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Opening May 2024
Noe Perez:
The King Ranch Paintings

Noe Perez, Nopalera, n.d., oil on linen, museum purchase with funds from the Director's Discretionary Fund, 2023.7

WELCOME LETTER • The New Year

Welcome to 2024. By this point, we've all watched the "Best of 2023" reviews and maybe we've promised ourselves this is the year we start exercising and eating healthy. It's the perpetual dance of celebrating all that was good in the past and anticipating being the best version of ourselves in the future. As one door closes, another opens and we're ready to step inside.

AMST will undertake the steps for reaccreditation in 2024; a procedure that will task the Museum's staff, Board of Trustees, members, and stakeholders with looking back to review our past performance while gazing forward to determine our future course. Accreditation is an important national recognition of our commitment to excellence and our adherence to the highest professional standards of museum operation and public service.

If you participated in the institutional plan survey we sent out last Fall, we thank you. If you missed the survey and would like to complete it, please visit artmuseumofsouthtexas.org or use the QR code provided below. We greatly value your input as, together, we progress into futurity.

See you in the galleries,



Sara Sells Morgan
AMST Director



Scan for AMST Survey



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HOURS

Weekly

Monday: CLOSED

Tuesday - Saturday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm

Sunday: 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Monthly

1st Friday & 3rd Thursday: 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Holiday hours announced on website

STANDARD ADMISSION

\$10: Adults

\$8: Military & Seniors (60+)

\$6: Students

FREE: TAMU-CC Students

FREE: Families with SNAP/EBT Card

FREE: Children 12 and Under

LOCATIONS

ART MUSEUM OF SOUTH TEXAS

1902 North Shoreline Boulevard

Corpus Christi, TX 78401

361.825.3500

ANTONIO E. GARCIA

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2021 Agnes Street

Corpus Christi, TX 78405

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PHOTOGRAPHY IS ART

January 26 – April 7, 2024
Chapman Gallery

The earliest photographic process was invented by Louis-Jacques-Mandé Daguerre (1787-1851) it was first presented in Paris in 1839. This exhibition includes examples of daguerreotype as well as other techniques in photography including photogravure, gelatin silver print, dye transfer print, inkjet print, Ekta color print, hand-colored print, etc. The exhibition comes to the art museum selected from four Texas art institutions. By examining photographs within their collections the curators explore the medium of photography as an art form. *Photography is Art* is accompanied by a brochure with a glossary of terms of the various processes shown in the 51 works in the traveling exhibition.

Wagagi Thanchanku, by Steven Goff, on loan from the Ellen Noel Museum of Art collection is from a series of photos that Goff did with the Lakota people during the annual ceremony called Wiwang Wacipi. "The way that Goff was able to capture this moment along with the long exposure, gives the piece it's sense of movement." Daniel Zeis, ENMoA, Curator

Three centuries of photography presents the remarkable artfulness of photography in this exhibition. Amon Carter Museum of American Art is one of the major repositories of American photography, as well as other bodies of work. *Photography is Art* offers the viewer a wide and thoughtfully curated experience, not only from the originating suggestion that photography is art, but also the opportunity to meet the original curator of this presentation. Each of the cohorts, including Amon Carter Museum of American Art, Ellen Noel Museum of Art, Amarillo Museum of Art, The Art Museum of South Texas, and Art Bridges, met with the Amon Carter's Chief photography curator John Rohrbach about his intention in initiating this premise. To learn more from this longtime curator of photography, consider attending Art Unboxed.

MEMBER'S RECEPTION

January 25, 2024

5:30 – 7:00 PM

Join us for special viewing of the exhibition *Photography is Art*. Members will enjoy appetizers and a cash bar. For more information visit www.artmuseumofsouthtexas.org, or call 361.825.3500.

Become a member today!

ART UNBOXED

January 26, 2024

12:00 – 2:00 PM

Join us for Art Unboxed with John Rohrbach on January 26, 2024 from 12:00 – 2:00 PM. RSVP before Monday, January 20 by visiting www.artmuseumofsouthtexas.org, or call 361.825.3504 and speak to Audrianna Rios. Tickets for lunch and talk:

Members: \$17

Non-members: \$25

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Exhibition supported by:

