

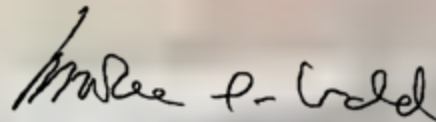
JOE'S MOVEMENT EMPORIUM FY20 ANNUAL REPORT



ONE ORGANIZATION, TWO GREAT VENUES.

2020: A Year Unlike No Other

2020 introduced many challenges to the organization and to the world. A global pandemic, rampant racial inequity, and political upheaval caused Joe's Movement Emporium and the month-old Creative Suitland Arts Center to shut their doors, re-consider programming, and quickly learn how to operate in a virtual space. Given that we at Joe's are experts at "moving," we adapted, stayed positive and flexible, and reopened with strict safety protocols and reduced availability. We stand grateful to serve the Joe's community through arts education, wellness programs, and performances both live and online. Our job training program saw a 100% graduation rate and an enthusiastic new class of 2021. Finally, while we revised our budget, we maintained financial stability and in good shape to tackle post-pandemic life. All of this happened because of our dedicated, hard-working staff and our supportive community. Thank you for believing in us. We cannot wait to welcome you back to Joe's!



Brooke Kidd
Executive Director



INTRODUCING CREATIVE SUITLAND

A new place for the residents of Greater Suitland to gather, convene, and connect via cultural experiences, workshops, and creative placemaking.

CREATIVE SUITLAND ARTS CENTER GRAND OPENING

FEBRUARY 2020



CREATIVE SUITLAND FY20 HIGHLIGHTS

Staff made sure guests received a free t-shirt at the grand opening.



The main 150-seat theatre is a flexible space that holds performances, special events, and a marketplace featuring local vendors

Summer 2020 saw Creative Suitland's parking lot serving as one of five food distribution sites for County Executive Angela Alsobrook's (seen here) Stand Up and Deliver Program.



Certified Yoga Instructor Lisa Renee led a yoga class on opening weekend to introduce the movement and wellness classes the center plans to offer in its rehearsal studios.

Artist Partner and one of Creative Suitland's first donors artbae studio poses by the studio named after them because of their generous support.



During opening weekend, Artist Partner Sew Creative Lounge opened their doors to participants of all ages.

EMPTY SPACES TO CREATIVE PLACES



- Creative Suitland’s creative placemaking initiative to work with artists and local business to enhance Creative Suitland Arts Center and the Greater Suitland Corridor.
- Funding provided by The National Endowment for the Arts Our Town Grant and Prince George’s County Community Impact Grant.
- Initiatives include:
 - Transforming the parking lot and facade of the building into the Creative Commons, which will include a gathering space and farmer’s market.
 - Building an outdoor stage.
 - Getting the community and local artists to create murals in the arts center’s parking lot.

EMPTY SPACES CREATIVE PLACES

This site plan shows the exciting options residents will have upon completion of the project. In addition to area residents the initiative hopes to attract Suitland Metro Station's public transit users, community organizations, Prince George's County agencies, and employees of the large federal office campus, Suitland Federal Center, adjacent to the Arts Center property.

The site plan shows an outdoor area with several key features and callouts:

- Better Block Bin**: Located at the top right, with a callout image showing a colorful bunting display.
- Food Truck Parking**: Located below the Better Block Bin, with a callout image showing people dining at an outdoor table.
- Lighting**: Indicated by blue circles on the plan, with a callout image showing a stage area.
- Stage Options**: A callout image showing a white arched stage structure.
- Interactive Seating/Play Area**: A callout image showing a colorful play structure with people sitting on it.
- Outdoor Workout/Work Areas**: A callout image showing people exercising on a wooden deck.
- Seating Arrangements**: A callout image showing people sitting on wooden pallets.

Other features on the plan include: **Existing Building** (large grey area at the bottom), **Staff Parking** (small grey area), **ArtWalk** (indicated by a dashed line on the left), and **Seating/Dining** (indicated by a dashed line on the right).

