

CULTURAL ARTS



JAN DEMPSEY COMMUNITY ARTS CENTER (JDCAC): A facility of the City's Parks and Recreation department containing an art gallery, two studio/classrooms, a children's gallery, a conference room and a performance room. The City's arts center provides area residents with access to an outstanding active schedule of exhibitions, visual arts, concerts, theatre, dance, lectures, art classes, and special events for adults and children throughout the year. JDCAC also provides artists, dancers, and actors the opportunity to offer programs and instructional classes to area citizens. <http://www.auburnalabama.org/arts>



JULE COLLINS SMITH MUSEUM OF FINE ART (JCSM): Auburn University's 40,000 square foot museum includes a landscape of 15 acres with botanical gardens, walking paths, and a lake. JCSM offers a permanent collection, a children's program, lectures by artists and scholars, traveling exhibitions, and concerts. The museum's interior includes a large lobby, café, gift shop, an auditorium, and a sun-filled terrace that overlooks the lake. Jule Collins is in the 6 percentile of American museums that are accredited. <http://www.julecollinssmithmuseum.com>



AUBURN UNIVERSITY TELFAIR B. PEET THEATRE: Provides classical and modern productions year-round, located at the corner of East Samford Avenue and Duncan Drive at Auburn University. <http://www.auburnl.edu/theatre>

AUBURN AREA COMMUNITY THEATRE: Offers citizens education and participation in theatre. <http://www.auburnact.org>

AUBURN UNIVERSITY JONATHAN B. LOVELACE ATHLETIC MUSEUM & HALL OF HONOR: Displays and honors the history of collegiate athletics at Auburn University, located at the Auburn Arena (250 Beard-Eaves Ct.).

MUSEUM OF EAST ALABAMA: Exhibits historical items and memorabilia in Opelika, AL. <http://www.eastalabama.org>

ALABAMA SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL: Produces classics from ancient to modern times and attracts visitors from all 50 states and over 50 countries each year. The internationally acclaimed Shakespeare Festival is located 50 miles from Auburn in Montgomery, Alabama. <http://www.asf.net>

COLUMBUS MUSEUM: A very unique focus on American art and regional history. One of the southeast's largest museums is located 35 miles from Auburn in Columbus, Georgia. <http://www.colubusmuseum.com>

AUBURN ARTS ASSOCIATION: Offers quality arts for youth, arts initiatives, scholarships, arts education, social activities, and professional opportunities for area artists (222 E. Drake Ave.). <http://www.auburnartsassociation.org>

AUBURN COMMUNITY ORCHESTRA: Presents orchestral concerts to area residents throughout each year.

AUBURN CITYKIDS: Exposes at-risk children to the arts. The program offers children the opportunity to learn in a fun and comfortable environment as well as develop meaningful relationships.

OPELIKA CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS: An 1,200 seat hall which hosts major theatre productions and events throughout each year in Opelika, AL. <http://www.eastalabamaarts.org>

THE ARTS ASSOCIATION OF EAST ALABAMA: Provides arts education and events. <http://www.eastalabamaarts.org>

STUDIO 222: A group of artists that explore, experiment, and enjoy working in fiber and related art form.