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Desserts were created and contributed by our teachers 238 student art sold out before the event was over, and a grand total of 283 student Appetizers were sold! All Appetizers and Entrées were donated by our very own faculty’s artwork.

We would like to thank our Taste of the Arts Committee and co-chairs: Tommy Bechtle, Lynne Elia, Lynn McBrier, and Annalynn Shuttleworth, our donors, and especially this year’s sponsors! McBrier, and Annalynn Shuttleworth, our donors, and tee and Co-chairs Tammy Batchelor, Lynne Elia, Lynn and guest artists (see page 4).

The Art House mission.

We have been blessed by so many generous donors each year, but this year the Neighborhood Art House received $42,287.50, nearly doubling last year’s total. In addition, of the 283 student Appetizers participating, more than 80 were new. Their contribution doubling last year’s total. In addition, of the 283 student Appetizers participating, more than 80 were new. Their contribution.

The Art House is participating in ReLEAF, an initiative of LEAF (Lake Erie Arboretum at Frontier) with the goal of planting 275,000 trees over the next 5 years. Staff from LEAF and Master Gardeners showed the students how to dig a hole for each sapling then tightly pack the soil and smear apse around the young branches to protect and support them throughout the winter. The youth then took over until all 25 trees were in the ground.

Pleasing trees is a good project and fun. I liked working with the students. I could get some shoes and go to school. To be able to come home. To get a dog. For my Dad to come home. To be able to see my friends and family. To be healthy.

To have everything back to normal.

That everyone could be kind and equal rights. To get a dog.

Peace.

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#iGiveCatholic is a national effort promoted by the Diocese of Erie. It is presented here as an opportunity that may be of interest to our friends and donors. #iGiveCatholic advanced giving opens on November 10, 2020 for anyone wishing to do so.

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Kid’s Corner

COVID-19

Art House.

are mindful of the dangers, but creativity and hope abound at the Art House. Yes, Covid is present in our world, we litter, and documenting life through photography – all the signs of life were taken of masked students, Covid-19 screening questions asked, to green and then the children came to the Art House. Temperatures closed and everyone stayed home. The level went from red to yellow – Julia

Muffled laughing, scratching of drawing pencils, carving linoleum, painting, creating videos, stretching dance muscles, collecting urban construction doll – Luz

Painting

Sculpture 3-d

Apple-head

– Grace

Motion Slow Video

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Love! by Celeste (age 13)

An acoustic style poem created in an Art House Poetry Class.

Letting all the bad feelings go

Opting to let my heart take control

Valuing myself for the better

Enjoying myself’s presence

Releasing those heavy fettors

Teachers and Volunteers

Pastas of the Arts this year was a virtual treat. However, the silent auction was a real treat because the items were from the faculty staff, and friends of the Art House. It was exciting to see the wide variety of art available for auction. The depth of talent that envelops the children...and staff on a daily basis feeds the creative spirit. Teachers and Volunteers

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