

BIENNIAL REPORT

John R. and Eleanor R. Mitchell Foundation

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MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the John R. and Eleanor R. Mitchell Foundation is:

- *to generate enthusiastic participation in and support for the visual and performing arts in Mt. Vernon, southern Illinois and the surrounding region,*
- *and to provide opportunities for enjoyment of the arts and increased awareness, understanding, and appreciation for the arts.*

(Approved by the Board of Trustees, John R. and Eleanor R. Mitchell Foundation, June 18, 2003)

MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

On behalf of the trustees of the John R. and Eleanor R. Mitchell Foundation and Cedarhurst Center for the Arts, I am pleased to present the biennial report covering the fiscal years, 2016-2017 and 2017-2018.

Thanks to the continuing support of dedicated members, the financials of Cedarhurst are sound. From 2016 to 2018 the Friends of Education Endowment grew 66%, and the Chamber Music Endowment grew 18%. In 2016 we received an estate gift that was pledged during the 2006 capital campaign, reducing our expansion loan to \$1 million.

Cedarhurst surpassed all records in the number of programs to meet the needs of the community and region. Special events such as the GALA Childrens's Art Auction and the Art and Craft Fair's First Look have been friend-raisers as well as fund-raisers. The long-standing craft fair was revamped and improved for visitors, vendors, and long-term sustainability. The most recent Kimball's Habitat campaign helped raised more funds to conserve and preserve the grounds, conserve sculpture, add lighting, and increase visitor amenities. Staff, Administrative Counselors, and volunteers have devoted many hours planning and implementing these programs.

We were pleased to welcome two new trustees to the Mitchell Foundation Board of Trustees. In October 2016, Roger Tedrick, President and CEO of The Tedrick Group filled the vacancy open when longtime trustee G.W. (Bill) Howard III resigned. Roger has experience with non-profit boards having served on several local and state boards including the Southern Illinois University Board of Trustees, where he served as Chairman for seven years.

Mike Bevis, President and owner of Bevis Construction was welcomed to the board in January 2018 filling the position formerly held by Phil Gustafson. A lifelong resident of Mt. Vernon, Mike brings a wealth of knowledge in buildings and grounds. Mike was President of Lipps Construction, the general contractor for the expansion of the museum and art center, and is therefore very familiar with our physical plant. Both trustees are graduates of Southern Illinois University and provide business and personnel knowledge to the board.

We are grateful to all the individuals who have contributed time and talents to this organization. We are privileged to have a professional and talented staff, who take great pride in their work. In addition, the Administrative Counselors continue to give their time and energy to assist staff in bringing quality programs to Cedarhurst. Our members and donors have made it possible to provide an extraordinary cultural organization for the southern Illinois community. With your continued help we look forward to providing superior programming and art education to both this and future generations.

Hunt Bonan
Chair of the Mitchell Foundation Board of Trustees

MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

It is a pleasure to present the biennial report covering **fiscal years 2016-2017 and 2017-2018**. With the cooperative spirit of the Board of Trustees, Administrative Counselors and staff, we have improved and sustained the quality programs you have come to expect. The following report reviews the accomplishments and reflects the sound financial order of the John R. and Eleanor R. Mitchell Foundation operating Cedarhurst Center for the Arts.

Highlights

We revamped the craft fair in 2017 with a new layout that integrated the food, beverages, and seating areas throughout the fair for the 40th anniversary. Volunteers and staff spent time gathering ideas to make the craft fair new and exciting and still maintain the warm, friendly atmosphere that artisans, vendors, and visitors love. Increasing revenue remained a priority. Thus, we built on the momentum created the last year by making a few changes for the Friday night fundraiser that benefited visitors and vendors. General admission for the weekend remained at \$5 so all could participate.

On March 11, 2017, we had the first event of its kind, The GALA, combining the talents of two organizations to raise money for the arts in southern Illinois. Cedarhurst and SSM Foundation (health center) partnered to host an exclusive, black-tie affair featuring a children's art auction and dinner. The evening surpassed expectations and also raised awareness of the quality Children's programs we offer at Cedarhurst. The funds were shared and Cedarhurst used the money to kick off the campaign for refurbishing and restoring the well-used Beck Family Center in the museum. Other contributions came from major donors, many of which were re-investing in the family center raising a total of \$125,000 for the renovation. A ribbon cutting and community celebration was held January 6, 2018.

