



The Arts in Downtown Zanesville



Join us for the June First Friday ArtWalk, June 5th from 5pm - 8pm.

Artist Spotlight: John Allman



Like many artists, I started my art journey with finger painting and watercolors in grade school. I then moved on to oils, working with the old paint-by-number pictures. For a long time, due to work, playing basketball and softball, and other life activities, I didn't paint at all.

I began painting again with oils after "discovering" William Alexander and Bob Ross on PBS, learning tips and techniques by watching them. For the last 7-8 years, I have painted with several very artistic and talented painters who were art majors in college, and I have learned a great deal from their tutelage during winters in Arizona.

I particularly enjoy painting Southwestern landscapes, seascapes, Native American-themed subjects, Old Western scenes, and cacti. I also dabble in photography, stained glass, ceramics (slip-cast), woodworking, leatherwork, and some jewelry making.

The only formal training I have had was one year of commercial art at West Liberty State College (now University). There, I studied freehand drawing, block printing, ink printing, and various other courses aimed at teaching in educational settings.

I have also taken classes in perspective drawing, rendering, model making, and graphic design at Muskingum Area Technical College (now Zane State), where I obtained an associate degree in architectural drawing and design.

-John Allman



Yan Sun Art Museum and Gallery

"Summertime Moments in Art"

"Summertime Moments in Art" brings together a lively collection of artworks that reflect the feeling of summer across many different countries. From warm sunlight and open landscapes to coastal scenes and everyday moments, each piece offers a glimpse of how artists see and express the season in their own surroundings. The exhibition offers collectors an opportunity to acquire works that combine lasting subject matter with strong technique.

We warmly welcome you to enjoy summer through art at the opening reception on Friday, June 5, 2026, from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.



The Art Loft

The Art Loft will be open sharing new, in progress, oil paintings, created by Susan Stubbins and inspired by her many travels. Linda Graham will have her encaustic and alcohol ink pieces, while Susan Nash will have her current and past 2 years of water color paintings from her participation in The 100 Day Project on Instagram. Sally Luburgh has her looms prepped and ready to demonstrate her weaving process. She will also have numerous woven products available. Music for the evening will be provided by Mark Snider.

Kristen Leigh Brown Art Studio

PRIDE NEW LOCATION

We are excited to share this Beautiful new location that the Muskingum County Community Foundation has given us the opportunity to use for



**SATURDAY JUNE 27TH 12PM-5PM
@ PARK CENTRAL
"FORMLY KNOWN AS ARMC0 PARK"
1855 ADAMS LANE**

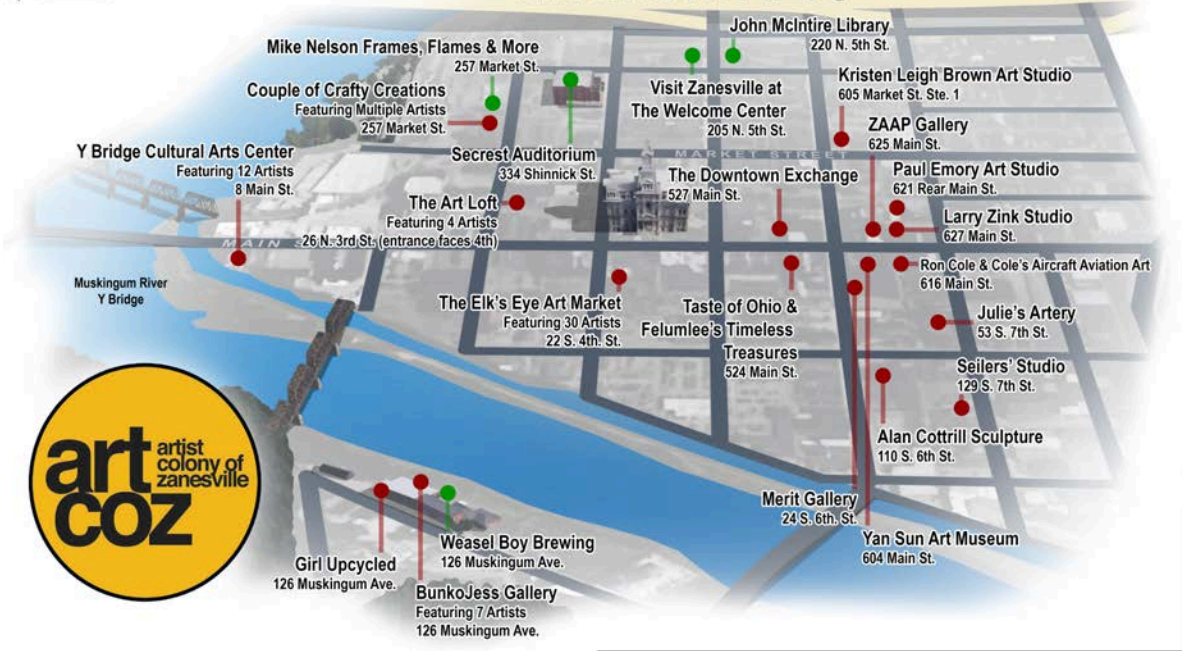
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Joan Quinn lives on a farm in New Concord, Her art reflects a love of nature and the challenge of design. It also reflects a joy in working with children with their willingness and eagerness to try new things. She is awed by the sophistication of primitive art which shows a natural sense of balance, harmony and design.

Joan works in many mediums but her favorite is acrylics. Much of her art reflects contrast and a connection to our natural environment, with a strong focus on the wilderness of the deep woods and lakes of Ontario, Canada where she enjoyed many days in a cabin. Joan has been a commercial artist for four years after completing her education from the Art Institute of Pittsburgh and twenty three years of teaching elementary students in Muskingum County having obtained her Master Degree in the arts at Muskingum College.



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