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SUBJECT: ELLEN STARR LYON AT THE KREMPP GALLERY

EXHIBIT DATES: NOVEMBER 1-27, 2019

OPENING RECEPTION & GALLERY TALK: NOVEMBER 14, 2019, 5-7 PM

The Krempp Gallery at the Jasper Arts Center is pleased to present for the month of November painter Ellen Starr Lyon. She is a Dubois County native who lives in Bloomington, Indiana

Ellen is a figurative painter showing throughout the United States with a focus on the Midwest. She is a current member of *PoetsArtists*, Hoosier Salon, Indiana Artists (IN/A) and Juniper Gallery. Ellen has shown at Abend Gallery in Denver, CO, Woman Made Gallery in Chicago, IL and several online exclusives on Artsy through the Zhou B Art Center. Ellen has been published in *Fine Art Connoisseur Magazine* highlighting artist self-portraits. Her paintings have also been featured online on sites such as *Bored Panda* and *Buzzfeed*.

Ellen Starr Lyon holds a Bachelor of Fine Arts in Painting and a Bachelor of Art in Art History from Indiana University. The university has acquired several of Lyon's paintings. Learn more about Ellen Starr Lyon by visiting her website at www.ellenstarrlyon.com.

Meet the artist and listen to a Gallery Talk during the Opening Reception at the Krempp Gallery on November 14th, 2019 from 5:00- 7:00 pm. Cash bar and refreshments will be served.

The Krempp Gallery, located in the Jasper Arts Center adjacent to the VUJ campus, is open to the public Monday through Friday from 8:30 am to 5 pm, until 7 pm on Thursdays, and Sunday from noon to 3 pm. School groups, clubs, and students are welcome. Admission is free.

For more information, please call the Arts Center at 812-482-3070. The Jasper Arts Center is managed by the Jasper Community Arts, a department of the City of Jasper. JCA is supported by the Friends of the Arts, Inc., Indiana Arts Commission, Community Foundation Alliance, and the National Endowment for the Arts.

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