

Auburn: *Postmarked: Connecting Communities*
Opening Reception this Thursday,
July 25th, 2024
5:00 –6:30 PM



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Postmark Center for the Arts is proud to present its newest exhibition, *Postmarked: Connecting Communities*. Please join us for the opening reception this Thursday evening to celebrate the collaboration of various creative communities.

Postmarked: Connecting Communities is a mail-art project that aims at bringing creatives from all backgrounds together under one theme: **What does community mean to you?**



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Postcards became an easy and quick way for individuals to communicate in the late 19th century and made it possible to bring experiences from all over the world to one another's doorsteps. Postmark Center for the Arts, originally Auburn's historic Post Office, is dedicated to empowering diverse communities by providing the opportunity to unite within the shared language of the arts.

In honor of Postmark's upcoming one-year anniversary, this exhibition intends to capture the uniqueness and diversity of its own growing community, with a focus on themes of space, place, and identity. Hundreds of postcards will be on display, bringing definitions of community from artists of all ages and abilities together. The exhibition will be on view from July 25 – Oct 2, 2024. Visitors are encouraged to join in the creation of postcards in the Gallery.

This art program is coordinated through the City of Auburn, Parks, Arts & Recreation Department with the support of the Auburn Arts Commission. **Questions?** Contact Allison Hyde, Arts Program Supervisor at 253-931-3043 or arts@auburnwa.gov

