

The Ohio State University Faculty Club

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OHIO STATE FACULTY CLUB PLANS 17TH ANNUAL ART AUCTION

The Ohio State University Faculty Club's 17th annual art auction on Friday evening, March 10, will benefit the continued upkeep and improvement of the club's historic club house, situated on the Oval of The Ohio State University's main Columbus campus.

The art auction will consist of both silent and live auctions. The preview and silent auction will start at 6 p.m. The live auction will begin at 7:30 p.m. Hors d'oeuvres and cash bar will be available. Both auctions will be free to the public and held at the Faculty Club, 181 S. Oval Drive on Ohio State's Columbus campus.

"The Faculty Club is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year. We are proud of our historic building, which makes for a special gathering place on campus where disciplines cross and knowledge is exchanged," explains Sarah Favara, Executive Director of the Faculty Club. "Investing in the building allows the club to remain relevant in today's diverse university community and sets the club on the path to success for the next 100 years."

David G. Terry, a Columbus auctioneer who is licensed and bonded by the State of Ohio, will preside over the sales. A recognized painter and art restorer, he directs his own company, Dave Terry Fine Art Restoration.

Artists and collectors with ties to Ohio State and central Ohio are contributing artworks and collectibles to the live and silent auctions, including paintings, prints, sculpture, ceramics, glass, tribal art and hand-crafted jewelry.

The Faculty Club's handsome sandstone building, completed in 1939, stands along the south rim of the Oval between historic Orton Hall and the William Oxley Thompson Memorial Library. For nearly 30 years, the club has hosted an ongoing series of art exhibitions, featuring artists with ties to the university.

The art auction is an opportunity both for community members to contribute items to the auction and for the art collector, new or experienced, to find in one place a rare mix of pieces from estates, university donors, artists, collectors, and club members – all happening on one relaxed evening.

Lisa Craig Morton, of Victorian Village, is the art auction committee chair. Serving on the auction committee are: Robie Benve (Faculty Club Art Coordinator), Fred Fochtman, Sharon Weiss, Marion Fisher, Ashley Bartman, Kristan Hastrich, and Steve and Karen Sterrett,

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