(Omaha, NE) – Presented by Joslyn Art Museum Association (JAMA), BARE Evolution: Closing Party Celebration is a fundraising event unlike any other experience in the Museum’s history. Held one month after Joslyn’s closure to the public, and just before staff relocate offsite, the evening’s festivities will take place in empty galleries. With all art removed from the walls, the bare spaces will give guests an opportunity to experience a Museum poised for change and ready for the future. Do not miss out on this final night at Joslyn Art Museum as it has never been seen before!

BARE Evolution: Closing Party Celebration is Saturday, June 4, at 6 pm at the Museum. Event chairs are Marlina & Dusty Davidson and Rae & Bill Dyer. JAMA president is Jan Brockman. Innovative, live performances take interactive art to a new level at this event! Guests will encounter costumed performers (sporting everything from angel wings to a peacock train), plus a contortionist, ballerina, stilt walker, and more—all interpreting works in Joslyn’s collection. Passed hors d’oeuvres and a performer strolling in a champagne skirt will begin the evening that features premium cocktails, gourmet food stations (from charcuterie to seafood, beef tenderloin to grilled lamb chops), desserts, and vibrant turntable music by DJ Kethro in the Storz Fountain Court. Specialty sofa seating and dining tables will be positioned throughout the galleries.

Closing party celebration attire is creative cocktail. Valet parking available. Tickets: $150 individual; sponsorship opportunities begin at $2,500. Proceeds from the event support the Museum’s education and community outreach programs. Reservations: https://bit.ly/JAM-BARE-Evolution

With questions, please contact Janel Sunderland, Joslyn’s development and special events manager, at (402) 933-8220 or jsunderland@joslyn.org.

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Our Mission — Joslyn Art Museum collects, preserves, and interprets the visual arts of the highest quality, fostering appreciation and enjoyment of art for the benefit of a diverse audience.

Our Vision — To be cherished and respected as a premier art museum.

Joslyn Art Museum is currently closed for construction and renovation, reopening in 2024. During closure, the Museum will make art and community connections at offsite locations with its Joslyn Around Town programming. Details at joslyn.org