A group of children in a dance studio, some wearing masks, with their arms outstretched. The studio has a wooden floor and a blue wall with a ballet barre. A blue banner with white text is overlaid on the image.

REMEMBERING FY20

If the walls of this building could talk, they would regale us with stories of joyous dancing, emphatic pledges of social justice, local artisans sharing their amazing wares, and the riotous laughter of children.

Letter to community regarding the shutdown, March 2020

THE PIVOT DURING THE PANDEMIC

Joe's Movement Emporium and Creative Suitland followed state guidelines and shut their doors with the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic. This timeline shows how Joe's shifted its operations to continue to serve its community.

March 2020

Joe's and Creative Suitland close to the public and **begin offering virtual versions of their adult classes and workshops.**

Summer 2020

CreativeWorks final showcase and the annual gala, **Joe's Creative Revolution**, are live streamed on YouTube. Joe's and Creative Suitland present performances with their **Outdoor Performance Series** and **Front Porch Series**

Spring 2020

Club Joe's opens its doors for **childcare services for Essential Personnel**. Creative Suitland begins **classes in self-care and professional development**. Virtual open mics and film screenings are also offered. All **CreativeWorks** classes are offered online and **100% of the participating seniors graduate from high school.**

Fall 2020

Both facilities open for **area artists to rehearse and record virtual performances**. Joe's welcomes students back to **Club Joe's**. Partnering with other county organizations, Joe's forms the **Anti-Racist Coalition** and co-sponsors online conversations with Ibrahim X. Kendi and Jason Reynolds.

Looking ahead to 2021

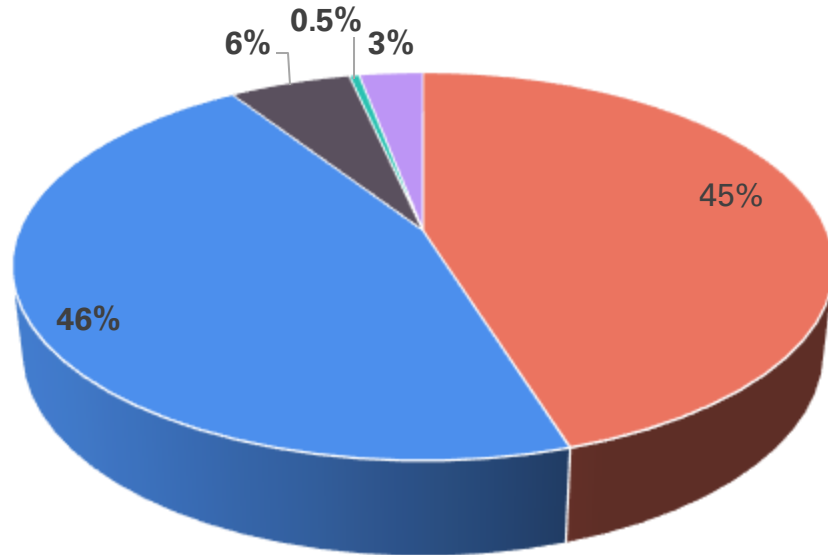
Arts education will continue to offer virtual classes for families and teachers via the partnerships with **Community Schools**. Summer will see the return of **Summer Arts Learning**. Creative Suitland kicks off their creative placemaking initiative, **Empty Spaces to Creative Places**, and continue to rise global popularity with their wellness workshops. Joe's and Creative Suitland will sponsor a black wellness and business-focused event, **Black on the Block**, in the spring. Both facilities will offer **live performances** in the summer.

Late Fall/Winter 2020

CreativeWorks welcomes the class of 2021 with all virtual classes. **Creative Suitland** offers an event to celebrate **Kwanzaa**—it is well received. Joe's **annual Craft Fair** is offered online and is popular enough to be offered again in March 2021. A **call for artists** is posted for the upcoming season.

