

Kansas City Art Institute
WARWICK SOCIETY EVENTS
2012

Thursday, Jan. 19
5-7 p.m.

Winter intersession class and gala 2012 sneak peek

Be the first to get a peek at the student creations for the 20120 gala, “Art as Magic: Be Transformed!” Join instructor Georgianna Londré Buchanan and her winter intersession class for critiques of their never-before-seen costumes. The class explores how perspectives in sculptural form can metamorphose in performance, assisted by animation and digital imagery. Come see what all the excitement is about!

Thursday, Feb. 23
6-7:30 p.m.

T2 + Back Alley Films

Check your winter blues at the door when you join us at T2 + Back Alley Films (www.t2.tv/) in the Crossroads Arts District. These two companies form a full service digital media company. T2 is a nationally recognized design and visual FX company, and Back Alley Films is the live actions/content creation arm. With the addition of the new digital media major at KCAI, we know you won’t want to miss this chance to get a feel for what it’s all about.

Saturday, April 14
6:30-11:30 p.m.

20120 gala: Art as Magic: Be Transformed

Benefitting the KCAI student scholarship fund, this elegant celebration of the KCAI’s bright future will feature cocktails, a gourmet dinner, dancing and an unforgettable, dazzling performance by KCAI students from the fiber and animation programs. Come and be fully immersed in the magic of the evening — “be transformed.” As always, Warwick Society members may receive a 10% discount on sponsorships/tickets.

May 17-20
(Thursday-Sunday)

“Save me, San Francisco”

Join President Jacqueline Chanda and your fellow Warwick Society members for an exciting spring trip to explore the arts, culture and food of San Francisco. Stay tuned for more details and get ready to head to that city on the bay.

Tuesday, June 5
6-7:30 p.m.

Tom Corbin Firehouse Studio

From fire station, to city hall, to private residence and now Corbin Studio, join us for an evening with Tom Corbin at Corbin Studio (www.corbinbronze.com). Tour the gallery space and artist’s studio as well as the sculpture garden on this lovely June evening. This will be a night you won’t want to miss.

Thursday, Sept. 20

6-7:30 p.m.

Home of President Dr. Jacqueline Chanda

Come and see how your Warwick Society membership gifts are making a positive impact on the lives of KCAI students. The Warwick Society members have graciously been invited to join KCAI president, Jacqueline Chanda, for an evening in her home. A very special part of the night will be the opportunity to hear presentations from selected scholarship students.

Tuesday, Oct. 16

6-7:30 p.m.

Drug Free Sport

Join us for a private reception to view the corporate art collection of Drug Free Sport at their national headquarters in Kansas City. Drug Free Sport is the premier provider of drug testing services, drug screening policies and drug education programs in sports (www.drugfreesport.com). You are sure to enjoy the art as well as the renovated contemporary interior of the building, designed by architecture firm el dorado inc. Fellow Warwick Society members Frank Uryasz, CEO of Drug Free Sport, and Ann Uryasz will be our hosts for this special evening.

Saturday, Nov. 3

1-4 p.m.

Afternoon with art history and creative writing students

Throw off your adult cares and come join KCAI's hard-working art history and creative writing majors and double majors for a rousing afternoon of student readings, lecture and fun. Join Michele Fricke, professor and program head of art history, and Phyllis Moore, Ph.D., associate professor and director of the School of Liberal Arts, to celebrate KCAI's two student publications: "Compendium" (a compilation of student writing and artwork) and "Sprung Formal," winner of the AWP (Associated Writers and Writing Programs) Director's Prize for Undergraduate Literary Magazines in 2008 and runner-up in 2010. All who come will receive a copy of the most recent issue of these two student productions.

Thursday, December 6

6:30-8 p.m.

Holiday party and plaza lights

Nothing says happy holidays like a festive party with friends overlooking the famous Plaza lights. Neighbors and fellow Warwick Society members, Lewis and Carol Berey and Charles and Leslie Herman are graciously opening their homes for a little Yuletide cheer. 'Tis the season to be jolly!