

Final Grant Report - Submission #40787

Date Submitted: 4/15/2015

1. City of McKinney Arts Commission

When your Arts-Commission-funded project is complete, please submit this form and the following two items within thirty days after the event or season, depending on the type of event. These items must be submitted electronically.

1. 1) A detailed Final Project Report covering all receipts and expenditures for the funded project.
2. 2) A narrative report of the project.

Please review carefully before submitting. Final Grant Reports may only be submitted once.

2. Grantee Name*

The Art Club of McKinney

3. Grant Amount*

5100.00

4. Email *

degrowkingsley@gmail.com

5. Event(s)

6. Name of Event*

The Annual Collin County Adult Art Show

7. Date & Time of Event*

March 20-22, 2015, 20th- 10am-9pm, 21st-10am-9pm, 22nd- noon-2pm

8. Location of Event *

the First United Methodist Church Banquet Hall (formerly known as the Heard-Craig Hall)- upper level

9. More Events?

1. Yes(X)
2. No()

10. Name of Event

The Annual Collin County Student Art Show

11. Date & Time of Event

March 20-22, 2015, 20th, 10am-9pm, 21st, 10am-9pm, 22nd, noon-2pm

12. Location of Event

the First United Methodist Church Banquet Hall (formerly known as the Heard Craig Hall) - lower level

13. More Events?

1. Yes()
2. No()

14. Name of Event

15. Date & Time of Event

16. Location of Event

17. More Events?

1. Yes()
2. No()

18. Name of Event

19. Date & Time of Event

20. Location of Event

21. More Events?

1. Yes()
2. No()

22. Name of Event

23. Date & Time of Event

24. Location of Event

25. More Events?

1. Yes()
2. No()

26. Name of Event

27. Date & Time of Event

28. Location of Event

29. More Events?

1. Yes()
2. No()

30. Name of Event

31. Date & Time of Event

32. Location of Event

33. More Events?

1. Yes()
2. No()

34. Name of Event

35. Date & Time of Event

36. Location of Event

37. More Events?

1. Yes()
2. No()

38. Name of Event

39. Date & Time of Event

40. Location of Event

41. More Events?

1. Yes()
2. No()

42. Name of Event

43. Date & Time of Event

44. Location of Event

45. Total Revenue

Include grant award funds.

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46. Budget*

9,070.00

47. Actual*

9,090.00

48. Total Expenses

49. Budget*

10,600.00

50. Actual*

10,614.15

51. Total Number in Attendance*

741 guests Adult show, 517 guests Student show

52. Number of Performances*

3 days both shows were open to the public

53. Total Number of Tickets Sold*

n/a

54. Number of Tickets Comped*

n/a

55. Promotion

Did you include in all promotion, publicity and advertising the following line: "This project is funded in part by the City of McKinney through the City of McKinney Arts Commission."

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56. Choose One*

1. Yes(X)

2. No()

57. If no, why not?

58. Logo

Did you use the City of McKinney logo on printed material?

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59. Choose One*

1. Yes()
2. No(X)

60. If no, why not?

We used older signs to save on our budget. It did state that the project was funded in part by the City through the City of McKinney Arts Commission, but there weren't specific logos on the signs.

61. Goals

How successful was your event in accomplishing the Arts Commission goal, "To create a vibrant and viable arts community in which diverse, high quality arts opportunities are available to McKinney residents and visitors?"

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62. Choose One*

1. Very Successful(X)
2. Somewhat Successful()
3. Not Successful()

63. Comments

We had many new artists show their work at these shows for the first time. We had established artists that did not realize the quality of work we had at our shows, and were thrilled to have their pieces shown. We had a new category, fibers. This brought in artists we have not seen before (including an award winning male fiber artist). We had a large " wall" of abstract works, many more abstract works than we have ever seen before! I not only noticed a diversity of works, but quite a diversity of ethnicity in the artist's showing work!

64. Attach Financial Report*

2015 Art Club of McKinney - Art Shows Financials.xlsx(1).pdf

65. Attach Narrative Summary*

Art Club McKinney - 2015 Post Grant Narrative Summary.docx

Post Grant Narrative Summary

The Art Club of McKinney 2014-2015

The Art Club of McKinney hosted two events this year that were funded in part by a grant awarded by the City of McKinney Arts Commission. The events were held together on March 20-22, 2015 at the First United Methodist Church Banquet Hall (formerly the Heard-Craig Hall).

The 51st Annual Collin County Adult Art Show was held upstairs and was open to adults age 18 and older that either reside in Collin County, or are involved in an arts organization in Collin County.

The Student Art Show was held downstairs and was open to all currently enrolled high school students in Collin County, Texas. Students included public-schooled, privately schooled and home-schooled students.

