

ARTS COUNCIL OF POINTE COUPÉE

A community multi-arts organization www.artscouncilofpointecoupee.org

What is the Arts Council of Pointe Coupée?

The **Arts Council of Pointe Coupée** is a 501c3 non-profit organization which obtains financial support to provide creative activities and opportunities to children and adults in our community through grants, Performing Arts Series season ticket sales, memberships, donations, & fund-raising activities.

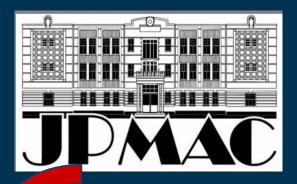
What does the Arts Council of Pointe Coupée do?



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Our History





- In January 2002, a handful of local artists met to plan a sampling of art classes in four-week sessions.
- The organization grew from the Pointe Coupée Historical Society to focus on the arts.
- In October 2009, a group of local artists gathered with members of the Arts
 Council of Pointe Coupée to have a conversation about how the Arts Council
 could better serve the needs of our local artists. From that discussion, a series
 of activities have taken place to involve artists and art appreciators in
 networking, sharing, learning, and exploring.
- In 2011 the board decided to change the name from the Julien Poydras
 Museum and Arts Council to the Arts Council of Pointe Coupée. A new logo was designed however, the mission of our organization remained the same.



Our Programs

- Performing Arts Series
- Learning Life Lessons
- Children's Outreach
- Senior Outreach
- Calling All Artists
- Treasures of Pointe Coupée
- Glenn Morgan Scholarship
- Prof Jewell Teacher Grants





PERFORMING ARTS SERIES

THE PERFORMING ARTS SERIES is a series of programs which feature the performing arts of theater, dance, and vocal and instrumental music held in the auditorium of the Julien Poydras Museum and Arts Center. Member, non-member, and student tickets are available. This series is funded by grants from Union Pacific, the Atchafalaya National Heritage Area and the New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Foundation & Festival, Partner contributions, as well as individual and season Performing Arts Series ticket sales.









LEARNING LIFE LESSONS

LEARNING LIFE LESSONS is a school outreach program offering instruction and experiences in the creative and performing arts to children and youth provided by contracted artists and musicians in community schools. This program is funded by a Gaudet Grant awarded by Episcopal Community Services from the Diocese of New Orleans.





CHILDREN'S OUTREACH

CHILDREN'S OUTREACH is a program to involve children, youth and their parents in creative arts experiences in a variety of community settings. Art on the Go Summer Arts Camps are art camps that are provided for children at various locations throughout the parish, such as the Innis library, St. Ann's Catholic Church and St. Augustine Catholic Church. Visual art stations are set up for the participating children. This program is funded by the Gaudet Grant from Episcopal Community Services.









SENIOR OUTREACH

SENIOR OUTREACH offers enrichment activities to seniors in community settings and facilities. Artists are contracted to provide hands-on activities for the seniors such as pottery, acrylic and watercolor painting, and mixed media projects. This program is funded by a grant from the Louisiana Division of the Arts.



CALLING ALL ARTISTS

CALLING ALL ARTISTS provides scheduled activities to support and stimulate area artists through demonstrations, discussions and other activities. This program is funded by Arts Council funds or registration fees.









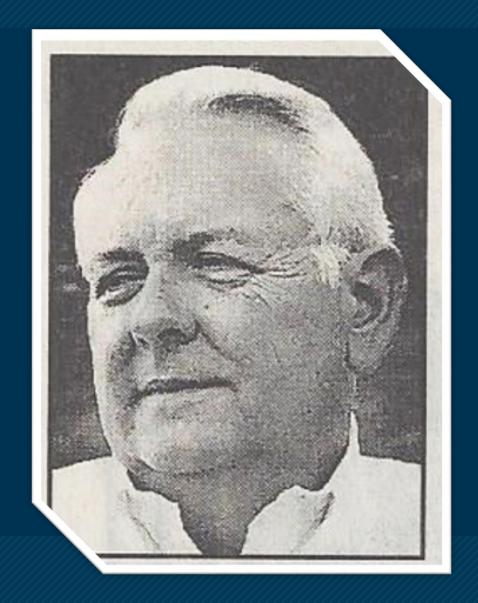
TREASURES OF POINTE COUPÉE



TREASURES OF POINTE COUPEE is an annual exhibit which features the artwork of local and regional artists, an arts market, adult and children's workshops, conversations with selected artists, and a Petite Gallerie exhibit displaying the petite works of area children, youth and adults. Treasures of Pointe Coupee is funded by grants from Union Pacific and the Arts Council of Greater Baton Rouge.



