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## **GALLERY GLENDALE AT WESTGATE FEATURES PEORIA FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION'S SPRING EXHIBIT IN MARCH**

**Glendale, Ariz.** — Gallery Glendale at Westgate will host the Peoria Fine Arts Association's Spring Exhibit March 7-30.

Officially formed in 2001, the Peoria Fine Arts Association (PFFA) was created by several members of the Peoria Arts Commission who recognized a need for such an organization in the West Valley. It currently has approximately 50 members who live in Peoria and surrounding cities.

The spring exhibit will be open Fridays and Saturdays from 6 to 9 p.m. and Sundays from 1 to 4 p.m. through March 30 at Gallery Glendale at Westgate, 9380 W. Westgate Blvd. Special private tours can also be arranged for five or more people by calling Richard Meidl at 623-810-1492.

The PFFA will hold a public, opening reception from 6 to 9 p.m., Friday, March 7. During the reception, Artists will be available to discuss their work and artworks will be available for sale.

The mission of the association is to promote a spirit of loyalty, good fellowship and development of original art forms among the membership; to promote ethical principles and practices; to provide art exhibitions by members, open to the public; and to promote educational programs. PFAA promotes art education by annually awarding a scholarship to an outstanding art student from each of the high schools in the Peoria Unified School District. For more information, visit [pfaa-az.com](http://pfaa-az.com).

Gallery Glendale at Westgate is a free public art gallery made possible through a partnership between the city of Glendale and Westgate Entertainment District. For more information on Gallery Glendale, visit [www.glendaleaz.com/galleryglendale](http://www.glendaleaz.com/galleryglendale).

### **About Westgate Entertainment District**

Located in Glendale, Westgate Entertainment District is the premier entertainment destination of the West Valley and a place where people come together for dining, nightlife, shopping, community events, business, concerts, sporting events and celebrations of all kinds. Offering a vibrant outdoor setting with a dancing water fountain and jumping fountains for kids, Westgate delivers an interactive experience day or night. Located just east of the Loop 101 on Glendale Avenue, it encompasses more than 20 restaurants, retailers and entertainment venues including Yard House, Saddle Ranch, McFadden's, Kabuki Japanese Restaurant, Johnny Rockets, Which Wich and the state's largest AMC Theatres featuring 20 screens. More than 250 events take place here a year ranging from live music every Friday and Saturday night at Fountain Park to Bike Nights, Radio Disney Wednesdays, a holiday ice rink and fan experience events. No matter the season, there is something fresh, fun and exciting always happening at Westgate. Westgate is also anchored by Jobing.com Arena, home to the NHL's Phoenix Coyotes, headlining concerts and major events, and is adjacent to the University of Phoenix Stadium, home to the NFL's Arizona Cardinals. For more information, a tenant directory or to see what's happening, visit [www.westgateaz.com](http://www.westgateaz.com).

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