

JAFFE CENTER for BOOK ARTS

at Florida Atlantic University's Wimberly Library Boca Raton, Florida

In this issue: This week brings Real Mail Fridays on, well, Friday, AND our Midwinter Makers Marketplace on Sunday. This issue also comes with some pretty wonderful tunes and an invitation to take time to pause.

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Our favorite market of the year!

MIDWINTER MAKERS MARKETPLACE

at JCBA's Book Arts Studios located at FAU's historic T6 building Sunday December 3, 2017

10 AM to 4 PM

LIVE MUSIC by the wonderful ELLA HERRERA (1 to 4 PM) You should come just for Ella. Really.

<<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=68LeKH9za9k&feature=youtu.be>>

Shop the wares of local makers, enjoy the best doughnuts around, make your own snow globe, print on our Pilot Proof Press, and, if you come in the afternoon, groove to the way cool sounds of Ella Herrera. You might even find your Christmas wreaths there, too. Current vendor listing is just a click away, but more may be in the works:

<<https://www.facebook.com/events/151456858806167/>>

<http://www.library.fau.edu/depts/spc/JaffeCenter/events/midwinter_marketplace.php>

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Winter Workshop Time!

BOOK ARTS 101: ON A WINTER'S NIGHT

Workshop Instructor John Cutrone

at JCBA's Book Arts Gallery, Print Shop, & Bindery, 3rd floor east of the Wimberly Library Wednesday
December 13, 2017

6 to 9:30 PM

Our introductory book arts immersion on a wintry night with a wintry theme is the perfect one-evening escape from the mad rush of the holidays. Operate a printing press, bind a book, hear a few stories in the company of like minded folks... experience the Jaffe Center for Book Arts in the best way possible. Tuition is self-determined. Advance registration is required.

<http://www.library.fau.edu/depts/spc/JaffeCenter/workshops/book_arts_101_winters_night.php>

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TAKING IT SLOW

Hey you. Yes, you: the quiet one in the corner. Feeling a little overwhelmed already by the holidays? I was feeling a bit like that this past weekend, but I've sat down and gathered some perspective. This, too, comes with an amazing song. One of my all time favorites.

<<http://www.conviviobookworks.com/blog/taking-things-slowly/>>

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Come write letters with us!

REAL MAIL FRIDAYS: December edition

at JCBA's Book Arts Gallery, 3rd floor east of the Wimberly Library Friday December 1, 2017

2 to 6 PM (come and go as you please)

\$10 suggested donation

Our famous monthly letter writing social takes place on the First Friday of each month, and December's is coming up at the end of this week. We supply everything you need to write as many letters as you want, right on down to the postage stamps and the cookies to nourish your creativity. (We're thinking traditional German Christmas cookies are just right this time around.) I bought the stamps just today. There are some real beauties this month!

<http://www.library.fau.edu/depts/spc/JaffeCenter/events/real_mail_fridays.php>

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I'm not fond of all these names we've given the days that follow Thanksgiving. Let Thanksgiving be Thanksgiving and let the day after just be Friday and let today just be Monday. But I do work here at a non-profit, and I suppose it is my duty as its director, in case you are so inclined to give on the Tuesday after Thanksgiving, to let you know that the Jaffe Center for Book Arts does all it does in large part thanks to all of you. We are a center rooted in populism, which explains why, a few years back, when the Palm Beach Post ran an online survey on Favorite Cultural Venues, JCBA came in second place thanks to write in votes. We weren't even listed on the survey form. That community support has always humbled me. And so if you do care to help us out this Tuesday (or any day), here is a direct way to do so:

<<https://fauf.fau.edu/libraries?BBFund=920&BBHideOtherFunds=1&cat=2>>

Thank you. Onward and upward.

John

John Cutrone, Director

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