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Welcome to ArtBeat!

Welcome to ArtBeat, our monthly newsletter with St. Petersburg's arts & cultural community news, calls to artists, and grant, job and internship opportunities. Please email news and opportunities to info@stpeteartsalliance.org. To add events, please go to **Events** to post them.

Power2Give Campaign for Lamppost Banners!



We are delighted to announce that we will soon be launching our second *Arts Shine Here* banner project. It's time to replace the lamppost banners that were donated to the City three years ago. Designed to last a year, most are still up (although some just barely) and are proudly displaying photos and logos of our arts and cultural organizations that are the foundation blocks of our City of the Arts.

We will be launching a Power2Give Campaign to fund the \$10,000 project. To kick off the campaign, the St. Petersburg Women's Chamber of Commerce has given a challenge gift. Once completed, we hope to deliver 200 banners that will help brand, market and show pride in St. Petersburg as an arts destination. More news to follow soon.

Welcome Duke Energy to ArtWalk!

We welcome Duke Energy's support of St.



Petersburg's Second Saturday Artwalk.. The donation will be a valuable asset in contributing to the success of ArtWalk as a citywide signature, monthly event throughout the year. Funding also supports generating ArtBeat, our e-newsletter with news, calls to artists, and grant and job opportunities.

“Duke Energy is proud to support the St. Petersburg Arts Alliance and the city's efforts to showcase the diversity of its arts venues, galleries and artists,” said Melissa Seixas, Community Relations Manager for Duke. “The engagement of citizens and visitors in arts experiences unique to St. Petersburg makes for a stronger community.”

As lead sponsor, Duke Energy joins the St. Petersburg Downtown Partnership, Courtyard by Marriott, Orsini & Rose Law Firm, Studio@620, and the St. Petersburg Arts Alliance. The next ArtWalk is June 14 from 4 to 9 p.m. For more information about trolley routes, parking areas, list of participants and map, please visit www.stpeteartsalliance.org.



Father's Day ArtWalk Brings Unique Flair and Artful Collaboration

Celebrate Father's Day by seeing what the arts districts of St. Petersburg have to offer. New this month, the St. Petersburg Opera Company gallery will be showcasing works by Creative Clay students to complement the June production of "West Side Story." Students attended a rehearsal of the play to draw inspiration for their work. In June, students will then see the show and do a second work. Check out these works and more art by independent local artists during the next ArtWalk on June 14. For more information about trolley routes and parking click [here](#).

The Second Saturday ArtWalk is a collaboration of the Warehouse Arts District, Arts Association of

St. Petersburg, the Edge District, the Central Arts District, the Grand Central District, and the St. Petersburg Arts Alliance.



Calls to Artists

CALL TO ARTISTS - Art Poster for our next MUSE

After a successful 1st annual MUSE@MFA benefit for the St. Petersburg Arts Alliance, we are looking for the next big MUSE design!

For More Information

"Feathers and Fins" Art Show to benefit Tampa Bay Watch

Berk Fine Art Collective is accepting submissions for the Sea life themed art show benefiting Tampa Bay Watch. The opening reception will be held during the June ArtWalk and will be displayed through the next weekend (Sat. June 14th through Sat. June 21st). Artists - submit your sea-life, or coastal bird themed paintings or other 2D artwork to our "Feathers and Fins" art show, and do something good for your community!

Drop off dates: June 5th and 6th – 10 am to 5 pm

Studio@620 Members Only Art Show

The Studio@620 is now accepting submissions for the 2014 Members Only Art Show from Aug. 1-9, 2014. Current members of The Studio@620 only may apply to exhibit up to 2 pieces of art in this group show. The first piece is included free with paid membership. The second piece may be submitted for an additional \$10. Deadline: June 30, 2014

Operation Art Veterans Gallery

Operation Art is searching for veterans from all branches and times that are artists who like to sell and show their art. Honoring veterans' service to the nation, Operation Art aims to become a center for art featuring art by veterans. If interested, contact: Scott Macksam at

OPERATIONART@HOTMAIL.COM or call 813-504-3092.

Sculpture Walk Jax

Spark Grant project from the Cultural Council of Greater Jacksonville is inviting artists to submit work for a temporary, juried exhibition of 10 large-scale sculptures for Main Street Park in Jacksonville, FL. These outdoor sculptures will become a point of interest in the **Spark District**, a Cultural Council initiative to spur economic development in downtown Jacksonville through accessible arts and culture experiences.

Click here to view the call to artists

Entry deadline is June 30, 2104

For more Calls to Artists visit our website **here**.



Grants

City of St. Petersburg Arts and Culture Grants

The city of St. Petersburg is offering grants to eligible nonprofit arts and cultural organizations for next budget year. City Council will allocate approximately \$175,000 to eligible arts and cultural organizations to assist them in underwriting their operating expenses. Applications and guidelines to receive funds are available online.

http://www.stpete.org/grants/internal_grants_program.asp

Deadline 6/13/14

Open Society Foundations Invites Applications for Social Justice Photography Projects

Grants of up to \$30,000 will be awarded for photography projects that address a pressing social justice or human rights problem and provide concrete ways for photographers, organizations, and their target audiences to create a positive social impact.

Deadline: 7/8/2014

Stage Directors and Choreographers Foundation Accepting Applications for 2014-15 Observers Program

Twenty-five emerging directors and choreographers will receive a stipend (plus travel expenses) to observe the work of master directors and choreographers as they create productions on Broadway, Off-Broadway, and at leading regional theaters across the country.

Deadline: 7/31/2014

William H. Johnson Foundation for the Arts Invites Applications From African-American Artists

The \$25,000 prize is awarded annually to an early-career African-American artist working in the areas of painting, photography, sculpture, printmaking, installation, and/or a new genre....

Deadline: 9/15/2014

For more Grant Opportunities visit our [website](#) .



Volunteer Opportunities

Florida Holocaust Museum

Volunteers are part of the foundation of this museum. Volunteers are needed in administrative areas, as workers in the gift shop and admissions, as gallery guardians, assistants in security, and a friendly presence as event greeters We want to hear from you... what your interests are, your schedule, and how you feel about being a part of this very special place.

Contact Volunteer Coordinator & Museum Administrator, Donna Fletcher at 727- 820-0100 ex. 245

Morean Arts Center

To learn about the current volunteer needs at the Morean Arts Center and Glass Studio & Hot Shop,

email Cory.Adler@MoreanArtsCenter.org, or call 727.822.7872 x2123.

<http://www.moreanartscenter.org/news.php?id=2652>

Florida Craftsmen

Volunteers opportunities are available for individuals to work in the gift shop on a weekly basis, help sporadically with mailers, or be a part of the volunteer crew for CraftArt in November.

<http://floridacraftsmen.net/volunteer/>

Click [here](#) for additional volunteer opportunities on our website.



Jobs and Internships

Employment Opportunity at The Studio@620

The Studio@620 is looking for a Business and Development Manager. Focus areas will be general business management, membership & development, and accounting & bookkeeping.

For More Information

Graphics/Fine Art Internship – Fall 2014

Tampa's Lowry Park Zoo

The Lowry Park Zoo is looking for a Fall 2014 intern to assist with hands on design work within the Graphics Department. Candidates should be a junior or senior in college.

Deadline: July 4, 2014 at 5 p.m.

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The St. Petersburg Arts Alliance strives to be the community voice for the arts -- empowering artists, arts organizations and creative businesses to work collaboratively. We advocate for the arts, facilitate the growth of the arts community, and drive arts-related economic development in St. Petersburg.

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