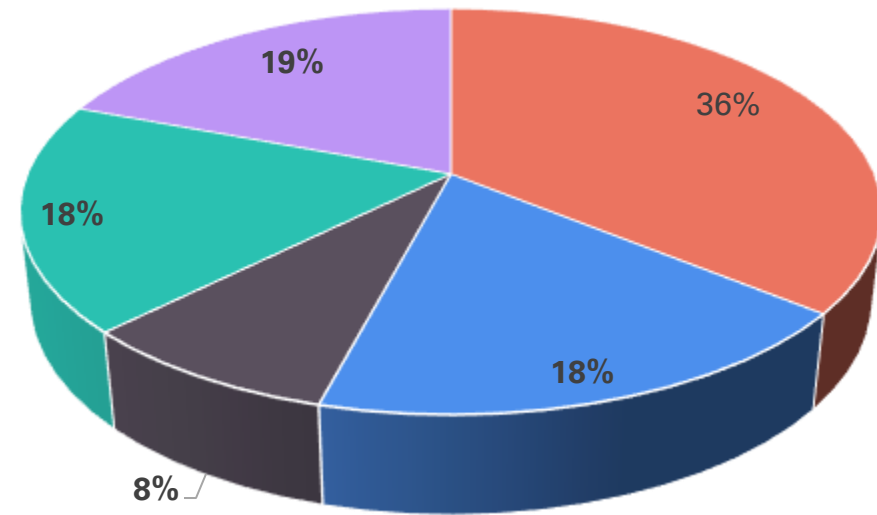
FY20 FINANCIALS

FY20 Revenue: \$1,757,842



- Contributed Revenue
- Earned Revenue
- In-Kind Contributions
- Interest & Other Income
- Special Events

FY20 Expenses: \$1,727,865



- Arts Education
- Community Programs
- Theatre & Production
- CreativeWorks
- General Operating Support

FY20 CONTRIBUTED REVENUE

JULY 1, 2019 – JUNE 30, 2020

\$100,000+

Prince George's County Council

\$50,000 - \$99,999

Philip L. Graham Fund

Maryland State Arts Council

\$25,000 - \$49,999

The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation

Clark-Winchcole Foundation

Greater Washington Community Foundation

Venture Philanthropy Partners

\$10,000 - \$24,999

Harman Family Foundation

The George Preston Marshall Foundation

Maryland Department of Commerce

Kesh Narayanan & Annelie Wilde

Truist

Wells Fargo

\$5,000 - \$9,999

The Cheney Enterprises Foundation Fund

Continental Construction

Crescent Cities Charities

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Charles and Janet Kidd

Landex Development, LLC

The Morgan Fund at Seattle Foundation

Prince George's County Council District 7

Mary Jo Putney

The Nora Roberts Foundation

Victor Shargai & Craig Pascal

\$1,000 - \$4,999

Artbae

Ann and Jonathan Barrett

Margaret & Pamela Boozer-Strother

Thelma Boyd

Al Briggs & Vanessa Dixon-Briggs

Nicole Burton & Jim Landry

Caldwell Community Chapel

Adrienne Charles

Rose Ann Cleveland

College Park Rotary Club

Mary Jane Coolen & Edward Terry

Gretchen Dunn

Robert & Alaine Duncan

Nassim Ebrahimi

Jeff Goodman

Bill Grossman Fund of the Isidore

Grossman Foundation

John Hannon and Julie Huff

Michael Herman

Edie Johnston

Hiram Larew

The Maplesden Group

Maryland Milestones/ATHA Inc.

Maryland-National Capital Park and

Planning Commission

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Timothy Meyer & Valerie Woodall

The Michael Companies, Inc.

