



Gadsden Arts Center Mission

The Gadsden Arts Center improves quality of life through art.

The Gadsden Arts Center's mission is to foster understanding and appreciation of the visual arts to improve the quality of life in Gadsden County and the region. The organization works to enhance arts education, provide cultural opportunities, and stimulate economic growth in the community. *(Updated May 28, 2009)*

Gadsden Arts Center Vision

A thriving arts center, offering a broad range of interpretive and studio art programs centered upon an exhibition calendar of top regional to major national and historically important art exhibitions. A community center enjoyed by a steady stream of daily visitors and participants, where a growing number of volunteers, philanthropists, and businesses find ample opportunities to invest in improving the quality of life and economic prosperity of our community.



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February 10, 2016

Dear Gadsden Arts Center Members,

2015 was a busy year! Gadsden Arts (GAC) continued to bring national scope, historically important art exhibitions to our region while also presenting regional and local artists' work in five galleries at GAC, the FSU College of Medicine, and the County Commission. GAC continued to offer a broad range of education programs on-site and at partners' locations throughout Gadsden County, and hosted or partnered in a number of great community events.

Larger initiatives this year included continued work to achieve national accreditation by the American Alliance of Museums (AAM). AAM Accreditation is the highest honor for an art museum in the United States. GAC would be the 27th accredited art museum in Florida, and one of only 3% of museums nationwide recognized for meeting the highest standards and best practices for museum programs and operations.

In Florida, Gadsden Arts was ranked #1 of Visual Arts organizations applying for General Program Support for the sixth consecutive year, and listed #1 to be awarded a State of Florida Endowment Matching Share, which will increase annual funding for facility care and program support in perpetuity.

Another major initiative in 2015 was the evaluation of the Gadsden Arts Center's facilities in terms of current programs and future needs. This led to the development of a powerful plan for renovation and expansion, the Community Connections Project, which will increase GAC's effectiveness in all areas of programming. The project will also put our Fletcher Building to work for the benefit of families in the larger community and implement new strategies to reach more families. Details are coming to GAC members soon!

On a statewide level, senior staff members at Gadsden Arts continue to serve in arts leadership roles through the Florida Association of Museums and Florida Art Museum Director's Association Boards of Directors and Division of Cultural Affairs. Also, our Education Director was invited by VSA Florida to attend the national LEAD conference on accessibility and the arts with the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C.

As in previous years, Gadsden Arts Center finances remain strong. We raised and earned 98% of our income goal while keeping expenses under budget, realizing a net cash balance for the fifth consecutive year. These funds are used to build GAC's unrestricted operating reserve fund to sustain community programs and staff positions during the next economic downturn.

The following report offers a concise look at the exhibitions, programs and events offered by GAC in 2015. The quality work done at Gadsden Arts, by a small staff, a large team of volunteers, and donors, rivals the quality found in much larger museums. It is made possible by the enthusiasm and dedication of everyone.

I thank all of you and look forward to another exciting year in 2016!

Grace Robinson
Executive Director

EXHIBITIONS (listed by gallery)

Sara May Love Gallery

Tim Myrick: A Southern State of Mind
North Florida Woodturners
American Society of Marine Artists
Suzanna Winton: Life in the South
Kay Cromartie: Life Masks
27th Art in Gadsden: Regional Exhibition of Fine Art

Zoe Golloway Exhibit Hall

Sheila Robertson: Before All This
Arthur Dillard: Days of our Lives
donalee pond-Koenig: Florida Flats
27th Art in Gadsden: Regional Exhibition of Fine Art

Bates Community Room Gallery

GAC Artists Guild Exhibitions (6)

Bates Children's Gallery

East Gadsden High School: Puzzle Project
Decorative Artists Group of Chattahoochee
West Gadsden High School
Young Marine Artists Competition
LA Quincy Prints
Robert F. Munroe Day School
East Gadsden High School
Project Jamieson: Captured Dinosaur by April Williams
Art in Gadsden Poster Competition
2015 Out of Pocket: a small art invitational

