

MEDIA ADVISORY

Planning Begins for the Fifth Annual University Park Art Fair at Grace Park

Registration Deadline: Friday, July 2, 2010

Presented by University Park Development Corporation

WHAT: The University Park Art Fair at Grace Park is a one-day fine art and fine craft show and sale scheduled for Saturday, August 14, 2010, in the heart of the University Park district in downtown Akron. Expected to draw more than 200 artists and thousands of guests, the fair will feature works in all media including ceramics, glass, wearable art, furniture, drawings & graphics, fiber, jewelry, leather, metal, mixed media, painting, photography, sculpture, watercolor, wood art and more.

In addition, there will be large-scale, community participation art projects, artist demonstrations, theatrical performances and live music. Admission is free and several regional restaurants provide food and drink.

WHEN: Artist registration deadline: July 2, 2010

University Park Art Fair at Grace Park: August 14, 2010
10 a.m. – 6 p.m.

WHERE: Grace Park
Perkins/SR 59 & Prospect Streets
Akron, Ohio 44304

REGISTRATION: Registration is \$75/artist and must be submitted by July 2nd. Checks, Visa and MasterCard accepted.
Call 330.374.9470 or visit www.universityparkartfair.org for more information and to register online.

ABOUT UPDC: The University Park Development Corporation (UPDC) is a non-profit organization dedicated to the renewal and rebirth of the University Park neighborhood and serves the people who live, work and play in the 40-block area.

UPDC strives to strengthen the economic, civic and environmental capabilities the University Park district through residential development, rehabilitation of the area and renovation of existing housing stock.

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