

Show your support for visual artists in the Dayton region, and receive a full year of the membership benefits listed below.

## Join the Dayton Visual Arts Center online at [www.daytonvisualarts.org](http://www.daytonvisualarts.org).

### DVAC Membership Benefits

#### All members receive the following benefits

- Invitations to all DVAC openings and programs
- Discounts on Auction, Artist Palate and program reservations
- Free mailing of *DVAC*activities, the monthly calendar
- Opportunity to rent DVAC for private events
- Access to password-protected area of DVAC Web site

#### Artist members at any level receive these benefits

- Eligibility for ARTtoBUY, the Auction and juried exhibits
- Free entry in the annual Open Members' Show
- Free exhibition proposal to DVAC's biennial call for entries

#### Collectors (\$100-199) also receive

- An invitation to an exclusive evening shopping party during the ARTtoBUY Holiday Gift Gallery

#### Patrons (\$200-\$499) also receive

- One admission to an Artist Palate party
- 10 percent discount on your first Art Source or gallery purchase (excluding ARTtoBUY)

#### Connoisseurs (\$500-\$999) also receive

- A second admission to an Artist Palate party
- 10 percent discount on each gallery rental fee

#### Aficionados (\$1,000+) also receive

- A private wine and cheese party in the gallery for 20 guests



Richard Koenig

Sponsoring an exhibition or program is a wonderful way to increase your support. A variety of levels, benefits and recognitions are available. For details, contact us at 937.224.3822 or at [dvac@daytonvisualarts.org](mailto:dvac@daytonvisualarts.org).

### The Dayton Visual Arts Center (DVAC)

is a resource for everyone who enjoys art. It's a place where artists and art collectors find each other. Stop in and check out what's being shown in our gallery on North Jefferson Street, between First and Second streets in downtown Dayton. While you're visiting, ask about upcoming Artist Palate parties and what kinds of workshops and get-togethers are coming up.



Bridgette Bogie

DVAC mounts 12 to 18 exhibits each year, showing art that is being made here and now, expressing ideas about our environment and society. A 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization that encourages working artists, DVAC also provides educational programs and activities for anyone who has an interest in the visual arts, whether they create it or not.

Join the Dayton Visual Arts Center to learn more about making and collecting art; to meet artists and art supporters; and to find beautiful, original objects to fill your heart as well as your walls.



**The Annual Art Auction**, held the last Friday in April, is a spirited evening of bidding for fine art donated in support of DVAC's mission. Food, drink and live music add to the exciting atmosphere.



**Artist Palate** parties are held in artists' studios and collectors' homes. These gatherings of eclectic people highlight the ways people incorporate art into their living and working spaces.



**ARTtoBUY** brings together original art and fine craft from member artists. Occupying a portion of the gallery, ARTtoBUY is a great place to find unique gifts during the winter holiday season.



**Art Source** gives you access to every kind of original art you can imagine by hundreds of Dayton-area artists. Whether you are outfitting a building or finishing a room, we can help you find, frame and install the perfect pieces.

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DAYTON VISUAL ARTS CENTER  
**DVAC**

2008-2009  
Season of  
Exhibitions,  
Programs  
and Events



Christopher Ryan

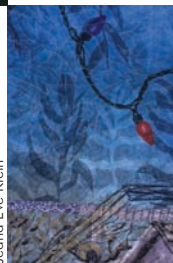
**Ohio Arts Council**  
A STATE AGENCY  
THAT SUPPORTS PUBLIC  
PROGRAMS IN THE ARTS

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Lori Larusso



Jeana Eve Klein



## 2008-2009 Exhibition Schedule

*17<sup>th</sup> Annual Open Members' Show*  
July 18-August 21, 2008

*Lori Larusso: Paintings*  
*Kathleen Thum: Wall Drawings*  
September 12-October 16, 2008

*Christopher Ryan: Paintings*  
November 7-December 18, 2008

*ARTtoBUY Holiday Gift Gallery*  
November 7-December 27, 2008

*Juried Members' Show: Mosaic/Chimera*  
December 5, 2008-January 2, 2009

*In the Garden*  
Photographic Images by Ohio Artists  
January 8-February 19, 2009

*The Cline Show*  
In partnership with the Dayton Society of Painters & Sculptors, held at the Dayton Convention Center  
February 6-March 27, 2009

*Jeana Eve Klein: Art Quilts*  
2009 REACH Across Dayton Exhibition  
February 26-March 26, 2009

*Bridgette Bogle: Painting Installation*  
February 26-March 26, 2009

*16<sup>th</sup> Art Auction Preview*  
April 3-22, 2009

*Almost Reality: Anderson/Koenig/Mann*  
Altered photography/Photographic Installations  
May 14-June 11, 2009

Opening receptions are held on the first evening of the exhibition, from 5 to 8 p.m. Please call the office or check the Web site to confirm the date and times.

