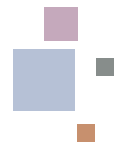
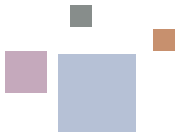




ALBRECHT-KEMPER MUSEUM OF ART

2022 ANNUAL REPORT





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2022 Staff Picture at Pot of Gold

The mission of the Albrecht-Kemper Museum of Art is to enrich the community through the collection and exhibition of visual arts by providing education, creating unique experiences, and nurturing regional artists.





I am reminded every day how much the Albrecht-Kemper Museum of Art means to the community. Visitors who are impressed with the quality of our museum, children excited to be in art class, or members visiting with old friends at an opening. The impact of the museum is deep and wide.

Expanding art classes and workshop offerings have brought on one of the best years ever for the education program. This continued growth has fueled the fundraising efforts for the carriage house renovation into a new education center.

Our first Art Fair was a great success with artists and visitors calling for us to repeat it annually. After Hours events continue to grow with comments like, “This makes me feel welcome in the museum like never before.” The wonderful, dedicated staff go above and beyond to let everyone know there will always be a friendly face to greet them.

We are gaining momentum coming out of the challenging times of the pandemic. Our Fellows membership reached a record level, business sponsors, donors and members all did their part to make the year successful.

I want to give a heartfelt thank you to everyone for making the museum such a special place.

Sincerely,

Eric Fuson
Executive Director



Education



Students concentrate on finishing their oil paintings in a three day workshop with Donna Bland.

By the Numbers:

- 133 days of classes including the media of colored pencil, drawing, watercolor, oil, and pastel painting.
- 1,277 total students, 527 of them children.
- Classroom attendance shows an 60% increase over 2021.
- 9 artists were employed as teachers.
- 38 children were enrolled in weekly Kids Media Mix-up classes.
- 68 children attended 3 weeks of Summer Camp.
- Scholarships were given to 7 students for Summer Camp.
- \$1,800 donated to Education, sponsoring supplies and free art classes.
- Education income \$42,558, Expenses \$18,456.

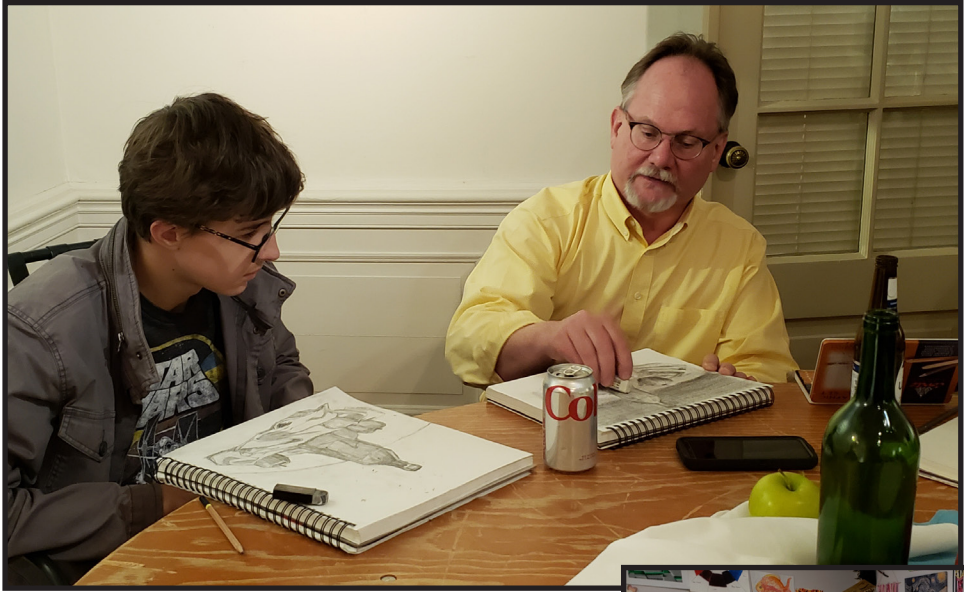
Jill Tichenor taught Painting with Pastels to Janice and Dianne among other students in 2022, adding a new medium to the ever growing list.



