



Proclamation

Of the Mayor

Of the City of Los Altos, California

WHEREAS, the visual arts are a vital component of a well-rounded education, fostering critical thinking, creativity, and the essential skills necessary for children to thrive as citizens of a global society; and

WHEREAS, the Council for Art Education organizes Youth Arts Month to direct attention to the immense value of art education and to encourage support for high-quality school art programs across the nation; and

WHEREAS, art education provides a unique forum for students to develop specialized skills and perspectives that are inherent to the creative process and essential to academic achievement; and

WHEREAS, we seek to increase community, business, and governmental support for art education, recognizing it as an indispensable part of the total educational curricula; and

WHEREAS, this month serves to encourage a lifelong commitment to the arts among students, community organizations, and individuals alike; and

WHEREAS, through exhibits, workshops, and creative ventures, we aim to increase public understanding of the arts and reflect the goals of the National Art Education Association in improving art education at all levels;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the City of Los Altos does hereby proclaim the month of March as:

“YOUTH ARTS MONTH”

In our community, and we urge all citizens to join in this celebration by supporting the creative talents of our youth and advocating for excellence in arts education for every child.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the City of Los Altos on this 27th day of January 2026.



Sally Meadows

Sally Meadows, MAYOR