



Dear Friends of the Arts,

I am proud to share our Annual Report for 2021-22 with you (see below). Please take a few minutes to learn more about our programs and how we were able to fulfill our mission to improve the quality of life for everyone in our region through the arts. There is no other organization in our county that connects more artists, students, cultural nonprofits and partners to visual and performing arts. Each year we expand our capacity to ensure that everyone benefits from high quality arts programs, including developing strategic partnerships in every supervisorial district in our community. We currently strengthen the ability of hundreds of local artists, cultural groups and arts organizations to effectively serve our residents, as we present award-winning projects and programs that help address our communities' greatest needs through the arts, serving our residents in both English and Spanish.

Happy reading!

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2021-2022 Annual Report



Thanks to our supporters, we were able to further our mission to improve the quality of life for everyone in our region through the arts. Read more about our work in the community and those who made it possible.

Read our Annual Report

We have News to Share!



The Arts Council for Monterey County is excited to announce that we have been selected to be a part of Monterey County Gives!

Starting November 10th through December 31st, your gift will go further through a match by #MCGives and it will ensure that we can reach the youth, veterans and seniors who need us most right now.

Will you help us heal the most vulnerable people in our community through our arts programs, by being a Challenge Donor to help kick off Monterey County Gives and inspire others to give? **Sign up** <u>here</u> **by October 24th.**

Free Professional Development Program

Business Works

PRESENTS:

MURAL TALK: PLANNING AND PROPOSING LARGE-SCALE PROJECTS

Join us to learn more about planning and proposals for mural projects.



La Neta Mural Team @la.neta.murals



Timothy Robert Smith @timothyrobertsmith

OCTOBER 21, 2022 | 10:00 AM LIVE PRESENTATION AT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION 2354 GARDEN RD, MONTEREY

Grants Now Available to Nonprofit Organizations

Are you a small or emerging art organization seeking support for public arts and culture projects or programs? We have the grant for you.



Es una organización de arte pequeña o emergente que busca apoyo para proyectos o programas de arte y cultura pública? Tenemos la subvención para usted.

Aplique Ahora



Is your nonprofit seeking support for public arts and culture projects/programs? Apply if this is for your organization!

Deadline: November 15th at 11:59pm

Apply Now

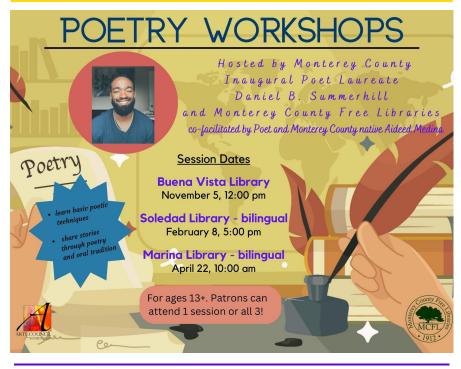


Su organización sin fines de lucro busca apoyo para proyectos/programas de arte y cultura pública? Aplique si esto es para su organización!

Fecha límite: 15 de Noviembre a las 11:59pm

Aplique Ahora

Poetry Workshops with Daniel Summerhill



Opportunities for Teaching Artists

Are you interested in becoming a teaching artist to empower and support Monterey County youth?

We are seeking Visual Arts, Dance and Music teaching artists for in-classroom and virtual opportunities for the 2022-23 school year. Please submit a cover letter, resume, lesson plan sample and examples of student projects or personal portfolio to Karyn Lee-Garcia, Programs Director, to <u>karyn@arts4mc.org</u> with subject line "Teaching Artist". The position is open until filled. **NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE.**



Arts Education in the Schools



Happy 6th Grade Students at Olson Elementary (MPUSD) in Marina complete Week 4 of their Community Mural with Arts4MC Teaching Artist/Muralist Sea Sevilla. Connect to learn more about our Mural Arts Program!

Read about the new Mural "Destination, Salinas"



Did you read the article highlighting the new Mural done by local artist Jose Ortiz and his team at the County Administration Building in the Monterey County Herald? Read at <u>montereyherald.com/2022/09/27/celebrating-a-new-</u> <u>mural</u>

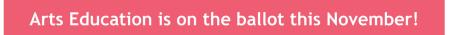
Written by David Kellogg Photo courtesy of Monterey County

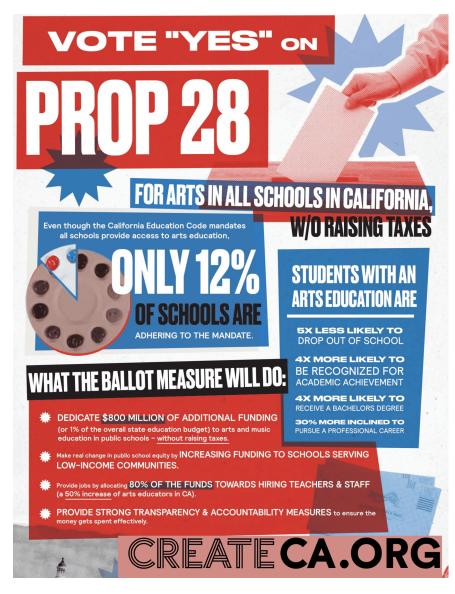
Greenfield Harvest Festival



The Arts Council for Monterey County is proud to support First Night Monterey for their 2022 Greenfield Harvest Festival!

We will be there this Sunday, October 16th from 11 am to 5 pm, stop by, say hi, and learn more about us while you enjoy this free event for everyone!





The Arts and Music in Schools measure has officially qualified for the California ballot this November! If this proposition passes, up to \$900 million a year in state funding will be dedicated to arts and music education in public schools, most of it to hiring art teachers and aides.

Events/Happenings

October 18th: MPC Guest Authors Series Presents Anne Lamott

Ends October 20th: Memorial Exhibition for Claes Oldenburg

October 22nd - 23rd: Music in the Forest at Forest Theatre

Ends October 27th: Resilience by Denese Sanders

November 2nd: Hospice Giving Foundation 2nd Annual Día de los Muertos

Ends November 3rd: Arts As Healing In Juvenile Justice Exhibition

November 3rd, 4th & 6th: <u>New Canon Theatre Co. presents "The Taming of the Shrew"</u>

Call to Artists/Auditions

October 15-16th: Volunteer for The Rebels & Renegades Music Festival

October 28th: Celebrating Monterey County 16th Annual Juried Show

October 31st: Seaside Fire Department Request for Proposals

January 31st: 2023 k-12 Coastal Art and Poetry Contest

Grants & Scholarships

Ongoing: Free Video Tutorial Grant Writing for Succe\$\$

Art Directory

Did you know.... The Arts Council for Monterey County has an arts directory that allows you to quickly find all types of arts classes throughout Monterey County?

- <u>Art Classes with Jane Flury Benight for all ages</u>
- Art Classes with Carmel Visual Arts

Click <u>here</u> to add your own organization, or update your existing directory listing, to help others find you.





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.