For southern Illinois, the Total Lunar Eclipse was a big event with the path of the eclipse having its point of greatest duration in the region on August 21, 2017. Cedarhurst staff joined the city task force to deal with the many visitors. A weekend of events were planned to entice visitors to Cedarhurst and Mt. Vernon. Dr. Kenneth Sembach, Director of the Space Telescope Science Institute came to Cedarhurst to discuss explorations into space. In addition, we had two accompanying special, related exhibitions displayed in the Performance Hall. This is another way Cedarhurst is immersed in the community and region.

Cedarhurst hosted the Illinois Association of Museums' annual conference in October 2017. The entire museum campus was used for conference sessions along with the neighboring Jefferson County Historical Society. Illinois attendees were amazed to discover a place – Cedarhurst - of this magnitude and scope in southern Illinois. Our motto, *Discover Cedarhurst, Be Amazed*, was their theme as participants returned home.

Programs

With all the many events and activities we have, our amazing staff and volunteers continue quality programs expected at Cedarhurst. We have had two years of incredible exhibitions and programs which appeal to many different constituencies. We continue to showcase regional artists in the Shrode Photography, the Fine Art and Craft Competition Exhibitions, the Biennial, as well as students in the Scholastic Art Exhibition. We also display much of the artwork from our children's classes in the Beck Family Center gallery. Presented also are new and different exhibitions such as *The Cabinetry of Kyle Kinser* and *40 Chances: Finding Hope in a Hungry World*. The latter was complemented in the Beal Corridor Gallery by photography from our high school students in the Future Farmers of America organization. We had a special exhibition of our own resident, Marejon Sue Shrode and borrowed works by her famous teachers from the clay movement in California in the 1950s. Gallery talks accompanied many exhibitions and continued our educational focus.

The demand for educational opportunities, especially in the schools, continues to grow, and we respond.

Year	In-School Programs	5 th Grade Fun Day	Black History Month	Total Students Served
2017-2018	4,490	246	2,250	6,986
2016-2017	4,665	260	2,115	7,040
2015-2016	4,555	288	375 *	5,218

The disparity in 2015-2016 from the other two years is due to the theme (Book-Henry's Freedom Box) which did not lend itself to in-school performances. The only measured amount was from the teacher training/meetings and the end performance. These and many other programs helped Cedarhurst reach over 12,000 students each year with educational art opportunities.

Cedarhurst continues its music series with chamber music and summer concerts. With the major support of a donor, we were able to bring back renowned jazz musician, Victor Goines, in February 2017. Goines is the artistic director of the jazz program at the Julliard School of music and director of Jazz Studies at Northwestern University. In addition to the wildly successful public concert, he also performed with his quintet for hundreds of Jefferson County students. Popular events such as Thursday Night Live, the Happening, and Holiday Lunches continued to thrive.

Administration

Our last strategic plan was completed in 2016. We started working on a new plan in January 2017 with our stakeholders and adopted the four-year plan in June. After several years of growth, major expansion and capital campaign, we decided to maintain and take care of that which we have while still tweaking and improving programs. A focus was sustainability and maintenance of our building and grounds, conservation of the sculpture, safety and improved visitor experiences. To accomplish this, a mini-capital campaign “Kimball’s Habitat,” for \$250,000 was launched and completed successfully in summer 2018. Work has begun on the two residences on campus and preservation of the wooded areas.

We continue to raise funding, not only for annual support, but also for additional projects. Other contributed income is much greater in 2016-2017 * due to an estate gift of \$500,000, which was designated to pay down the debt from the 2006 expansion, reducing the debt to just over \$1 million. In addition, another \$125,000 was raised for the renovation of the Beck Family Center that year. A major gift in 2015-2016 was partially restricted, thus making that year’s figures also larger than normal.

Financial Summary	2015-16	% Increase (Decrease)	2016-17	% Increase (Decrease)	2017-18
\$ Sponsors	174,564	(1)	175,537	1	177,990
\$ Memberships	81,580	(12)	71,620	16	83,390
Other Contributed Income	403,080*	10.3	820,167 *	(73)	221,670
Earned Income	368,672	17	430,622	(4)	414,033
Endowment Allotment	841,080		841,080		841,080
Actual Gross Revenue	2,067,412	18	2,438,575	(28)	1,753,180

Membership

Although we have increased member benefits in the last few years, there is little change in the number of members. The knowledge that our county has lost population lends a positive view of the current membership. Fortunately, some of our members have increased their membership level.

