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Michael Dunbar Joins Charity Art Auction as Featured Artist During EXPO Chicago Week 2018

(August 2018) 501's For Humanity is pleased to announce that the internationally renowned sculptor, Michael Dunbar will be a featured artist at the Charity Art Auction at Loyola University, Lewis Towers, Regents Hall on September 25, 2018.

Recognized internationally for his monumental outdoor sculptures, Dunbar has been commissioned for numerous monumental sculptures in public, private and corporate collections. Currently Michael Dunbar's works are being exhibited in NYC, locally, Dunbar has large outdoor sculptures at the Nathan Manilow Sculpture Park (Chicago), the University of Notre Dame (Indiana), and internationally, at the Liu Kaiqu International Sculpture Park, in China. Dunbar is also known for creating and co-producing the world's largest outdoor sculpture exhibition, Pier Walk at Chicago's Historic Navy Pier. Currently Dunbar's works are handled by, Thea Burger, in Miami and New York City. (theaburger7@gmail.com)

For the 501's event, a major new sculpture by Dunbar will be commissioned by bid on the evening of September 25, 2018.

This event has brought support from many. Joyce Ruth Saxon, a pillar in the Chicago and Palm Springs arts and philanthropic community, offers her enthusiastic support. Along with Ms. Saxon as a premier sponsor, Fastlane Entertainment will be producing the event. Soon more members of the arts world will know more about this new vision and 501's for Humanity founder and art dealer Matthew Virgin.

501's For Humanity's events benefit charities that support various causes from the plight of veterans to children to the homeless and those in need for a fresh start, while bringing about education and awareness to the world. 501's For Humanity's vision mission combines identities and causes in order to honor the past, experience the present, and inspire the future for the betterment of humanity.

501's newest featured charity beneficiary - the Barat Education Foundation's Our American Voice® - is led by Chair, Chicago's own Sheila Smith. OAV, a civics education program for elementary and middle school students, is about "bringing civics to life and preparing the citizens of tomorrow, today." This foundation joins other 501's including the Veterans Are Foundation, Healing 4 Heroes, Fast Forward Restart, and Gear Up Foundation.

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