

**FEATURED ARTIST: MICHELLE MARDIS** 



## BETTER THE JUNIOR LEAGUE **TOGETHER**

## **ABOUT ART HARVEST**

We are an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving communities through effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Our purpose is exclusively educational and charitable.

#### THE HISTORY # JLCD

Since its inception in 1948, the women of the Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin (JLCD) have committed themselves to serving and improving the lives of women, children, and families in North Pinellas and West-Pasco Counties. During this time over 650 League members have raised over 1 million dollars and have contributed over 1 million volunteer hours to improving the local community. The membership of JLCD believes that the collective power of diverse women, joined together to identify unmet needs and forge coalitions, can dramatically improve our community. JLCD members believe that to most effectively cultivate positive community action, volunteers need educational opportunities for personal growth and volunteer leadership to develop their potential.



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#### **CURRENT COMMUNITY FOCUS**

The current community focus of JLCD is:

#### CALVIN'S CLOSET

a project which aids students at Calvin Hunsinger School by supplementing food, clothing, and hygiene products. Calvin Hunsinger School is a K-12 center that serves Exceptional Education Students who have sensory, emotional, or behavioral challenges. The Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin has pledged \$9,000 a year for three years to support this project.





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## Thank You to all of our VIP!





#### ~ WE BELIEVE ~

When given what they need, the possibilities are endless.

That's why we're proud to support those helping make our community a better place.



## FEATURED ARTIST: MICHELLE MARDIS

Michelle was born in Fort Worth, Texas and raised in the area. A self taught artist, michelle moved to Clearwater, Florida in 1992 and is currently based in Tarpon Springs.

Michelle is known for her iconic original dog paintings and is featured in galleries across the country from Disney to Key West. Her latest beach and lake house series and current body of work is a retrospect in nostalgia with a modernism take. She highlights childhood summertime memories of going to the beach & lake with her family. These memories and often staying with her beautiful grandmother reminded her of glamorous



1940s Hollywood. The simple objects such as life jackets, candy, and popsicle treats bring thoughts of happy childhood memories and harken to the past. Michelle's style of painting is clean, minimalistic, and bold, leaning on the mid-century aesthetic.

Michelle's early artistic influences include cartoonist Chuck Jones, Dorothy Wood (her grandmother) and Sina Coulson (her high school art teacher.) Her current work is influenced by the works of pop/contemporary artists: Chuck Close, Roy Lichtenstein, Andy Warhol, James Rosenquist and Wayne Thiebaud to name a few.

"Basicaaly, I have always lived my life bigger than most, I have never done anything "the normal way."

## **ART HARVEST JUDGES**

#### **JUDITH POWERS**



Judith Powers served 21 years as the executive director of the Pinellas County Arts Council and the Cultural Affairs Department and 12 years as the director of the Florida Gulf Coast Art Center in Belleair. She served as a board member and president of the Florida Association of Local Arts Agencies and has been active with a number of community organizations including the Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin, the PACE Center

for Girls, the Pinellas Community Foundation and the Pinellas County Historical Society. She has served on both the Clearwater and St. Petersburg Public Arts Commissions, the St. Petersburg Arts Alliance and currently serves on the City of St. Petersburg Arts Advisory Committee.

#### **SARA FELICE**



Sara Felice is the Curator of the Leepa Rattner Museum of Art in Tarpon Springs, where she cultivates over fifteen rotating exhibitions per year, implements collegiate and community programming, and develops LRMA's permanent collection of over 7,000 works of modern and contemporary photography, prints, fine art crafts, paintings and sculpture. Outside of her practice as a curator and arts administrator, Sara has been a working professional photographer since 2006.

# Thank you to our Judges!

## **CHILDREN'S AREA**

#### THIS WEEKEND'S CRAFTS

There will be many activities for the kids to participate in this year! We will have a Cool Crayon Resist Activity in the Kokolakis Gallery and all of the other fun activities. From building a Pyramid, to green screen theater, iPads, and more! These will be located in the Artsy Architecture Hands On Exhibit. And of course the self-hardening clay hand-building outside under the wheels on wheels bus awning.





