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**Lyndon House Arts Center and
The Lyndon House Arts Foundation
Presents
HOUSE PARTY
A fundraising event featuring Local Art, Local Music and Local Brew
Saturday, October 20, 2018, 1:00 – 6:00 pm**

(ATHENS) The Lyndon House Arts Center and Lyndon House Arts Foundation (LHAF) are pleased to host HOUSE PARTY on October 20, from 1:00 – 6:00 pm. HOUSE PARTY is the annual LHAC fundraising event to support innovative art and arts education programming at the Arts Center.

The day will start with opening remarks by incoming major Kelly Girtz and radio personalities from WUGA. Following is an afternoon concert featuring Athens local bands with Dixieland 5, Sarah Zuniga and Lucky Jones. Wrapping up the afternoon is a set by DJ Mahogany and headliner, Pylon Reenactment Society.

Want to visit the back wing of the Arts Center! All seven studios will be open for touring while our Open Studio Members and Teaching Artists work demonstrate and display art in techniques ranging from painting to printmaking, ceramics to jewelry. Featuring artists include David Hale in the Painting Studio, Amanda Burk in Printmaking, Lou Kregel in the Ceramic Studio and others sharing their creative pursuit.

All day long, local brewers will be serving beer created in Athens. Brewers include Creature Comforts, Akademia and Southern Brewery, so get your wristband! 18 years and older! Food trucks, including Damunchiezz, Manila Express and King of Pops will be parked at the Arts Center too!

In addition, the Atrium Gallery will become a community workstation for all to make red poppies out of a variety of art materials to be included in a garland of flowers. As the event

continues throughout the day, the poppy chain will grow. Moina Michael, an Athens resident known as The Poppy Lady, introduced red poppies as a symbol of remembrance during WWI.

All proceeds of the day goes to supporting the growth and reach of art and education programs presented at the Lyndon House Arts Center.

We look forward to you joining us for studio tours, poppy making, music listening, beer and food and art.

For more information, please call 706 613 3623. Please visit us at accgov.com/lyndonhouse or on Facebook and Instagram.

The Lyndon House Arts Foundation (501 c3), is an independent nonprofit that provides funding and resources to support the innovation, reach, and diversity of the Lyndon House Arts Center. For more information, please visit lyndonhouseartsfoundation.com.

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