



Las Campanas Community Funds

ARTS PROGRAM FAQs

What is the purpose of the LCCF Arts Program?

The purpose is three-fold: to bring people together to strengthen our sense of community, to support the Las Campanas Community Funds (LCCF) Community Grants Program, and to engage with artists living and working among us.

What is Community Grants?

Community Grants is a program within LCCF and is a major initiative for community engagement and support. Monies raised go directly to nonprofits in our Santa Fe Community supporting education, health, and human services. Since inception, LCCF has awarded over \$2M in grants to our local community, with \$1.1M of that in the past two years. As a donor-advised fund of the Santa Fe Community Foundation, all financial donations are tax deductible. To read more about LCCF, visit our website, lascampanascommunityfunds.org

What events are organized under the LCCF Arts Program?

- The **Art Sale** has been a community favorite for the The Club at Las Campanas for over 15 years. Artists donate their work and 100% of sales supports Community Grants. It is typically held in June.
- The **Studio Artists Tour** began in 2022 as an experiment and being successful, will continue in 2023. Studio Artists open their studios for two days to ticket holders. One third of art sales and all ticket sales supports Community Grants. This event is held over Labor Day weekend.

In 2023, the Art Sale and Studio Tour have been expanded to include artists and residents of the Las Campanas Master Association (LCMA) in addition to members of The Club.

Who runs these events?

The Arts Program events are run by a small group of LCCF volunteers led by the LCCF Arts Committee Chair. They are responsible for collecting art donations, encouraging artists' participation, organizing and promoting both events.

Why is LCMA now included in the LCCF Arts Program?

To be more inclusive of the entire community of Las Campanas and strengthen ties across the community, LCCF and LCMA are excited to work together to bring together residents and Club members to participate in and attend both events.



When is the 2023 Art Sale?

Saturday, June 24, 2023 • 3:00pm-7:00pm • Clubhouse

Who may donate art?

Artists and members of The Club and LCMA are invited to donate art.

The Art Sale is an early marketing opportunity for artists planning to participate in the Studio Artists Tour. Donated work from these artists will be identified and highlighted. Studio Artists are welcome to be on hand at the Sale to share more about their work and their creative process.

What are the Artists' responsibilities?

- Submit entries through the LCCF website (Deadline is one week prior to the Sale)
- Prepare art for installation; i.e., ready to be hung or displayed
- Bring pieces to the Clubhouse on the morning of the Art Sale
- Pick up any unsold art

What type of art is donated?

All forms of art are welcome and accepted: Canvas Art, Ceramics, Glassware, Jewelry, Photography, Sculpture, Woodcraft, and even "Second-hand Goghs" (pre-owned art).

What happens to donated art that is not sold at the sale?

All unsold donated art is returned to the donor.

Who may attend the event?

Members of The Club and LCMA are invited to attend.

What is the cost to attend the event?

There is no cost to attend.

What happens to Art Sale proceeds?

100% of proceeds go to LCCF Community Grants.

What does the Art Sale Committee do?

Marketing and communications to promote the Art Sale, managing the Art Sale database, on-site support to set up the art gallery, processing art sales, remitting all proceeds to LCCF Community Grants, and providing support to Artists from planning to post-event.



When is the 2023 Studio Artists Tour?

Labor Day Weekend, Saturday & Sunday, September 2 & 3 • 10:00-4:00.

Who may participate as a Studio Artist?

Any artist who is a member of The Club and/or LCMA is welcome and eligible to participate as a Studio Tour destination. A completed Questionnaire must be submitted by all new artists. Artists previously on the Tour do not need to complete the Questionnaire.

What are the Artists' responsibilities?

- Provide a clean studio space (shared studios are welcome) during tour hours
- Display art in a welcoming environment (consider showing works in process)
- Provide light snacks for attendees
- Ensure each attendee has a ticket and post a sign-in sheet for them
- After the Tour, remit one third of sales to LCCF

What does it cost to attend?

\$20 per person. Tickets will go on sale August 1 and will be available at the Clubhouse. Tickets will also be available on-site at the artists' studios.

May guests be invited?

Yes, tickets may be purchased for guests.

How will people find the Studios?

A Tour Map will be provided with ticket purchase and studio signs will be posted at each driveway entrance.

What happens to Studio Artists Tour proceeds?

The artists will donate at least 33% of their sales to the LCCF Community Grants program. In the inaugural year, many artists chose to give a higher percentage. As soon as possible after the Tour, Artists should write a check to LCCF and drop it off at the Clubhouse. This donation is fully tax deductible.

What does the Studio Artists Tour Committee do?

Marketing and communications to promote the Tour, designing and printing tickets and tour maps, distribution of tour fliers, placement of driveway signage, remitting proceeds from ticket sales to LCCF Community Grants, and providing support to Artists from planning to post-event.

**INTERESTED in participating?
QUESTIONS?**

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“Every child is an artist. The problem is how to remain an artist once we grow up.” - Pablo Picasso