

Dear Friends, Colleagues, and Partners

The Gwendolyn Brooks College Prep community would like to extend you an invitation to our Annual Winter Arts Showcase! This showcase is an opportunity for our students to display their talents and the work they have been developing over the course of the Winter semester in digital, visual and performing arts and to network with our external partners and school community. The showcase will take place the week of December 18th - 22nd and will include gallery openings showcasing the drawings, paintings, sculptures, digital media, photography and videos created by the students of Brooks and performances by the Brooks vocal and instrumental ensembles, Improv Group and LTAB Poetry Slam Group.

Events & Performances:

Tuesday, December 19, 2017:

Brooks Performing Arts Wing - Atrium Gallery
4:30 - 8:00pm - *Gallery Opening & Student Exhibition*

Brooks Performing Arts Wing - Auditorium
5:00 - 7:00pm - *Student Film Screenings*
7:00 - 7:30pm - *Louder Than a Bomb Poetry Slam Performance*
7:30 - 8:30pm - *Band & Orchestra Ensembles*

Thursday, December 21, 2017:

Brooks Performing Arts Wing - Atrium Gallery
4:30 - 8:00pm - *Gallery Opening & Student Exhibition*

Brooks Performing Arts Wing - Auditorium
5:00 - 7:00pm - *Student Film Screenings*
7:00 - 7:30pm - *Louder Than a Bomb Poetry Slam Performance*
7:30 - 8:30pm - *Choir Ensemble Performance*

Student Entrance: \$2/Auditorium & Gallery
Adult Entrance: \$2/Gallery only, \$5/Auditorium & Gallery

As we continue to grow our already thriving arts program at Brooks, we are looking to build partnerships with local arts organizations across the community. These partnerships will hopefully produce internship opportunities for our most advanced students that will prepare them for college and the professional arts world. We hope that you will get a chance to check out the work we are doing here and take some time to talk to us about ways we may be able to work together in the future. We are excited to show the community what we have been doing, and what our students have to offer.

We sincerely hope to see you there.

Regards,

The Brooks College Prep Fine & Performing Arts Department

Jake Mitchell - NBCT - Video, AP Photo, Digital Media - Department Chair
Jack Famera - Digital Media, Yearbook, 8th Grade Art, AP Sculpture
Emily Louise Calderon - Painting, AP Drawing, 7th Grade Art
Brandon Harding - Band, Orchestra, Music Theory
Addison Youngblood - Chorus, 7th Grade Music, Music Theory