BREWERY ARTS CENTER

Brewery Arts Center is housed by two historic buildings and encompasses two city blocks on the historic West Side of Nevada's Capitol, Carson City.

BAC boasts a FREE outdoor summer concert series, the 150 seat Maizie theater, a 250 seat Performance Hall, an Exhibition Hall, and a Grand Ballroom, as well as an educational wing featuring painting and pottery studios.

Each space on the campus delivers multi-generational and multi-cultural art experiences and opportunities for personal and community growth through entertainment, education, and enrichment.

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MURALS & MUSIC

1-10 - Brewery Arts Center (BAC) 449 W. King St.

1. Brewers Wall, J. Hunt, Restored in 2019 by Deana Hoover 1995

Originally done in 1995 by J. Hunt, this mural was restored in 2019 by Deana Hoover. It depicts the famous Millard family that ran the Carson Brewery Company at the turn of the century. Restoration was funded in 2019 by the AARP Community Action Grant and is based upon a 1934 photograph of Carson City Brewing Company employees. The mural stands in approximately the same location where the actual photograph was taken.

2. The Masks Tell All, Joe C. Rock @joecrock13 2023

"Being chosen to paint at the BAC was an honor and I wanted to highlight the things they do here. A singer, comedy and tragedy, ceramics, and a beer barrel. These all seemed like fun things to paint and showcase in a beautiful mural that will be seen by art enthusiasts on a regular basis. I couldn't have asked for a better place to paint for the inaugural Carson mural fest."

3. Edwin "Esco" Martinez @martinezesco 2024

I am excited to be paired with my long-time friend and family from the Brewery Arts Center to create magic on their Historical building. I'm painting native imagery that represents Diversity, Unity, Community, and Love.

4. The Identity of Something Else, Leire Urbeltz

@leireurbeltz 2023 (inside)

This painting aims to approach the mysterious creature of Lake Tahoe from the Basque vision of material-feminine mythology and the animist thought. In the scene, the creature is presented as an allegory of identity and coexistence. The women inhabitants of the area are looking for her in an attempt to heal the wounds of the past. In this way, students of the Stewart Indian School that were separated from their native cultures, activist Alida C. Bowler, first female U.S. Indian agency head advocating for Native Americans in Nevada or Basque women who were cultural mediators for the Basque shepherds who at first were not welcome in the far west are represented in the mural.

5. Anthony Ortega @eqld_creations 2025

"I want my piece there to bring people joy and happiness without having to think about it. Everyone needs some thoughtless joy in their life."

6. Brooke Brazil @brookebrazil 2025

Crosswalk across Minnesota St. Commissioned for NV Pride. The hearts are on the B, A, And C keys.

7. Strings of Imagination - Bryce Chisholm

@abcartattack 2017

This mural was commissioned and funded by the Carson City Downtown Business Association in 2017 and has become one of the most photographed spots in Carson City. Inspiration for the mural was artist Bryce Chisolm's daughter and the musical notes coming off the dandelion are the beginning of the song "Imagine" by John Lennon. Take a selfie and become the marionette.

8. Charly Malpass @charlymalpass 2024

(facing Second St.)

"I wanted to capture that quiet, wild energy you feel at night in Carson City. Painted on the side of a community art building, it welcomes creativity while honoring the native wildlife of the region. The piece reflects the spirit of the high desert - resilient, mysterious, and alive with energy."

9. Prism A.G. @prism.ag 2025

This mural centers an Indigenous and brown woman surrounded by cempasúchil (marigolds), a flower deeply rooted in Mexican tradition and commonly used to honor ancestors. The cempasúchil is believed to guide spirits and symbolizes remembrance, protection, and the continuity between life and death. This mural seeks to represent ancestral knowledge, cultural resilience, and the living presence of Indigenous identity within contemporary public space.

10. Ascension - Bryce Chisholm @abcartattack 2017

The harmonious color palettes are layered with his companion mural to tie the BAC campus together.

11 - State Agent & Transfer Syndicate 112 N. Curry St.

