

FAC Membership

FAC Members get free gallery admission every day, discounts on theatre tickets, art classes and more. Members also play an important role in supporting the FAC's world-class art exhibitions, theatre performances and art education programs. So support the arts in Colorado Springs, earn a tax deduction, and be a part of the FAC!

Visit us online or call our Box Office for the latest on membership, upcoming programs and event rentals.

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Cover image: Vance Kirkland, Forces of Energy on a Sun 27 Billion Light Years from Earth (detail), 1980 On view at the Fine Arts Center from Dec. 19, 2009 – March 7, 2010 in the exhibition Vance Kirkland: The Mysteries of Space. Courtesy of the Kirkland Museum of Fine & Decorative Art.





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Mark Fletcher

"Staggeringly gorgeous."

- Colorado Springs Independent

The Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, established in 1936, is home to world-class art galleries, Broadway-worthy live theatre, and an art school for all ages and abilities. Programs for individuals, couples, families and groups make the FAC the top cultural attraction in the Pikes Peak region.

"A museum that takes unusual approaches to exhibitions and embraces artistic diversity consistently and with courage ... one sees **beautiful**, **carefully chosen**, **thought-provoking**

art by artists not seen everywhere." - Review Magazine

Built on the foundation of the prestigious Broadmoor Art Academy, the FAC carries the legacy of Colorado's arts and cultural heritage. The FAC building is considered an architectural landmark in the region, designed by John Gaw Meem, and is listed on the National Register for Historical Places. In 2007, the FAC unveiled a \$28.6 million renovation and expansion.

"As you walk through the three sprawling galleries, **it feels much like the Louvre** - room upon room of palace-ready paintings ... "

– Colorado Springs Gazette

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The FAC Collection features masterworks by such American artists as Richard Diebenkorn, Georgia O'Keeffe, Walt Kuhn, John Singer Sargent, Dale Chihuly, and artists connected to the Broadmoor Art Academy, as well as one of the strongest collections of Hispanic, Latin American and American Indian art in the nation. A variety of traveling and special exhibitions are featured in the second floor galleries.

"No comprehensive story of Colorado art, which for much of the 20th century was centered in Colorado Springs, can be told without including selections from the Arts Center's extensive collection." – *Denver Post*



Nathan Willers

Theatre

The award-winning Fine Arts Center Theatre Company produces an annual season of musicals, comedies and dramas, like *Beauty and the Beast, The Full Monty* and *Sweeney Todd*. Plus, the FAC hosts film festivals, music, dance and more.

"The FAC proves that **nobody**, **but nobody**, **does musicals like they do** musicals to our south. Every show I've attended there in six years has been sold out in its now gorgeously refurbished, 400-seat SaGāJi Theatre. To anyone in Denver who wonders whether it's worth the drive - don't wonder."

– Denver Post



Art School

Bemis School of Art continues a 90-year tradition of arts education on the corner of Dale Street and Cascade Avenue, offering three sessions of classes for adults and kids each year, including a variety of disciplines like jewelry making, ceramics, painting, photography and more.

"Bemis is a gem that any city would love to have. It meant a lot to me when I was growing up."

– Noted artist and Bemis alum Sushe Felix



Take a free guided tour, enjoy Family Adventure Day or visit on Public Free Day – all programs that help make the FAC a place for families. Eat at the acclaimed Café 36 with "the undisputed best restaurant view from its stunning terrace" (*Colorado Springs Independent*) and find unique shopping at LUMA at the FAC.

