Beloit ART CENTER

Find Creativity Within

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Dear Art Lovers,

Thank you for your support of the Beloit Art Center!

Memberships play a critical role in keeping the BAC a vibrant part of our community's arts scene. Your membership helps us continue to offer a variety of opportunities and programming for artists and art lovers of all ages. Whether you give $50, $250 or more, every contribution helps ensure that the arts remain a vital, joyful, and accessible part of life in Beloit.

For art patrons, we offer **Individual, Family, Supporter of the Arts,** and **Friends of the Arts Memberships**. In 2026, we also began a partnership with the Wright Museum of Art at Beloit College to offer a **Patron of the Arts Membership**, which includes invitations to special programs and museum openings. For artists, we offer **Introductory Artist, Upcoming Artist, Bell Gallery Artist,** and **Sveum Gallery Artist Memberships**, each with different benefits outlined on the enclosed Membership Card.

There are many ways to experience art at the Beloit Art Center. Our monthly exhibitions begin with a **First Friday Gallery Reception**, bringing artists and community members together year-round. We also offer community exhibits, classes and workshops, **affordable studio space** for emerging artists, and a weekly Thursday night Open Studio. We are proud of the programs and events that have become part of the BAC, while continuing to look for new ways to support artists and engage our community.

Our impact extends beyond our building through quarterly **community exhibits** at the Beloit Public Library and Bagels & More, connecting artists with new audiences. For the second year, the Association of Wisconsin Artists also recognized the Beloit Art Center for having the **most new entries in the Wisconsin Regional Art Program (WRAP)**, allowing local artists and high school students to represent Beloit in a statewide exhibition in Madison.

Our location at 520 E. Grand Avenue in downtown Beloit welcomes residents and visitors to experience and enjoy the visual arts. **More than 5,000 people visited the BAC last year**, reflecting our growing reach and presence in the area. Your membership helps us care for our historic building, keep the gallery admission free, and continue creating opportunities for artists and the community.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, thank you for being part of the Beloit Art Center. We appreciate your continued support and look forward to another year of art, creativity, and connection. We hope to see you at the gallery soon!

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