



Dear Friends of the Arts,

We have exciting news to share! We are moving our offices to Monterey, off on Highway 68 - more accessible from Salinas and the Peninsula. Our current Seaside office will be converted to an "ArtWorks" to provide affordable studio space for emerging artists.



Be on the lookout next week as we launch a new grant opportunity for local nonprofits and artists to work together to develop a media, outreach and engagement initiative around (1) Public health awareness messages to stop the spread of COVID-19 (2) Climate Impact - public awareness related to water and energy conservation, climate mitigation, and emergency preparedness, relief, and recovery (3) Civic engagement, including election participation; and (4) Social justice and community engagement. Twenty three projects of \$140,000 each will be awarded in the following counties: Monterey, San Benito, Sa Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Santa Cruz and Ventura. Visit arts4mc.org after March 6th for more information.

Enjoy your weekend!

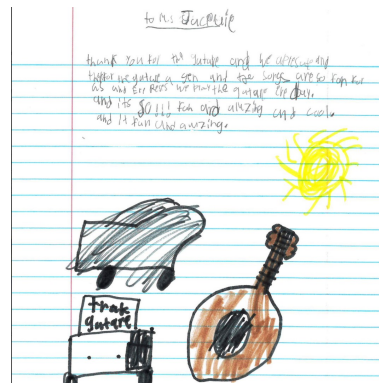
Warmly,

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Giving the Gift of Music



The Arts Council is pleased to bring smiles to 2nd graders at the International School of Monterey, with the gift of two guitars.

"When I told the students that they would be able to use a guitar in class, they were over the moon!"

- Clint Cornfield, Teacher

Giving Just Got Easier!



The Arts Council is excited to announce that we now have [Venmo Charity](#) and [PayPal Giving Fund](#) accounts! These new accounts make it easier than ever to support our mission of improving the quality of life for everyone in our region through the arts. With just a few clicks, you can make a donation that will help us enhance our programs and spark creativity in our youth. **Using these platforms also means that 100% of your donation will go directly to the Arts Council, with no fees removed.** We appreciate your support and look forward to seeing the impact we can make together!

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Learn about the Arts in our Community

ARTS4EVERYONE

An opportunity to learn about the arts in our community.

March 10, 2023 5:30pm - 8:30pm
Captain + Stoker
398 E Franklin St, Monterey



**LIVE MUSIC BY
KATHERINE LAVIN**
@KATHERINELAVINMUSIC



**LIVE PAINTING BY
PAUL RICHMOND**
@PAULYWORLD

Join Arts4MC for a chance to discover more about the arts in our community. Katherine Lavin will perform live music, and Paul Richmond will do a live painting

that can be yours!

- 2 glasses of wine and charcuterie are included in the \$20 coverage fee.
- Purchase a \$20 ticket or six for \$100 to enter to win an original Paul Richmond artwork.
- "Limited edition" t-shirts with Chris Powers' live screen printing.

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Monterey County Youth Poet Laureate

CALL FOR THE 2023-2024 MONTEREY COUNTY YOUTH POET LAUREATE



The Arts Council for Monterey County, in partnership with Urban Word, celebrates local youth poets with the opportunity to serve as the Monterey County Youth Poet Laureate.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Currently reside in Monterey County
- Be between the ages of 13-19 years old at time of submission

REQUIREMENTS:

- Submit five (5) original poems
- Complete the application, submit a resume, statement of civic engagement, and statement of social justice activities
- Be available to serve as Monterey County Youth Poet Laureate for the one-year term, April 2023 – April 2024

DEADLINE: March 7, 2023

Honorarium awarded - \$1,000

The Monterey County Youth Poet Laureate will serve a one-year term and participate in several engagements throughout the year.

[APPLY NOW](#)

Individual Artist Grant Available



INDIVIDUAL ARTIST GRANT

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for Monterey County

Individual Artist Grant Support provides a financial stipend up to \$5,000 to selected artists in emerging and established stages of their career who demonstrate that this support will make a big impact on their work and on our community.

DEADLINE: April 3, 2023 at 11:59 pm

If you need assistance, call Klara Hickmanova: 831-622-9060 x 103 or email [klara\(at\)arts4mc.org](mailto:klara@arts4mc.org).

APPLY NOW

College Arts Scholarships Available

College Arts Scholarships

Available for Monterey County High School Seniors

The Arts Council for Monterey County will award \$2,500 college arts scholarships to graduating high school seniors pursuing a higher learning degree in an arts field. In addition, we will provide one Joann Adair Memorial Scholarship of \$2,500 to a Salinas student to support their education. A college program gives artists vital access to training & professional mentors, as well as knowledge & skills in business, marketing and production.

ELIGIBILITY:

- Resident of Monterey County
- High School Senior, graduating class of 2023
- Transcript showing a 2.0 GPA or above

DEADLINE: April 17, 2023 at 11:59 pm

If you need assistance, call Klara Hickmanova: 831-622-9060 x 103 or email klara@arts4mc.org.

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Opportunities for Teaching Artists



**WE ARE
HIRING**

TEACHING ARTIST
POSITIONS:

- Music
- Dance
- Theater
- Visual Arts

In-classroom and online opportunities for the 2023 school year. Hourly range is from \$38-\$54/per hour plus planning hours. Please submit a cover letter, resume, lesson plan sample and examples of student projects or personal portfolio to Karyn Lee-Garcia, Programs Director, to karyn@arts4mc.org with subject line "Teaching Artist".

JOB DESCRIPTION

www.Arts4mc.org/jobs

Spoken Word Presented by SUHSD



Events/Happenings

- March 4th from 2:00 - 4:00 pm: [Thinking Out Loud 2023 Student Reception](#)
- March 11th: [New Canon Theatre Co. Season Launch Party](#)
- March 11th - 19th: [Encounter Intuitive Performance by Eclectic Collective](#)
- March 16th: [An Irish Evening of Story and Song](#)
- April 1st at 4:00 pm: [Springtime Waltz at the Carmel Woman's Club](#)
- April 15th: [Jo Mora Day Celebration at Monterey History & Art at Stanton Center](#)

Call to Artists/Auditions

- March 16th: [Call for Young Artists "Ocean Arts Festival: Monterey"](#)
- April 24th: [Monterey County Poetry Student Contest by The Heinrich Team](#)

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?

- [Open Ground Studios](#)
- [Sol Treasures](#)

Click [here](#) to add your own organization, or update your existing directory listing, to help others find you.



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Give • Every • Month

Our monthly donors ensure we can continue our work to help the arts thrive in Monterey County!

Join a community of people who believe art has the power to change lives for the better.

WWW.ARTS4MC.ORG/GIVE-EVERY-MONTH



THE LEGACY CIRCLE

Support the arts in Monterey County for future generations!

If the arts have made a difference in your life, you might be the perfect candidate for a legacy gift.

WWW.ARTS4MC.ORG/PLANNED-GIVING



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.

Support the arts in Monterey County!

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