

Peace River National Art Festival

A Visual Art Center Off Site Exhibit, Sale, and Festival

March 18 & 19, 2023 in Laishley Park, Punta Gorda

The Peace River National Art Festival will be holding its 18th annual event on March 18 & 19, 2023, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Laishley Park. The festival will present a kaleidoscope of creativity when it convenes on the banks of the Peace River in historic Punta Gorda. More than sixty nationally recognized artists will display their works including art glass, fiber arts, jewelry, leather goods, metalwork, oil paintings, photography, pottery, sculptures, and watercolor. The festival is hosted by the Visual Arts Center of Punta Gorda, who serves Charlotte County and beyond with three major galleries, an extensive arts library, an art supply store, and a gift gallery of unique hand-crafted items.

This two-day event draws over 8,000 visitors from Charlotte County and the surrounding areas. We are proud to receive outstanding support from the City of Punta Gorda to ensure a successful event each year.

What began as a fund raiser to repair the facility, has continued supporting the Visual Arts Center in Punta Gorda over the past decade as our signature event.

Calendar of Events:

- “Peace River National Art Festival” open March 18-19, from 9 am-4 pm.
- Entry fee \$5

This is always a fun event with so much to do! There will be music, food, drinks, and lots of great art to view and buy. The Visual Art Center is excited to bring this opportunity to local artists and to the community.

More information is available on our website, <https://visualartcenter.org>