Mark & Leslie Montroll

Doyle Niemann and Karen Morrill

Kathleen Osore

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Prince George's Community College

Prince George's County Council

District 2

Prince George's County Council

District 3

Prince George's County Council

District 4

Frances Toler

FY20 CONTRIBUTED REVENUE

JULY 1, 2019 – JUNE 30, 2020

\$500 - \$999

Bright Solutions II, LLC
The Catalogue for Philanthropy
Hannah Cole-Chu
Alana Cole-Faber
Rishi Das
Julie Egermayer
Elizabeth McMeekin
End Time Harvest Ministries, Inc.
Madeleine Golde
Happenstance Theater
Dr. Khademi's Injury Centers, PC
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Carla Reid Household
Juan Rodriguez
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Larry & Kay Taub
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Alyce Thompson
Tamara Williams
Carolyn Wilson & Gabe Minc
Laura Wilson

\$100 - \$499

Valarie Ashley
Chris Barnicle
Manohar Bartakke
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Carol Barthel
Loraine Bennett
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Town of Bladensburg
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Carrie Dike
Sara Donnelly
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Imani Drayton-Hill & Bobby Hill
Herbert Drower
Jessica & Peter Ellis
Franklin's Restaurant
Kathy & Jerry Freshley
Sara Gibson
Barbara Goliday
Joseph C. Green
Kevin Green &
Keith Hershberger
Abby Greenwell
Hannah Grisar
Lara Gudé
Paula Hawkins
Cortez Hayes
Robert Herman &
Barbara Wien
Debbie Heuckeroth
Rachel Hinton
Shawn Hintz
Deirdre Holder

The Honorable Jolene Ivey
Monica Huber
Jonathan & Janice Hunter
Marc Kapastin
Kristen Kastelic
Mary Kennedy
Tim Kime
Montique King
Andrew Kirkland
Pamela Kogan
Connie Kresge
Stuart & Martha Land
Nancy Lineman
Sara Macleod
Rumi Matsuyama
Susan McCutchen
Mimi & Steve
McKindley-Ward
Racquel McMullins
Eric McRae
Penelope Mendoza
Ann Miles
Mary Frances Muzzi
Christina Nichols &
Diane Russell

FY20 CONTRIBUTED REVENUE

JULY 1, 2019 – JUNE 30, 2020

\$100 - \$499 (cont'd)

Crissman Nichols & Mary Agner
Joseph Nickens, Sr.
Shelley O'Brien
Vicki Onderdonk
Norman Oslik
John Paradiso
Jayne Paris
Alysia Peich
Carla Perlo
Jane Petkofsky
LaJoy Pruitt
Amanda Quisquinay
Robert Rand & Laura Bonkosky
Kyle Reeder
Jordan Reeves
Melissa Rosenberg
Laura Schandelmeier & Stephen Clapp
Jane Hirshberg Schmidt
Paula Schuman
Stephen J. Shaff
Jacqueline & Norman Sheffield
Douglas & Janis Sloane
Dan & Cathy Smith
Courtney Smothers

Shirley Snowden
Helga Sol
Pooja Sripad
Robert Stanton
Judith Steinfuhrer
Leonie Stephenson
Shawn Stone
Howard Stone, Jr.
Emily Strab
Jennifer Swan
Sylvia Syphax
Alex Teitelbaum
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Shahin Shikhaliyev
Lynn Thorp
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Patricia E. White
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Jennifer Williams
Nick & Ligia Williams

Martha Woodring
Tracie Yorke
Yorke Partners
Jared Yuster

*...and many wonderful contributors who
donated \$1 to \$99.*

CY20 EMERGENCY FUNDING RECEIVED

Date	Funder	Amount
April 17, 2020	PPP Loan	\$190,718
June 2, 2020	Maryland Dept. of Commerce Emergency Grant Relief Fund	\$10,000
June 22, 2020	SBA EIDL Loan	\$150,000
August 31, 2020	MD DHCD NORI Grant	\$40,000
September 30, 2020	Arts Forward Fund	\$30,000
October 22, 2020	NEA CARES Act	\$50,000
November 25, 2020	MSAC Emergency Grant	\$45,560
November 18, 2020	MD Dept. of Labor Layoff Aversion Grant	\$27,500
December 18, 2020	City of Mount Rainier COVID-19 Small Business Assistance Grant	\$3,333



