

WHO WE ARE

Society of the Arts (SOTA) is a nonprofit cultural organization founded in 1964 with a mission to support the Allentown Art Museum's presentation of outstanding artistic programs. SOTA volunteers help the Museum staff throughout the year; they lead docent tours, help children and families in Art Ways, assist in the Museum store and much more. Our organization holds fundraisers like Luncheon with the Authors and SOTA Showhouses to financially support the Museum. Throughout our sixty-year history, SOTA has contributed generously to the Allentown Art Museum. Our gifts have included funds to purchase more than 370 prints for the Museum's collections through the SOTA Print Fund, the creation of the SOTA Education Endowment, financial support for Free Admission For All, "Art Ways" and other Museum educational needs. Society of the Arts is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit.

The Society of the Arts is an organization fully committed to diversity, equity and inclusion in principle and in practice.

SOTA is dedicated to advancing and promoting the mission of the Allentown Art Museum, in our community and beyond.

READY TO JOIN?

We are a dynamic and talented group of volunteers who enjoy working together to support the Allentown Art Museum. Are you ready to join us?



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Supporting the Allentown Art
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FUN AND FULFILLING VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



Allentown Art Museum visitors encounter friendly, knowledgeable members of SOTA leading tours of the exhibits and helping families with art activities. You will always see a welcoming face of SOTA volunteers dusting in the galleries, ringing up sales at the Museum store, and greeting guests at special events. Visitors to SOTA's fabulous Show House fundraiser experience our group's creativity and planning capabilities. These are just a few examples of the many ways that SOTA is involved inside and outside of the Museum.

ADVANTAGES OF MEMBERSHIP

SOTA offers a wide variety of volunteer opportunities to fit an array of talents, schedules and interests. Whether you want to learn more about art, work with children, or simply enjoy interacting with others in a dynamic organization, there is something for everyone! We have five general meetings a year, but the days, times, and locations for committee and project participation vary a great deal, allowing involvement for working members. We also have a wonderful Apprentice program to help new members meet others and get involved.

