



Dear Friend of the Arts,

This past April we celebrated the Grinnell Area Arts Council's 30th anniversary! As the new Arts Director, I am thrilled and excited to be a part of such a dynamic organization! We are already at the start of our new fiscal year and want to extend an invitation to you to be a part of the excitement in the coming year. Our formal invitation is to, **"JOIN US!"**

Whether you have been a member of the Arts Council for years, a brand new member, or maybe you have been thinking about becoming a member, I want to invite you again to, **"JOIN US"** at:

- The B. G. Voertman Event Series, at the Community Theatre
- The Community Art Gallery
- Central Park for Thursdays Music in the Park
- A Turlach Ur pipe band concert
- The Community Theatre or on the Pageant Wagon for a Grinnell Community Theatre performance
- Central Park for "Art in the Park"
- The Stewart Arts Center for a class or a workshop at our Arts Academy

Anticipating our future move into the Stewart Arts Center (aka Stewart Library) we will have something for everyone! In 2010, the Arts Council will expand and consolidate its existing Studio 6 after school arts programming, Summer Arts Camp, Babel Tower foreign language classes and adult workshops into an Arts Academy, providing daytime, after school, evening, weekend and summer arts programming for all ages and levels! See I told you it was exciting! And we want you to **"JOIN US!"**

Be sure to visit our website regularly to make sure you don't miss a single event or workshop! Learn more about our current members, membership levels and benefits or sign up to receive our newsletter at www.grinnellarts.org . You can contact us by sending an email to info@grinnellarts.org or judy@grinnellarts.org or write to us at GAAC, P.O. Box 657, Grinnell, IA 50112 or give us a call at 641-236-3203 or 641-990-3948. The Grinnell Area Arts Council is very proud to be a part of Grinnell and the surrounding communities. Please continue to support the arts in our communities by renewing your current membership or become a new member today! Just imagine Grinnell without the arts!

"JOIN US!"

Judy Arendt, Arts Director

Grinnell Area Arts Council