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**Loring Park Art Festival to welcome art lovers July 29 and 30, 2023**

*Nationally-acclaimed family-friendly festival returns with 140 juried artists*

(Minneapolis, Minn.) April 20, 2023—The Loring Park Art Festival, a family-friendly Minneapolis tradition for more than 20 years, returns this summer with a line-up of 140 juried artists, including favorites from years past and many new artists as well. The two-day event is set for Saturday and Sunday, July 29 and 30, in Loring Park.

“Art-lovers of all ages will be delighted with this year’s heightened focus on the juxtaposition of great art with engaging family fun, all surrounded by the beauty of Loring Park,” said Pat Parnow, festival founder. “Families raved about last year’s festival citing the quality of the art, friendliness of the artists, and the relaxed atmosphere of the park. We’re excited to celebrate summer, beautiful artwork, music and great food with the Twin Cities.”

The festival’s jury strives to present a rich variety of styles and art forms, including jewelry, printmaking, glass, textiles, photography, painting, drawing, sculpture, wood working, ceramics, mixed media and more. A complete list of the 140 juried artists from Minnesota and throughout the nation will be shared in May, along with featured artists selected for 2023.

Artwork will be available at a wide range of prices, making it possible for art lovers to take home one-of-a-kind treasures.

**Quick details:** [www.loringparkartfestival.com](http://www.loringparkartfestival.com) Family events, food vendors, live music, and unique entertainment will be announced closer to the time of the event.

**Dates:** Saturday, July 29, 10 am to 6 pm / Sunday, June 30, 10 am to 5 pm

**Location:** Loring Park, 1382 Willow St., Minneapolis, 55403, at Oak Grove and Hennepin.

**Parking and Directions:** [www.loringparkartfestival.com/getting-there](http://www.loringparkartfestival.com/getting-there)

**Fee:** Festival is free of charge to all.

**Food and Beverage:** A variety of about 20 vendors with delicious offerings, including ethnic foods.

**Photos:** [www.loringparkartfestival.com/photos](http://www.loringparkartfestival.com/photos)

**About the Loring Park Art Festival**

The Loring Park Art Festival was founded in 1999 by Pat Parnow, Mary Ann Wunderlin and Carol Haubner. Cindy Jacobson joined Pat as artist partners in 2014 when Mary Ann and Carol retired. Since 2000, the festival has combined creative expression and community connectedness to surprise and delight all who attend. With beautiful ponds and formal gardens, Loring Park makes an idyllic spot to celebrate art, music, food and entertainment for two days each summer in downtown Minneapolis. This is the festival's 23rd year.

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