

Friday Footprints

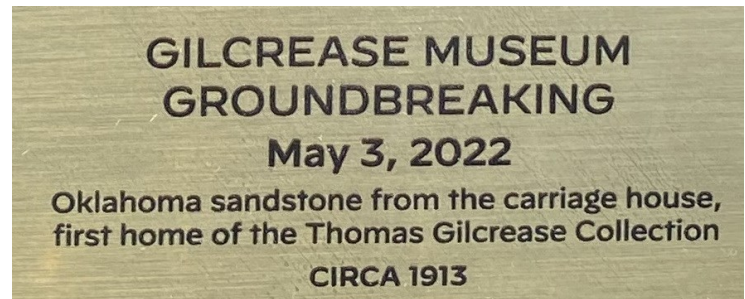
"Every man must leave a track and it might as well be a good one."
-Thomas Gilcrease

May 27, 2022

Happy Friday Gillies,

Well, my year as Gillies President has drawn to a close. Many thanks to the Gillies who have helped hold this organization together and are poised and ready for whatever comes next. I have enjoyed working with new friends and miss regularly connecting with old ones. Thanks to Zoom and the Internet for keeping us somewhat connected.

I have so appreciated Susan Neal and Alison Rossi who have met with us regularly to "keep the Gillies in the loop" as the Gilcrease Museum begins a new chapter. I was totally "blown away" when, at our first in-person get together in many months, **the Gillies were gifted with this unique memento commemorating the Gilcrease Museum Groundbreaking, May 3, 2022.** This fabulous rock is from the carriage house, the first home of the Thomas Gilcrease Collection, circa 1913. I absolutely love it! Hopefully, it will be reunited with other Gillies treasures in the not too distance future.



Following Gillies tradition, a new Executive Committee and Board of Directors is already planning new opportunities for learning and service. The Gillies are in good hands. Stick with us for another unique year!

Sincerely, Carol

Carol Stookey

Gillies President 2022-2023



Carol Stookey passes the President's gavel to Nannette Tresner at the May 2022 meeting.

Photo by Nancy Setter

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS -Time: 10:00 am, Location: Zoom

COMBINED BOARD OF DIRECTORS & GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING – Time 10:00 am, Location to be announced

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS – All Gillies invited to attend. Time:10:00 am, Location to be announced

DOCENT MEETINGS – All Gillies invited to attend. Time: 10:00 am, Location: Zoom

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING & FORUM - Time: 10:00 am, Location to be announced

COMBINED FORUM, GENERAL MEMBERSHIP & BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS -Time 10:00 am, Location to be announced

MESSAGES

Changes in Contact:

Nancy Setter New Phone Number: 918 625-1803
Elaine Faulkner Delete landline number
Janet Hayes Delete landline number

Death of Gillie:

Wayne Frenier
Doris Mayfield

Death of Former Gillie:

Richard Stanish

Sympathy Card sent to:

Family of Wayne Frenier
Craig Bryant

Get Well Card sent to:

Nancy Teasley
Robert Sears

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

Mark your calendars:

May 3 – Docent Meeting – Presenter: Karen Morris

Title of Presentation: How do Artists Portray Women in Art

May 10 – Board of Directors Meeting

Both meetings will be held via Zoom and will begin at 10:00. All Gillies are invited to attend these meetings. Contact our secretary, Janet Hayes, if you need to be added to the Zoom list . Remember to record your hours.

Did You Know?

(Fun facts for your Friday Footprints.)

The widowed Duchess of Richmond provided financial support for the publication of [Captain John Smith's](#) [Generall Historie of Virginia, New-England, and the Summer Isles](#), which was issued in 1624 with a dedication "to the Illustrious and Most Noble Princesse, the Lady Francis, Duchesse of Richmond and Lenox. "

This is the earliest art work in the Gilcrease collection. The Gilcrease library also has an original copy of Captain John Smith's book.

Was the legend of John Smith and Pocahontas true?
Did they marry?

Frances Howard Duchess of Richmond and Lennox

Cornelius Johnson 1635 oil on canvas

(The legend is somewhat true. Pocahontas married John Rolfe.)

(More on the book in your next Friday Footprints)



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