

Biggs Museum of American Art

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Biggs Museum Dedicates Child HELP Foundation Gallery



Dover, DE (July 29, 2014) – On Thursday, July 24, 2014, the Biggs Museum of American Art hosted a dedication ceremony for Child HELP Foundation Gallery, located on the first floor of the Museum. In 2012, the Biggs Museum received a \$40,000 commitment from the Child HELP Foundation. The \$40,000 award from Child HELP contributed to the “The New Biggs” capital campaign and included a commemorative naming of a public, interactive art studio. New signage has been placed at the entrance of the gallery.

Dr. Basilio N. Bautista, founding President and Executive Director of Child HELP Foundation, and Melvin Warren, President of Child HELP Foundation, met with Trustees and Staff at the Biggs Museum to officially dedicate Child HELP Foundation Gallery and observe a themed ArtVentures Camp taking place in the space.

Pictured (left to right): Chair Biggs Museum Board of Trustees, Marcia DeWitt; Biggs Museum Trustee, Joseph Raymond; Child HELP Foundation President, Melville F. Warren, Jr.; Biggs Museum Executive Director, Linda Danko; Former Biggs Museum Trustees, L.D. Shank; Donna Shank; Child HELP Foundation Founder Dr. Basilio Bautista; Biggs Museum Trustees, Georgeanna Windley; Biggs Museum Trustee, Joanne Armstrong; Child HELP Foundation Junior Board President, Basilio Nicolo Bautista, III.

The Child HELP Foundation is dedicated to serving children with special needs in the State of Delaware. The Child HELP Foundation is committed to providing humanitarian support for children through financial grants to qualified not-for-profit organizations that serve children. The Foundation was formed by Dr. Basilio Bautista in 2007.

About the Museum

The Biggs Museum seeks to serve a diverse public as a regional museum of fine and decorative arts, made from 1700 to present, representing the State of Delaware and the surrounding Mid-Atlantic region. The Biggs Museum engages audiences through a compelling program of temporary exhibitions and programming. The Biggs Museum encourages the development of creativity and an appreciation for art by offering a comprehensive slate of educational programming for all ages. The Biggs Museum of American Art is a private, non-profit 501(c) (3) organization.

Hours of Operation: Tuesday through Saturday; 9:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Sunday; 1:30 p.m. until 4: 30 p.m.

Admission: Biggs Museum is free to the public year-round. Fees may apply to certain programs and special events.

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