

ARTSPACE'S *Spectacular* Benefit 2008

EVENT DETAILS

Artspace

Artspace's mission is to present exceptional art, provide exhibition opportunities for local artists and to strengthen the exchange of ideas between local artists and to strengthen the exchange of ideas between local artists, national artist sand their audiences by producing exhibitions of the highest possible caliber.

Benefit Auction and Gala

Artspace's annual gala benefit auction draws hundreds of artists, collectors, and civic-minded individuals interested in supporting the programs presented by Artspace, providing an unforgettable evening of food, wine, art an excitement. It's certain to be spectacular!

May 3, 2008, 5-8pm

5:00 pm	Private Preview Reception
5:30 pm	Gala Opens
6:45 pm	Silent Auction Closes
7:15 pm	Live Auction

Auctioneer Guy Bennett

Bennet is a senior vice president at Christie's and serves as the head of Impressionist and Modern Art. He is best known for heading the most valuable sale in the history of auctioneering, the November 2006 Impressionist and Modern Art Evening Sale. Well-known for his engaging style, Artspace is fortunate to welcome such a respected auctioneer to the podium for our event.

Live Auction venue

This year's live auction is to take place at the nearby street-front commercial space 868 Chapel, generously provided by C.A. White. The 9000 square foot interior provides the perfect venue for the most exciting portion of this spectacular evening.

Caterer

116 Crown has recently been awarded the prestigious designation of 'Excellent' by the New York Times. Described by that publication a "New Haven's newest, and perhaps hippest, Ninth Square bar and restaurant," the culinary hotspot will provide a selection of their most popular light refreshments, as well as a few of the signature cocktails that have been bringing them considerable acclaim.

Designer

Andrew Rubenoff is a professional designer specializing in the transformation of diverse spaces into ideal backdrops for events of all varieties, ranging from corporate parties to weddings.

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ARTSPACE PROGRAMS

Your sponsorship enables Artspace to continue our quality year-round gallery exhibition program and engage in the following programs targeted at our diverse audiences.

Youth Outreach

Artspace has recently launched a series of new initiatives aimed at fostering an appreciation for art within New Haven public school students. All youth programs are designed for long-term relationship building between artists, educators, and students in the context of artmaking, critical thinking, and contemporary culture. By providing students with mentors and positive creative experiences within the traditional learning space, Artspace endeavors to stimulate life-long interest and involvement in the art world.

The Flatfile

Artspace maintains a Flatfile of works on paper by approximately 125 local, regional, and national artists. Works on paper include collages, drawings, prints, photographs, paintings on paper, and small books. Art from the Flatfiles is drawn upon for group and solo exhibitions. The Flatfile is a resource for collectors, curators, artists, and students. Artists bring new work to their portfolios annually, creating an ever-changing, dynamic body of affordable artwork.

City-Wide Open Studios

Since 1998, Artspace has presented City-Wide Open Studios (CWOS) every year. This fall festival brings together hundreds of area artists with thousands of audience members. Vacant buildings are reinvented as exhibition spaces and temporary studios that aid in our ongoing community development efforts.

Thursdays @ Artspace

Combining art, education, and community, Thursdays @ Artspace encompass a wide variety of activities that span from curator talks to artist's networking events to food and wine tastings from local restaurants. These events appeal to an ever-increasing portion of the public, helping to expand New Haven's burgeoning art scene by growing and diversifying Artspace's audience to include local residents diverse interest areas.

Career Programs for Artists

Artspace has expanded our service to artists to include educational programs designed to enhance and grow, emerging professional artists. Programs range from technical classes in photographing artwork and creating websites to practical workshops on grant writing and marketing. Artspace, also offers portfolio reviews for artists who request feedback on new bodies of work.

Collector's Forum

The Collector's Forum, one of the newest programs available at Artspace, aims to cultivate a community of collectors within the New Haven area. The forum presents a variety of opportunities to engage with the vital New England arts scene promoting greater understanding of the multifaceted undertaking that is art collection.

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Deadline

Please send your confirmation by faxing this form to: 203.772.0850.
If you are providing an advertisement, all digital files need to be received by April 11, 2008.
*If you would like Artspace to design your ad, please let us know by April 4, 2008.
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