

WHAT WE DO...

The Multnomah Arts Center Association is a non-profit group supporting MAC since 1983. We enhance the center by raising money to assure programs and instruction are of high quality, are affordable and accessible. To reach these goals MACA provides scholarships, obtains equipment, and facilitates program improvements that enhance quality of sequential class programming for long-term learning.

The all-volunteer board passionately believes that art education is an essential investment in our future and reflects the multidimensional aspects of our culture. All board members are also donors to MACA.



**HELP US BUILD A
PROGRAM WHERE
ANYONE CAN LEARN
THE ARTS**

PLEASE JOIN TOM IN SUPPORTING ARTS EDUCATION

After considerable research for a suitable program to receive his entire metal arts studio, retired educator and artist Tom Temple learned of the Multnomah Arts Center. After an unannounced visit from Bend, he was impressed with what we were doing, and given the right tools, with our potential impact on the regions metal arts community.

As Tom put it, “Five years ago I started having vision problems. I started looking for a school where my tools and equipment would enhance their metal working program. MAC impressed us as having an environment that was welcoming, encouraging, and where students would feel safe to take risks and explore their unique designs. Excellent instruction was demonstrated by the quality and fine craftsmanship in the many types of student work on display.” His confidence in our program spurred a number of improvements.

Kristin Mitsu Shiga, MAC’s metal arts coordinator reports, “The student feedback about these changes has been overwhelmingly



positive, and there is new enthusiasm about MAC’s metal studio in the greater Portland community.”

Improvements to the Metal Arts Studio include five dedicated soldering stations, four dedicated kilns for enameling, lost-wax burnout, metal clay, and glass fusing, a new ventilation system for the soldering stations and kilns, three permanent flex-shaft stations, increased working and storage space, and a greatly enhanced collection of tools.

Thank you, Tom, for making it easier for more students to tap their creativity!

*Support the vibrancy and health of the
Multnomah Arts Center by making a donation today.*

MULTNOMAH ARTS CENTER
employees and volunteers are constantly
working hard to bring great arts education
to the community. Here are some statistics
that demonstrate our impact in 2010:

Commitment by MACA
to facility improvements **\$23,000**

Number of individuals served
through community outreach **5,250**

Total visits to MAC..... **205,000**

Individuals enrolled in class **6,400**

Volunteer hours **OVER 3,000**

Total scholarships awarded
by MAC to students **\$26,525**

MACA supports quality
arts education, scholarships
and outreach program at MAC
to improve the quality of life
in our community.

**JOIN OUR
GROWING
FAMILY OF
SUPPORTERS**

The Multnomah Arts Center Association
(MACA) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.

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Multnomah Arts Center mail your donation to:

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