ARTS EDUCATION

Now more than ever, we need creative outlets for kids, and hope for all—

Friend of Joe's Mary Jo Putney



CLUB JOE'S

Offered weekdays after school from 2 pm to 6 pm during the school year, serving 22 students daily. Club Joe's curriculum includes:

- **Creative Play:** opportunities daily for children to develop meaningful relationships with others and improve social skills.
- **Academic Support** in core subjects, as well as a program curriculum rich in elements of literacy, history and science.
- **Visual Arts** exploring art forms in an encouraging environment that promotes limitless creativity.
- **90 Minutes of Dance and Movement** including physical fitness, Step, Yoga, Gymnastics, Latin, African, Hip Hop and Modern dance styles.
- **Dedicated staff teaching with genuine care for children** with certifications in Child Growth and Development, Curriculum, Health & Safety, Mental Health, and Communication.

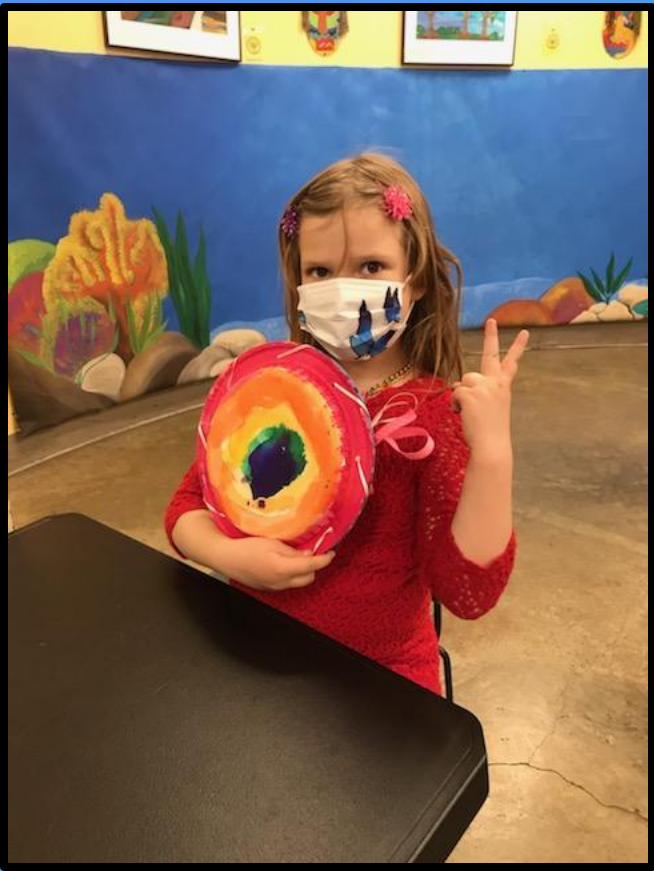
At the beginning of the school year, Club Joe's Academy operated from 8am to 2pm to support children of working families in a virtual linking pod. Students danced and creatively expressed themselves with staff during down time. Club Joe's Academy paused on October 31.



“Club Joe’s is a gift. Where else can kids go after a busy school day to be involved in an affordable high-quality arts program? My daughter has been exposed to so many classes that she otherwise wouldn’t have had access to. *Joe’s is the highlight of her day.* The staff at Joe’s are top notch and really care about their students. There is nothing comparable in our area.”

- Club Joe’s Parent

[Club Joe’s on YouTube](#)



SUMMER ARTS LEARNING

Joe's arts education is offered year-round under the Maryland Department of Education's Childcare license.

The in-person summer program held in 2020 served 14 – 20 students daily, with the hopes of opening the program to 45 students in 2021 for 10 weeks.

