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A Report From The Associate Manager, Five Things That Were Left Out Of My Job Description:

- Bat removal
- Locksmith
- Curator of items deemed archival
- Tile repair
- Training teenagers in proper telephone etiquette

I do these things happily, well maybe not the bat removal. All the odd jobs help to insure that ArtSpace/Lima is a pleasant and inviting place to visit. As the Associate Manager I believe that my job is to contribute toward the smooth operation of this organization. I am only here to help.

I help with rallies. This year we have been blessed with wonderful weather and well behaved crowds. There is a small community of volunteers that make the evening run smoothly. Beverly Miller and her trusted side kick Mark are always at the token table. Beer would not flow as easily without Jim Wood, Jason, and Rick Carter our brew crew. These are the people who make my job a lot easier. The season is quickly coming to an end and we look forward to next year.

I help with instructors, classes, and scheduling. This summer we hosted a group of students from The Learning Tree Center. They had a gallery tour, learned about our featured artist Rocky Bridges and green art. We placed recycling bins of paper, plastic, and metal in the classroom and their day was spent creating art from found objects.

I also help with events. Last winter we tried a few new ideas Deck the Halls, and Jazz at the Green House. Both of these events were well received and we look forward to doing them again this year. Again there is that core group of volunteers, like Faye Wagner, that help make these things possible. Without the support of our membership there would be no programs, no events, no ArtSpace/Lima.

In my small way I help to support the mission statement of ArtSpace/Lima which has always been to promote the arts by providing a venue for artists. If that includes the occasional bat removal, then I am only here to help.

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