## 2008-2009 Program Schedule

*Short Shows*  
*New Work/Ideas in Progress*  
August 25-September 5, 2008  
October 20-November 1, 2008  
December 20, 2008-January 2, 2009  
April 27-May 7, 2009  
June 15-27, 2009  
In DVAC's storefront window with the artist onsite

*Free Gallery Talks*  
*Lori Larusso/Kathleen Thum:* October 16, 2008  
*Christopher Ryan:* December 18, 2008  
*In the Garden artists:* January 8, 2009  
*Jeana Eve Klein:* February 26, 2009  
*Bridgette Bogle:* March 6, 2009  
*Almost Reality artists:* May 14, 2009  
Gallery Talks begin at 6:15 p.m.; call for details

*First Fridays*  
DVAC joins the monthly downtown art hops, starting in August; 5-9 p.m. on the First Friday of the month through June 2009

*REACH Across Dayton*  
16 years of celebrating the synergies between Dayton's ethnic and cultural communities, in partnership with Sinclair Community College and EbonNia Gallery  
Studies Conference: Friday, February 27, 2009

*6<sup>th</sup> Fresh Art*  
A Day of Public Painting with free public tours  
Possum Creek MetroPark  
June 20, 2009 (exhibition follows)

## 2008-2009 Event Schedule

*New Members' Open House*  
August 21, 2008

*AleArt at AleFest*  
August 23, 2008

*Urban Nights*  
September 12, 2008 and May 15, 2009

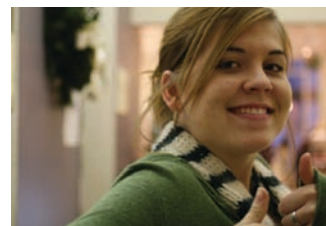
*16<sup>th</sup> Annual Art Auction*  
April 24, 2009


*Artist Palate Parties*  
Watch for dates and details in DVACactivities

Check the Web site throughout the year for additional workshops, programs and events.

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Hours  
Monday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-6 p.m.  
and until 9 p.m. Thursdays; closed Sundays  
The NCR Gallery at DVAC is fully accessible. 

## More about DVAC

17 years old on June 1, 2008

Located in the Biltmore on Main Street until 1993; on West Fourth Street 1994-2005; moved to Jefferson Street January, 2006

An active, diverse membership of more than 850

About 550 of the 850 are artists; others are art collectors, arts administrators, educators, community advocates – those who know how art adds color to our lives, tells our stories and brings us together

What you will see in the gallery

Solo, two-person and group exhibitions proposed by artists and curators, reviewed biennially by a jury of art professionals from outside the Dayton area; themed exhibits, invitationals and "short shows" (brief exhibitions chosen by members of the exhibition & programming committee) that bring our members' work to light; and handmade objects perfect for giving in the ARTtoBUY Holiday Gift Gallery

Other things you will find at DVAC

Art talks and tours for school and community groups; gallery talks with exhibiting artists; adult and family art-making programs; art-related activities at public events; visual art displays in off-site locations; a resource for finding visual art teachers; professional development programs for visual artists; a stop during downtown art hops; and a starting place for outings to regional visual art destinations

art for the community and a community for artists

Staff

Jane A. Black, Executive Director  
Patrick Mauk, Gallery Manager  
Janelle Young, Office Manager

Directions and Parking

From northbound I-75, exit at Third Street, proceed east to Jefferson (6th light); turn left; 1 1/2 blocks north on the right.

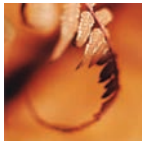
From southbound I-75, exit at First Street, proceed east to St. Clair (7th traffic light), turn right; one block south to Second; turn right; one block west to Jefferson; turn right; 1/2 block north on the right.

From Route 35, exit at Main/Jefferson Street; proceed north on Jefferson through 5 traffic lights; 1/2 block north on the right.

Parking is plentiful; use nearby lots and garages or meters. If you don't find a spot on Jefferson, turn right on First Street, and check St. Clair and Second streets.



Paula Willmot Kraus



Benjamin Momiague