## **PROGRAMS AND PROJECTS**

In addition to the programs and projects currently taking place in the communities of Northern Pinellas and West Pasco counties, the Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin has supported other programs and projects with dollars and volunteers.

The list below highlights the projects we have participated in during our 73 years of existence and illustrates our achievements and commitment to make a difference in our community:

PlayParc (The Arc Tampa Bay)
David L. Mason Children's Art Museum
Clearwater Free Clinic Health Happening
Sunshine Playground at the Long Center
Rick Pitino High Point Success Center
Heritage Park
Dunedin Fine Art Center
Time Out Homes
The Family Connection
Gateway Children's Shelter
F.U.N. Bus

Pack-a-Snack at Tarpon Springs Elementary







### INTERESTED IN BEING PART OF THE SHOW





## FOOD VENDORS SPONSORS DONATIONS



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### ARTIST APPLICATIONS

Artists may apply online beginning in Spring of 2023 via **Zapplication.org** 





Applications are reviewed by third party jurors and accepted artists will be notified in **Spring of 2023!** 

For further information and fees, email **ArtHarvest@jlcd.org** 





#### LITTLE DRESS, BIG PURPOSE.

The Little Black Dress Initiative is a poverty awareness campaign to illustrate the effects poverty can have on women's access to resources, confidence and opportunities.

The funds raised make the community work of the Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin possible. Every dollar raised supports another project, child or family.

## JUNIOR LEAGUE OF CLEARWATER-DUNEDIN

#### **HOW CAN YOU HELP?**

Support JLCD and our community projects by visiting:

JuniorLeagueLBD.org

#JLCDWearsLBD #JLCD #JLofCD

The Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin is a 501(c)3; therefore, a portion of donations may be tax-deductible.

WHY WE WEAR THE DRESS

AN ESTIMATED

7,000

PINELLAS COUNTY
CHILDREN
GO TO BED HUNGRY

EACH NIGHT OR DON'T HAVE ENOUGH FOOD FOR THE WEEKEND.

10,000

CHILDREN IN NORTH PINELLAS COUNTY LIVE IN POVERTY.

BY 12 TH GRADE

CHILDREN LIVING IN
POVERTY ARE MORE THAN

4 YEARS BEHIND THEIR PEERS ACADEMICALLY.



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Art Harvest Judges - Judith Powers and Sara Felice

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**Dunedin Deputy Fire Chief – Mike Handoga** 

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# Thank You

for making this weekend possible!





## **FOOD VENDORS**

Westchase BBQ
International Foods - Greek
Jersey Kabobs of Tampa Bay
Sea Dog Cantina
Got Lobstah? Food Truck
Snowflakes Shaved Ice
Munchies Kettle Korn

A portion of the proceeds go to the Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin to support our mission.





#### **COMMUNITY IMPACT**

JLCD impacts our communities through community projects, awarding community and educational grants, and legislative advocacy.

#### LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

We are committed to developing the potential of women by providing unique opportunities for leadership and personal growth.

#### **ADVOCACY AWARENESS**

We monitor legislation and advocate for issues that align with our mission and focus area: fighting poverty in North Pinellas County.

#### SUPPORT THROUGH TRAINING

JLCD provides training opportunities and support that allows women to develop their own strengths.

#### SOCIAL BONDS # FRIENDSHIP

We develop lifelong friendships from a shared interest in improving our community.



Since 1948, many dynamic women have committed themselves to serving and improving the lives of women and children in Northern Pinellas and West Pasco County. Over 650 members have raised more than 1 million dollars and contributed over 1 million volunteer hours since the inception of the Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin.

