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Polasek Museum to Host 10th Annual Winter Park Paint Out– April 22 to 28, 2018
Professionally-Acclaimed Artists to Paint in Plein Air, 10+ Free Events

WINTER PARK, Fla. –The Albin Polasek Museum & Sculpture Gardens will host the tenth annual Winter Park Paint Out Plein Air Festival from April 22 to 28, 2018. The museum, sculpture gardens, and gallery will be free to the public during the week-long event. Twenty-five professionally-acclaimed *plein air* artists will paint at the Polasek Museum and locations nearby with art lovers invited watch the artists at work, view their recently completed paintings in the gallery, and attend free painting demonstrations. Artwork created during the Winter Park Paint Out will be available for purchase with a portion of the proceeds going to support the preservation, maintenance, and operation of the museum and gardens.

More than ten free instructional demos with the artists at the Polasek Museum and nearby locations will take place during the week of the event. The festival closes with the Winter Park Paint Out Garden Party on Saturday, April 28, from 6 to 9 p.m. at the Polasek Museum. At this ticketed event, guests can meet the artists, purchase their work, and see the entire exhibition of more than 200 paintings while enjoying excellent food and company.

“Over the course the Winter Park Paint Out’s 10-year history, artists have created more than 2,000 original works of fine art depicting beloved Central Florida views,” said Polasek Museum Curator Rachel Frisby. “We invite you to be part of history as the legacy continues into its tenth anniversary!”

Visit winterparkpaintout.org for more information. You can also follow the Winter Park Paint Out on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#). To become a sponsor, e-mail info@winterparkpaintout.org or call 407-960-4719.

About the Albin Polasek Museum & Sculpture Gardens: Founded in 1961, the Albin Polasek Museum & Sculpture Gardens features guided tours of the world-renowned Czech-American sculptor's home and studio, his exquisite works of art, and serene gardens as well as rotating gallery exhibits, educational programming, and the restored 1885 Capen House. Polasek was a 2004 Florida Artists Hall of Fame recipient, and his home is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The museum is also home to the historic 1885 Capen-Showalter House that was saved from demolition, renovated, and re-opened to the public as an event and meeting space in 2015.

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