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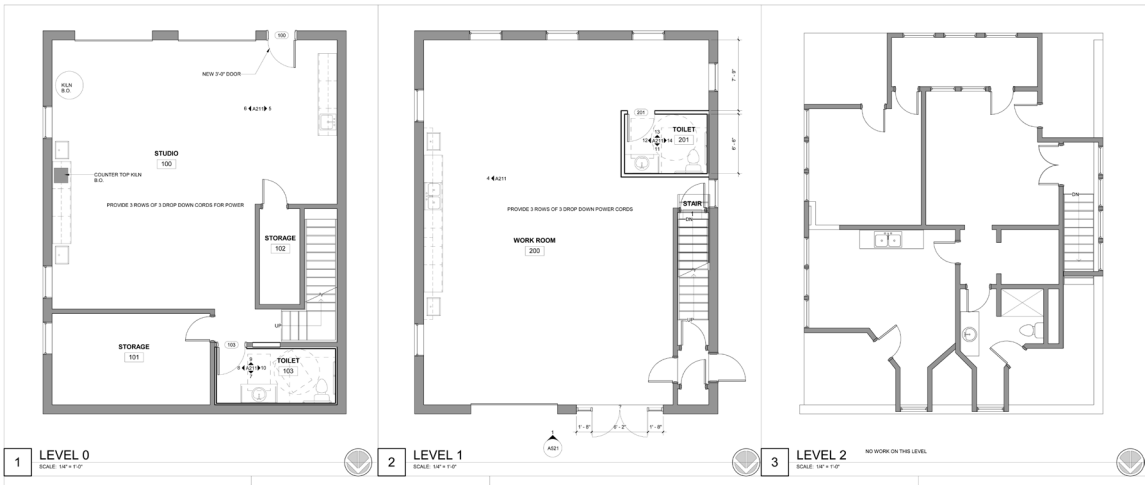


Education



Executive Director, Eric Fuson (right), taught Drawing for Beginners to 23 students of all ages in 2022 including Jude, age 13 (left).

Miss Bee (Belinda Burgiss-Hall) teaches Kids Media Mix-up students ages 6-12 on Tuesday nights during the school year.



Plans are underway to renovate the original carriage house for the new education center in 2023.



Exhibitions



- Returning|Belonging Benjamin Parks|Kathy Liao
- 48th Annual Membership Exhibition
- Regional High School Exhibition
- Piece Work/ Peace Work: Karen Matheis
- In the Academic Tradition: Connections Between the Artist's Work and His Art Collection: Stephen T. Johnson
- Undergraduate Juried Exhibition
- Leaving and Waving: Deanna Dikeman
- The Golden Age: Ariel Bowman
- Found Objects
- Norman Akers: Constructed Places: Works on Paper
- Heinrich Toh: Never As It Was
- Stampede of Bronzes
- South by Northwest: NWMSU Faculty



Exhibition Statistics:

- Membership: 158 pieces by 87 artists
- High School: 134 pieces, 121 students, 19 schools
- Undergraduate: 55 students entered 147 works for judging. 62 pieces by 33 students from 11 states exhibited.

Best of Show Winners



48th Annual
Membership
Exhibition
David Harris
Jar

Regional High School Exhibition
Samantha Arnold
Boots & Steps
Sabetha High School



6th Annual National
Undergraduate Juried
Exhibition
Joni R. Neal
*Differing Perceptions
(Learning to Walk)*
Missouri State University

Collections

In 2022 several of the artists exhibiting at the AKMA made generous donations of their artwork to our permanent collection.

Jim Cantrell
Remembrances, 1987
Oil
Gift of Sean Cantrell,
son of the artist



Karen Mathies
Farmhouse at Dusk,
2021
Oil on canvas
Gift of the artist

Three new additions to the collection will be on view in the 2023 exhibition (*Women Artists from the Collection, 1800-2022*). The artists Carol Zastoupil and Diane Werts donated oil paintings, while Lesley Dill's piece, *I See Visions*, was given by Jacqueline Bishop in memory of her mother, Berniece Bishop.

