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MEDIA ADVISORY

Virtual MPAartfest Kicks Off with Drive-In Concert Starring the "Voices of Classic Soul"

The McLean Project for the Arts' 14th annual <u>MPAartfest 2020</u> will kick off on Sunday, October 4, 2020 with two drive-in concerts at the McLean Community Center. Starring the "<u>Voices of</u> <u>Classic Soul</u>"—a trio comprised of the lead singers from four legendary vocal groups: the Drifters, Four Tops, Platters, and Temptations—concerts will take place at 4pm and 6pm.

Virtual MPAartfest runs October 4 – 18, 2020. MPAartfest is made possible with the support of the McLean Community Center, and our partnership with the Fairfax County Park Authority.

- WHAT: MPAartfest Benefit Concert featuring the Voices of Classic Soul. The Voices of Classic Soul have been around the world and back again several times each as the lead singers of four legendary vocal groups the Drifters, Four Tops, Platters, and Temptations. Concert attendees are treated to incredible showmanship, classic dance moves, and some of the biggest hits of all time, including "My Girl", "The Way You Do the Things You Do", "Get Ready", "Only You", "Under the Boardwalk", "Save the Last Dance for Me", and many more.
- WHO: All are welcome
- WHEN: Sunday, October 4, 2020 at 4pm and 6pm
- WHERE: McLean Community Center parking lot (1234 Ingleside Avenue, McLean, VA 22101)
- HOW:
 Purchase tickets (\$25) for the MPAartfest Benefit Concert:

 <u>https://tinyurl.com/mpaartfestconcert</u>

 Given COVID safety concerns, attendees will be in (or on) their cars, parked every other space.

For more information visit <u>www.mpaart.org/</u> or call 703-216-1181.

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About MPA

MPA Exhibits, Educates and Inspires

McLean Project for the Arts (MPA) is one of the mid-Atlantic region's most respected contemporary visual arts organizations. MPA provides high-quality art exhibitions showcasing the work of established and emerging artists, educational programs, art classes, MPAartfest, summer art camps, and ArtReach, an award-winning program serving students in grades K – 12, seniors, and individuals with special needs. For more information, visit <u>www.mpaart.org</u>.

About MPAartfest

The McLean Project for the Arts will host its 14th annual MPAartfest on a new virtual platform due to the continuing pandemic. This year's festival will run Sunday, October 4 through Sunday, October 18, 2020, and will feature contemporary art, special musical performances from some of the DC-area's best musical talents, a virtual version of the much-loved New Dominion Women's Club Children's Art Walk, the participation of many McLean Community organizations, and daily artist studio talks with our participating artists. Admission is FREE for online events. MPAartfest 2020 is made possible with the support of the McLean Community Center, and our partnership with the Fairfax County Park Authority. www.MPAartfest.org

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