During the summer, participants can attend Joe's Summer Arts Learning Program Monday through Friday from 8 am to 3 pm and learn important social skills while enjoying the arts and interacting with other kids in their age group. Faculty design a fun curriculum that motivates the students. As a result of the pandemic, relaxation and mental focus activities have been added to the curriculum.



ARTS EDUCATION

VIRTUAL AND IN-PERSON

Joe's Arts Education Program is not limited to after-school or summer programs. Its reach is deep into the community.

THE ABILITY PROJECT

Pre-pandemic, Joe's welcomed 65 differently-abled participants from 3 schools to rehearse and perform a program filled with dance, spoken word and African drum. Students also participated in digital media workshops.

COVID-19 ASSISTANCE

In April 2020, Club Joe's received a contract from the State of Maryland and opened its doors to children of essential personnel free of charge.

SCHOOL PARTNERSHIPS FOCUSING ON CHILDREN, FAMILIES, AND TEACHERS

Prince George's County Public Schools recognized that families needed movement opportunities while schools operate virtually. Joe's offers arts education to school administration and families to include yoga, mindfulness, aerobic fitness and many dance styles to seven school communities.



CLUB JOE'S FOR ESSENTIAL EMPLOYEES



BEGINS
APRIL 20TH,
MONDAY-FRIDAY
8AM - 6PM



CreativeWorks

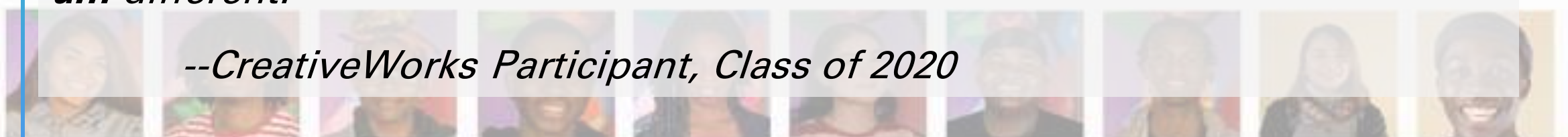
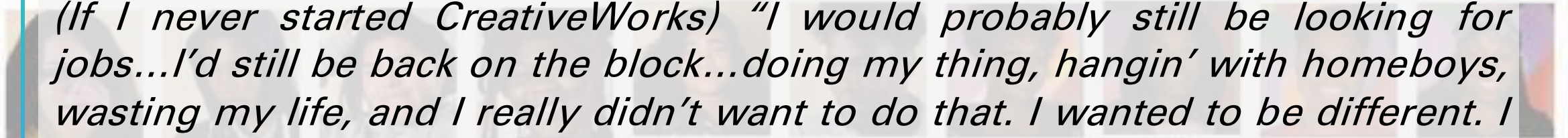
Class of 2020

Scholars, Artists and
Entrepreneurs

CREATIVWORKS

*(If I never started CreativeWorks) "I would probably still be looking for jobs...I'd still be back on the block...doing my thing, hangin' with homeboys, wasting my life, and I really didn't want to do that. I wanted to be different. I **am** different."*

--CreativeWorks Participant, Class of 2020



CREATIVESWORKS IS

A technical theatre and digital media job training program that prepares students ages 17-24 for a career and/or higher education in the creative industries.