#### **ART HARVEST**

JLCD's annual high-quality art show involving over 200 artists and over 50,000 attendees

# SLEEP IN HEAVENLY PEACE

Building beds for children in need through sponsoring two bed building events with the nonprofit organization, Sleep in Heavenly Peace

# SCOT SALE RESALE STORE

JLCD's year-round fundraiser which provides revenue to the League and donations of clothing and household items to local agencies

#### LITTLE BLACK DRESS INITIATIVE

A week long fundraising campaign to address the need for poverty awareness of almost 5,000 families in Northern Pinellas County

#### CALVIN'S CLOSET

The Calvin's Closet project is a partnership project with Calvin A. Hunsinger School. This program provides students and families in need with access to food, clothing, and hygiene products.



## **PAST PROJECTS**

The Arc Tampa Bay

David L. Mason Children's Art Museum

Clearwater Free Clinic Health Happening

Sunshine Playground at the Long Center

Rick Pitino High Point Success Center

RCS Emergency Housing Activities Support Center

Heritage Park

Dunedin Fine Arts Center

Time Out Homes

The Family Connection

Gateway Children's Shelter

Fun Bus





# 59th ANNUAL ART HARVEST

## LETTER FROM THE CHAIRWOMAN

**Welcome to Art Harvest 2023!** We are so happy you're able to join us this year and hope you find the event as wonderful as ever. There are many new and returning artists at the show this year, and there is sure to be something for everyone!

Art Harvest is a family tradition, a show for everyone and anyone with a passion for art. Thank you for visiting and joining us to Celebrate our 59th year of Art Harvest and aiding in our fundraising for the community. This fine art event, which takes place the first full weekend in November, is presented by the **Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin** and hosted by the City of Dunedin. Explore Highlander Park and discover artwork created by over 160 juried artists in a variety of mediums for entertainment and purchase. Please, get to know the artists - many have traveled to share their extraordinary talents with you. Expect to be engaged by their fascinating stories and the inspiration behind each piece of artwork.

While making your way through the park, don't forget to stop and enjoy a beverage, meal, or snack from a variety of food vendors. Above all, whether you're shopping for the holidays, interested in viewing art from another perspective, people-watching, or just enjoying Highlander Park - thank you for stopping by this year's **Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin 59th Annual Art Harvest!** 

We truly hope you enjoy your visit at Art Harvest. If you need anything, would like to learn more about the Junior League of Clearwater-Dunedin, or have any comments about our event, please visit our merchandise tent or **www.JLCD.org**. We hope you will continue to make Art Harvest your tradition for many years to come.

Art Harvest takes a lot of work and requires League member participation to keep it running. We are so incredibly proud of the work the committee and League members have put into making this the best event it possibly can be – their dedication to the League and this event is truly inspiring!

Sincerely,

Stephanie Breedlown, Melissa Peters

& the 2023 Art Harvest Committee





Art Harvest 2023 = 2024

#### JLCD BOARD • DIRECTORS

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#### **COMMITTEE CHAIRS**

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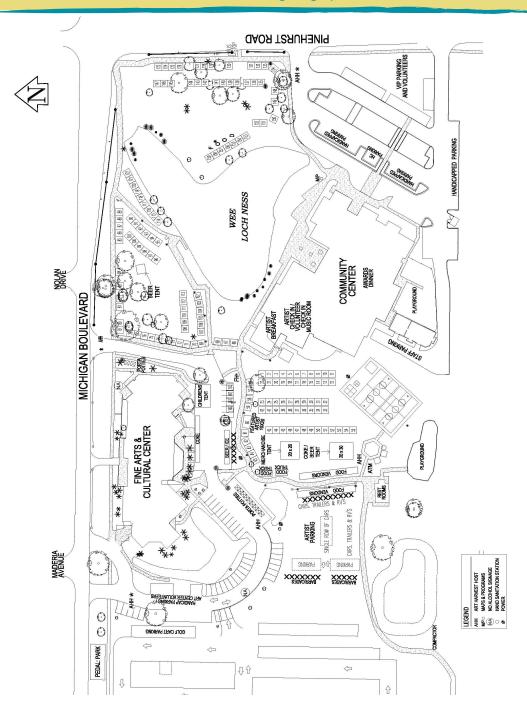
Training & Connections: Phoebe Crenshaw

