## Art Council BPAC Report June 14, 2024 Submitted by Tom Sale, Art Council Chair

January - June: Russell Farm hosted weekly Saturday Sketch group.

**February 3:** Karen Kaiser led paid class for 15 adults and children w/ Valentine's themed art.

**February 24:** Brad and Kay Rae Smith taught mini mural class; Brad Smith continued painting and completed the Burleson/RF mural at garage.

**March 2:** "The Back 40" Art show with 15 DFW artists was hosted. The opening reception was attended by 150 people. Approximately \$3,600 in art was sold and approximately \$900 was donated to Russell Farm.

**March 2:** Lecture was held by Annabelle Massey, curator from Washington State. There were 100 people in attendance.

**April 6:** Show Me How Festival - Hill College PTK honor society hosted kid's storytelling and craft project. In addition, the Saturday Sketch group had a drawing station set up.

April 20: Karen Kaiser led paid watercolor classes with 11 attending.

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**May 18:** Texas Heritage Festival - Karen Kaiser developed and prepared 4 craft projects for families to enjoy.