

## Community Services

### Website

The Council's website includes a calendar of the artistic and cultural events in Geauga County; a roster of local performers and artists; and Reprints of art related articles from our publications

### Quarterly Calendar of Events

The GCAC calendar provides a quarterly free listings of area arts and cultural events as well as articles on artists and performances.



## Education Initiative

One of the main goals of the Council is to promote a range of educational arts and culture programming

### Current Programs

**Music with Class:** a yearly series of musical performances brought into school classes through joint support of the council and the schools.

**Ovation:** an annual celebration of the work and talent that goes into high school musicals. The event offers academy style awards for all parts of the play.



## Join The Council

Please make your check out to :  
**Geauga Council for Arts and Culture.**  
P.O. Box 104  
Chardon, OH 44024

For more information call 440-537-3344  
or email [President@geaugaartscouncil.org](mailto:President@geaugaartscouncil.org)

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City: \_\_\_\_\_

State & Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### Individual Membership Levels:

- Individual (\$25)
- Family (\$35)
- Student (under 18) (\$10)
- Senior citizen (\$20)
- Lifetime Member (\$1000)

### Corporate Membership Levels:

- Supporter (\$100 - \$249)
- Sponsor (\$250 - \$499)
- Patron (\$500 & up)

Other Donation \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Please contact me about volunteering**

# The Geauga Council For Arts & Culture



*A nonprofit organization dedicated to  
the enrichment  
of our community  
through  
the promotion of, education, access,  
and participation  
in the arts.*

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## *Beliefs*

- ◆ People of all ages should have access to arts and cultural activities.
- ◆ Arts education and lifelong learning is important.
- ◆ Participation in the arts and cultural awareness connects people, enriches lives, and strengthens the vitality of the community.

## *Membership Benefits*

- ◆ Free advertising of artistic and/or cultural events in the quarterly calendar as well as on the website.
- ◆ Listing on the website with a description of their work and photos and links to the member's site
- ◆ Discounted website creation and internet sites to artist members
- ◆ Special member-only celebrations of the arts
- ◆ Discounts to special events
- ◆ Free calendar and event mailings

## *Community Art Experiences*

The GCAC is committed to both providing and supporting programs that promote art and artists.

### *Grant Program:*

The council supplies monetary support for lectures or performances on or about art and culture. Examples of such support include a lecture for artists on methods of reproducing their art; a lecture on the comparison of digital imagery and photography, and a program providing discounted professional slides for artists.

### *Event Programs:*

The GCAC is always looking for more venues to celebrate the vast amount of talent in the Western Reserve Area. Two standing programs are:

**Art in the Garden:** a series of special spring and summer events involving music and artistic demonstrations done in conjunction with area garden centers.

**The Orange Moon Trail:** GCAC's Halloween fundraiser includes traveling from one cultural or artistic venue to the next with live performances by local talent along the way.



## *Community Partnership*

The GCAC is comprised of representatives from the major art and cultural non-profit organizations in the area. The board of trustees has members from the arts, business, academia, and politics, as well as standing representation from Kent State, Geauga Library System, Fairmount Center for the Creative and Performing Arts, Geauga Tourism Council, Geauga Historical Society, and the Geauga Lyrical Theater Guild, and Geauga Park District.

### *Current Program:*

**Infinittree** – a 3 year program illustrating the infinite value of a single tree in environmental, historical, and artistic terms. Involved in the program are the Geauga County Bicentennial Committee, the Geauga Park District, The Geauga Historical Society, The Western Reserve Historical Society, A Garden's Way Art Center, Fairmount Center for the Creative and Performing Arts, and many individual artists and businesses.

