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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.

The schedule is as follows: At 1:15 pm Dixieland 5 will take the stage. The Dixieland 5 is a traditional jazz and Dixieland band that features a front line of trumpet, clarinet and trombone and a rhythm section of piano and tenor banjo. They play jazz styles of the early 20th century that came from New Orleans and then spread across the country and around the world.

At 2:15 pm, we welcome Ecuadorian-Nicaraguan singer/songwriter Sarah Zúñiga, a guitarist who has made Athens her home. A recent graduate of the University of Georgia, Sarah Zúñiga's shows are like listening to a fun mixtape compiled of deep-felt and catchy folk-rock, coffeehouse, and Latin tunes.

Lucky Jones hits the stage at 3:00 pm. Members include Dennis Smillie on guitar, Nate Lee on bass and Brian Crum on drums and vocals.

Get ready to dance to the funky tunes spun from DJ Mahogany at 4:00 pm, warming us up for headliners, Pylon Reenactment Society!

Since 2014, Vanessa Briscoe Hay has fronted the Pylon Reenactment Society, a band featuring members of more recent Athens bands like The Glands and Casper & the Cookies who perform the music of Pylon. Vanessa and the musicians in the Pylon Reenactment Society - guitarist Jason NeSmith, bassist Kay Stanton, keyboardist Damon Denton and drummer Joe Rowe will rock Athens and the Arts Center from 5:00 – 6:00 pm

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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