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CREATIVWORKS ACHIEVEMENTS

FY20 ATTENDANCE

- 50 students in the year-long core training program
- 120 students attended intensives
- 460 students attended creative industry workshops

FY21 ATTENDANCE

- 45 students in the all-virtual, year-long core program
- 75 intensive participants YTD
- For the first time, created a waitlist for a third cohort
- Summer programs planned with Prince George's County Youth@Work/Summer Youth Enrichment Program (SYEP)

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

- **100% graduation rate for the Class of 2020 high school seniors**
- Students placed at Prince George's Community College and other organizations
- Established a paid internship program with The Smithsonian

Our Voices Matter:

A Celebration
of Black Lives
Through
Spoken Word,
Song, and Dance



**The
Kennedy
Center**

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This invitation-only initiative allowed Joe's CreativeWorks alumni to use their spoken word training and other performance talents and share their artistry with a global audience. The performance can be viewed at <https://www.kennedy-center.org/digitalstage/arts-across-america/our-voices-matter/>

Hands-On Training During A Global Pandemic

With COVID-19 crippling the creative industries and limiting opportunities for early-career professionals, CreativeWorks made sure its participants acquired the experience needed to start their careers. The Class of 2020 produced their final showcase and streamed it via YouTube live, with the Class of 2021 following in their footsteps and also adding innovative virtual content focusing on topics and artistic experiences that expanded the perspectives of the participants and their audiences.



JUNE 11TH
6 PM



COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

It was a fabulous concert! Thank you, Joe's Movement Emporium, for enriching our world!

**--Alaine Duncan, Joe's Outdoor Performance Series
audience member, Fall, 2020**

Livestreams of Discussions That Speak to Our Time



An exciting partnership with the Prince George's Memorial Library System, Prince George's Community College and the Human Relations Commission reached massive audiences by interviewing leading voices in anti-racism through an arts and cultural lens.

Thanks, Joe's, for hosting this event, and for being an amazing community organizer...

--Margaret Boozer-Strother, sharing the "How To Be An Antiracist" event on social media

PERFORMING SAFELY OUTDOORS

Joe's Outdoor Performance Series and Creative Suitland's Front Porch Series welcomed talented artists to the parking lots of both facilities most weekends July through October.



Opera and Contemporary vocalist
Jouelle Roberson at Creative
Suitland's Front Porch Series



Long-time Artist Partner Happenstance Theater
presented two performances of *Pinot and
Augustine* at Joe's in October.

ARTIST PARTNER PROGRAM

ACCESSIBLE WORK, REHEARSAL, AND PERFORMANCE SPACES



Joe's Artist Partner: Step Afrika!



Creative Suitland Artist Partner: artbae studio

FY20 ARTIST PARTNER ROSTER

JOE'S MOVEMENT EMPORIUM

- Adaggio Dance
- Ally Theatre Company
- Falling Leaf Aerial Dance Collective
- Happenstance Theater
- Silk Road Dance Company
- Katherine Smith Contemporary Dance Ensemble
- Soul in Motion African Dance and Drum
- Step Afrika!
- Taratibu Youth Association
- UpSpring Studio - Aerial Dance



Ally Theatre Company's
Dhana & The Rosebuds
by Federica Cellini

CREATIVE SUITLAND ARTS CENTER

- Banana Splits Visual Arts
- Kenney 'Rollo' Davis, Skating Instructor
- Girl Speak, Inc.
- Hipnott Records
- Ni Dembeya African Drum & Dance Ensemble
- On Point Cheer
- Substantial Art & Music, LLC (SAM)
- Jaime Sutton, Soles in Rhythm
- C. Thomas, Poet

Ni Dembeya African
Drum & Dance Ensemble
in rehearsal



JOE'S CLASSES & WORKSHOPS


BRINGING DANCE, FITNESS, AND WELLNESS INTO THE COMMUNITY'S LIVING ROOMS

JOE'S-AT-HOME: HEALING THROUGH THE ARTS

LIFTING ME HIGHER:

SPOKEN WORD POEMS OF POSITIVITY
with Karen Webber, Published Poet

PAY-WHAT-YOU-WISH
starting at \$5



Wednesday, June 3rd
at 4 PM EST via Zoom

www.joesmovement.org

JOE'S AT HOME: STORY CIRCLES

Led by Cathy Smith

Pay-What-You-Wish
starting at \$5

<https://tinyurl.com/yahh2xjs>

Topic: Surviving Financially

Join us to explore the unique stories—yours and others—emerging during the pandemic. Learn ways to tell your stories with coach Cathy Smith and special guest, Heath Carelock.

