ArtJones' Larry Enlow **Emerging Artists Program** Announces its 2023 emerging artists winners

If you're jonesing for ART... then come to the ArtJones Open Studio Tour! That is the origin of our artist-run collective, established in 2017.

ArtJones began its Emerging Artist program in 2021 with generous contributions from the Enroy Foundation and Gulfport residents Kathleen & Peter Forde. This program intends to support local artists who show great promise and are at the ascent of their creative career trajectory. We welcome unrecognized voices and are eager to share those with our art audience.

In 2023, we honor THREE EMERGING ARTISTS with scholarships. They are Silversmith Ashley Wix, Sculptor Ashley Rivers (both at stop #1), and Pencil artist Riley Pitzen (stop #4). This year, in addition to our founding contributors, we have several additional sponsors. Echo Bartlett, Jill Rice with Zaiya Boutique, and Brenda McMahon with Brenda McMahon Gallery have all contributed financially to pay the emerging artists' entry fee.

ArtJones' original sponsor, the Enroy Foundation, founded by Larry Enlow and Maureen Kilroy, began the flow of generosity in 2017. At that point, Gulfport did not have any artist studio tours or town-wide events of this kind. Larry and Maureen contacted the founder, Brenda McMahon, and offered to help financially. Our community lost Larry in 2021, prompting us to name the new scholarship after him. We thank you, Maureen, and we miss you, Larry!

The ArtJones collective is eternally grateful to the Enroy Foundation and all of our sponsors. ArtJones Open Studio Tour is an invitational event occurring annually during the first weekend of December.

We hope you enjoy ArtJones, 2023!

Be sure to look for the ArtJones signs marking each studio location.









Our Gulfport, Florida professional arts community opens their studios to invite the public to see, touch and buy original artwork by working artists.



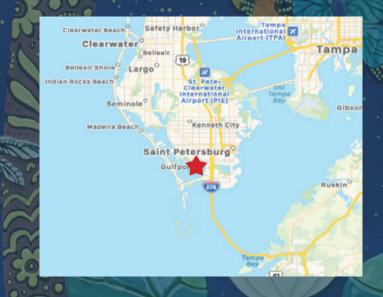
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The Gulfport, Florida arts community is thrilled to showcase the finest artists and welcome artists from the greater St. Petersburg arts scene as well. We have invited 11 new artists to join our 2023 tour. Our primary goal is to offer an enhanced experience for both artists and visitors alike. Come experience, shop and be inspired by all that Gulfport and its community of artists have to offer.



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Gulfport's free annual self-guided tour of professional artists' studios.

Saturday, Dec 2: 10am–5pm Sunday, Dec 3: 11am–4pm

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