

Friday Footprints

"Every man must leave a track and it might as well be a good one."
-Thomas Gilcrease

April 22, 2022

Hello Gillies,

Hopefully the wind will die down and the sun will shine as we prepare for the busy month of May. This is a great time for all active Gillies to update your hours in Volgistics! If you are fortunate enough to still be serving Gilcrease actively (Archives, Anthro, Conservation, Store, Education, etc.) please be sure your hours for the year are recorded. If you have been working on or attending Docent programs, BOD/Collection Connection meetings, etc., be sure to log your hours. Committee work, continuing education, distance learning — all are important. So LOG those hours PLEASE! This is the best evidence we have to show our active support and ongoing learning endeavors! Numbers talk....please add to the conversation by recording your hours in Volgistics by **April 30th**.



Additionally, the Gillies website is undergoing some much needed renovation and we could use your help. **Message from Nancy Hammond:**

We need photographs for our new Gillies website! Perhaps you have photos of Gillies carrying out volunteer activities at the museum or in the community. If so, please submit your best photos (as jpeg files if possible) to Nancy Hammond at nancy@hammondo.org by May 4th.

The photos will be organized into the categories below. Please organize yours in the same manner and limit your contribution to 2 to 3 photos per category.

Docent tours
Garden tours
Greeters
Travel
Speaking of Gilcrease
Gilcrease Goes to School
Anthropology
Digitization
Intern or Docent Training
Public Programs
Annual Membership Party



Gilcrease Ground Breaking Festivities

Mayor G.T. Bynum
and Gilcrease Museum
Executive Director Susan Neal
invite you to the

Groundbreaking Ceremony

/// FOR THE NEW
GILCREASE MUSEUM

Tuesday, May 3, 2022

12:15 PM – Pre-event
festivities and music

Light refreshments provided

Lunch available for
purchase at food trucks

1:00 PM – Ceremony

Special Performance by Booker T.
Washington High School Choir

Please RSVP by April 26, 2022
to 918-596-2760 or
gilcrease-rsvp@utulsa.edu.

Mark your calendars and note the deadlines for RSVP's or replies:

Gilcrease Ground Breaking Festivities
RSVP to Gilcrease-rsvp@utulsa.edu by
April 26th.

(Please note that due to space limitations this invitation is for Gillies only - don't bring a guest - and that parking is off-site — a shuttle bus will get you to and from the site.)

“We hope that our Gillies who have given so much to the museum can be there with us to celebrate this momentous occasion.” ... Alison Rossi

PARKING INSTRUCTIONS

Gilcrease is now a construction site and unable to accommodate onsite parking for this event. For your convenience, we have arranged free parking and shuttle service at:

Metropolitan Baptist Church
1228 West Apache Street
Tulsa, OK 74127

Shuttle service begins at noon.

Shuttle travel time is
approximately 5 minutes.



This event is wheelchair accessible. For questions about parking and other accommodations, contact Laurel Benson at 918-596-2783 or laurel-benson@utulsa.edu.

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MESSAGES

Changes in Contact:

Karen Morris New Address: 4827 W. 11th Court Stillwater, OK 74074
Sally Tucker Delete landline number

Death of Gilley:

Rita Bell (Lifetime Member)

Sympathy Cards sent to:

Family of Rita Bell
Wennette Pegues

Get Well Card sent to:

Carol Stookey
Dana Simon

Please send changes in contact information (address, phone, and email) as well as news about a Gillie who is ill to the Gillies Secretary Janet Hayes at jrhayes1216@gmail.com

Coming up Soon:

May 6th – Zoom Docent Meeting (All Gillies invited) – Bill Hellen will present “Latino Artists of the Gilcrease.”

May 13th – Board of Trustees Mtg/General Membership Mtg. Details pending.



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