2018	2017	2016
592 members	560 members	570 members

Personnel

We lost a founding Administrative Counselor and long-time supporter Marejon Sue Shrode in 2016. Sue was an artist and studied with historically leading artists and teachers of the 20th century working in clay and forging a new movement in studio pottery in southern California. Sue returned to Mt. Vernon in 1964 and worked in other mediums, i.e. fiber, glass, and metal as well as digital art when in her 80s. She graciously gave her time, not only to teach others at the art center, but was also very generous to Cedarhurst. The art center now bears the name, the Shrode Art Center. We celebrated her life in October 2017 with family and friends from across the country.

We were pleased to welcome two new trustees to the Mitchell Foundation Board of Trustees: Roger Tedrick, President and CEO of The Tedrick Group; and Mike Bevis, President and owner of Bevis Construction.

We also welcomed Gary Steury to our Operations Department. After retiring from the city, Gary was hired for part-time work in May 2018 and soon moved to full time. Gary is very personable and brings valuable knowledge and skills to our staff.

I am grateful to work with such a supportive group of trustees who, with a life time appointment, bring consistency to the organization. However, changes happen. Fortunately, trustees take their responsibility very seriously in selecting new trustees, continuing to not only bring knowledgeable and generous individuals to the board, but those who fit in the Cedarhurst family. The staff is amazingly committed and dedicated to the organization and maintain high standards in all programming. The Administrative Counselors are an important part of this "personnel trio." Their incredible enthusiasm and loyalty are remarkable. I am incredibly thankful!

Finally, the financial gifts from you, our members and donors, provided the means to continue our quality programs and improve our operation. I am gratified and amazed at the dedication of so many. You all have made a difference in this community and region! Thank you for two outstanding years.

Sharon Bradham
Executive Director

FISCAL YEAR 2016-17 PROGRAMS

Visual Arts

Donna Lynch Bonan Permanent Collection Gallery

Paintings from the museum's Permanent Collection are featured year-round and include works by Samuel Bellows, Mary Cassatt, Thomas Eakins, Childe Hassam, and Robert Henri.

Bernard F. Kuenz Sculpture Park

Patrons are invited to tour the park year-round and view the sculpture in different settings.

Main Gallery Exhibitions

Bryerpatch: Quilts by Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry

July 31 – October 9, 2016

Sense of Spirit: Mark-Making and Space in the Art of Kaneko

October 23 – December 31, 2016

The 43rd Scholastic Art Awards

January 15 – February 5, 2017

A Search for Authenticity: The John and Teenuh Foster Collection of Self-Taught Art and Objects

February 19 – April 30, 2017

Reflections: Fact and Fiction in the Art of Diane Fox and Beauvais Lyons

May 14 – July 16, 2017

The 27th Cedarhurst Biennial
July 30 – October 8, 2017

Beal Grand Corridor Gallery Exhibitions
27th Annual Gathering of Quilts
July 31 – October 9, 2016

Re Work: The Art of Howard Jones
October 23 – December 31, 2016

The 43rd Scholastic Art Awards
January 15 – February 5, 2017

*New Work by Students, Faculty, and Staff, Department of Cinema and Photography,
Southern Illinois University-Carbondale*
February 19 – April 30, 2017

Personal and Social Views of Nature by Mel Watkin and Marie Bukowski
May 14 – July 16, 2017

28th Annual Gathering of Quilts
July 30 – October 8, 2017

Barbara J. Beck Family Education Center Gallery Exhibitions
Snuggle and Snooze: Quilts for Children
31 – October 9, 2016

Natural Balance: The Art of Eldon Benz
October 23 – December 31, 2016

Amazing After School Art
January 15 – February 5, 2017

Sneak Peek: Beck Family Center Makeover
February 19 – April 30, 2017

Animals in Art
May 14 – July 16, 2017

Snuggle and Snooze: Quilts for Children
July 30 – October 8, 2017

Regenhardt Gallery, M. S. Shrode Art Center Exhibitions
27th Annual Gathering of Quilts
July 31 – October 9, 2016

