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FACT SHEET- SPRING INTO ART SHOW

Who

The Turner Center for the Arts
Tom Jones, director of operations

What

Announcing the seventh annual Spring Into Art Show, fundraiser for the Grassroots afterschool program.

Where

Turner Center for the Arts
527 N. Patterson St.
Valdosta, GA 31602

When

The art show will be held from April 1 to May 31, 2009. The opening reception (free to the public) will be held on April 1, at 6 p.m.

Why

Fundraiser for Grassroots. Ninety percent of profits from sales will go directly to the program.

Benefits

More than 25 local artists will be featured in the show, as well as Grassroots student's artwork.

Quote

"Since beginning the Spring Into Art Show, the Turner Center has raised more than \$27,000 for the Grassroots program," said Tom Jones, director of operations. "The Grassroots program has allowed more than 500 children have been moved by the arts, whether it be painting, pottery or jewelry making."

Background on Turner Center for the Arts

It has been established in Valdosta for 36 years. The center is a non-profit organization that showcases the works of local artists as well as provides community classes such as painting, cooking and pottery.

Background on the Spring Into Art Show

Started seven years ago as a fundraiser for the Grassroots program. It showcases artwork from children in the program, local school's art classes and regional artists.

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