

Chaska Community Center Gallery

The Chaska Community Center Gallery was built in 1996 along with the CCC Theater as an addition on to the Chaska Community Center.

The rotating exhibits bring warmth to the center and is enjoyed by many.

The Gallery is open

Monday thru Saturday

5:30 a.m.– 9:00 p.m.

And Sunday

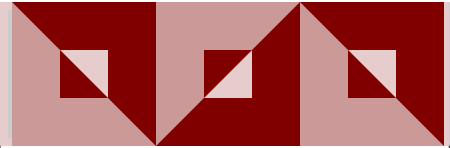
9:00 a.m.– 9:00 p.m.



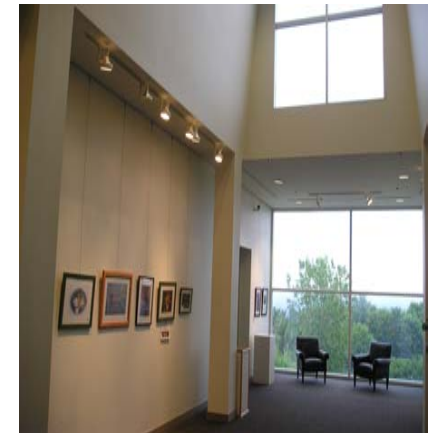
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Now Showing...

Associated Watercolorists

November 23rd—January 3rd

Over ten years ago, a group came together to form the Associated Watercolorists. They all share a love of the medium and its fluid characteristics. The paintings showing at the CCC are original art, not prints, and done on acid free paper, framed and ready to be hung in your home or place of business. Although all work is watercolor, each has their own style and the paintings complement each other. The Associated Watercolorists have years of education and experience and have won many top awards. They are happy to be showing their paintings at the CCC gallery again.

Photography by Linda Pick

January 10—February 20

"I was born and raised in a small farm house in Bowlus, Minnesota. For the past 25 years I have lived in Rice, Minnesota running a day-care business and raising my three children. Being a country gal and living in small rural Central Minnesota has always given me an appreciation for nature's natural beauty, especially sunsets and the Mississippi River. I hope you enjoy my photographs as much as I enjoyed taking them."- Linda Pick

Artwork by Laurie Lonsdorf

March 1- March 27

Reception March 6, 4:30- 6:30 p.m..

Laurie Lonsdorf is originally from Wisconsin where she earned a degree in Fine Arts. She currently resides in the city of Carver and enjoys a career in graphic arts. Her original art pieces are a variety of media including pencil, pen & ink, and stained glass. Growing up on a farm with a large family has influenced Laurie's artistic style which is reflected in her love of nature themes and her use of earthy colors. Meet the artist at a reception in the gallery Saturday, March 6, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

New Public Art

At the Chaska Community Center

The Arts Committee is selling small replicas of the sculpture to the general public as limited edition pieces to generate additional funds to construct the artwork at life size that will be placed in front of the Community Center in the Spring of 2004. Only 100 sculptures will be made. Each has a letter of authenticity signed by the artist, David Kocka. The sculptures are being sold for \$250. All of the money will go back to the arts to fund the large sculpture. Please call Aimee Giguere, Arts and Special Events coordinator for the City of Chaska at (952) 448-3176 Ext. 7742 for more details.



Artists Wanted

The Chaska Community Center is looking for artists to exhibit for the year 2004. If you have an interest, please fill out the attached request form. The gallery is open to the public and is a family gathering space with many visitors daily.

Shows generally run 4 to 6 weeks. A show coordinator must be named to be responsible for the set-up, take-down and maintenance of the show. Artists/coordinators need to stop in periodically and check that the show is still hanging as it should be. All pieces for the show must be framed and labeled with artist's title and media. All pieces must hang for the entire time of show. If any pieces are removed for repair you must inform the Chaska Community Center Staff before pieces are removed.

Artists must provide their own insurance. A City of Chaska waiver form must be signed and returned from each individual artist. A listing of all pieces and their value is needed before the show is hung. A written list of artist, medium, and cost of the show is recommended for the public during the show. Artists are more than welcome to schedule an open house with us at no charge.

The City will provide ladders, wire, wire cutter, and blue tape (the only adhesive allowed on the walls). Please return the attached form when you are interested in exhibiting. If you have any questions please call Aimee at (952) 448-3176 ext. 7742

----- Artist's Name -----

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Training/ Affiliations _____

Artist's Medium: _____ Sculpture _____ Pastel _____ Pencil _____ Oil _____
 _____ Water Color _____ Acrylics _____ Photography _____ Pen & Ink _____
 _____ Collage _____ Other Explain _____

*You may include picture of your work if you wish.

Number of pieces available for display _____

What month do you prefer to display your artwork? (prioritize your first 3 choices—1 being first, 3 being last)

_____ Jan. _____ Feb. _____ Mar. _____ April _____ May _____ June _____ July _____ Aug. _____ Sept. _____ Oct. _____ Nov. _____ Dec.

Would you be willing to hang with another artist? _____ Do you plan on having an open house? _____

Have you exhibited at the Chaska Community Center Gallery before? _____