

Highlights from 2023

Thank you for your generous support this year. With your help we realized significant accomplishments that enabled us to share the joy of art across our wonderful city and beyond. Selected highlights are listed below.

- Working with partners across the city, we broadened the content of all of our programs and exhibitions to include many voices. This included working with a diverse group of curators, photographers, teaching artists, performing artists, and visual artists. The Collaborative and Jazz at The Kreeger continue to bring new voices to our gallery and performance spaces. We have introduced "pay-what-you-can" pricing for all ticketed events and offer complimentary tickets to many events and performances to faculty and students at DC schools and universities as well as DC artists.
- The Collaborative is an exhibition program that furthers our mission by supporting and spotlighting the immense talent of visual and performing artists in our city. We are honored to champion the work of these artists and provide many of them the opportunity to present their work in a museum for the first time. We mounted four exhibitions under *The Collaborative* in 2023 and presented work by 30 DC- area artists.
- Through our Jazz at The Kreeger series we presented 43 performing artists and welcomed full
 house performances all year. In addition, we hosted a sold-out Summer Jazz Celebration in the
 garden and were honored to present our seventh DC Jazz Festival concert in the Great Hall in
 September.
- When DC Public Schools resumed in-person school visits this fall, we were thrilled to welcome 322 students back to our gallery spaces for art talks and art-making workshops. 40% of these students were from underserved schools. We provided programs to 11 schools, 6 of which were designated as Title I schools. In addition to providing these programs at no cost to underserved schools, we cover the cost of transportation. The return of students to our gallery spaces and their eager and warm engagement with our teaching artists has been heartwarming.

With our gratitude and best wishes for the New Year