Bates Permanent Collection Gallery

Selections from the Permanent Collection: *Piano Playing Cow I Give Better Buttermilk* by Ruby C. Williams, *Four Flowers* by Joe Light, *Baby Shoe* by Joe Light, *Golden Eagle* by Mose Tolliver, *Untitled painting* by Mose Tolliver, *Untitled painting* by Lonnie Holley, *Untitled painting* by Edward Mumma, *Nightwatcher* by Mark Messersmith, *Angel* by O.L. Samuels, *Firefly* by O.L. Samuels, *Godzilla* by O.L. Samuels, *Untitled assemblage* by Arthur Dial, 2 *untitled paintings* by Jimmy Lee Sudduth, *Traps* by Ronald Lockett

Lobby

Dowel Bowl by Mark Lindquist
Ichibaku Sculptures by Mark Lindquist



EXHIBITIONS (continued)

FSU College of Medicine

Purvis Young, paintings

Lee Stoetzel, paintings and sculpture

Gadsden County Commissioners' Office

L.A. Quincy Project Prints

Three exhibitions by GAC Artists Guild members: Virginia Coultas, Sandy DeLopez, Millie Ruffles-Smith

COLLECTION

Accessions to the Permanent Collection

2015.1

Angel by O.L. Samuels

Gift of Rena and John Blades in honor of Lou and Calynne Hill

2015.2

untitled watercolor by José Fuster

Museum Purchase with contributions from Angie Barry, Mark and Patsy Bates, Lucy and Fred Harris, and Lou and Calynne Hill

2015 Art Trip to Havana, Cuba

September 2015

This sold-out trip brought twenty travelers to experience the art and culture in and around Havana, Cuba. The group explored the many historic forts and squares in the city, visited famous artists' workshops and studios, and toured museums and galleries such as the Taller Experimental de la Grafica, Christopher Columbus Cemetery, and the Bellas Artes Museum of Fine Art.



EDUCATION

Special Projects

- ❖ Master Artists' Gallery Talk (8 artists / 127 participants)
- ❖ LA-Quincy Artists in Residence
- ❖ Art & Garden: Fall Family Festival
- ❖ Porchfest Music Festival and Sketch Crawl with Quincy Main Street
- ❖ William Hugh McKeown Demonstration at Robert F. Munroe
- ❖ ASMA Gallery Talk & Tour
- ❖ Arts Day

Art Camp, Classes & Workshops

- ❖ Summer Art Camp—7 sessions and reception with Legacy SFPA
- ❖ Drawing & Painting Class (weekly)
- ❖ Open Studio (weekly)
- ❖ Eluster Richardson Master Artist Workshop
- ❖ Suzanna Winton Master Artist Workshop
- ❖ Annie Donovan Photography Workshop
- ❖ Family Art Workshops
- ❖ Painting Socials
- ❖ Arty Birthday Parties

Artreach Partnerships (ongoing, after-school and summer)

- ❖ Terrific Tuesday
- ❖ Route 456
- ❖ The Shadetree Project
- ❖ Stewart Street Elementary (CIS Gadsden)
- ❖ George Munroe Elementary School
- ❖ GEMS ESOL Program
- ❖ Boys and Girls Club
- ❖ Crossroad Academy

Opening Reception Gallery Talks

- ❖ Tim Myrick
- ❖ Anne Brodie Hill (American Society of Marine Artists)
- ❖ Suzanna Winton & Kay Cromartie
- ❖ Ben Thompson, Curator, MOCA Jacksonville (27th Art in Gadsden)

Docent-Guided Tour Groups

Allegro, Gadsden Senior Services (2), Robert F. Munroe Day School, East Gadsden High School, Hope Freedom School, Legacy School of Performing Arts, Chattahoochee Decorative Artists Group, Wisdom Adult Day Care, Cherry Laurel (2), Reach I Teach I, Lucretia Battles Student Group, Magnolia House, Making A Difference, Chattahoochee State Hospital, New Birth Christian Center, Literacy Center at William McGill Library, Travel Leaders Group, Delta Kappa Gamma, Chattahoochee Rotary

