16th Annual Community Gala

Opportunities to Support

Flint Institute of Arts

Community Gala
SAVE THE DATE – January 28, 2023
Lecture: 6:00pm - Emily Bibbs, Curator at The Paul R. Jones Collection of American Art at the University of Alabama
  • Theater seating is first come, first served.
  Overflow seating available in Isabel Hall to view a live stream of the lecture.
Gala: 7:00pm-9:00pm
Attire: Cocktail
Valet: Complimentary at North Entrance

LOCATION
Flint Institute of Arts
1120 E. Kearsley Street
(810) 234.1695
flintarts.org

RESERVATIONS
Advanced
Members: $60/person
Non-Members: $80/person

At the Door
Members: $75/person
Non-Members: $95/person

PREVIOUS EXHIBITIONS FEATURED
• 2008 Something To Look Forward To
• 2009 Beyond the Frame: African American Comic Book Artists
• 2010 Mary Lee Bendolph: Gee’s Bend Quilts, and Beyond
• 2011 Promises of Freedom: Selections from the Arthur Primas Collection
• 2012 Witness: The Art of Jerry Pinkney
• 2013 Winfred Rembert: Amazing Grace
• 2014 Point of View: Contemporary African American Art from the Elliot and Kimberly Perry Collection
• 2015 Common Ground: African American Art from the Flint Institute of Arts, Kalamazoo Institute of Arts, and the Muskegon Museum of Art
• 2016 From Heart to Hand: African American Quilts from the Montgomery Museum of Fine Arts
• 2017 Women of a New Tribe
• 2018 Ubuhle Women: Beadwork and the Art of Independence
• 2019 Engaging African Art: Highlights from the Horn Collection & Vanessa German: Miracles and Glory Abound
• 2020 Community
• 2021 Posing Beauty in African American Culture
• 2022 Sons: Seeing the Modern African American Male
Ways of Seeing:
The Paul R. Jones Collection of American Art at the University of Alabama
January 29–April 23, 2023
Flint Institute of Arts, Hodge & Henry Galleries

The Paul R. Jones Collection of American Art at The University of Alabama includes one of the largest and most comprehensive collections of 20th-century African American art in the world, amassed over decades by Paul Raymond Jones, who was described by Art & Antiques magazine as “one of the top art collectors in the country.” Jones donated the 2,000-plus piece collection to the College of Arts and Sciences at The University of Alabama in 2008. The collection includes art in a variety of media from more than 600 artists, including Emma Amos, Jack Whitten, Sam Gilliam, Howardena Pindell, Romare Bearden, and Jacob Lawrence, all of whom are represented in this exhibition. These selections display the breadth and depth of the collection, showcasing artists working in a variety of materials and styles from the 1930s to the present day.
The Flint Institute of Arts’ Community Gala is an annual diversity initiative presented in conjunction with an exhibition in celebration of Black History Month. The event will feature a lecture followed by the exhibition opening, live musical entertainment, heavy hors d’oeuvres and a cash bar. **Proceeds from the Gala support exhibitions and expand the African American art collection at the FIA.**

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Sponsorship Form

Sponsors are guaranteed to be listed on the invitation and all other promotional materials if received by Friday, December 2, 2022. Final deadline for sponsorship is Friday, January 13, 2023. Sponsors eligible for logo recognition may submit their graphic in vector .eps format to events@flintarts.org.

DONOR NAME  Please print name of individual or business as it should appear on printed materials.

CONTACT NAME  All correspondence will be mailed to the contact below, including physical tickets to the event.

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CITY_________________________________ STATE______ ZIP CODE____________

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COMMITTEE MEMBER CONTACT________________________________________________

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL

$250 – Friends  $500 – Bronze  $1,000 – Copper  $1,500 – Silver  $2,500 – Gold  $5,000 – Platinum

PAYMENT METHODS

•  Pay by Check (Preferred, payable to Flint Institute of Arts)  •  Pay by Credit

__ VISA   __ MasterCard   __ Discover   __ American Express

ACCOUNT#__________________________________________EXP. DATE____/___________CVC#______/___

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• Mail, email, or fax completed form to: Attn: Gala 2023
  Flint Institute of Arts
  1120 E. Kearsley Street
  Flint, MI 48503
  Fax: 810.234.1692
  Email: events@flintarts.org

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