Carson City Founders - Erik Burke @oupublicworks

The artist worked closely with the building owner to create a design that interacts with history and the environment. Thinking about what someone would see when facing the wall. They realized the firehouse becomes the natural backdrop. So the mural uses what's outside the frame as the content, showing what the original firehouse looked like. The Library of Congress had several photos by Authur Rothstein from 1940 of everyday folks hanging out in front of the firehouse to meld with historic photos of the original firehouse provided by the building owner.

12 - Mangia Tutto 200 N. Stewart St.

Where South Meets West - Brooke Brazil @brookebrazil 2024

"This is the story of two merging worlds. Blurring state lines and state pride to find beauty wherever you are."

13 - 323 Flats 323 Stewart St.

Jabi Corte @jabi_corte 2024

A Basque shepherd traveling to northern Nevada across the ocean to settle into a new life. The main image is of the shepherd's best friend and necessary ally to keep the flock alive and flourishing. Removing the shepherd allows the imagination to have the mural represent all the Basque who came throughout the decades. The dog is looking to the horizon, to the red moon that represents transformation and renewal, providing an opportunity for personal growth and change. It is also associated with feminine energy, allowing us to tap into our intuition and connect with our inner wisdom. A poetic touch that resonates with all of us wanting to build a brighter future together. The background has traditional trees from the Basque region. The flying fish symbolize the hope for a better future, they aim to overcome mistakes and problems, to make a happier life for their families.

14 - Xquisite 310 N. Stewart St.

Prism A.G. @prism.ag 2023

"The mural aims to inspire everyone and provide a sense of strength and transformation. The content of this artwork seeks to highlight women and recognize them as protagonists and creators of their own destinies. The butterfly invites you to be a part of this change: I encourage you to join in and recognize your own power."

15 - The White House 402 E. Telegraph St.

3-Hearts - Lauren Hufft @laurenhufftart 2024

"This kiosk has three anatomical hearts. First is the Echinacea Heart, the healing flower, representing heart healing. Next is Heart Beat, with music flowing from it, experiencing its own joyous tune. The third heart is for the owner of The White House. His favorite flower is the daisy. They are simple, beautiful, and carry significant innocence, purity, new beginnings, and love."

16 - Northern Nevada Coin 601 N. Carson St.

Artifacts - J. Charboneau - @j.charboneau 2023

The mural Artifacts is a flowing storyline of the beginnings of Carson City. It pays tribute to the rich history and innovations which can still be found and enjoyed around Carson today. From left to right: The story begins with the Comstock lode of Virginia City, showcasing the unique mine structures which pulled out the largest amount of silver ore in the United States from 1859 - 1890's. The silver was transported from Virginia City to Carson via the V&T Short trains, which ran about 40 a day, bringing the precious silver ore down the mountain to be pressed. The train then leads to the unique Carson City Mint Coin Press #1 which was made in 1869 and could spit out 100 Morgan Silver Coins per minute. These artifacts are what made Carson City a prosperous and innovative town in its beginnings. And you can still experience them all with a short wander through the Nevada State Museum, Nevada State Railroad Museum, and Northern Nevada Coin.

17 - Capital City Flats 801 N. Carson St.

(Children's Museum Patio 813 N. Carson St.)

Flourishing - Mari Pavanelli @maripavanelli 2023

"I created this artwork where the duplicated image of the same female character merges, it's about the idea of self-acceptance and self-love, where the plant crossing her body represents the expansion of her own nature. This artwork represents personal transformation and inner flourishing."

18 - Capital City Flats 801 N. Carson St. (north facing)

Take It Easy - Anthony Ortega @eqld_creations 2023 (NE facing)

"I wanted to paint something bright, happy, and artistically complex at the same time. Fun to look at and enjoyed by all walks of life. Even some deer were walking around checking out the murals that week." The official fossil of Carson City is the megatheriidae megatherium, commonly known as the North American Ground Sloth.

19-20. Lotus Salon & Spa 110 E. Ann St.

