



## **PRESS RELEASE – FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (March 1, 2019)**

### **Grapevine Art Project Gears Up For Packed Spring Season**

The Grapevine Art Project will be holding a juried art show and sale during Grapevine’s Main Street Festival, May 17-19. The GAP show is located in the air-conditioned Foust Special Event Center on Main Street, and 22 of the best area artists will be displaying their works. A relatively new feature of the show is a silent auction twice each day, with all proceeds from the silent auction going toward the GCISD Student Art Scholarship program.

Nationally recognized polymer clay artist Deb Hart has announced that many of her works and designs are now featured on product brochures for Kato PolyClay, a leading supplier of polymer clay products, in stores throughout the US and Canada. The brochures also feature a short tutorial for her Magic Swirl Cane.

It’s Pink Not Purple, a talented trio of award winning painters, will be exhibiting at McKinney’s Arts in Bloom show from April 12-14. The show is located in historic downtown McKinney at 111 N. Tennessee St. The artists, Beatrix Krell, Sylvia Strehssel, and Yvonne Gambino, bring their European flair for color and style to imaginative collaborations.

Three of GAP’s Artists will be exhibiting at the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Funky Finds Spring Fling being held at the Will Rogers Memorial Center in the #1 Cattle & Exhibit Building, 3401 Burnett-Tandy Drive in Fort Worth. Sue Jackson will be there with her Functional Pottery; Ed and Sam Peet will be there with their Painted Coins and Keith and Gwen Albee will be showing their newest creations in Steam Punk Metal Work and Jewelry. The dates are March 9 and 10.

The Grapevine Art Project holds monthly meetings on the second Thursday evening of each month, often featuring presentations and demonstrations from highly regarded artists in many diverse media. Visitors are welcome to attend and learn more about the organization, its members, and programs. Artists include painters, photographers, potters, jewelers, sculptors, weavers, and other visual media formats. New members, even those who are not artists, are always welcome. Light refreshments are served.

GAP is a well-established community of more than 90 artists from Grapevine, Texas and surrounding areas, who love to create, enjoy, and learn about art. The Grapevine Art Project is open to artists who work in any media. For more information, visit us at [www.grapevineartproject.com](http://www.grapevineartproject.com)

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