Summary:

51st Annual Collin County Adult Art Show		Student Art Show	
Artists	69	Artists	94
Artworks	157	Artworks	134
Entry Fees Collected	\$2180	Entry Fees Collected	\$940
Cash Prizes Awarded	\$3000	Cash Prizes Awarded	\$1700
Number of visitors	741	Number of visitors	517

A total of 52 volunteers spent 700 hours at the venue supporting the two art shows. (A total of 30 volunteers supported the Adult Art Show amounting to over 458 volunteer hours. A total of 22 volunteers supported the Student Art Show amounting to over 242 volunteer hours.) This does not include countless hours spent from January to March in foundation and follow up work.

The First United Methodist Church Banquet Hall proved to be a successful venue for the Adult Art Show, drawing more entrants, entries, and visitors than past years. Judge Maureen Brouillette awarded 24 first, second and third-placed ribbons and many Honorable Mention ribbons. She commented on the quality of the art works on display. Fiber, a new category added to the Adult Art Show, was well received by the judge, artists and audience alike.

At the student show, 94 entrants from public and private High Schools throughout Collin County, Texas as well as Home Schooled Students participated. There were 5 categories with cash awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places in each category as well as a Best in Show award (the Mary Berry award.)

Feedback about the show was extremely positive with many teachers, parents and students thanking The Art Club of McKinney for hosting the show. Art Club members heard repeatedly that the Collin County Student Art Show was by far the favorite show for the students to participate in.

The Friday evening reception was well attended, with many new artists capturing winning awards. A great majority of the student winners and their families attended and were absolutely delighted with the displays and awards. The art entered, as always was superb and imaginative.

Based on this year and last year's art shows, the First United Methodist Church Banquet Hall proved to be a good venue for the Adult Art Show, and the MPAC proved to be a good venue for the Student Art Show.



The 51st Annual Collin County Art Show was a huge success! We had an impressive turnout of artist who entered this year, which provided a broad range of art for our excited visitors.

With a diverse display of painting styles, from abstract to photo-realism, there was something for everyone.



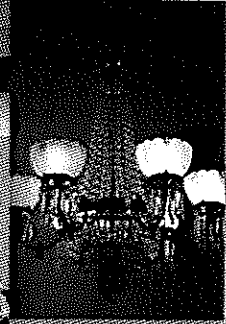
Creativity to the max in the 3D sculpture & mixed media sections!



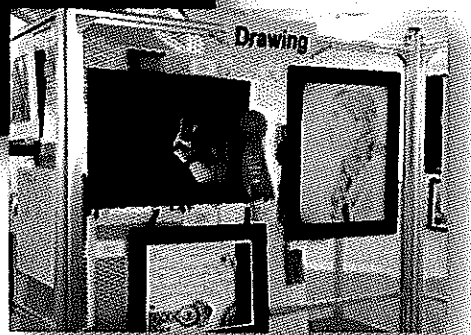
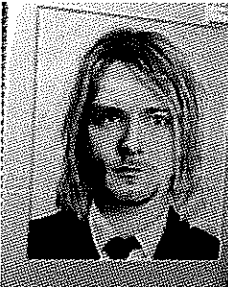
We experienced visitors and participants enthusiasm and delight for the outstanding debut of the Fiber Category!



The FUMC Building, formerly Heard-Craig Hall, was the perfect venue for our 2015 show! The abundance of natural light and the soft glow from the antique chandeliers provided the right balance of function and ambiance. The kitchen and banquet table allowed for preparation and refreshments for our lovely reception. There was ample space to accommodate the response to our Call to Artists and all the support from the community.



The outpouring of talent in the Student Show was jaw dropping! The encouragement and support of young artists is so important!



Comments about this year's art shows...

"The 51st Annual Collin County Art Show Reception began at 7 pm and was held in the First United Methodist Church of McKinney Reception Gallery, formerly known as the Heard-Craig Hall. A beautiful spring-themed table was adorned with florals, rabbits and grasses and offered refreshments to guests, at their leisure before, during and after the Awards Ceremony. Everyone seemed delighted from the younger children happy for one more piece of chocolate to the teen reaching for the last strawberry. Lovely treats to enjoy while browsing through some truly amazing art and visiting with the artists."

"The 51st Annual Collin County Adult Art Show and The Collin County Student Art Show 2015 were both beautifully and professionally done. Thank all of you who worked so hard to make these shows possible, especially Lynda, Gail, Kelly, Cindy, Carol K, Patsy, Jeni, and Sherri. Thanks Sherri for the beautiful reception table and goodies as well as making the gift bags presented at the reception to make sure others were thanked. Thanks also to Angela for her many hours phoning volunteers and Carol Williams for photographing the events. I am grateful we were able to have awesome shows for the 100th year of The Art Club of McKinney, even if we should choose a different direction in the future. Congratulations to Lynda for the People's Choice Award, a very deserving award for her extremely creative work. It was great to see art works from the talented artists in Collin County."

