THE ARTS IN AMERICA’S HEARTLAND: CRYSTAL BRIDGES MUSEUM AND KANSAS CITY

A Special Four Day Three Night Tour April 9-12, 2014

Travel with us to Kansas City and Bentonville, Arkansas, to celebrate the genius of American art, architecture, and landscape design. Highlights include the Moshe Safdie-designed Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art and the venerated Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art with its magnificent wing designed by Stephen Holl. Planned for the comfortable temperatures and gorgeous gardens of early spring, this trip promises to be exceptional. Included in our visit will be:

- Round trip United Airlines flight to and from Kansas City;
- Docent tours of the spectacular galleries at Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, including the architecture and gorgeous landscaped grounds;
- A special dining experience at Éleven restaurant overlooking the beautiful landscape of Crystal Bridges;
- The Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art with its extensive collection of American masterpieces including over 300 paintings and significant watercolors;
- The magnificent Kansas City Sculpture Park, which includes a large collection of monumental bronze works by Henry Moore;
- The Kemper Museum of Contemporary Art, whose strong permanent collection of modern as well as contemporary art is enhanced by excellently curated visiting exhibits.

Accommodations in Kansas City will be at the historic Raphael Hotel, located in the city center. In Bentonville, Arkansas, the 21C Museum Hotel is a boutique hotel with its own contemporary art museum within walking distance of Crystal Bridges Museum of Art.

The cost of the trip is $1,495.00 for Gallery members and $1,645.00 for non-members with proceeds to benefit the MAG. This price includes airfare, museum entrances and tours, ground transportation, 3 nights of double occupancy accommodations, all breakfasts, 3 dinners, 2 lunches, and all taxes and gratuities. For single occupancy add $302.00. There will be a great deal of walking on hard surfaces and some on uneven ground.

Make checks payable to the Gallery Council of the MAG and mail with the form below to:
Gallery Council, Memorial Art Gallery, 500 University Avenue, Rochester, NY 14607-1415.

For credit card payment, please call Sharon McNamee at 585-276-8910.

Reservation deadline is January 10, 2014. A deposit of $500 is required at the time of reservation, and final payment is due on January 24, 2014. Reservations are accepted by earliest payment received. For this tour the minimum number of travelers is 15, the maximum number 25. Cancellations must be received in writing by January 24, 2014 for a full refund. After that date refunds cannot be made as the airline tickets are not transferable.

Tour Leaders: Andie Adams 425-2625 and Susan Rice 461-9537

Please reserve space for the Arts in America’s Heartland Tour on April 9-12, 2014

Name(s) _______________________________ Phone ___________________________ Cell ___________________________ Email _______________________________

Address, City and Zip _____________________ ______________________ ____________

Amount enclosed ___________________ Are you a MAG member? yes ______ no ________

I am planning to share a room with ________________________________