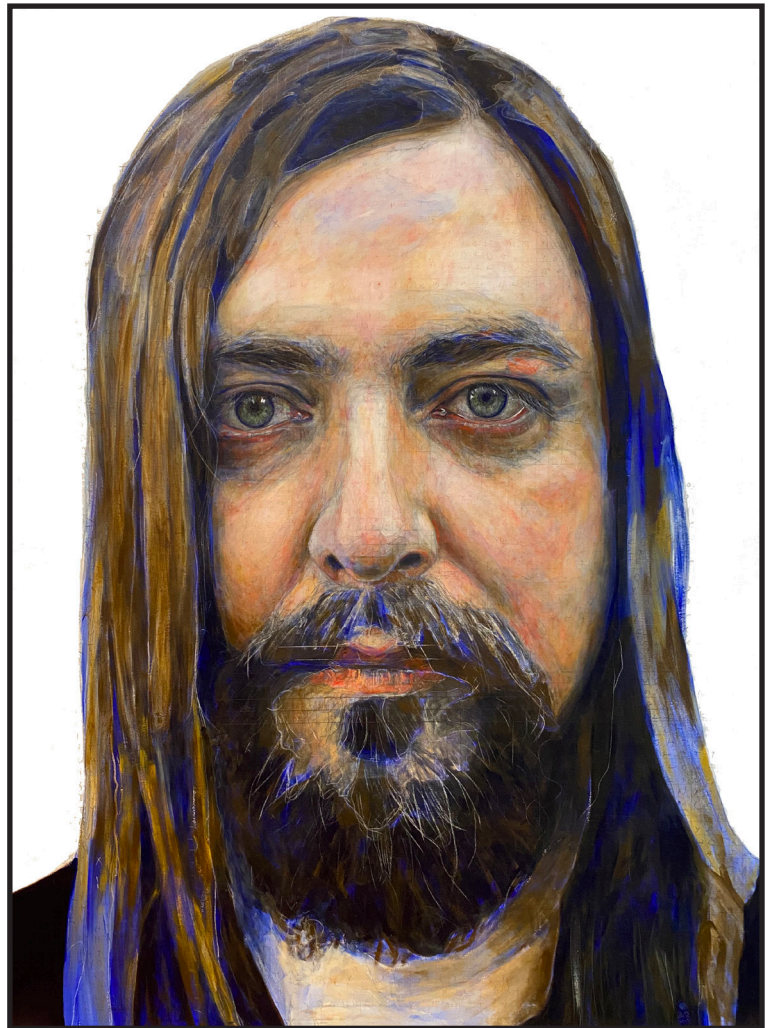
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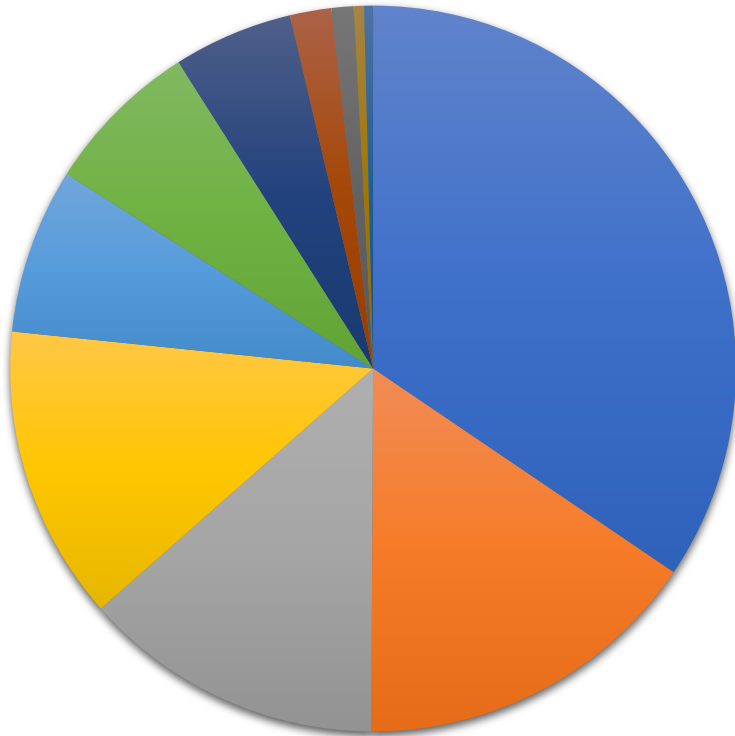
The Edna Hibel Foundation donated 3 pieces of her work that will join the 3 already in the collection to provide a broad view of her career. One of the new works is a watercolor from 1938 while the other two are examples of her late career in the 1970s.

Edna Hibel
Carol and Jennie, 1979
Oil and charcoal on silk
Gift of the Edna Hibel Art
Foundation, Palm Beach
County, Florida