Shrode Photography Competition Exhibition
October 23 – December 31, 2016

The 43rd Scholastic Art Awards
January 15 – February 5, 2017

Shrode Fine Art and Craft Competition Exhibiton
February 19 – April 30, 2017

Masterful Miniatures: Tiny Works with Enormous Ideas
May 14 – July 16, 2017

28th Annual Gathering of Quilts
July 30 – October 8, 2017

Performing Arts

Chamber Music Series

Heath String Quartet
November 6, 2016

David Lisker - violin
November 22, 2016

Mobius Guitar Trio
February 26, 2017

David Kaplan - piano
March 25, 2017

Cedarhurst Choral Project
Holiday Concert
December 18, 2016

An Evening of Jazz
Victor Goines Quintet
February 11, 2017

Performances for Youth

Witches Brew: Storyteller Bobby Norfolk
October 8, 2016

Ready, Jet, GO!
April 27, 2016

High School CedarHouse
April 4, 2017

School Learning

In-School Programs

Elephant and Piggie! Clay Elephant

The Pout-Pout Fish: Clay Fish

Miss Spider's Tea Party

Picasso Flowers

Where the Wild Things Are

Sole Pendants

Navajo Pottery

Magical Monets

Birch Tree Paintings

Clay Gargoyles

Clay Roses

Byzantine Medallions

Bubbles in Art

Aztec Suns

Dragons Love Tacos

Paint Like Pollock

Performing Arts Programs for Students

Violin Rocks!

November 16, 2016

Alice in Wonderland

December 1, 2016

Chinese Acrobats

February 7, 2017

Aesop's Fables

March 2, 2017

Robotics

April 5, 2017

Bubbles Wonders!

May 10, 2017

African American History Month Collaboration

Blues in the Schools, featuring James "Super Chikan" Johnson

February 2017

Fifth Grade Fun Days

May 2017

Family Learning

Family Days

Clay Dinosaurs

October 1, 2016

Fall Foliage

November 19, 2016

Wintertime Cardinals

January 7, 2017

Clay Name Plaques

February 25, 2017

Come Fly a Kite!

April 15, 2017

Beads and Bracelets

June 3, 2017

Summer Seascapes

July 22, 2017

Friday Morning Story Time

Trick or Treat

October 7, 2016

Gobble, Gobble!

November 4, 2016

Santa, Stop Here!

December 2, 2016

Winter Tales

January 6, 2017

Be My Valentine

February 3, 2017

Rainbows and Gold

March 3, 2017

This is Not a Box

April 7, 2017

May Flowers

May 5, 2017

Let's Go to the Zoo
June 2, 2017

Fish Friends
July 7, 2017

Fun at the Beach
August 4, 2017

Apple Orchard
September 1, 2017

Adult Learning

Cedarhurst Book Club

The Lost Carving: A Journey to the Heart of Making, by David Esterly
November 2, 2017

The Gardner Heist: The True Story of the World's Largest Unsolved Art Theft, by Ulrich Boser
January 4, 2017

Confessions of an Art Addict, by Peggy Guggenheim
March 1, 2017

The \$12 million Stuffed Shark: The Curious Economics of Contemporary Art, by Don Thompson
May 3, 2017

Before the Fall, by Noah Hawley
July 5, 2017

The Lady in Gold: The Extraordinary Tale of Gustav Klimt's Masterpiece, Portrait of Adele Bloch-Bauer, by Anne-Marie O'Connor
September 6, 2017

Gallery Talks

Howard Jones, artist
October 29, 2016

Noriko Yuasa, Professor at Webster University, St. Louis
November 6, 2016

John Foster, collector
February 18, 2017

Rusty Freeman, Cedarhurst Director of Visual Arts

March 26, 2017; July 6, 2018; August 3, 2017

Hunter Creel, Michael Terra, Kyra Wilson, Debbie Wilson, Patty Chalmers, and Larry Stock, artists

July 13, 2018

Dr. Kenneth Sembach, Director of the Space Telescope and Science Institute

August 18, 2018

Hands-On Learning

Classes and Workshops

Fall Session

September – December 2016

Animal Overlays: Quilt Workshop with Janet Fogg

October 7-9, 2016

Watercolor Workshop with Joye Moon

April 21-23, 2017

Spring Session

March – May 2017

Summer Art Camp

July 2017, Grades K-12

ABCs and Art: Fine Art for Little Fingers

Wednesday mornings, PreK

Art Time After School Program

Tuesday afternoons, Grades K-5

Special Events

Holiday Luncheons at the Mitchell

December 6-9, 2016

New Year's Eve Extravaganza

December 31, 2016

GALA: Giving through Art, Learning through Art

March 11, 2017

Thursday Night Live!