19. The Forgotten Pollinator - Cyan Samone @cyansamone - Lauren Hufft @laurenhufftart 2023

This mural celebrates the hard-working moth. Pollinator Moths are responsible for 30% of pollination. We enhanced the colors of the White-Lined Sphinx Moth and framed it with Sierra Nevada wildflowers to celebrate this often overlooked and humble worker.

20. Wings of Nevada - Andrea Holmes @aholmesartstudio2025

This is the 7th mural in the artist's Wings Around the World project, which will eventually include 100 bird murals. Also part of the Audubon Mural Project, this wall features the Mountain Bluebird, Nevada's State bird, and the Green-tailed Towhee, a migratory songbird found here. audubonmuralproject.org

21. The Bike Smith 900 N. Carson St.

Epic Ride - Dave Titus @dwtitus 2024

"This trompe-l'oeil mural is a tribute to mountain biking on the Eastside of the Sierra. Locals know the view of Mount Tallac across Lake Tahoe at sunrise, but riders know the feeling of launching onto the trail before the sun comes up. Viewed from the proper angle you feel like you can almost jump right in. What better way to honor this well-known bike shop than to take everyone on an epic ride."

22 - 904 N. Curry St.

Visual Growth - Erik Burke @oupublicworks 2016

The artist found his inspiration for the mural in the eyes of a woman from a neighboring property.

23, 24 - Visit Carson City 716 N. Carson St.

23. Cole Eisenhour @ljr3rd_ (west facing) 2024

"This mural highlights three iconic and native animals: the golden eagle, mountain lion, and coyote. I chose this trio as a powerful symbol of the area's diverse and distinctive wildlife. The topographic background adds depth and visual interest, reflecting the rugged mountain ranges and capturing the dynamic landscape that defines Carson City."

24. Welcome to Carson City - Abner Rivera 2021

The mural is an illustration of the words, "Welcome to Carson City," featuring an attribute of Carson City depicted within each letter, highlighting history and many city offerings. Artist Abner Rivera designed the full-color mural made of marine-grade wood. The illustrations were painted in monochromatic blues, outlined in a silver border adding dimension to the mural. Beneath the city's namesake, is a photo of Abraham Curry, founder of Carson City, including the year the city was founded in 1858.

25 - 26 - Nevada State Museum 706 N. Carson St. (facing north)

25. Gregg Deal @greggdeal 2024

Dat So La Lee (Louisa Keyser) was a Washoe basket weaver whose extraordinary skill brought national and international recognition to Washoe artistry. Working in Carson City from the late 1800's until 1925, she created finely woven baskets that preserved Indigenous knowledge and craftsmanship. Her work is now held in major museums, including the Nevada State Museum, and remains a powerful symbol of Nevada's cultural heritage.

26. Autumn Harry @numu_wanderer 2025

Captain Dave Numana (1829-1919) was a Numu (Northern Paiute) and Newe (Western Shoshone) leader from Kooyoo Pa'a Panunadu (Pyramid Lake, NV). His name "Numu Na'a" translates into Father of the people and was known as a peacekeeper and water protector. He is surrounded by plant species found along the Truckee River and fish species living in Kooyooe Pa'a, including the Lahontan Cutthroat Trout, Cui-ui, and Tui Chub - all species he dedicated his life to protecting.

27 - Monarch Printing 714 N. Curry St.

Andres "Vaka" Martinez & Rafael Reyes - @vakatattoo 2024

The V&T Railroad originally ran along Washington St. as the main line connecting Carson, the original depot is at the corner of Carson St. and Washington St. The tracks were eventually removed in 1950 when the railroad ceased operations.

28 - Nevada State Museum 600 N. Carson St.

Yours Dreamily - Jamie Vincek @jamievincek 2023

The inscription saying, "Yours dreamily, Mark Twain" is the same phrase Twain used in an 1863 letter from Carson City, when he used his pen name for the first time. Giving Carson City the bragging rights of "The Birthplace of Mark Twain."

29 - Juan's 318 N. Carson St. (back of building, facing Curry St.)

El Mariachi Muerto - RyanoArt @ryanoart 2025

For more information on events, murals or locations, scan the QR code to the right, or navigate to visitcarsoncity.com