Benjamin Parks
Ben, 2021
Acrylic on canvas
Gift of the artist

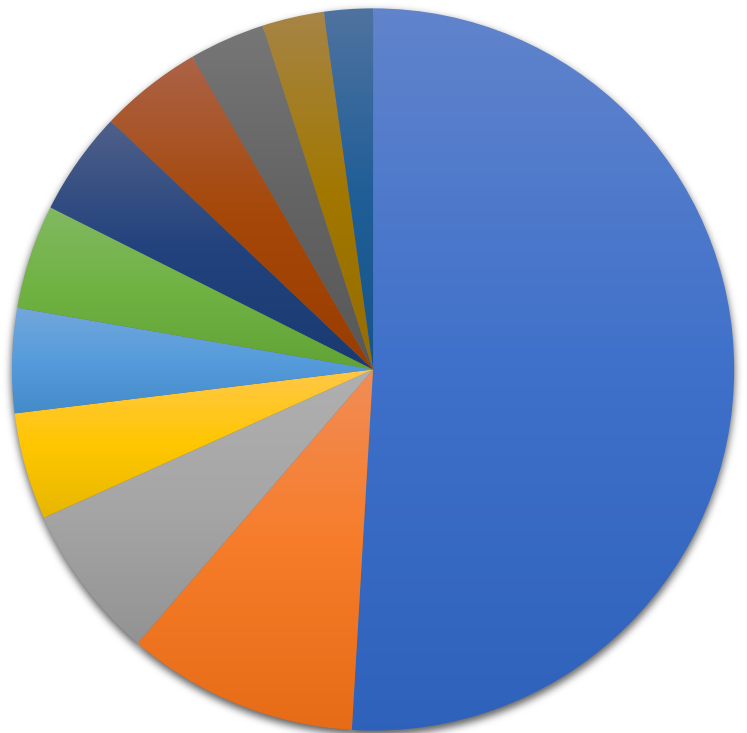


Income & Expenses



2022 Income
Total: \$609,055.45

- Kemper Family Foundation
- Fundraisers
- Membership
- Donations
- Grants & Trusts
- Education
- Special Events
- Museum Shop
- Admissions
- Other
- Exhibitions



2022 Expenses
Total: \$544,092.45

- Payroll
- Repairs
- Utilities
- Marketing/Development
- Professional Fees
- Fundraisers
- Other
- Insurance
- Education
- Special Events
- Exhibitions/Collections



Grants, Donations, Annual Giving, Memorials & Tributes

Grants

Kemper Family Foundation	\$150,000.00
Convention & Visitors Bureau	\$11,904.30
Missouri Arts Council (MAC)	\$10,707.00
Francis Family Foundation	\$10,000.00

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Raised \$ 33,041.50

114 attended

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Breakfast with Santa & Gingerbread Workshop

Raised \$2,205.01

201 attended

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Witches Tea

Raised \$9,953.86

213 attended

2 Seatings

Dinners

Raised \$6,954.02

99 attended

3 Nights

Wine Walk

Raised \$5,040.00

128 attended

Hosted by five houses

After Hours

Raised \$1,395.40

584 attended

9 Free Nights

Special Events

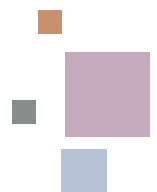
43 Public Museum Events

- 1st annual Art Fair
- Quarterly dinners (Valentine's Dinner, Italian Night, & Oktoberfest)
- 9 Monthly After Hours including artist talks, art projects, musical performances, & dinner served by the Director
- Return of the Annual Wine Walk
- Drink and Draw, an opportunity for artists to draw a live model and build our community ties



110 Private Events

- 72 service club meetings
- 8 business dinners
- 6 book club meetings
- 4 recognition ceremonies (Missouri Music Hall of Fame, National Honors Society, Boy Scouts, Central High School Dance Team)
- 3 seminars, including the Master Gardener's Symposium
- 3 birthday parties (2 were 100th birthdays)
- 3 bridal showers
- 2 wedding receptions
- 2 holiday parties
- 2 volunteer appreciation celebrations (Habitat for Humanity & Community Foundation of NW MO)
- 1 fundraiser kickoff luncheon for Second Harvest
- 1 baby shower
- 1 graduation party
- 1 wedding rehearsal dinner
- 1 celebration of life



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“Albrecht-Kemper Museum of Art to honor Maryville Floral Artist”
-St. Joseph News Press
Don Hollingsworth & Eric Fuson pictured.



A special thank you to Terry Heath, Zenas Lim, Chris Phillips, Eric Meadows, and Dan Pfister of Hillyard, Inc. for refinishing our hardwood floors in the main gallery.



“Albrecht-Kemper Museum of Art to host Art Fair on Saturday”
-St. Joseph News Press
Alex Asher taught ink swirl painting in the kids tent.

Save the Date 2023 Events

- Pot of Gold, April 29
- Art Fair, June 3
- Witches Tea, October 23
- Sugarplum Festival, November 9-11
- Breakfast with Santa, December 2

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