Bates Children's Gallery Exhibitions (see page 4)

College and Graduate-Level Internships (see page 2)



DEVELOPMENT

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COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS PROJECT

Goal: \$600,000; Current: 76% of goal

Quiet Phase – began 9/1/2015, continues through 2016

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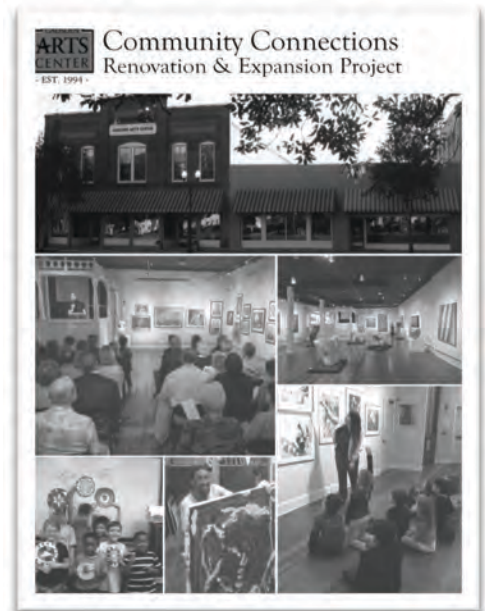
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Pat and Mary Jane Woodward

Mayo Woodward

MEMBERSHIP

- ❖ Average membership: 505
- ❖ Membership income: \$32,750 (15% increase over prior year)
- ❖ Artists Guild: 55-60 members
- ❖ Director's Circle: 30 member families (increase from 24)

AN EVENING WITH THE ARTS GALA (January, 2015)

- ❖ Guests: 224 (sold out)
- ❖ Net raised: \$21,000 (\$5,000 over prior year)

GRANT FUNDING

Grant application success rate: 93%

Florida DCA grant score: highest ranked Visual Arts Organization, 6th consecutive year

Total grant income: \$63,500 (17% increase over prior year)

- ❖ Adrian C. Fletcher and Annie Muriel Fletcher Foundation
- ❖ Archibald Foundation
- ❖ Bates Family Foundation
- ❖ Capital City Bank Group Foundation
- ❖ City of Quincy
- ❖ State of Florida Division of Cultural Affairs
- ❖ Gadsden Tourist Development Council
- ❖ Gadsden County
- ❖ Richard C. Munroe Foundation
- ❖ United Way of the Big Bend
- ❖ Visit Florida

PROFESSIONAL WORK IN THE FIELD

Grace Robinson, Executive Director

- ❖ Association of Fundraising Professionals Board of Directors
- ❖ Florida Art Museum Directors Association Board of Directors
- ❖ Southeastern Museums Conference session presenter: “Museum-University Internships” with Dr. Antonio Cuyler (Department of Art Education, Florida State University)
- ❖ Southeastern Museums Conference panelist: guest of the American Alliance of Museums, “Developing Core Documents and Small Museum Accreditation”
- ❖ Florida Association of Museums Conference session presenter
- ❖ Florida Division of Cultural Affairs Grant Program panelist
- ❖ Florida Division of Cultural Affairs Action Team, State Strategic Plan for Arts & Culture
- ❖ Tallahassee Community College Ralph Hurst Gallery Advisory Board

Angie Barry, Curator

- ❖ Florida Association of Museums Board of Directors
- ❖ Florida Association of Museums Arts Section Chair
- ❖ Florida Association of Museums Conference session presenter

Anissa Ford, Education Coordinator

- ❖ National Leadership on Arts and Disability Conference, Washington, D.C. (VSA Scholarship)
- ❖ Florida Division of Cultural Affairs Grant Program panelist
- ❖ Community in the Schools Gadsden Board of Directors



MARKETING

- ✓ Introduced: Faces of Gadsden Arts Blog
- ✓ GAC Website (www.gadsdenarts.org)
- ✓ Press releases to all regional media (100 outlets within 200 miles)
- ✓ 10 web-based and print community calendars – managed by Carlene Prince
- ✓ GAC Enews (1900 subscribers, +120 from prior year)
- ✓ Event & Exhibition Invitations
- ✓ Exhibition Banners
- ✓ Event and Exhibition E-vites
- ✓ Florida Association of Museums
- ✓ Southeastern Museums Conference
- ✓ Display Advertising: Havana Herald, Tallahassee Magazine



