

Dear Friend of the Arts,

For over forty years, Laurel Arts has served as an artistic hub, providing a variety of opportunities for artists, makers, musicians, and performers of all ages. Our organization's mission is to enhance the quality of life in our community by offering an array of arts and educational opportunities and making them accessible to all.

Last year, we introduced our Wednesday evening Makers Markets to the public! These markets feature local artisans who make and sell their own original artwork, farmers and growers who produce their own vegetables, artisan food products, health & beauty products, and so much more.

Our inaugural market season was met with overwhelming support from the community that will hopefully continue to grow. We plan to expand our Makers Market this year by adding even more vendors, live acoustic music and educational demonstrations at each market!

We would love the opportunity to p**ART**ner with your business as a valuable sponsor in our goal to raise funds that will directly support Laurel Arts in this endeavor. A suggested sponsorship of \$100-250 will go a long way in helping us continue to provide these opportunities to our local artisans, makers, growers, and musicians. We truly appreciate the support and will include recognition of your generous contribution in our newsletter, social media platforms, the Laurel Arts website, and sponsor recognition at our Makers Markets.

We welcome any questions that you might have about our upcoming Makers Market season or Laurel Arts in general. Please feel free to contact me directly by email at jmccusker@laurelarts.org or by phone at 814-443-2433.

I thank you for your time and consideration, and look forward to speaking with you soon!

Yours in Creativity and Appreciation,

Jaclyn McCusker

Director of Development, Laurel Arts – Arts for Everyone!