

**Supporting the Arts!**

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**Columbus Arts Council Support Levels (Check One):**

Art Friend: \$35—\$49

Art Supporter: \$50—\$99

Art Patron \$100—\$249

Art Benefactor: \$250—\$499

Bronze: \$500—\$999

Silver: \$1,000—\$1,499

Gold: \$1,500+



Columbus Art Gallery



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**YES!** I would like to volunteer for Art Gallery and/or Arts Council events.

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**Become a Member  
Become a Volunteer!**

Becoming a member of the Arts Council and join our many volunteers! We invite the community to be involved in all of our programs. Make new friends and learn more about the Columbus arts organization by becoming an arts council volunteer. We consider our volunteers an essential part of our team. Volunteer opportunities include the following:

- Docents; Art Gallery Volunteer
- Committee Members
- Visual Art Assistants
- Program Event Volunteer



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Columbus Art Gallery

2504 14th Street, Columbus, NE 68601

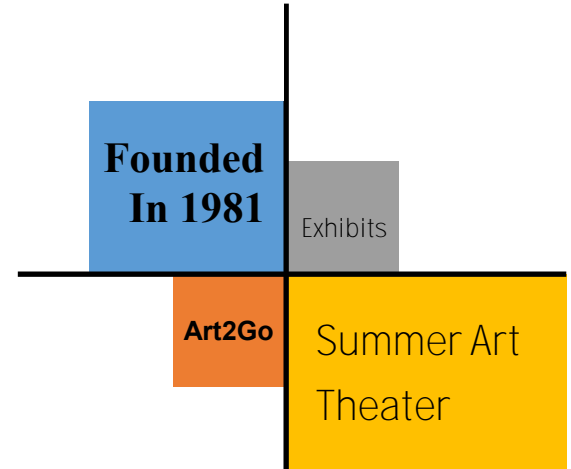
**Hours:**

Monday—Friday 1 pm-5 pm

Saturday, Every 3rd Saturday 1 pm-5 pm

**Phone: 402-563-1016**

**Email: arts@megavision.com**



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2017 Membership

## Art Education!

Studies have shown that few things are as essential to a child's well being as the participation in the arts. The arts give children an emotional outlet, and a means of expression that is positive, creative and safe. The arts also helps them develop critical thinking skills they will need to succeed in our competitive society.



CAC educational programming for youth includes: Art2Go, art classes, volunteer guided school tours, summer Art Camp, and the summer theater residency by Missoula Children's Theatre.

CAC educational programming for adults includes workshops, classes in the Art Gallery and bus trips to culturally educational activities in Lincoln, Omaha and Grand Island.

## Our History

The Columbus Arts Council (CAC) was founded in 1981 as a non-profit educational organization. It was established to "enrich the community through the promotion and sponsorship of the arts."

CAC believes that the arts have a profoundly positive effect on the local economy, increases the quality of life in our community while providing availability to everyone.

For the past 36 years CAC has been providing art exhibits, performances, workshops and other cultural events for the Columbus area. This includes the performing arts (dance, theater and music), visual arts (painting, sculptures and photography) and the humanities (literature and storytelling).

CAC promotes the arts through our weekly Columbus Telegram article, our website (discoverthearts.com) and through social media.

## Art Gallery & Gift Shop

The Columbus Art Gallery actively promotes the visual arts. New exhibits are on display every four to six weeks attracting over 10,000 visitors annually.

The exhibits at the gallery are located in the lower level of the Columbus Public Library and features over 1600 square feet of floor space as well as classroom space available for art lessons.

All of our exhibits feature works of art that are from our area as well as traveling exhibits from museums and universities across our state and across the USA.

Many of the Art Exhibits present an opportunity to purchase original pieces of art. Our gift shop is open every day as well and makes it a great place to purchase art stocked by our staff.



## Donor Levels:

### ART Friend \$35—\$49

10% off all Art Gallery purchases.

### ART Supporter \$50—\$99

10% off all Art Gallery purchases, discounted classes and bus trips.

### Art Patron \$100—\$249

15% off all Art Gallery purchases, discounted classes and bus trips.

### Art Benefactor \$250—\$499

20% off all Art Gallery purchases, discounted classes and bus trips.

### BRONZE \$500—\$999

20% off all Art Gallery purchases, discounted classes and bus trips and Sponsorship opportunities.

### SILVER \$1000—\$1,499

20% off all Art Gallery purchases, discounted classes and bus trips and Sponsorship opportunities.

### GOLD \$1,500+

20% off all Art Gallery purchases, discounted classes and bus trips and Sponsorship opportunities.

Membership donations support the Columbus Arts Council (CAC) in bringing the many aspects of art and art education to the Columbus area. Individuals and businesses may donate by completing the membership card and mailing it to the Arts Council or by dropping off the form to the Arts Council office in the Columbus Art Gallery (2504 14th St., Columbus, NE 68601). Contributions may be paid with cash, check or credit card.

**If you work for BD or ADM, they will match your gift. CAC is a Thrivent Choice Dollars organization. Check with your place of work to see if they will become a member!**