



We're in The Presidio!

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Dear ArtSeed Friend,

I am writing to request your generosity in providing an in-kind gift to support **ArtSeed's Presidio Earth Week Art-a-thon**.

In this event, volunteers, artists, and participants "marathon" their creative work to help raise the funds that keep ArtSeed's year-round operations running. Your donation would serve as a meaningful incentive and reward for fundraisers committed to keeping arts mentorship accessible.

As a unique, volunteer-based 501(c)(3) non-profit arts education organization, ArtSeed's mission is to connect the most resourceful and gifted with the youngest and most vulnerable citizens of the Bay Area and beyond through projects that explore links between classical and cutting-edge fine arts disciplines. Over our 25 years, we have seen how excellence and discipline learned in art-making is transferable to other areas, be they academic, job-related, or simply good citizenship. ArtSeed alumni are living proof that tangible, meaningful arts experiences can have substantial impact on young lives.

Our annual **Art-a-thon** makes it possible for us to offer scholarships and keep tuition on a sliding scale for all of our programs—including online and in-person workshops, long-term mentorships, and exhibition opportunities. All funds raised ensure our Presidio workspace and our Hunter's Point studio remain accessible for participants to learn practical skills, share their creations with the public, and engage with an ever-expanding community of artists and art-lovers. A gift from you and others like you would directly help artists, Veterans, and youth stick with the work it takes to pursue their goals, finish their projects, and seek the support they need during challenging times. We all know that it takes a village!

To show our appreciation, we will recognize you and your organization on our website, email blasts, social media, and other printed material that acknowledges supporters like you throughout the year. Your generosity will inspire others to follow your lead and will deepen the appreciation for all you offer our community.

More information about ArtSeed's happenings is available on our website, and you're more than welcome to call or text me (415-656-9849) at any time.

Sincerely yours,

Josefa Vaughan, Executive Director

ArtSeed is a volunteer-based, tax-exempt non-profit organization under Internal Revenue Code 501(c)(3) and Revenue and Tax Code 27301d. Our **mission** is to connect the most resourceful and gifted with the youngest and most vulnerable citizens of the San Francisco Bay Area and beyond through classical and cutting-edge fine arts disciplines. Your charitable contribution to ArtSeed, made without expectation of material benefit, is therefore tax-deductible to the full extent of the law. Our Employer Identification Number is 52-2368513



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