GLENN MORGAN SCHOLARSHIP



THE GLENN MORGAN SCHOLARSHIP is an annual merit-based scholarship awarded to a graduating high school senior from the area who has demonstrated an interest in or shown evidence of excelling in an area of the arts in high school. The Glenn Morgan Scholarship was developed to honor Mr. Glenn Charles Morgan, an architect, artist, lover of history and his Catholic faith. He was a devoted citizen of his native Pointe Coupée and a dear friend to many.



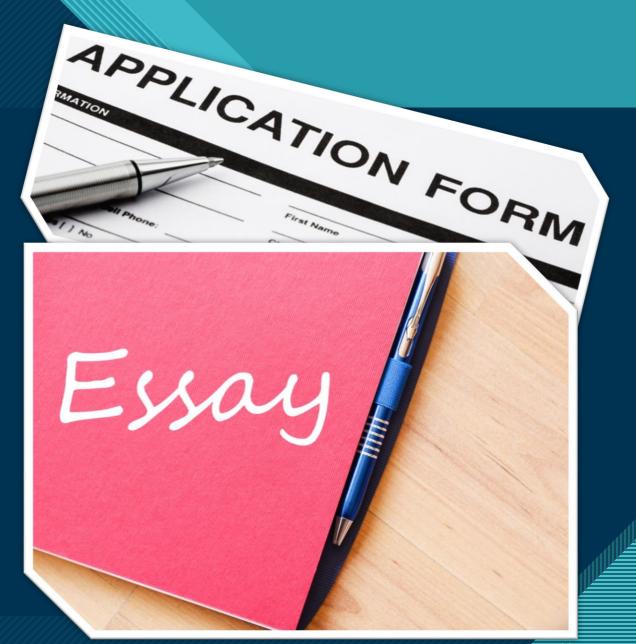
- The Arts Council of Pointe Coupée awards one \$ 500 scholarship to a graduating senior from Pointe Coupée Parish. To be eligible, a student must be a graduating senior at the end of the school year, intend to enroll in a four-year college or university, or in a community, technical, or vocational college, and have an ACT score of 20 or higher.
- In addition, the student must have demonstrated participation in community, school, and/or church activities, have shown participation in extracurricular activities, and demonstrated a commitment to excelling in the arts.



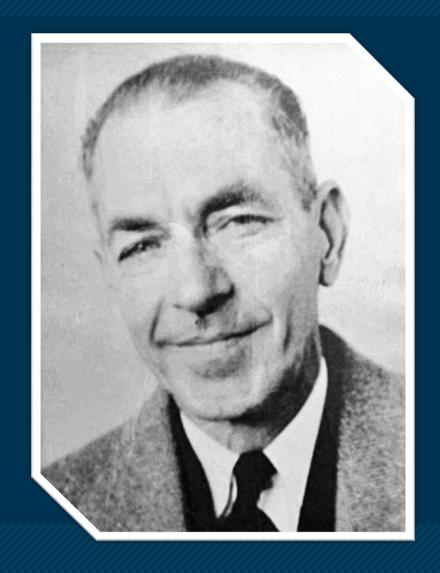


Glenn Morgan Scholarship

- Students seeking to receive this scholarship must complete and submit the application form by a specified deadline. A one-page essay addressing the importance of the arts and how the arts enrich the individual and the community must be submitted with the application.
- Each application submitted for the Glenn Morgan Scholarship is evaluated by an Arts Council of Pointe Coupée review panel which recommends the student to be awarded a scholarship to the Board for final approval.



PROF JEWELL TEACHER GRANTS



PROF JEWELL TEACHER GRANTS provide annual awards to support area teachers in projects which employ the use of art activities to enhance specific objectives in their curriculum area.



