



**ARTS COUNCIL OF GLEN ROCK ANNOUNCES
NEW EVENT – ART MATERIALS SWAP
Donations & Swap Date Details**

GLEN ROCK, N.J., February 27, 2024 – The Arts Council of Glen Rock is hosting an **Art Materials Swap** on March 16. The Swap is part of the “Focus on the Artist” cluster of special, smaller, focused activities for members and offered in celebration of the organization’s first five years. This is an opportunity for artists and crafters to donate items in usable condition for others to obtain – a swap meet for art supplies.

“Many artists and crafters have told us that they’d like to ‘relocate’ some of their extra usable and functional art materials and the Arts Council decided this would be a helpful addition to our roster of events,” said Lisa Hahn, ACGR board member. “As we celebrate five years of bringing arts opportunities to Glen Rock, we continue to find and support new ideas and new ways to promote creativity.”

The ACGR Art Materials Swap will be held at the Thielke Arboretum Environmental Education Center for one day only on Saturday, March 16. (See times below).

ACGR invites artists and crafters to donate usable materials (see “Suggested Items” list below). Among the items being donated are a Canon PIXMA Pro-100 wireless printer (for photography), handmade paper, frames and mats, drawing and painting tools and paint, and a variety of craft supplies.

Times:

- **Donations** will be accepted on **Friday, March 15, from 4 to 7 p.m.** Please drop off items only during these hours. We ask that comparable items in similar categories are pre-sorted and packaged for easy display and purchase.
- Donors are invited to the Early Swap Hours (8 to 10 a.m.)
- After 10 a.m., the general public is welcome. The ACGR Swap ends at 2 p.m.

This is a pay-what-you-wish event; some items will have recommended prices. Money collected goes toward ACGR’s Scholarship Fund. Payment is by cash or credit card. Please bring carry bags for your purchases. So mark your calendars, go through your supplies, then join us to snap up some great equipment for your next project!

Suggested Items to Donate That Are in Usable Condition:

Art Supplies	Photography	Craft Supplies	Fabric Arts
Paint (Watercolor, Acrylic, Oil, Ink, etc.)	Paper, Printers, Inks, Photographic Paper	Scrapbook Paper, Stickers, Stencils	Fabric, Yarn
Pencils, Pastels, Charcoal, etc.		Glue, Tools & Accessories	Thread
Brushes (Craft, Oil, Watercolor, Stencil, Craft, etc.)		Jewelry Supplies	Knitting Needles
Canvas, Paper & Art Pads		Organizers	Scissors
Exacto Knives, Scissors, Rulers		Ribbon & Fixtures	Beads, Buttons, Attachments
Frames, Mats			
Easels & Displays			
Pottery Tools			
Worktables, Sorting Bins			

For more info about ACGR and Focus on the Artist events, along with the suggested Art Materials Swap donation list, please visit www.artscouncilgr.org.

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Arts Council of Glen Rock is an independent 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Its purpose is to promote, support, and celebrate all forms of the arts. The aim is to provide artistic experiences throughout the year for the community, guided by three priorities: expanding arts opportunities, cultivating awareness and energizing community support and attendance. For more information and to join, visit www.artscouncilgr.org.

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