"I had so many local artists that thanked me (the Art Club) for putting on the show. They really appreciated having a place to showcase some of their pieces in a beautiful setting. One established local artist from a local studio was very excited to have his pieces in the show. One new artist joined our club to enter his pieces in the show. He is from Dallas and had not entered a show before.

I heard multiple comments on the high level of art we had in the show.

People were very excited to have a fibers category. In the past, fibers were often considered the step-child to "fine-art". I was thrilled that we had a beautiful showing of fibers pieces that expertly portrayed the artistry of fibers.

Someone told me to expect about 30 people for the awards ceremony. We easily had 100 people attend. There was a lot of excitement for both the adult and the student award winners. Many parents also thanked us for putting on the show.

I overheard several people talking and discussing how this was their first art show. Because our show is not juried, it offers many beginners a chance to compete."

"It was a nice show
I had never been before, wow!
Loved the art, so much talent right here in McKinney.
I really enjoyed going to it, do you do this every year?"

"Thank you and the McKinney Art Club for organizing this event. My family and I truly enjoyed and were inspired by both the student and the adult show. It is wonderful to see such wealth of talent in our community! :-)"



You are invited to:

The 51st Annual Collin County Adult Art Show

at the
First United Methodist Church Banquet Hall
(formerly the Heard-Craig Hall)
306. N. Church Street
McKinney, TX

March 20-22, 2015

Open to the Public
Friday 10 am - 9 pm
Saturday 10 am - 9 pm
Sunday Noon - 2 pm

Reception & Awards
March 20 7 pm - 9 pm

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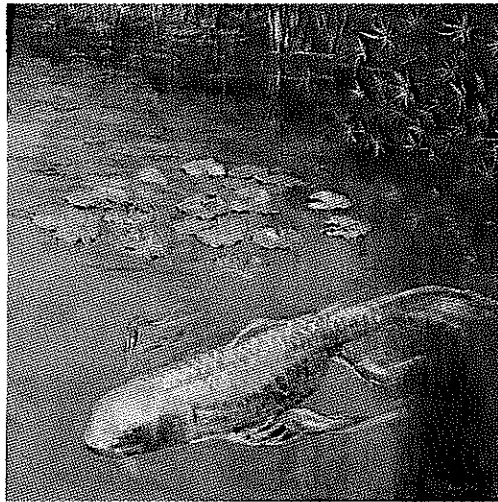
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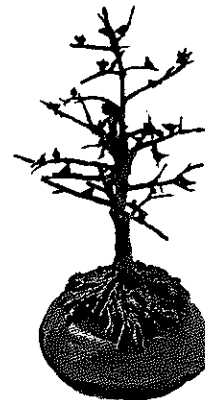
The 51st Annual Collin County Adult Art Show



Rachel Reitan



Ken Toki



Gail McLaughlin

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The Art Club of McKinney

2014-2015 Art Shows (Estimate)

Art Shows Income		
Art Show Entry Fees		3,500.00
MAC Grant Monies Requested 70%		3,570.00
Fundraisers & Donors (Art Shows)		2,000.00
Total Income		9,070.00

Art Shows Expenses		
Contracted Services (Judges)		500.00
Travel		40.00
Rental Expenses		4,200.00
Reception		200.00
Advertising & Promotion		960.00
Art Shows Cash Awards & Ribbons		4,700.00
Art Shows Expenses		10,600.00

Income - Expenses		-1,530.00
MAC Grant Monies Requested 30%		1,530.00
Difference		0.00

Adult Art Show

69 adult artists
157 pieces
741 visitors

Student Art Show

94 student artists
134 pieces
517 visitors

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2014-2015 Art Shows (Actual)

Art Shows Income		
Art Show Entry Fees		3,120.00
MAC Grant Monies Received (70% of \$5100)		3,570.00
Fundraisers & Donors (Art Shows)		2,400.00
Total Income		9,090.00

Art Shows Expenses		
Contracted Services (Judges)		500.00
Travel		40.00
Rental Expenses		4,085.00
Reception		180.09
Advertising & Promotion		746.78
Art Shows Cash Awards & Ribbons		5,062.28
Art Shows Expenses		10,614.15

Income - Expenses		-1,524.15
Grant Funds Not Yet Received (30% of \$5100)		1,530.00
Difference		5.85

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