

Education in the Arts

The FACNRV's mission states that art is important to the life of a community and nourishes human development.

Our purpose is to foster an enjoyment, appreciation and understanding of visual and performing arts by the residents of the New River Valley and to encourage and support its artists.

The Fine Arts Center has long had the foresight to see what the impact of art education is to a community. The vision we have of the Rutherford Pontiac Property as the new Center continues as a visible symbol of the necessity that the arts have on our lives.

Please join us as we seek to renovate this structure for the community at large, and in doing so expand our services, classes, and exhibitions.

Top 10 Reasons to Renovate the Rutherford Building Property:

- **Property is already owned by the FACNRV**
- **Property is adjacent to those owned by the FACNRV: the Cabin and the Annex**
- **Building is structurally sound**
- **Building is historically significant and attractive**
- **Building and land allow for future expansion**
- **Plenty of parking available**
- **Building more than triples the space we currently have for exhibitions and classrooms**
- **Property is on a busy and visible corner entering Pulaski**
- **Property is visible from the Virginia's Wilderness Road (Route 11) Driving Trail**
- **Active committee is already in place**

FINE ARTS CENTER FOR THE NEW RIVER VALLEY

Rutherford Building Renovation Fund

Bringing the Arts through Education to the New River Valley



Rutherford Building

Through the generous gift of the Rutherford Pontiac Property by Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Rooker, from the estate of Mrs. Rutherford, the Fine Arts Center now owns a prime entrance to the Town of Pulaski, visible in both north and south-bound traffic on Rt. 11.

This mid-century modern steel-span building is not only visually striking but is structurally sound.

Plans call for a sculpture gallery, spaces for both our permanent collection and changing exhibits, classroom space for adults and children, lovely gardens and grounds, and a host of choice spaces for enhancing our arts programs:

- Clay
- Drawing
- Fiber
- Glass
- Painting
- Sculpture
- Wood, as well as
- Meeting facilities, and
- Museum exhibitions



The Rutherford Pontiac Property, corner of Washington Avenue and 5th Street
Adjacent to Virginia's Wilderness Road Driving Trail (Route 11)

Yes! I'm ready to help the FACNRV to seek its vision through the Rutherford Building Renovation Fund!

Pledge Card

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| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000 and up | Platinum Level |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000 to 99,999 | Gold Level |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$25,000 to 49,999 | Silver Level |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$10,000 to 24,999 | Bronze Level |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$5,000 to 9,999 | Visionary |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000 to 4,000 | Benefactor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 to 999 | Sponsor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 to 499 | Patron |
| <input type="checkbox"/> \$1 to 99 | Friend |

Name _____

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YES! I'm ready to help in any way I can to see this project succeed

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