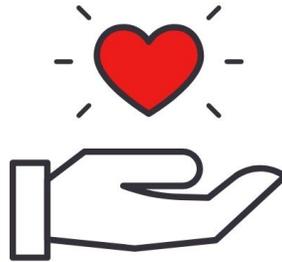


Today



We are thrilled to announce that the Arts Council for Monterey County has been selected to be a part of MCGives!



MCGives! launches on Thursday, November 12th

MONTEREY COUNTY **GIVES!**

This year, we choose to give hope to the next generation of artists with support for our College Art Scholarship program.



Show off your Halloween look and WIN a prize! It's as easy as tagging [#arts4mc](#) and [#arts4mcMONSTER](#) by midnight on November 1st and you're entered to win Best Kids Costume or Best Adult Costume. What are you wearing this year??



"We have a winner! After a tight race, the most voted for inspirational Monterey County Moment is Jose Ortiz's Salinas Valley Farmworkers. Ortiz's artwork was inspired by the pride his mother had in working as part of the ground lettuce crews in Salinas." Congratulations to all the artists - all designs will be printed! Be sure to stop in and get your free mask (while supplies last) at participating Monterey County visitor centers starting November 9th. <https://bit.ly/3iUZqQK>

## ARTS & CULTURAL IMPACT GRANTS NOW OPEN!

Arts and Cultural Impact Grants are available to nonprofit organizations seeking support for public arts and culture projects/programs up to \$5,000 per year.

We have two cycles for this grant program - Spring and Fall. Organizations may only receive one grant per year and must have completed their previous grant's final report before submitting a new application.

**DEADLINE: NOVEMBER 15, 2020, 11:59PM**

Visit our website: [arts4mc.org/grants](https://arts4mc.org/grants)  
for more grant information.

Thanks to the support of Monterey County!



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# COMMUNITY ARTS GRANTS NOW OPEN!

Community Arts Grants, up to \$5,000 are available to small and emerging organizations with budgets up to \$250,000, who are seeking support for public arts and culture projects/programs.

No deadline - grants are reviewed on a monthly basis until funds are expended.

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# Keeping Monterey County Safe!

During this pandemic, it's important to protect ourselves, our neighbors, visitors and businesses, and wearing a mask is a step towards slowing the spread of Covid-19.

The Arts Council for Monterey County has teamed up with local artists to develop these mask posters to put up in your home or business window. They are bright, colorful and engaging, and free to use.



Visit [www.arts4mc.org/masks](http://www.arts4mc.org/masks) to download, print, & display!



Online Art Gallery for Monterey County Artists

Are you looking to decorate a home or office? Look no further - purchase a unique piece of art today! Visit our online gallery to browse and make your purchase [arts4mc.org/art4sale](http://arts4mc.org/art4sale).

If you are a local artist and would like to be considered to have your work represented, please contact Klara Hickmanova at 831-622-9060 x103 or [klara@arts4mc.org](mailto:klara@arts4mc.org)

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Have you seen our bus ad driving through Monterey County? Take a photo, share and post with us and tag [#Arts4MC](#) [#RaiseYourVoice](#)



Join us to [#CreateTheVote](#) November 3rd. Elections matter to [#ArtsEducation](#), not just at the national or state level, but in our community, too. Pay attention to local elections, and vote with the ARTS in your HEART! [#Arts4MC](#) [#MontereyCounty](#)

**We need data to tell our story.**

**Take the COVID 19 Impact Survey TODAY!**

**CALIFORNIANS FOR THE ARTS**

[Click Here for Covid-19 Economic Impact Survey for Artists and Cultural Workers](#)  
[Click Here for Covid-19 Economic Impact Survey for Organizations and Businesses](#)

**CALIFORNIA CULTURAL COLLECTIONS PROTECTION SURVEY**

Are you an *arts organization* in California? Do you have a collection? We need to hear from you! Help us urgently protect California's cultural heritage.