June-August 2017

Night at the Museum

June 10, 2017

Bed-Turning Program
August 27, 2017

Cedarhurst Craft Fair
September 8-10, 2017

Ironclad Art: The Motorcycle
September 24, 2017

The Happening
October 16, 2016, Oktoberfest Sculpture Walk
February 24, 2017, Photos of the Flesh
April 28, 2017, Get Up, Stand Up: Exploring Activism through the Arts
July 8, 2017, Blues and Brews: Featuring Lurrie Bell and the Chicago Blues Band
August 18, 2017, Pre-Eclipse Blackout: Featuring Dr. Kenneth Sembach, Director of the
Space Telescope Science Institute

ACQUISITIONS (FY 2016-17)

2017.1

Kathleen Holmes
Venus Verde
sculpture
Gifted Feb 14, 2017, by the artist

2017.2

Jeff and Karen Boshart
Framed
sculpture
Gifted March 2, 2017, by the artist

VOLUNTEERS (FY 2016-17)

Cedarhurst Administrative Counselors

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FISCAL YEAR 2017-18 PROGRAMS

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Main Gallery Exhibitions

The 27th Cedarhurst Biennial
July 30 – October 8, 2017

The Quiet Object: The Cabinetry of Kyle Kinser
October 22 – December 31, 2017

The 44th Scholastic Art Awards
January 14 – February 4, 2018

Paul Strand and the Masters of American Photography
February 18 – April 29, 2018

40 Chances: Finding Hope in a Hungry World
May 13 – July 8, 2018

The Legacy of Marejon Sue Shrode
July 28 – October 8, 2018

Beal Grand Corridor Gallery Exhibitions

28th Annual Gathering of Quilts

August 30 – October 8, 2017

A Place for All People: Introducing the National Museum of African American History

October 22 – December 31, 2017

The 44th Annual Scholastic Art Awards

January 14 – February 4, 2018

New Work by Students, Faculty and Staff, Department of Cinema and Photography, Southern Illinois University-Carbondale

February 18 – April 29, 2018

The Photography of MVTHS Future Farmers of America

May 13 – July 15, 2018

29th Annual Gathering of Quilts

August 29 – October 7, 2018

Barbara J. Beck Family Education Center Gallery Exhibitions

Snuggle and Snooze: Quilts for Children

July 30 – October 8, 2017

Family Center Closed for Renovations

October 22 – December 31, 2017

Amazing After School Art

January 14 – February 4, 2018

Colors in Art: Works from the Permanent Collection

February 18 – April 29, 2018

People Too: Musical Improv

May 13 – July 15, 2018

Snuggle and Snooze: Quilts for Children

July 29 – October 7, 2018

Regenhardt Gallery, M. S. Shrode Art Center Exhibitions

28th Annual Gathering of Quilts

August 30 – October 8, 2017

Shrode Photography Competition Exhibition

October 22 – December 31, 2017

Regional Spotlight: The Artwork of Glen Etheridge and Robert Lorenz
January 14 – February 4, 2018

Shrode Fine Art and Craft Competition Exhibiton
February 18 – April 29, 2018

Creativity Redefined: The Square Foot Challenge
May 13 – July 15, 2018

29th Annual Gathering of Quilts
August 29 – October 7, 2018

Performing Arts

Chamber Music Series

Attacca Quartet
September 23, 2017

Larry Weng - pianist
November 18, 2017

Shtrykov-Tanaka Duo
March 4, 2018

Trio Settecento
March 24, 2018

Ensemble Aubade
March 20, 2016

Cedarhurst Choral Project

Holiday Concert
December 17, 2017

Performances for Youth

Witches Brew: Sherry Norfolk
October 14, 2017

WSIU Collaboration: Pinkalicious
April 14, 2018

High School CedarHouse
April 10, 2018

School Learning

In-School Programs

Elephant and Piggie!
The Pout Pout Clay Fish

Miss Spider's Tea Party
Picasso Flowers
If You Give a Mouse a Cookie
Where the Wild Things Are
Sole Pendants
Bubbles in Art
Navajo Pottery
Magical Monets
Birch Tree Paintings
Clay Gargoyles
Clay Roses
Byzantine Medallions
Clay: It's Greek to Me!
Paint Like Pollock
Aztec Suns
Name Plaques