#### **ART HARVEST COMMITTEE**

Melissa Peters (Finance VP) Stephanie Breedlove (Chair) **Becky Erickson** Chelsea Tompkins

Julie McCarthy Kat Tracy (Board Member At-Large) Anne Mitton

## **ART HARVEST 2023 MAP**



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**MEDIUM CATEGORY** 

Ceramics

Mixed Media

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5	Philip	Wilson	Wood
6	Ademir	Borges	Mixed Media
7	Barbara	Cara	Ceramics
8	Hua	Tung	Oil/Acrylic
9	Roger	Wheeler	Jewelry
10	Ron	Schmidt	Metal
11	Ron	Schmidt	Metal
12	Marc	Aune	Jewelry
13	Wendy	Boucher	Mixed Media
14	Tim	Carter	Wood
15	Kristie	MacGregor	Jewelry
15	Kristie	MacGregor	Jewelry
16	Kim	Tatalick	Jewelry
17	Christina	Crossman	Oil/Acrylic
18	Jackie	Boisvert	Fibers
19	Karen	Brandon	Jewelry
20	Robert	Brandau	Wood
21	MelanieHi	Micale	Ceramics
22	Jeannie	Papadopoulos	Mixed Media
23	Mark	Matthews	Metal
24	Samantha	Dormio	Watercolors
25	William	Carlie	Jewelry
26	Cheryl	Devitt	Mixed Media
27	Donald	Markham	Wood
28	Beth	Garcia	Ceramics
29	Lynn	Hardesty	Jewelry
30	Krista	Flood	Glass
31	Mark	Eliason	Mixed Media
32	Patricia	Kluwe Derderian	Mixed Media

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**MEDIUM CATEGORY** 

Ceramics

**BOOTH** #

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35	Tim	Wiley	Mixed Media
36	Lorrie	Mason	Jewelry
37	James	Carter	Oil/Acrylic
38	Jennifer	Brower	Jewelry
39	Joe	BuchanEnterprises	Oil/Acrylic
40	charise	bundesen	Jewelry
41	Kerry	Ekberg	Wood
42	Shari	Gaines	Oil/Acrylic
43	Leslie	Young	Wood
44	Kent	Webb	Metal
45	Kent	Webb	Metal
46	Haijin	Sun	Oil/Acrylic
47	Available	Available	
48	Corey	Hudson	Wood
49	kristin	neufarth	Mixed Media
50	Gabriel	Isaac	Ceramics
51	Robert	Fragale	Metal
52	Robin	Roberts	Wood
53	Jesse	Milano	Mixed Media
54	Deborah	Williams	Oil/Acrylic
55	Yvette	Vandiver	Ceramics
56	Rain	Pace	Wood
57	Cheryll	Grogan	Oil/Acrylic
58	Ira	Burhans	Ceramics
59	Wayne Gao &	Michelle Chang	Mixed Media
60	Michelle	Mardis	Mixed Media
61	Kelly	Williamson	Ceramics
62	JUNE	OZYURT	Jewelry
63	Carol	Kohnke	Ceramics
64	Carol	Bodin	Jewelry
65	Jack	Hill	Sculpture
66	Mike	Williams	Graphics (drawings
67	Mike	Williams	Graphics (drawings