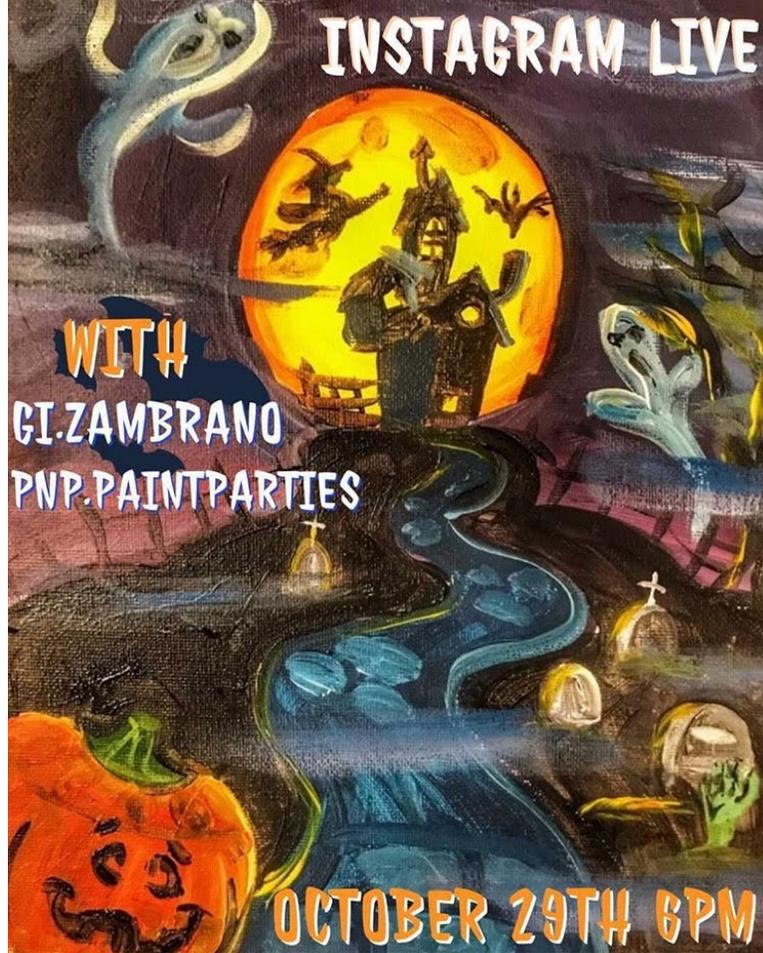
**Register today at:**  
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CSLSurveyRegistration>

Registration for the survey is now open to any collecting institution in California.  
[Click here to take the survey!](#)

FIRST NIGHT MONTEREY PRESENTS A  
**HALLOWEEN CELEBRATION**  
*Live From the Lot*  
 SUNSET CENTER, CARMEL  
 SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31  
 TWO CONCERTS: 3 PM & 7 PM

**LIVE MUSIC**—Fields of Eden w/ Kiki Wow, Heartstrings w/Palette Lynch, Dirty Cello w/ Rebecca Roudman | **COSTUME CONTEST**—Cars & people | **TASTY TREATS**

**INFO & TICKETS**—[FirstNightMonterey.org](http://FirstNightMonterey.org)  
*In collaboration with the Sunset Center, Live from the Lot Concert Series. This is a socially distanced drive-in concert.*



@gi.zambrano is back as a Guest Art instructor on @pnp.paintparties For A Halloween Paint Party! | Thursday October 29th at 6pm

Follow Along on IG Live Stories as we paint this "Haunted Mist" Creation!  
To Order paint kits go to [www.pnppaintparty.com](http://www.pnppaintparty.com)  
More info IG: @pnp.paintparties

## The Legacy Circle



If our work with the arts has touched and enhanced your life, we invite you to consider an estate gift that will continue our mission of serving everyone in our region through the arts for generations to come. Learn more [here](#).



Thank you to the County of Monterey and the Board of Supervisors for the ongoing support of the Arts Council for Monterey County's efforts to strengthen and broaden the County's economic base.