



**Mission statement:**

Arts in the Park is a family-friendly, interactive local arts festival that celebrates art in all its forms. It is designed to be a welcoming and accessible community event that encourages cultural exchange, artistic expression, and the joy of discovering local and regional artists and art-based organizations.

**Our Vision**

An inclusive, creative, and connected community that celebrates and supports the arts.

**Our Values**

- *Accessibility and Inclusivity*

We believe in ensuring accessibility for all and are committed to creating an inclusive environment that welcomes everyone, regardless of background or experience.

- *Community Engagement*

We believe in fostering connections through shared cultural experiences, creating a community-centered event that brings people together.

- *Creativity and Artistic Expression*

We deeply respect creativity, self-expression, and artistic diversity. We believe in showcasing a wide range of art forms and supporting artists at different stages of their careers.

- *Support for Local Artists*

We believe in providing a platform for local artists—from students to professionals—to celebrate local talent and contribute to the local art economy.

- *Education and Exposure to the Arts*

We believe in educating the community and broadening exposure to diverse artistic genres and mediums to foster a deeper appreciation for the arts.

- *Family-Friendliness*

We believe in offering a welcoming, multi-generational experience that families can enjoy together.

- *Connection with Nature*

We value the beauty of nature, believing it creates a peaceful and inspiring environment for everyone to experience art.