

# ARTS AND CULTURE IN LARIMER COUNTY

Larimer County is home to artists, musicians and creatives of all walks of life. It's evident as you simply stroll through our towns. Without even trying, you'll see art as you pass through the alleyways of Fort Collins or walk through Loveland's city parks, which present more than 200 sculptures to lucky visitors. It's easy to find art by attending downtown art walks on the first Friday of each month in Old Town, Fort Collins or downtown Estes Park, and the second Friday in Loveland.

## MUSEUMS TO EXPLORE

There is no loss for museums to wow, inspire and explore. Visit the Fort Collins Museum of Discovery, especially if you have kids, and take in an exhibit or IMAX show. View art at the Fort Collins Museum of Art, the Center for Fine Art Photography in Fort Collins, the Loveland Museum, or at any of the galleries throughout Larimer County.



## SHOWS TO ATTEND

Larimer County is home to several performing art venues including the Lincoln Center, Bas Bleu Theatre Company in Fort Collins and Bravo! in Loveland.

## INSPIRATION FOR ARTISTS

If you are an aspiring artist you will find inspiration at hot houses like The Music District which provides budding and seasoned musicians with resources, spaces and tools for learning. Or if you want to express an array of talent from art to theater and dance, visit Art Lab Fort Collins. For artists looking for a space to create and connect, try Artworks Loveland or attend a paint out with Plein Air Artists Colorado in Estes Park and Rocky Mountain National Park. Budding novelists will enjoy Wolverine Farm in Fort Collins. Colorado State University provides ample opportunities to watch student creatives turn into professionals.

**Loveland** has been a **100 Best Small Art Towns in America** contender for years running.



## ART IN PUBLIC PLACES

Want to see your art on the streets of Loveland, Estes Park or Fort Collins? **Apply today!**

**Loveland:** [cityofloveland.org/departments/cultural-services/art-in-public-places](http://cityofloveland.org/departments/cultural-services/art-in-public-places)

**Estes Park:** [estesarts.com/majorevents/publicart.asp](http://estesarts.com/majorevents/publicart.asp)

**Fort Collins:** [fcgov.com/artspublic](http://fcgov.com/artspublic)

## ART, MUSIC AND FESTIVALS CALENDAR

### April

- Masks at MOA, Fort Collins
- FoCo Music Experiment (FoCoMX)

### May

- Estes Park Mountain Music Festival

### June

- Estes Park Jazz Fest

### July

- Central Rockies Old Time Music Festival, Berthoud

### August

- NewWestFest, Fort Collins
- ARISE Music Festival, Loveland

### October

- French Nest Open-Air Market

### December

- SNOWFEST, Berthoud