- ✓ WFSU-WFSQ-WFSW radio and television coverage, sponsored by Gadsden TDC
- ✓ Council on Culture and the Arts email blast banners and advertisements
- ✓ GAC Facebook Page
- ✓ GAC Flickr Page
- ✓ GAC YouTube Page

CORPORATE & PRIVATE SPONSORS

Cash sponsor support: \$10,300

In-kind sponsor support: \$9,500

- ❖ Aj's Chicken and Things
- ❖ Allison House Inn
- ❖ Ameriprise Financial / Wes Mullins
- ❖ BB&T Scott & Stringfellow
- ❖ Bell & Bates Home Center
- ❖ Bill Pike and BJ Vickers
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- ❖ FSU College of Medicine
- ❖ Full Earth Farm
- ❖ Gadsden County School Board
- ❖ Gadsden County Times
- ❖ Havana Herald
- ❖ Henry, Buchanan, Hudson, Suber, & Carter, P.A.
- ❖ Hinson Oil Company
- ❖ Joel Sampson, Architect
- ❖ Kellum's Furniture and the Antique Center
- ❖ Legacy School for the Performing Arts Training Institute
- ❖ Lines, Hinson and Lines
- ❖ Massey Drugs
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- ❖ Visit Florida
- ❖ Visit Tallahassee
- ❖ Westminster Oaks

COMMUNITY AND INDUSTRY PARTNERS

The Gadsden Arts Center works with organizational partners from regional economic, education, arts and culture, marketing, and tourism industries, as well as state and Southeastern arts and culture organizations, so that the Center and each partner can better achieve goals and maximize resources.

- ❖ American Alliance of Museums
- ❖ Association of Fundraising Professionals
- ❖ Boys and Girls Club
- ❖ Communities in Schools of Gadsden
- ❖ City of Quincy
- ❖ Council on Culture and the Arts
- ❖ Crossroad Academy
- ❖ First Presbyterian Church of Quincy
- ❖ Florida Art Museum Directors Association
- ❖ FAMU Art Department
- ❖ Florida Association of Local Arts Agencies
- ❖ Florida Association of Museums
- ❖ Florida Art Museum Directors Association
- ❖ FSU College of Medicine
- ❖ FSU College of Fine Arts
- ❖ FSU Museum of Fine Art
- ❖ Gadsden County Chamber of Commerce
- ❖ Gadsden County Commission
- ❖ Gadsden County Public Schools
- ❖ Gadsden Elementary Magnet ESOL Prog.
- ❖ Gadsden Tourist Development Council
- ❖ George W. Munroe Elementary School
- ❖ Gretna Presbyterian Church (Shadetree)
- ❖ Legacy School Performing Arts Training Inst.
- ❖ Quincy Main Street
- ❖ Quincy Music Theater
- ❖ Southeastern Museums Conference
- ❖ Stewart Street Elementary School
- ❖ Tallahassee Community College
- ❖ Tallahassee Watercolor Society
- ❖ Visit Tallahassee
- ❖ Visit Florida



BUILDING MAINTENANCE AND IMPROVEMENT

2015 Improvements:

- ❖ Repainted all galleries
- ❖ Upgraded second floor galleries to LED lighting
- ❖ Replaced blinds in Bates Community Room with white plantation shutters
- ❖ Repainted all building fronts
- ❖ Replaced awnings
- ❖ Replaced Liebert a/c system and added humidifier in the art receiving and collections storage area

GADSDEN ARTS ENDOWMENT TRUST, INC.

The Gadsden Arts Endowment Trust, established in 2002, and managed by a separate board of directors, provides for facilities, exhibitions and education programs at the Gadsden Arts Center. The principal of this fund is permanently restricted, with a current 2.5% spending policy.

