

Friday Footprints

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

-Thomas Gilcrease

June 5, 2020

Happy Occasion! – Last Saturday, May 30, a Gillies friend, Barbara Paradise Kelly, invited me to accompany her to a birthday party parade for Rita Bell, intern class of 1977. We met at the 18th and Boston fire station and by a fire truck from the station we proceeded to parade by her daughter's home where Rita was seated on the lawn to greet her birthday revelers. We were able to pause and wish Rita a happy 90th birthday from all of her fellow Gillies. – Alana Trisler

Happy Birthday, Rita!



Birthday sign created by Barbara Paradise Kelly

- *There is no further news concerning solid dates for the museum's opening schedule.*
- **Distance Learning:** *How Art Made the World 1 – More Human Than Human* (59:14 min.) This video explores **why** humans have depicted humans as they have through time. The ideas presented made me think of Mesoamerican pieces, Diego Rivera's "Head of an Indian," and many others in the Gilcrease collection. <https://dai.ly/x2pztmx>
- **PLEASE** hang in there and pay your membership dues for 2020 – 2021 to help support our organization in these uncertain times - if you haven't already! We are a valuable asset to Gilcrease Museum and we will return!