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BRAITHWAITE

FINE ARTS GALLERY

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**SUU'S BRAITHWAITE FINE ARTS GALLERY
PARTICIPATES IN SECOND CEDAR CITY ART WALK
JULY 25, 2014**

Southern Utah University, Cedar City, Utah: With a pair of comfortable shoes, Iron County residents and art patrons can experience glorious art on a summer's eve – and all for free. SUU's Braithwaite Fine Arts Gallery is proud to participate in the Cedar City Arts Council's Art Walk, scheduled for July 25, from 5-8 pm. On the SUU campus, art enthusiasts can experience a variety of work by outstanding regional artists in the Southern Utah Art Invitational Exhibition & Sale at the Gallery.

Within a short walk from the Gallery, there are two additional exhibitions at SUU: Platinum Prints by John Roseborough in the Hunter Conference Center and Paintings by Valerie Orlemann in South Hall with the artist in attendance. Another highlight at SUU is in the lobby of Randall L. Jones Theatre where the Utah Shakespeare Festival is featuring landscapes by local favorite J. Brad Holt. As you depart campus, swing by the Burch Mann House at 90 South 200 West where artist Carol Foster will be working in either stone carving or calligraphy.

The Cedar City Art Walk features collaborations between local artists and businesses and galleries, located in or near downtown Cedar City. Art Walk brochures are available to pick-up at the Visitor's Center or any of the 16 participating locations, or you can download a digital map from the Cedar City Arts Council website at <http://www.cedarcityartscouncil.org/>. Look for posters in the windows or outside of each location for identification of participating venues. A variety of small displays to large exhibits of art are available for viewing at the sixteen participating locations within the Art Walk program featuring drawing, painting, photography, jewelry, calligraphy, stone carving, and more.

During the July Art Walk, participants will have the opportunity to engage with local businesses and the

work of talented visual artists. Artisan's Art Gallery will have light refreshments and representatives from Cedar City Music Arts. Wilhelm, gypsy jazz ensemble, will be performing (5-7pm) and artist Heather Cox will be demonstrating techniques at Main Street Books. Gallery Gala will be serving refreshments while patrons view the work of artists David Ence, Jack Seibold, and Terrance Wright with a 'sneak-peak' pieces for an upcoming exhibition by Aimee Bonham and Andrew Marvick will be on view. The Grind Coffee Shop showcases watercolors by Larry Laskowski. Other displays include Lynn Dalton's jewelry in the El Rey Best Western Motel lobby and Bradley Lammer's works at Groovacious.

To top off the Walk, there are two free family-friendly entertainments. Groovacious has their monthly Campfire Concert in the Canyon at 8pm so the store will be closing promptly at 7. If you are in the vicinity of SUU, head on over to the exterior of the Adams Memorial Theatre for the lively Utah Shakespeare Festival's Greenshow which begins at 7:10pm.

We encourage participants to begin the Art Walk on the east side of town at the Heritage Center (105 North 100 East) and walk west on Center St./University Blvd. towards SUU Campus and the Utah Shakespeare Festival, ending at any of the locations on campus. The Final Friday Gallery Strolls are deliberately scheduled right before the Utah Shakespeare Festival performances, giving participants an opportunity for an exceptionally diverse arts and culture experience this summer.

Celebrate summer and great art by participating in the 2014 Cedar City Art Walk and the Final Friday Gallery Strolls which are free and the public is encouraged to attend.

ABOUT THE COLLEGE

The **Southern Utah University College of Performing and Visual Arts** is comprised of nationally accredited departments of Art and Design, Music, Theatre Arts and Dance, as well as a graduate program in Arts Administration and Center for Shakespeare Studies. The College offers 16 different degree areas, including liberal arts Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Science degrees; professional Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Fine Arts in art and theatre degrees; and a Master of Fine Arts in Arts Administration degree. More than 60 full- and part-time faculty and staff are engaged in teaching and mentoring over 550 majors in the College. Over 1100 students enroll each year in over 195 arts classes on the SUU campus. The College presents 100 performances, lectures, presentations, and exhibitions each year. The College's affiliate organizations include the Braithwaite Fine Arts Gallery, Utah Shakespeare Festival, and the SUU Ballroom Dance Company. For more information about the College of Performing and Visual Arts, contact the Office of the Dean at (435) 865-8561, or by e-mail at cpvamktg@suu.edu.

FOR CALENDAR EDITORS: Cedar City Art Walk: Final Friday Gallery Stroll, July 2014

Who: Cedar City Arts Council

When: Friday, July 25, 2014 5-8 pm

Where: In or near downtown Cedar City, UT at participating Art Walk locations

Info: www.cedarcityartscouncil.org/cedarcityartwalk for more information

Cost: Free and open to all