Annual Report FY2020



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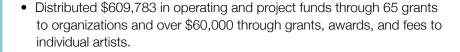
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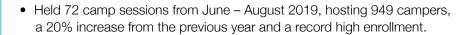
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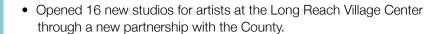
Dear Arts Council members and friends,

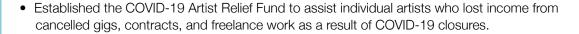
The past year has been like none we have ever experienced...we are living in unprecedented and challenging times. Many months ago, as we began making our preparations to ride out the COVID-19 pandemic, we came together to support one another and do our part to help 'flatten the curve.' As the County's arts council, we concentrated our efforts on artists and those working in the non-profit arts sector who were dealing with the loss of their livelihoods as galleries, concert halls, and theaters closed.

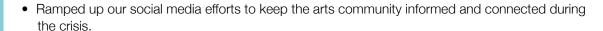
Like many families and businesses during this public health crisis, the Arts Council Board and staff had to stay at home and take prudent steps to ensure our stability, meet expectations, and preserve what matters. We worked hard to find ways to support the arts in Howard County. Here is a partial listing of our accomplishments. We:











Facilitated the purchase of one of the sculptures from our ARTsites 2019 public art exhibition, Chris Plaisted's Door in the Woods, by Clarksville Commons. This brings the total number of ARTsites sculptures placed permanently in the County to seven.

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Sharonlee Vogel, Board President



Coleen West, Executive Director



their artwork (HCAC photos)



HCAC Donors FY2020

The Howard County Arts Council would like to thank the following individuals, families, organizations, agencies, and corporations who gave their financial and in-kind support to the arts in Howard County between July 1, 2019 and June 30, 2020. We make every effort to ensure that our many supporters are acknowledged, but sometimes errors and omissions occur. If you have contributed during this time and your name does not appear on the list, please contact us at 410-313-2787. Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

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Ellicott City Head Start students get creative during Thinkery's 'Curious Women' arts residency, inspired by the art of Yayoi Kusama (HCAC photo)

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Ellicott City looks good from any angle Howard County Times, July 2019

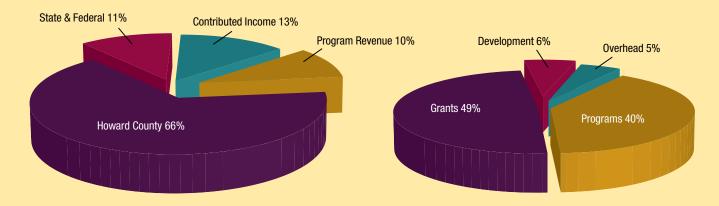
Road to the Arts events paved with fascination Howard County Times, September 2019

Surveying the world of art in Howard County *Baltimore Sun,* November 2019

Wall-to-wall art at HoCo Open 2020 show Baltimore Sun, February 2020

Long Reach Village Center a hub for creativity Howard County Times, March 2020

Financial Overview: FY20 Revenue & Expenses (unaudited)



Revenue Total: \$1,438,105

Expenses Total: \$1,356,702

at the Howard County Center for the Arts

July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020

Exhibits

Paint It! Ellicott City 2019

July 1 - August 9, 2019

An annual *en plein air* painting event and exhibit involving juried artists shown in the gallery and open paint-out community artists shown in the lobby during the opening reception. Presented by Art in Ellicott City in partnership with the Arts Council and Visit Howard County. Juror: Nancy Tankersley, award-winning plein air artist.

Persona

July 1 – August 9, 2019

An exhibit featuring four artists – Oluwatobi Adewumi, Wynston Edun, Charlotte Mann, and Leah Taylor – whose expressive, figurative works broaden the conversation on how portraiture can evoke persona.

Transformations

August 30 - October 11, 2019

Mixed media and installation works by Rachel Borgman, Artemis Herber, Chris Hornsby, and Sunyoung Lee. These artists explore a variety of concepts, but each attributes the process of artmaking as integral to their work.

Fragments

August 30 - October 11, 2019

A showcase of photography by local artists Willy Conley, whose self-described 'watergraphs' capture water reflections which are then turned upside-down; and Don James, whose photographs read as abstracts, though they are actually faithful representations of the shape and near-monochrome appearance of his subjects.

Art Howard County 2019

November 1 – December 13, 2019

A biennial, multimedia juried exhibit showcasing Howard County artists. Juror: Robin Holliday, owner and curator of HorseSpirit Arts Gallery.

New Media: Poetry in Motion

November 1 – December 13, 2019

The gallery space was transformed into a screening room to showcase recent video works by Vin Grabill, Brandon Morse, and Joon Sung. These artists experiment with time-based media to create unique works of art that double as visual poems.

HoCo Open 2020

January 10 - February 21, 2020

This annual salon-style, non-juried exhibit featured artwork dropped off within a two-hour period by 141 Howard County artists working in all media.

It Is What It Was

January 10 - February 21, 2020

Deidre Argyle's immersive installation melded fabric cubes, projections, and sound to explore questions about time and repetition, bringing to our attention the cycles by which we are governed: creation, decay, and transformation.

