

2008-09 CULTURAL ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS OVERVIEW

The Greater Pittsburgh Arts Council is pleased to provide our Cultural Organization members with the following benefits. Follow the red text for more information about these benefits where available.

Arts Council Program & Service Discounts

- Attend **Arts Council professional development programming** at a discounted rate.
- Apply to **Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts** (VLA) or **Business Volunteers for the Arts** (BVA) programs for free. (non-members pay a \$15 fee per application).
- Register volunteer, intern and employment opportunities with **ArtsWorks.org**, an online database of openings in the arts in our region, for free. (non-members pay \$25/ job listing and \$15/ volunteer or internship).
- Attend the Arts Council's biennial Work of Art Awards at a discount.
- Receive a 20% discount on **ProArtsTickets** set up fees. (Fees are based on an organization's operating budget).
- Utilize **ProArtsTickets.org** to collect secure online credit card donations for your organization.
- Receive occasional emails with half-price ticket and admission offers from other Arts Council member organizations.
- For local artist service organizations: 50% off an Arts Council Individual Artist Membership for members of your organization.

Cultural Policy

- Receive representation and a "seat at the table" by the Arts Council at prestigious civic and government organizations and initiatives like Arts Advocacy Day in Washington D.C.
- Participate in the development of **advocacy priorities**.

Health Coverage

- Receive access to the Arts Council's health coverage for part-time and seasonal employees.

Networking / Convening

- Receive invitations to participate in **opportunities for peer-to-peer networking**.

Outside Vendor Discounts

- Receive up to a 12% discount on Dell computers through the Employee/ Member Purchase Program.
- Receive a 10% discount on annual fees and on setup and consultation fees for PatronMail®, an e-mail marketing service through Patron Technology.
- Receive up to a 15% discount on payroll processing using Paychex®.
- Receive a 10% discount on DoReMe, a web based software package designed for online class registration, membership and donation management.
- Receive a 15% discount on all purchases at Beleza Community Coffeehouse.

Visibility & Promotions

- Promote your arts programs and events for free to over 3,500 subscribers in our weekly **Arts Pittsburgh Events Listing** e-blasts and on our web site. (non-members cannot post events in the *Events Listing*).
- Receive a **listing** with a link to your organization's web site on the Arts Council's web site and in our Member Directory.
- Fill empty seats to your events through half-price ticket and admission e-blasts to other members.