

# Calendar

## July

**July–August** *Inspiration Drawn from Nature*, intaglio prints by Kumi Korf in the DAC Art Library. Reception: Friday, July 8, 5–7 p.m.

**1, 2, 29, 30** Sidewalk Vendor Days at DAC, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

**2** Durango Dot Comedy, 8 p.m. in the DAC Theater. \$10 at the door. Cash bar.

**5–29** *Ceramics & Sculpture*, an exhibit of 3-dimensional work in the Barbara Conrad Gallery. Reception: Friday, July 8, 5–7 p.m.

**8–September 10** *Greater Tuna* plays Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. in the DAC Theater. Doors open at 6:45 p.m. To purchase tickets, go to [www.durangoarts.org](http://www.durangoarts.org), call (970) 259-2606 or come by the ticket office at DAC.

**9–10** Book art workshop with Kumi Korf. For information and to register, call Mary Ellen Long at 259-4363.

## August

**Continuing through August** *Inspiration Drawn from Nature*, intaglio prints by Kumi Korf in the DAC Art Library.

**4, 5, 6** Summer Theater Academy presents *Aladdin* and *Guys and Dolls* in the DAC Theater. Performances are at 7 p.m. on August 4 and at 1 p.m. on August 5 and 6. Tickets are available at DAC's ticket office.

**2–September 2** *Muses: Life's Inspirations*, a juried fiber exhibit by the Front Range Contemporary Quilters. Reception: Friday, August 5, 5–7 p.m.

**12, 13, 19, 20** Sidewalk Vendor Days at DAC, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

## September

**September–October** *Hands On II*, mixed media works by students of past F.O.A.L. workshops. Reception: Friday, September 9, 5–7 p.m.

**2, 3, 9, 10, 23, 24, 30** Sidewalk Vendor Days at DAC, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

**6–17** *Open Doors*, a taster exhibit for the Durango Open Studios Tour in the Barbara Conrad Gallery. Reception: Friday, September 9, 5–7 p.m.

**9** Fall Gallery Walk at DAC and other art venues in town, 5–9 p.m.

**9** Open Shutter Gallery presents a lecture by photographer Steve McCurry in the DAC Theater. For more information call Open Shutter Gallery at 382-8355.

**9–25** Durango Showcase of the Arts. For a complete listing of exhibits, events and performances, go to [www.durangoshowcaseofthearts.org](http://www.durangoshowcaseofthearts.org).

**16–17** 10-Minute Play Contest performances in the DAC Theater, 7:30 p.m. Tickets are available at DAC's ticket office. \$5 for all ages.

**17–18** Durango Autumn Arts Festival on Second Avenue between 7<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> Streets, Saturday, September 17, 10 a.m.–6 p.m. and Sunday, September 18, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

**18** Sunday Screening Series presents *Girl with a Pearl Earring* (PG13, 2003), 2 p.m. in the Education Studio. \$8 (\$5 students with valid ID).

**20–23** TOP exhibit and silent auction in the Barbara Conrad Gallery. Gala reception and live auction will be on Friday, September 23 beginning at 5:30 p.m. \$50 per person. Tickets are available at DAC's ticket office.

**27–October 1** Western Art Exhibit in the Barbara Conrad Gallery. Reception: Friday, September 29, 5–7 p.m.

**29** Durango Cowboy Poetry Gathering's Mystery Theater, 7 p.m. in the DAC Theater. For information, call Linda Mannix at 749-2995.

**30** Durango Acoustic Music presents Town Mountain in the DAC Theater. For information, go to [www.durangoacousticmusic.com](http://www.durangoacousticmusic.com).

## Membership Benefits

### Individual and Family Memberships

All donors at the Senior/Student level and Associate members who have completed 20 hours of volunteer time receive our quarterly *Artsline* newsletter, invitations to exhibit openings and special events, 10% discounts on purchases in the galleries and Gallery Shop and discounts on educational programs, rental space and tickets to selected theater performances and other events. Member artists are entitled to reduced entry fees to exhibits, reduced commissions on art sales, eligibility to enter the annual members' exhibit and a listing in our online Artists' Directory.

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# Continuing Events

**Agape in Durango**—Sundays, 9:30–11:30 a.m. Michael Bernard Beckwith, (970) 247-2221 or [center4spiritualliving@gmail.com](mailto:center4spiritualliving@gmail.com)

**Anusara Yoga**—Fridays, 9:30–11 a.m. Sandy Bielenberg, instructor, (970) 259-9740

**Durango Writers Group**—Mondays, 6:30–8:30 p.m. Tanya Swartzbaugh, (970) 403-4303 or [word\\_fairy@hotmail.com](mailto:word_fairy@hotmail.com)

**Nia**—Wednesdays at noon. Marlis Sawicki, instructor, (970) 759-2602

**Performing Arts for Kids**—Durango Performing Arts Company. Denise Hagemester, director, (970) 403-8000 or [dgopac@yahoo.com](mailto:dgopac@yahoo.com)

**SoulCollage® as a Journey of Discovery**—July 24, August 14, September 25. Barb Horn, instructor, (970) 588-3806 or [barbhorn@wildblue.net](mailto:barbhorn@wildblue.net)

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Administrative offices: Monday–Friday, 9 a.m.–5 p.m.

Gallery & Shop: Tuesday–Saturday, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Friday & Saturday, 10 a.m.–8 p.m. through September 10

DAC Art Library: Tuesday–Saturday, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

Ticket Office: Monday–Thursday, 10 a.m.–5 p.m.

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## DAC Art Library

Library information: Pegi Peterson, (970) 385-8461 or [ppeterson@frontier.net](mailto:ppeterson@frontier.net)

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### Check for Updates!

New events are always being added to the schedule. Dates, times and ticket prices are subject to change, and some information is not available until closer to the scheduled event. Go to DAC's website, [www.durangoarts.org](http://www.durangoarts.org), for the latest updates, or call (970) 259-2606 to confirm information.

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