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## Look twice at AMSET's 2023 Treasure Auction - Double Take!

(Beaumont, TX; May 17, 2023) The Art Museum of Southeast Texas (AMSET) will host its 2023 Treasure Auction, *Double Take*, on Thursday, June 8, 2023 co-chaired by Cat Holtzclaw and Lou Huber.

After a five-year break due to the pandemic, Treasure Auction is back on at AMSET! Tickets are \$50 per person and include dinner, catered by Two Magnolias, an open bar, and entry into the live auction. Dinner and cocktails will begin at 6:30 p.m. with the live auction following at 7:30 p.m.

This year, AMSET invited local Southeast Texas artists to see double and donate pairings of paintings, drawings, photography, sculptures and more! Proceeds from this fundraiser will benefit AMSET's exhibitions and education programs.

The auction items will be on view in AMSET's foyer June 2-8 for silent auction bids. Each piece in the live auction on June 8 will open with the highest silent bid and go to the highest bidder that evening.

Past Treasure Auction items have included clocks, serving trays, carts, chairs, birdhouses and birdbaths, masks, and much more. Guests are encouraged to make their reservations by Monday, June 5, 2023. For more information or to buy tickets, please visit amset.org or call (409) 832-3432. Stay up-to-date with AMSET and follow us on social media - @amsetx.

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AMSET is a 501(c) (3) non-profit organization. Hours: M-F: 9am-5pm Sat.: 10am-5pm Sun: Noon-5pm Closed Major Holidays Admission: Free Suggested Donation: \$5.00 Wheelchair and stroller accessible