Performing Arts Programs for Students

Native Pride
November 16, 2017

Holidays Around the World
December 8, 2017

Diary of Anne Frank
February 23, 2018

Huck and Tom and the Mighty Mississippi
March 8, 2018

Barynya
April 13, 2018

Wild About Animals!
May 8, 2018

African American History Month Collaboration

Reggae Revolution
February 2016

Fifth Grade Fun Days
May 2018

Family Learning

Family Days
Ghosts, Goblins, and Gargoyles
October 28, 2017

Let it Snow!
December 16, 2017

Valentines
February 3, 2018

Spring Painting
March 24, 2018

Fairy Garden Accessories
May 12, 2018

Jungle Painting
June 30, 2018

Color Collage
August 18, 2018

Friday Morning Story Time
Things that Go Bump in the Night!
October 6, 2017

Pilgrims and Pumpkins
November 3, 2018

Christmas Cookies
December 1, 2018

Arctic Animals
January 5, 2018

Hearts and Hugs
February 2, 2018

Leprechauns and Rainbows
March 2, 2018

The Very Hungry Caterpillar
April 6, 2018

Going on Safari
May 4, 2018

Outer Space Fun
June 1, 2018

Sun and Sand
July 6, 2018

Shapes and Colors
August 3, 2018

Back to School!
September 7, 2018

Adult Learning

Cedarhurst Book Club

Portrait of a Killer: Jack the Ripper, by Patricia Cornwell
November 1, 2017

The Great Nadar: The Man Behind the Camera, by Adam Begley
January 3, 2018

Journey through the Half Door, by Rusty Watson
March 7, 2018

Origin: A Novel, by Dan Brown
May 2, 2018

40 Chances: Finding Hope in a Hungry World, by Howard G. Buffett
July 11, 2018

Broad Strokes: 15 Women who Made Art and Made History (In That Order)
September 5, 2018

Art, Coffee, and Conversation

October 4, 2017; December 6, 2017; February 7, 2018; April 4, 2018; June 6, 2018;
August 1, 2018;

Gallery Talks

Kyle Kinser, artist
November 4, 2017

Glen Etheridge and Robert Lorenz, artists
January 13, 2018

Rusty Freeman, Cedarhurst Director of Visual Arts
February 17, 2018; April 22, 2018; May 12, 2018; July 28, 2018; August 9, 2018

Creativity Redefined! artists
July 15, 2018

Hands-On Learning

Classes and Workshops

Fall Session

October - December 2017

Complex Stars, Simple Steps: Quilt Workshop with Cheryl Malkowski

September 29 – October 1, 2017

Spring Session

March - May 2018

Watercolor Workshop with Joye Moon

April 20-22, 2018

Summer Camp for Kids

July 2018

ABCs and Art: Fine Art for Little Fingers

Wednesday and Thursday mornings, PreK

Art Time after school program

Tuesday afternoons, Grades K-5

Special Events

Holiday Luncheons at the Mitchell

December 5-9, 2017

Cedarhurst Tour de 27th

November 4, 2017

Night at the Museum

June 15, 2018

Thursday Night Live!

June-August 2018

Bed-Turning Program

August 19, 2018

Cedarhurst Art and Craft Fair

September 7-9, 2018

Ironclad Art: The Motorcycle

September 23, 2018

The Happening

October 6, 2017, Oktoberfest Hayride

February 16, 2018, Savage: Anything but Clothes Fashion Challenge

May 18, 2018, Reggae Festival: Featuring The Yard Squad
July 7, 2018, Blues and Brews: Featuring Big George Brock and the New House Rockers

ACQUISITIONS (FY 2017-18)

NA2017.1
Alfio Bonanno
Cedarhurst, July 2001
Watercolor on paper
Gifted by David Wood on December 31, 2017

2017.3
CJ McCarrick
Women Gathering
sculpture
Museum purchase April 18, 2017

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