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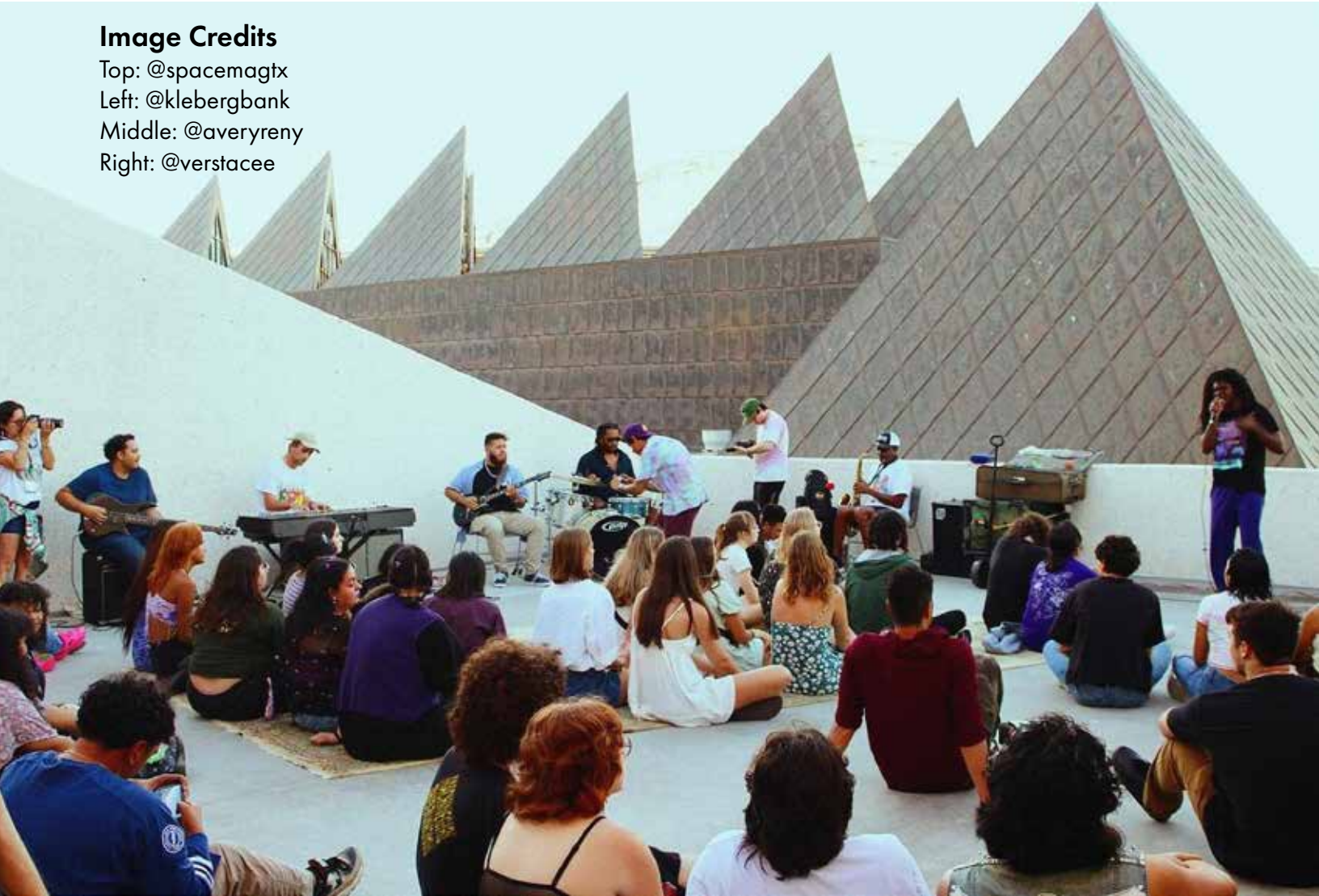
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Instagram: @artmuseumofsouthtexas
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First Fridays

Presented by Frost Bank
10:00 AM - 9:00 PM
Monthly Event Series
FREE Admission

First Friday: Presented by Frost Bank is a FREE monthly community day at AMST. On the first Friday of each month visit AMST all day to enjoy our galleries and one-of-a-kind bay views. You can also stop by AMST during downtown ArtWalk for an evening view of our exhibitions. All ages and interests welcome!

Second Saturdays

Presented by Art Bridges
10:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Monthly Event Series
FREE Admission

