

2026  
ARTYS

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

RENAISSANCE RIVERVIEW  
PLAZA HOTEL

APRIL 8, 2026  
6 - 9 PM

MOBILE  COUNCIL

# WHO WE ARE & WHAT WE DO

Since 1955, the Mobile Arts Council (MAC) has been dedicated to enriching the quality of life in the greater Mobile area by enhancing access to the arts and fostering a vibrant cultural community. MAC envisions a future where the arts serve as a powerful catalyst for positive change. Guided by core values of education, inclusivity, and inspiration, the organization is committed to making the arts accessible to everyone.

MAC achieves its mission by creating meaningful opportunities for local artists and arts organizations through education, advocacy, and cultural enrichment. As a key resource for local culture, MAC facilitates numerous arts and cultural events while championing opportunities for artists of all backgrounds. Through partnerships with local organizations, MAC enhances educational opportunities for youth, delivering signature programming that provides art education to children who might otherwise lack access to such resources.

With a dedicated team, MAC brings unparalleled expertise to the arts and cultural community. The staff's diverse experience spans nonprofit management, marketing, visual and performing arts, and fundraising. Known for innovation and creativity, MAC has a proven history of launching one-of-a-kind programs and events that leave a lasting impact.



The arts are essential to our humanity, inspiring us to create, connect, and grow. They nurture empathy, beauty, and innovation, while strengthening our communities socially, educationally, and economically.

The Artys is Mobile's premier awards program, celebrating both impact and excellence across all areas of the arts. In a city teeming with creativity, The Artys recognizes the individuals, businesses, and organizations that enrich our arts and cultural landscape. This annual event also serves as a platform to showcase the incredible talent of local performing arts groups.

Each year, community members nominate candidates, and a panel of arts representatives narrows the list to select winners in 11 categories. These honorees receive a limited-edition work of art crafted by a local artist, with the 2025 award designed by visual artist Marshall O'Hern. Award categories include Art Soldier, Arts Educator, Cultural Innovation, Eva Golson – Excellence in Film, Organization, Daniel Juzan – Performing Artist, Musical Artist, Visual Artist, Emerging Artist, Patron, and Lifetime Achievement.

Join us in honoring those who make Mobile's arts scene uniquely vibrant. Celebrate the creatives who keep our community thriving!

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WHO MAKE MOBILE'S  
ART SCENE UNIQUELY VIBRANT!**

**ARTS EDUCATOR:** Daniela Pardo

**ART SOLDIER:** LeaAyn Shurley

**CULTURAL INNOVATION:** Muffinjaw Designs

**DANIELLE JUZAN - PERFORMING ARTIST:**

Patrick Jacobs

**EMERGING ARTIST:** Carter Hale, Jr.

**EVA GOLSON - EXCELLENCE IN FILM:**

Alfred Ward

**LITERARY ARTIST:** Jodie Cain Smith

**MUSICAL ARTIST:** Eric Erdman

**ORGANIZATION:** Chickasaw Civic Theatre

**PATRON:** Joe and Donna Camp

**VISUAL ARTIST:** Brian Tan

**LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT:** Stan Hackney

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 8, 2026**

**6 - 9 PM**

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*HUGGY BEAR DA POET,  
MOBILE'S LAUREATE*



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## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### **PRESENTING SPONSOR.....\$5,000**

- Inclusion of organization in event name, “Presented by \_\_\_\_\_”
- Up to three tables (24 event tickets), each seating eight individuals
- Logo and recognition of organization in/on all event collateral
- Presenting sponsor recognition on website and social media
- Verbal recognition at event
- Dedicated post about organization’s support of the arts

### **AWARD SPONSOR.....\$2,500**

- Recognition on an award plaque to be given with each award
- Up to two tables (16 event tickets), each seating eight individuals
- Logo and recognition of organization in/on all event collateral
- Award sponsor recognition on website and social media
- Verbal recognition at event

### **SUPPORTING SPONSOR.....\$1,500**

- One table (8 event tickets), each seating eight individuals
- Logo and recognition of organization in/on all event collateral
- Sponsor recognition on website and social media
- Verbal recognition at event

### **CONTRIBUTING SPONSOR.....\$750**

- 4 event tickets
- Logo and recognition of organization in/on all event collateral
- Sponsor recognition on website and social media
- Verbal recognition at event



### **TABLE FOR 8.....\$600**