

Press Release

Event: The public is invited to a **FEATURED ARTIST SHOW** at the **Southside Art League Gallery**. This month long exhibit during March will feature about 30 paintings and sketches by local professional artist **John Manicke**. Most of the art works are for sale.

Artist: John Manicke's interest in art has been a life-long pursuit, however, he did not take any formal classes in art until he was pursuing his Master's Degree in psychology at the University of Wisconsin. During his career as a Human Resource Manager with various companies, he continued his studies, while also entering competitions and art fairs. In 1990, John retired and began his classes with the Indianapolis Art Center. He has studied with Ellie Siskind, Jan Royce, Gregg Kreutz, and the late Bill Ashby. He is a member of several artist organizations, including the Hoosier Salon, The Indianapolis Artists Club, The Indiana Heritage Arts, The Central Indiana Artist's Association, The Indianapolis Art Center and the Southside Art League. He has won 44 awards in the past 25 years.

Dates: The show will hang for a full month **March 1-30**. Come and meet the artist at an **OPEN HOUSE** on **SUNDAY, March 5**, from **2:30-5:00 PM**. **Refreshments will be served.**

Regular Gallery Hours: Wednesday – Saturday 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. Closed Sunday through Tuesday, or **please call for an appointment.**

Fees: None

Location: Southside Art League Gallery, **299 E Broadway Street, Greenwood, IN 46142**, located 2 blocks north of Main Street and 3 blocks east of Madison Avenue in historic Old Towne Greenwood.

Contact: For more information, or to schedule an after -hours appointment phone **SALI @ 317-882-5562**, or the artist **@ 317-882-7073**.