



"Enriching Our Communities Through Advancement of the Arts"

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SHOP FOR A CAUSE TO BENEFIT ALLIED ARTS

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., October 1, 2010 – On Sunday, October 10th from 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm, four local retailers – Nancy's; The Lime Leopard; Silks, Etc.; and Ruth Meyers – will be open for a special afternoon of shopping to benefit Allied Arts.

Shoppers will have special Sunday access to these stores and will receive a 10-percent discount at each location. In addition, each store will also donate 10 percent of the day's sales to Allied Arts. This event is open to patrons of Allied Arts as well as the general public.

"This will be a great opportunity for shoppers to not only receive a discount at these wonderful stores, but to also support the arts at the same time," said Deborah McAuliffe Senner, president and CEO of Allied Arts. "We thank these fantastic retailers for their participation in this event."

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About Allied Arts

As Oklahoma's only United Arts Fund, Allied Arts generates awareness of the importance of the arts, mobilizes support for arts and cultural organizations and funds arts education programs for Central Oklahoma school children. Founded in 1971, the organization has raised more than \$42 million to advance the arts in Oklahoma City and its surrounding communities.

Allied Arts' member agencies are:

- Ambassadors' Concert Choir
- Arts Council of Oklahoma City
- Canterbury Choral Society
- Carpenter Square Theatre
- Cimarron Opera
- City Arts Center
- Guy Fraser Harrison Academy
- Individual Artists of Oklahoma
- Lyric Theatre and Thelma Gaylord Academy
- Mabee-Gerrer Museum of Art
- Metropolitan School of Dance
- Oklahoma Children's Theatre
- Oklahoma City Ballet
- OK City Chorus
- Oklahoma City Museum of Art
- Oklahoma City Philharmonic
- Oklahoma Shakespeare in the Park
- Oklahoma Visual Arts Coalition
- Prairie Dance Theatre
- Science Museum Oklahoma

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