Featuring
Heath Carelock,
Program Director, Financial
Empowerment Center at
Prince Georges
Community College
Certified Financial
Counselor & Coach

June 4th at 6:30 PM
via Zoom

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MOVEMENT HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION
EMPORIUM

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Happy Hour Body Liberation Dance Party

WITH DIVA DARLING

FRIDAYS AT 4 PM EST
VIA ZOOM AND
FACEBOOK LIVE TODAY

PAY-WHAT-YOU-WISH
STARTING AT \$5



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Sexy Sassitude

WITH SKIPP

TUESDAYS AT
5 PM EST VIA ZOOM




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GENTLE BELLY DANCE WORKOUT

with JASMINA RAE

THURSDAYS
AT 11:30AM EST
VIA ZOOM



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STREET JAZZ

WITH SHANNON ASHLIA

MONDAYS @ 6 PM EST
VIA ZOOM

PAY-WHAT-YOU-WISH
STARTING AT \$5



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EMPORIUM

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CREATIVE SUITLAND'S CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

HELPING THE COMMUNITY THRIVE AT HOME, WORK, AND LIFE

CREATIVE SUITLAND - LIVING & WORKING SMART

JUNE SCHEDULE:
 June 3rd: "Spring Queens"
 June 17th: "Soul Rhythm & Blues"
 @6PM

HAPPY HOUR PAINT CLASS

Grab your paint, your canvas, & your drink of choice and vibe over RnB Music!

Hosted by Anna (@banana_split_studios)

Register for this [Pay-What-You-Can](#) Class at www.creativesuitland.org



CREATIVE SUITLAND - LIVING & WORKING SMART

CREATIVE DEVELOPMENT

How to earn Sustainable Money as a Working Artist

JUNE SCHEDULE:

- JUNE 8 - Positioning Pt. 1: How to Win with Commissions/Freelance Work
- JUNE 22 - Positioning Pt. 2: Why You Need a Damn Website

3PM EST.

Hosted by Alaina "PowerChick" Dorsey (@budiscreative)

Register Online at: www.creativesuitland.org



STARTER KIT

A WORKSHOP FOR CREATIVES WITH SUBSTANTIAL ART & MUSIC

**THURSDAY
APRIL 9TH
6PM TO 8PM**

GET STARTED ON YOUR PATH TO BECOMING A CREATIVE ENTREPRENEUR.



CREATIVE SUITLAND

VIBES + VINYASA

a donation-based class

Fridays at 7pm starting April 17

To register: bit.ly/LetsGetCreativeSuitland



CREATIVE SUITLAND - VIRTUAL WORKSHOP

with C. Thomas @i_am_cthomas

WRITING TO WELLNESS

A DISCUSSION-BASED POETRY WORKSHOP FOR NAVIGATING TRAUMA

EVERY 1ST & 3RD MONDAY @ 6PM

TO REGISTER: bit.ly/LetsGetCreativeSuitland

*Pay-What-You-Can!



CREATIVE SUITLAND - VIRTUAL DISCUSSION FORUM

HOW'S YOUR MENTAL HEALTH?

A DISCUSSION FORUM IN PARTNERSHIP WITH BLACK BOYS OM, INC.

Thursday, June 11th 7pm
FREE ADMISSION

Featured Panelists

Mario Austin Bryce Lewis Reginald Hubbard Rony Isaac

Moderator
Malachi E. Robinson
Director, Creative Suitland Arts Center

TO REGISTER: www.creativesuitland.org





PEOPLE

My granddaughters are thriving despite COVID and a good part of that is the experience they are having at Joe's - especially your amazing art teacher and the dance sessions ... Thank you for everything you do!

--Elizabeth Daniels

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**As of February 22, 2021*