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Zimman's hosts charity to benefit RAW studio

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LYNN - As part of celebrating 100 years in business, Zimman's is hosting an Oct. 24 charity auction to benefit Raw Art Works, a Lynn-based art therapy program for at-risk youth.

The event has been dubbed CHAIR-ity because it features the sale of 12 chairs customized by RAW alumni.

"Each chair will be exhibited within a choreographed space," said Patty Forster, a Zimman's employee and event organizer.

CHAIR-ity includes a cocktail reception, music by Jazz on a Rug, an exhibit by RAW artists and brief presentations by Door 2 Door artists (RAW alumni). Tickets are \$30 at the door or \$25 in advance. All proceeds will support Raw Art Works.

The music, cocktails and food are by Pigalle and Pomodoro. The event begins at 7 p.m. at Zimman's on Market Street.

Items purchased at Zimman's will be discounted 10 percent, with an additional 10 percent given to RAW.

For more information and tickets, contact Forster at patty@zimmans.com or 781-598-9432, ext. 112. Tickets can also be purchased at www.rawartworks.org.



Keoun Neak, a RAW Art Works alumnus, is currently attending Mass College of Art.