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**PALISADES CENTER TO HOST**  
**NANUET SCHOOL DISTRICT'S ART AND CULTURE EVENT**

**WEST NYACK, N.Y. (March 2021):** Palisades Center will host the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Nanuet School District Art Department Exhibition in partnership with Nanuet and Beyond and the Greater Nanuet Chamber of Commerce. Twenty of Palisades Center's businesses will collectively display 100 works of art from Nanuet students ranging from Kindergarten to 12<sup>th</sup> grade. This year's art pieces were inspired by the theme, "Nanuet Together".

The works of art will be on display from March 19-April 2 in the following store front windows:

5-Wits	IHOP	Space Adventure Glow in the
Ardene	Lollipop Toy Shop	Dark Mini Golf
Blu Alehouse	Macy's (Level 1 & 2)	Spin Zone
BRIDGES	Old Navy	Verizon
Color Me Mine	Pepper Palace	Yard House
GAP	Sephora	Yogibo
Good Game Lounge		

Parents, students, and the community are encouraged to create their own "Nanuet Together" art walk using the online map and list of stores that will be available on [www.palisadescenter.com](http://www.palisadescenter.com), [www.nanuetandbeyond.org](http://www.nanuetandbeyond.org), and [www.nanuetchamber.com](http://www.nanuetchamber.com). A virtual compilation of the artwork will also be created following the exhibition and available on the respective websites and Facebook pages.

“Community outreach has been an important initiative of Palisades Center and the Center businesses participating in this event,” **said Darrin Houseman, General Manager of Palisades Center.** “It is an honor to host Nanuet School District’s Art and Culture Event this year. Our guests will love viewing the works of art from these extremely talented kids!”

“As a school district that values and prioritizes the celebration of the arts, we are thrilled to offer our community the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Nanuet School District Art and Cultural Exhibition at Palisades Center,” **said Dr. Kevin R. McCahill, Superintendent of the Nanuet Union Free School District.** “Our Mission asks that we always try and connect our classroom experiences with the greater community around us. Our ability to do this in such meaningful ways has improved significantly due to our special relationships with *Nanuet & Beyond*, The Greater Nanuet Chamber of Commerce, and The Town of Clarkstown. ‘Nanuet Together’ is the perfect theme for this exciting event!”

“Nanuet & Beyond is a non-profit organization created to support and provide educational opportunities for our youth that enhance existing program experiences both within and outside the classroom,” **said George Mollo, President of Nanuet and Beyond.** “One of our organization’s goals is to promote the advancement of art in our classrooms and community through programs like The Nanuet School District’s Art and Culture Event. We thank Palisades Center and the companies showcasing the art this year. Any donations received because of this event will go back to the community through donations and scholarships.”

“The Greater Nanuet Chamber of Commerce is grateful to the Palisades Center’s businesses for hosting the Art and Culture Event this year,” **said Susan Farese, President of The Greater Nanuet Chamber of Commerce.** “We encourage the community to view the artwork located throughout Palisades Center and donate what they can to Nanuet and Beyond for future student programs and scholarships.”

A kick-off event will take place on Saturday, March 20 at 12:00pm at Macy’s on Level One.

For more information on Nanuet & Beyond and/or Nanuet Chamber events and activities, visit [www.nanuetandbeyond.org](http://www.nanuetandbeyond.org) and [www.nanuetchamber.com](http://www.nanuetchamber.com). To learn more about Palisades Center’s events, visit [www.palisadescenter.com](http://www.palisadescenter.com).

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#### **About Palisades Center**

Palisades Center is a four-level shopping center offering 225 brands, 16 sit-down restaurants, a bowling alley, ice rink, the world’s tallest indoor ropes course, comedy club, and more. With its unique and diverse merchant mix, Palisades Center is the go-to place for local shoppers and tourists alike. To learn more, visit [www.palisadescenter.com](http://www.palisadescenter.com), [www.facebook.com/palisadescenter](https://www.facebook.com/palisadescenter), [www.twitter.com/palisadescntr](https://www.twitter.com/palisadescntr), or [www.instagram.com/palisadescntr](https://www.instagram.com/palisadescntr).

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#### **About Nanuet & Beyond**

*Nanuet & Beyond* is a newly established 501(c) 3 non-profit organization created to support and provide educational opportunities for our youth that enhance existing program experiences both within and outside the classroom. Further, Nanuet and Beyond supports community education opportunities for all groups, with the objective of enhancing the quality of life for those living in Nanuet and the surrounding communities. This will be accomplished by working in conjunction with school districts, private schools, businesses and other community organizations.

#### **About The Greater Nanuet Chamber of Commerce**

The Greater Nanuet Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to promoting and supporting the business, civic, and cultural vitality of Nanuet and local business communities through advocacy, leadership, and networking to create a vibrant, prosperous, environmentally sound, and strong community.