

2021 BRMAA YEAR IN REVIEW



1100+

ACTIVE BRMAA MEMBERS

300+

105

380

LOYAL MEMBERS SINCE 2015 & BEYOND 1,756

ART CENTER CONSIGNMENT PIECES

\$40,131 GALLERY SALES IN 2021 \$286,100 GALLERY SALES SINCE 2015

RESOURCE ARTISTS NEW MEMBERS IN 2021

BUSINESSES
IN OUR BUSINESS
PARTNER PROGRAM

OVER 150 LOCAL AND REGIONAL BUSINESS AND PRIVATE PARTNERS

\$989,000

IN TOTAL ECONOMIC IMPACT

VIA ORGANIZATIONAL EFFORTS



SPRING AND FALL ARTS IN THE PARK RETURNED WITH

RECORD-BREAKING NUMBERS

AND SERVED OVER 244
ARTISTS & VENDORS

EFFORTS

STAFF, DOCENT AND BOARD OF DIRECTORS HOURS

9,375

175
SAAG GUILD

SAAG GUILD MEMBERS

BLUE RIDGE CARVERS

BLUE RIDGE DRAWING GROUP

BLUE RIDGE POETS & WRITERS

FIBER ARTS GROUP

817
CLASS
ATTENDEES

166

CLASSES OFFERED

27

EXHIBITS & EVENTS

50 STATES & WASHINGTON DC

35,000+
INDIVIDUALS IMPACTED
AND ENGAGED BY
BRMAA'S EFFORTS

RECIPIENT OF

– 2021 GCA BRIDGE GRANT

– 2021 FANNIN TOURISM PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT GRANT

IN 2021, BRMAA BEGAN IMPLEMENTING A PUBLIC ARTS PROGRAM ENTITLED BLUE RIDGE PUBLIC ARTSCAPE

MISSION STATEMENT

PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES IN THE REALM OF ART FOR PERSONAL GROWTH OF THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE ECONOMIC GROWTH OF OUR COMMUNITY:

- ENHANCE AND PRESERVE THE QUALITY AND ACCESSIBILITY OF THE ARTS.
- HONOR OUR RICH HERITAGE OF MOUNTAIN CULTURE
- PROMOTE CONTEMPORARY MULTI-CULTURAL ARTS
- CATALYST FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN THE COMMUNITY