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**MEDIUM CATEGORY** 

Mixed Media

Sculpture

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Stephanie

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69	Debra	Vales	Oil/Acrylic
70	Dana	Watson	Photography
71	DC	Carson	Mixed Media
72	Melodye	Steverson	Jewelry
73	Bryan	Yung	Watercolors
74	Stephen	Koury	Oil/Acrylic
75	Sandy	Bach	Mixed Media
76	Available	Available	
77	James	Reed	Photography
78	Amanda	Anthony	Oil/Acrylic
79	Caroline	Clarke	Fibers
80	Lazarus	Paskalidis	Wood
81	Su	Abbott	Oil/Acrylic
82	Deborah	Gaedtke	Oil/Acrylic
83	Angela	Amore	Ceramics
84	Ralph	Rankin	Digital
85	Charles	Bahringer	Jewelry
86	Gail	Snively	Ceramics
87	Katie	Heffelfinger	Watercolors
88	Katie	Heffelfinger	Watercolors
89	Francisco	Mercado Jr	Oil/Acrylic
90	Mooky	Pillo	Oil/Acrylic
91	Javier	Baron	Jewelry
92	gene	gandee	Ceramics
93	Arthur	Jacobs	Sculpture
94	Arthur	Jacobs	Sculpture
95	Ed and Melissa	Hendrix	Digital
96	Virginie	Blakey	Jewelry
97	taylor	brown	Oil/Acrylic
98	Trina	Cahlander	Jewelry
99	Melyssa	Bearse	Photography
100	robert	clibbon	Photography

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**MEDIUM CATEGORY** 

Digital

Oil/Acrylic

Wood

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103	Jessica	Colligan	jewlry
104	kim	coakley	Oil/Acrylic
105	Kitrina	Lempka	Mixed Media
106	Kate	Lake	Ceramics
107	Beth	Harrington	Mixed Media
108	John	Maurer	Oil/Acrylic
109	DAVID	GOODSPEED	Photography
110	julie	Latayan	Ceramics
111	Brad	Ward	Ceramics
112	Marilu	Patterson	Jewelry
113	RC	Fulwiler	Digital
114	Carla	Bank	Mixed Media
115	tanya	leslie	Sculpture
116	Ann	McCann	Fibers
117	RICARDO	PEREZ	Oil/Acrylic
118	Yampier	Sardina	Oil/Acrylic
119	Tyler	Donnelly	Oil/Acrylic
120	Bobbie	Ferraro	Jewelry
121	Erica	Snyder	Fibers
122	Elisa	Amari	Mixed Media
123	Walter	Harper	Wood
124	Walter	Harper	
125	Nicola	Cursley	Jewelry
126	carmen	ricaurte	Fibers
127	JMIGUEL	HERNANDEZ	Photography
128	John	Williams	Wood
129	Linda	Boykin	Oil/Acrylic
130	Greg	Neal	Ceramics
131	Kim	Coy	Jewelry
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137	Debra	Grubbs	Oil/Acrylic
137	Holly	Apperson	Mixed Media
138	Available	Available	
139	Ann and Henry	Jalsa	Jewelry
140	GARY	GREER	Sculpture
141	Morris	Johnson	Mixed Media
142	Casey	Barrow	Jewelry
143	Susanna	Spann	Watercolors
144	Steve	Harms	Photography
145	Kati	Fritz	Oil/Acrylic
146	John	Herman	Mixed Media
147	Available	Available	
148	Ashley	Lippincott	Photography
149	Carlos	Iglesias	Jewelry
150	Jeff	Mann	Sculpture
151	Cheryl	Sette	Oil/Acrylic
152	Cheryl	Sette	Oil/Acrylic
153	Nancy	Reyna	Watercolors
154	Sharon	Scalise	Jewelry
155	Valerie	Walchek	Ceramics
156	Ann	Prock	Ceramics
157	Alison	Schmidt	Wood
158	Alison	Schmidt	
159	Available	Available	
160	Patrick	Reynolds	Mixed Media
161	Patrick	Reynolds	Mixed Media
162	Michael	Dandrea	Jewelry
163	Bruce	Ferguson	Mixed Media





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