Prof Jewell Teacher Grants

- The Prof Jewell Teacher Grant was established in memory of Ellet Benjamin Jewell, a native of Pointe Coupee and a well-known educator in the parish from 1912 until 1945.
- The Arts Council annually awards at least two grants worth \$250 each to regular classroom teachers in Pointe Coupee Parish to purchase materials for a classroom project in any arts related discipline.





Prof Jewell Teacher Grants



- To qualify, teachers must submit a letter identifying the arts related project with a detailed description of the project, goals and objectives, the procedure to be followed, and the anticipated benefits to the students.
- Applicants must also provide a list of materials needed and the cost, the length of the project, the teacher's role as the facilitator, a culminating activity, and their method of evaluation.
- Each application for the Prof Jewell Teacher Grant submitted is evaluated by an Arts Council of Pointe Coupee review panel which recommends the projects to be awarded a grant to the Board for final approval.



Other Grants

- Many activities of the Arts Council of Pointe Coupée are funded in part through grants from private entities.
 - These grants are competitive, require an annual grant application, and usually have a limit on the amount for which an organization may apply.
- Other types of grants may be applied for on an annual basis but require collaborative support of Arts Council programs by local or state governmental entities.

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APPLYING FOR A GRANT





Current Grants























Arts Council of Pointe Coupée Volunteers

The success of each of the Arts Council of Pointe Coupée programs could not be achieved without the generous donations of time, consumables, and in-kind services of our volunteers and supporters.

Volunteers are essential to the implementation of our programs for children, adults, seniors, and the community as a whole, as well as in artist initiatives, and performing arts programs.

Their valuable contributions are vital to the provision of art experiences designed to develop skills, appreciation, and provide enjoyment to our community.



Arts Council of Pointe Coupée Partners

PARTNERS

The support of our generous partners has made it possible for the Arts Council of Pointe Coupée to provide activities including professional instruction, performance, and other experiences designed to develop skills and appreciation and provide enjoyment of the arts in our community.

Our partners are the backbone of the Arts Council's support system. These individuals, families, companies, and corporations significantly impact the quality and quantity of the arts programs that are presented to our community. This support for the work that our organization provides in the community, including student outreach, artist initiatives, and the performing arts, allows us to continue to build on the success of the previous Arts Council of Pointe Coupée events and community programs.

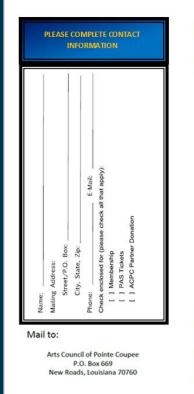




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PÁRTNERS

In the Fall, the Arts Council kicks off its membership/partner campaign. Information about the upcoming year's activities is shared through mailings, social media, and publications. The responses result in new and returning memberships, Performing Arts Series season ticket sales, and partner donations at all levels.





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The Arts Council of Pointe Coupee is seeking community support for the work our organization provides in the community that includes student outreach, artist initiatives, and the performing arts. Your support is greatly appreciated as we continue to build on the success of the previous Arts Council of Pointe Coupee events and community programs. Consider giving at one of the following level.

• Platinum \$5,000 & abov • Gold \$1,000 - 4,999 • Silver \$250 - 999 • Bronze \$50 - 249

All donors will be recognized. By choosing to be an ARI Council of Politic Coupse Partner at the Silver level or above, your name and/or business name will be highlighted and enhibted during ARI Council of Pointe Coupse events to be seen by all visitors. Such events include, but are not limited to the annual Treasures include, but are not limited to the annual Treasure Performing ARI Series. As a registered 501((<3) nonprofit organization, we will provide you with a receipt for your tax-deductible donation.







We put the FUN in Fundraising



ART FOR THE PALATE & other annual Arts Council of Pointe Coupee fundraisers help support creative & performing arts programs in our community.

JOIN US FOR ALL THE FUN!



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Contact the Arts Council of Pointe Coupee, P.O. Box 669, New Roads, Louisiana 70760 * Gale Roy (225) 638-6049 or (225) 718-1574





The arts enrich the life of our community, and YOU can be a part of that effort. Consider *membership*, buying season tickets, volunteering, and becoming a partner for the Arts Council's programs.