Youth Art Month – Food For Thought: Breaking Bread, Building Community

March 6-14, 2020 & June 20-29, 2020*

An exhibit showcasing artwork in a variety of media and styles by more than 400 K-12 students inspired by the title theme. Part of an ongoing partnership between the Howard

County Arts Council and the Howard County Public School System in celebration of Youth Art Month.

No Boundaries

March 6-14, 2020 & June 20-29, 2020*

An exhibit of artwork by teens and adults with developmental disabilities. Presented in partnership with Howard County Recreation and Parks, Therapeutic Recreation and Inclusion Services and Cedar Lane School.

*Note: Due to the COVID-19 shutdown, these exhibits were suspended shortly after they opened, then resumed when HCCA reopened to the public in June 2020. Exhibits originally scheduled for May-June 2020 were postponed to FY21.



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- Hosted 3 Head StART in ART visiting artist residencies for 162 pre-K children enrolled at the Ellicott City and Old Cedar Lane Head Start Centers.
- Hired a consultant to facilitate joint merger discussions with representatives from Columbia Festival of the Arts, Downtown Columbia Arts and Culture Commission, and Inner Arbor Trust.
- Expanded the resource area of our website to connect artists and the public to important COVID-19 and social justice and equity resources and updates.
- Relaxed matching requirements for FY20 grants and extended deadlines for FY21 applications to help local arts organizations adjust to losses and social distancing requirements due to COVID-19.
- Transformed the Celebration of the Arts in Howard County gala into a virtual event featuring our Rising Star Performing
 Arts Competition, a guest performance by slam poet Gayle Danley, and an online auction of artwork by local artists;
 nearly 800 supporters tuned in to the live watch party and subsequent streamed production. Cellist Gabriel Hightower
 was awarded the title of 2020 Rising Star through popular vote.
- Recognized exemplary leadership in the arts through Howie Awards presented to pianist Hsien-Ann Meng (Outstanding Artist), choreography and dance instructor Donna Pidel (Outstanding Arts Educator), and The Howard Hughes Corporation (Outstanding Business Supporter of the Arts). A special Legacy in the Arts Award went to Howard County Summer Theater Director Thomas Sankey.
- Ended the fiscal year in a strong financial position.

Despite the digital nature of our current existence, **all** of us working in the arts remain hopeful and optimistic. We know that we'll be enjoying the sights and sounds of live concerts, gallery openings, and theatre – soon.

We are proud of what we have accomplished – under less than ideal circumstances – and are pleased to present our FY20 annual report. Within this report we recognize our donors. Please know that the roles of individuals, business, and government have never been more essential to the wellbeing of the arts. Thank you.

Sharonlee Vogel, *Board President* Coleen West, *Executive Director*

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Grant Programs

Howard County Arts Council grants are awarded based on artistic merit, ability of the applicant to carry out the project and level of service to the community. Grantees are selected through a competitive process in which applications are reviewed by a volunteer advisory panel made up of academics and artists representing a variety of disciplines. Grant award recommendations are then reviewed and approved by the HCAC Board of Directors. In FY20, HCAC awarded 65 grants, totaling \$609,783, to arts organizations.

FY20 Artists-in-Education Grantees

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Bushy Park ES PTA
Clarksville MS PTA
Cradlerock ES PTA
Ducketts Lane ES PTA
Hammond ES PTA
Homewood Center
Lime Kiln MS PTA
Longfellow ES PTA

St. John's Parish Day School Talbott Springs ES PTA Triadelphia Ridge ES PTA

Wilde Lake MS PTA

FY20 Baltimore City Arts & Cultural Grantees

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National Aquarium, Inc.

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Port Discovery Children's Museum

The Walters Art Museum

FY20 Outreach Howard Grantees

American Visionary Art Museum Baltimore Museum of Industry Baltimore Symphony Orchestra Chesapeake Shakespeare Company

Maryland Science Center Maryland Zoological Society, Inc. Port Discovery Children's Museum

FY20 Community Arts Development Grantees

Candlelight Concert Society

Columbia Bands

Columbia Center for Theatrical Arts
Columbia Festival of the Arts

Columbia Orchestra Columbia Pro Cantare

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Howard County Poetry and Literature Society

Kinetics Dance Theatre Little Patuxent Review

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FY20 Jim Rouse Theatre Subsidy

Columbia Orchestra Columbia Pro Cantare Kinetics Dance Theatre Misako Ballet Company

FY20 Organizational Effectiveness Grantees

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Columbia Orchestra
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Kinetics Dance Theatre

FY20 Creative Howard Grantee

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FY20 Mark Ryder Original Choreography Grantee

Darion Smith

FY20 COVID-19 Relief Fund Grantees

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Representatives from the Howard County Chinese School accept a Community Arts Development grant from Howard County Executive Dr. Calvin Ball at the FY2020 Annual Meeting and Grant Awards Ceremony. Also pictured: HCAC Executive Director Coleen West (HCAC photo)

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