



Join the Arts & Cultural Council for Greater Rochester and connect to the region's largest network of artists and cultural leaders.

The Arts & Cultural Council for Greater Rochester is a nonprofit corporation and industry association serving arts, culture, and education in the ten-county greater Rochester region, including Cayuga, Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne, Wyoming and Yates counties. Our membership includes a broad range of artists, businesses, and cultural organizations. We strengthen and promote the creative sector through special initiatives, grant programs, and member services.

Membership in the Arts Council provides access to many resources and benefits, including:

BENEFITS

Legal Assistance

Members can access pro bono legal assistance from area law firms through the Arts Council (available to nonprofit organizations and income-eligible individuals).

Metropolitan

The Arts Council's quarterly magazine, *Metropolitan*, is mailed directly to all members. Member organizations can submit one cultural event, per issue, for inclusion in the magazine's calendar section.

Online Directory

The Arts Council's member directory at ArtsRochester.org is an important resource for the community and a valuable tool for referrals.

General Assistance

Consultation and referral are available for members on a variety of business topics.

Fiscal Sponsorship

Members may apply for fiscal sponsorship of cultural projects through the Arts Council in order to receive charitable donations.

Information Center

Members are invited to display promotional and event-related materials at the Arts Council's gallery and information center.

Online Regional Events Calendar

Members can post an unlimited number of cultural events to the calendar at ArtsRochester.org.

Discounts

Membership includes discounts on special events, mailing lists, facility rentals, workshops, conferences, and advertising.

Health Insurance

Members can access medical insurance plans with a variety of coverage and payment options (available to eligible members in Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Seneca, Wayne, and Yates counties).

Events and Workshops

Members are invited to special events and workshops throughout the year.

The Gallery at the Arts & Cultural Council

Membership provides access to exhibition opportunities at the Arts Council's gallery, located in the heart of Rochester's arts district.

Portable Gallery Walls

Members can access up to 14 portable exhibit walls, perfect for vendor displays and temporary exhibitions.

IMPACT

Membership in the Arts & Cultural Council for Greater Rochester supports a number of our industry-wide initiatives. Your participation helps strengthen our advocacy efforts with local, state and federal officials, along with corporate and foundation funders and policymakers. Your membership also supports planning and research conducted by the Arts Council – useful in communicating the value of the arts to a variety of audiences. Your active involvement is critical to our work on behalf of the cultural community.

promoting creativity and innovation