer Kraig Kensinger. Admission \$5.00 call for reservations 816-833-9777 or e-mail <a href="mailto:pai@att.net">pai@att.net</a> to reserve seats.

**December 20, Kasper's Home Décor & More,** Adult craft workshop.

**December 22, 5:30 – 8:30 pm, Wine Down 109,** 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday Bob & T will be doing a full on Christmas show, come and sing! Bring your favorite food or snack and enjoy so great cocktails and music!

**December 22, Kasper's Home Décor & More,** Adult craft workshop.

December 24, 6:00 PM, Northern Blvd United Methodist Church, Christmas Eve Service featuring candlelight and celebration of the Lord's Supper.

**December 25, 10:30 AM, Northern Blvd United Methodist Church,** Christmas Morning Service of Lessons and Carols.

