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GROUNDWORKS LAUNCHES SOCIAL CLUBS FOR YOUTH

These virtual clubs meet monthly for artistic teens and pre-teens to discuss, learn about and engage in subjects they are *actually* interested in! The program begins mid-January 2021. Sign up today!

TUCSON, AZ, DEC 2020 - Know an artistic teen looking for something fun to do? Groundworks is launching virtual social clubs for youth ages 11 through 17. Monthly club meetings facilitate **fun activities, discussions, and critical thinking** around artistic topics like guitar gear, songwriting, character design, art critique, and more! Best of all, it's **100% free!** Online sign-ups available now at www.groundworkstucson.com/clubs

Groundworks is an arts non-profit dedicated to promoting the youth-driven music and arts community in Tucson. Founded in 2019, Groundworks was poised to be a hub for education and youth performances in all artistic mediums in 2020. Because of COVID-19, Groundworks has since shifted its focus onto safe, virtual platforms for education and performance, and continues to create high-quality arts programming even during the pandemic. To that end, the Social Clubs program was developed to provide accessible social opportunities for youth who may not be receiving the positive social interactions they are used to at their schools. Clubs were created with the interests of Tucson's youth arts community in mind, with the goal to facilitate creating life-long friendships that can collaborate well into the new year. Eventually, these clubs will transition to in-person meetings when it is safe to do so.

Clubs meet monthly as determined by qualified adult hosts. Hosts include **Elisa Mask** (Tucson Zine Fest), **Rachel Eckroth** (keyboardist for Rufus Wainwright, KT Tunstall), **Logan Greene** (founder of Groundworks) and more! Students may enroll in more than one club at a time (schedule permitting). Discussions and activities will be based on content and supplies that are readily accessible to students participating in the clubs. Meetings are approximately 1-hour long and the first session starts mid-late January. The first session ends May 2021.

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