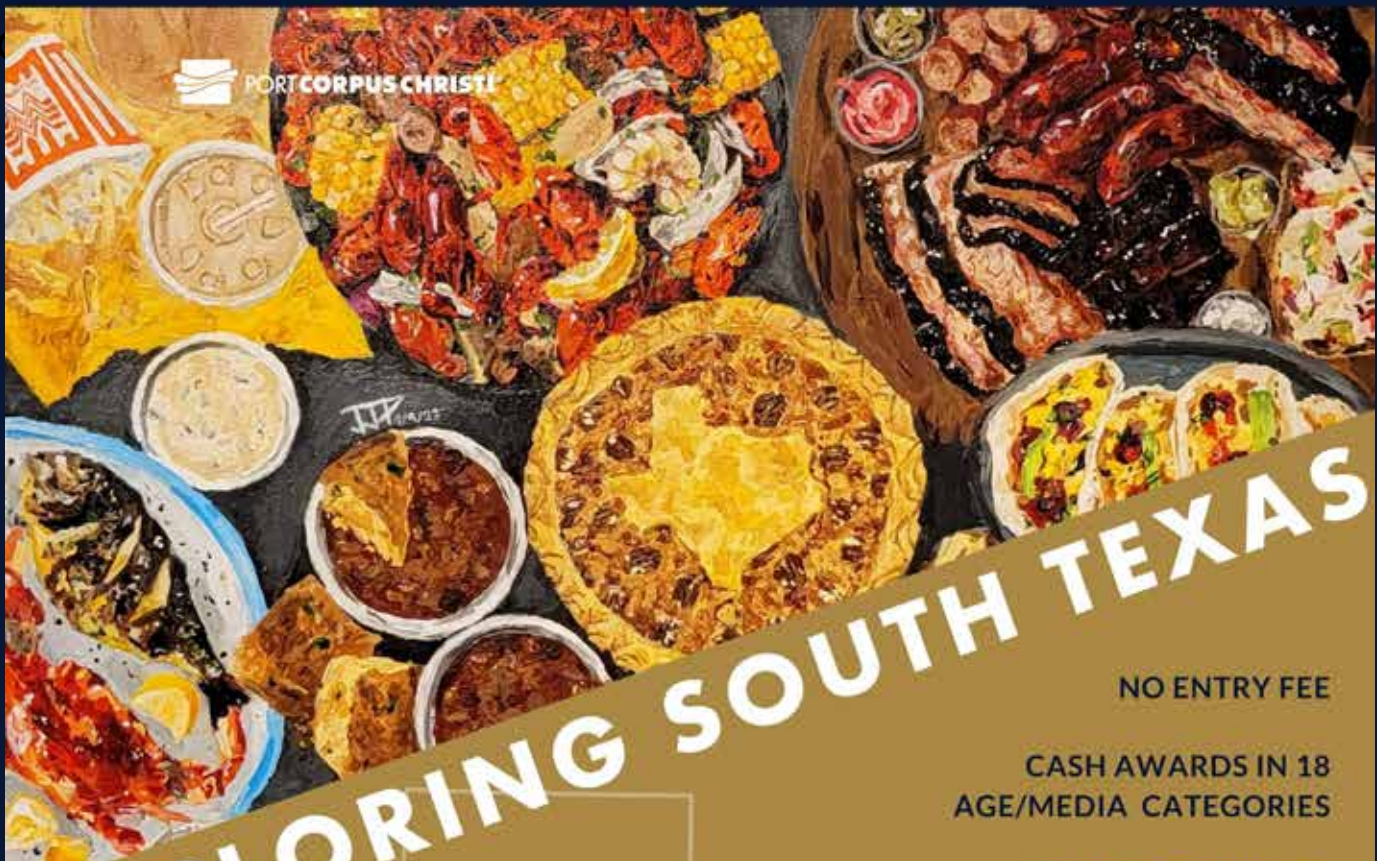
Second Saturday: Presented by Art Bridges is a FREE monthly community day at AMST. On the second Saturday of each month visit AMST for a view of the galleries with docent-led tours and one-of-a-kind art activities. All ages and interests welcome!

Third Thursdays

Presented by Kleberg Bank
5:30 PM - 9:00 PM
Monthly Event Series
FREE Admission

Third Thursday: Presented by Kleberg Bank is a FREE monthly community night at AMST. On the third Thursday of each month visit AMST for an evening view of our galleries, live music, local vendors, and one-of-a-kind art activities. All ages and interests welcome!





EXPLORING SOUTH TEXAS



NO ENTRY FEE

CASH AWARDS IN 18 AGE/MEDIA CATEGORIES

TAMU-CC AND DEL MAR COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS

ENTRIES ACCEPTED FEB 22 & 23, 2024

FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 1-12 IN PUBLIC, PRIVATE, OR HOME SCHOOL IN THE COASTAL BEND

CATEGORIES INCLUDE: WET, DRY, MIXED MEDIA AND PHOTO/DIGITAL ART

AWARDS PRESENTATION & FAMILY DAY ON APRIL 7, 2024, 1-4PM

ENTRIES ON VIEW MARCH 15 - APRIL 28, 2024



FOR COMPLETE CONTEST RULES, VISIT WWW.ARTMUSEUMOFSOUTHTEXAS.ORG

EDUCATION • Visionarios: Youth Art Contest

23rd Visionarios Youth Art Contest

March 15 – April 28, 2024

Entries for the Visionarios Youth Art Contest, sponsored by the Port of Corpus Christi and presented by the Art Museum of South Texas, will be accepted February 22nd and 23rd at the museum.