Total Endowments 12/31/2014: \$745,418
Annual Spending Policy: 2.5%

Program / Exhibition Support: \$18,700
Collections Endowment Support: \$3,000

Gadsden Arts Endowment Trust, Inc. Board of Directors

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Gadsden Arts Center Participation Record 2015

Annual 2015	Jan	Feb	Mar	Ap	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Totals
Daily Attendance	296	211	328	307	329	548	566	270	269	532	256	363	4275
Gallery Talks	137	0	0	153	0	0	40	0	0	298	0	0	628
Classes	26	19	23	34	19	19	29	18	13	16	11	9	236
Workshops	0	0	89	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	12	0	111
Summer Art Camp	0	0	0	0	0	490	413	0	0	0	0	0	903
Family Outreach	0	8	7	0	5	0	0	0	63	128	215	123	549
Sch. Progs & Tours	85	44	23	121	35	215	178	0	25	49	45	26	846
Exhibition Openings	190	0	0	290	0	0	290	0	0	423	0	0	1193
Volunteers	84	30	25	28	39	54	59	23	32	40	21	52	487
Rentals	244	244	266	238	206	0	0	180	45	106	29	105	1663
Meetings	53	52	26	41	54	31	0	29	137	89	64	29	605
Events	239	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	0	462	0	49	800
Exhibiting Artists	38	38	38	49	49	49	17	17	17	142	142	142	738
Children's Gallery Artists	20	20	20	41	41	87	158	68	68	160	160	160	1003
Memberships	503	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	503
Off-site exhibits FSU BOCC	425	425	425	425	300	250	250	250	425	425	425	350	4375
Total Participation	2340	1091	1270	1727	1127	1743	2000	855	1104	2870	1380	1408	18915

Volunteer Hours	336	143	128	164	149	230	255	54	79	106	47	2116	\$77,092
	current value \$20.25/hr												source: Independent Sector

in county 7566
out of county 11349
18915

GADSDEN ARTS, INC. OPERATING PROFIT/LOSS 2015

Income		Expense	
Admissions	1,006	Advertising	9,270
Art Sales Commissions	6,246	Awards	3,447
Contributions	126,958	Bank Service Charges	2,992
Fees	2,825	Contract Labor & Conservation	46,696
Event Tickets	16,836	Dues	2,042
Grants	67,742	Occupancy	27,410
Interest	21,707	Insurance	13,237
Memberships	32,750	Payroll	173,820
Rental Income	3,619	Permits & Licenses	148
Retail Sales	26,643	Postage & Shipping	2,430
Sales Tax Discounts	46	Printing	5,114
Sponsorships	10,300	Professional Development & Travel	4,336
Tuition	6,180	Professional Fees	2,500
Total Income	322,858	Rental Expense	2,214
		Signage	275
		Software	3,243
		Supplies	9,350
		Total Expenses	308,524
		Operating Balance (Net)	14,009

GADSDEN ARTS, INC. BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Current Assets	
Cash on Hand	309,866
Endowments	745,418
Accounts Receivable	182,738
Other Current Assets	6,586
Total Current Assets	1,244,608
Fixed Assets	
Land	48,429
Building-Operating	101,571
Building Renovation	1,057,412
Buildings	67,699
Art Collection	391,836
Furniture & Equipment	72,496
Accum. Dep. Buildings	(409,624)
Accum. Dep. Equipment	(48,104)
Total Fixed Assets	1,281,715
TOTAL ASSETS	2,526,323

LIABILITIES AND EQUITY

Current Liabilities	
Accounts Payable	2,302
AIG Patrons	2,250
Artists Commissions Payable	8,173
Sales Tax Payable	473
Payroll Liabilities	1,639
Rental Deposits	450
Prepaid Sponsorships	1,250
Prepaid Income	16,100
CCB Visa	5,033
Total Current Liabilities	37,670
Long Term Liabilities	0
Retained Earnings	338,577
Endowment Net Assets	265,794
Temp. Restricted Net Assets	108,155
Unrestricted Net Assets	1,694,684
Net Income	81,443
Total Equity	2,526,323

TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY 2,526,323