This much-anticipated annual competition is for young artists, grades 1-12, with categories that include wet media, dry media, mixed media and digital/photographic media.

For the second year, student entries should be based on a response to the prompt: Exploring South Texas. South Texas is home to a variety of rich cultures, diverse and beautiful landscapes, and unique ideas that influence the lives of its people. We want to know the students' perception of South Texas, whether it be through their own personal experiences, their community history, or an even broader look at the area.

Artwork will be exhibited in the Museum from March 15 – April 28. Winners will be announced at the free Family Day and Awards Presentation on April 7, 1-4 PM. Cash prizes will be awarded to 1st through 3rd place winners in the various grade and media categories. In addition, three TAMU-CC scholarships, and one Del Mar College art scholarship will be awarded to deserving high school students.

Free Family Day and Awards Presentation:

April 7, 2024

1:00 – 4:00 PM

For full contest rules, please visit our website:
www.artmuseumofsouthtexas.org

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Springbreak Camp

March 11 – March 15, 2024
9:00 AM – 3:30 PM

Children ages K5-12 are invited to join us this Spring Break for a week-long series of spring-themed visual and performing art activities. We will explore nature and all the weather, wings and wildlife that come with it in our painting, collage and sculpture projects in this fun-filled week of art!

For children ages K5-12
Member Price: \$225 (per week)
Non-member Price: \$250 (per week)
Pre and after-care available for an additional charge

Registration begins online January 22, 2024
www.artmuseumofsouthtexas.org





Fine Art of Summer Camp 2024

Session Dates

- Session One: June 3 – 7 (AMST)
- Session Two: June 10 – 14 (AMST)
- Session Three: June 17 – 21 (AMST)
- Session Four: June 24 – 28 (AMST)
- Session Five (mini-session): July 1 – 3 (AMST)
- Session Six: July 8 – 12 (AMST)
- Session Seven: July 15 – 26 (Garcia Arts & Education Center)
- Session Eight: July 15 – 19 (AMST)
- Session Nine: July 22 - 26 (AMST)
- Session Ten: July 29 - August 2 (AMST)

Summer Camps

June 3 – August 2, 2024

9:00 AM – 3:30 PM

The Art Museum of South Texas will host ten different sessions of visual and performing arts camps for children ages K5-12 throughout the summer. Each session will highlight a different theme, often taking a cue from pop culture or a Museum exhibition. This format allows children to explore worlds they know and love or will come to know and love while bringing them to life through artistic expression. The camp day runs from 9:00 AM – 3:30 PM with pre and after-care available for an additional charge.

For children ages K5-12

Member Price: \$225 (per week)

Non-member Price: \$250 (per week)

For more information, please call 361.825.3504 or visit our website www.artmuseumofsouthtexas.org.

Member Online Registration Begins:

March 1, 2024

General Public Registration Begins:

March 6, 2024

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Ronnie Landfield, *White Night*, 1970, acrylic on canvas, 91" x 135", gift of Philip Johnson

Support from Driscoll Health Plan

Thank you to Driscoll Health Plan for sponsoring AMST's new Sensory Friendly Mondays, Summer 2024 Family Day, and Fine Art of Summer Camp Scholarships. The new Sensory Friendly Monday is a special program designed to create an inclusive and accommodating environment for STAR Kids and their families to enjoy the art at the Art Museum of South Texas. AMST and DHP staff will collaborate to tailor the experience to ensure visitors of all abilities can engage with and appreciate art without feeling overwhelmed or overstimulated. The offerings of Sensory Friendly Mondays will be completely free to Members of Driscoll Health Plan.

In addition, Driscoll Health Plan will sponsor Summer 2024 Free Family Day. Free Family Days are free community access days geared toward creating a safe, equitable environment for children and their families to experience hands-on art activities, community performances, and the current exhibitions at no cost.

Their support will also provide 35 Fine Art of Summer Camp scholarships for Driscoll Health Plan Families. The Fine Art of Summer Camp is a long-standing summer camp focusing on hands-on artistic expression through the visual, performing, and literary arts. Each camp has a new theme and at the end of the camp week, family and friends are invited to a camp performance, art viewing, and reception. The camp serves children ages K5-12, and pre-care, after-care, with lunch and snacks provided. Thank you, Driscoll Health Plan, for your support of the Art Museum of South Texas.





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Circle Memberships

FOUNDATION CIRCLE
\$3,000 PER YEAR

2 Tickets to AMST's Annual Foundation & Chairman's Circle Dinner

CHAIRMAN'S CIRCLE
\$5,000 PER YEAR

2 Tickets to ARTball - AMST's Annual Fundraiser

PHILANTHROPIST'S CIRCLE
\$10,000 PER YEAR

Collector's Club Membership
2 Additional Tickets to ARTball and artRageous - AMST's Annual Fundraisers



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