

EXTENDED TO NOVEMBER 16, 2015

Form 990

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

OMB No. 1545-0047

2014

Open to Public Inspection

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Do not enter social security numbers on this form as it may be made public.

Information about Form 990 and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Header section containing organization name (ARTS COUNCIL OF NORTHEAST TARRANT COUNTY), EIN (75-1586473), address (BEDFORD, TX 76095-7816), and other identifying information.

Part I Summary

Summary table with columns for Revenue, Expenses, and Net Assets or Fund Balances. Rows include mission statement, revenue breakdown, fundraising expenses, and total assets.

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

Signature block containing officer signature (LEE KOCH, PRESIDENT), preparer name (DAVID A. HARMON), and firm information (JEFFERSON HARMON & ASSOCIATES, P.C.).

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions) [X] Yes [] No

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>	X	
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> ?	X	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i>		X
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		X
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i>		X
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i>		X
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i>		X
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>		X
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability; serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i>		X
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i>		X
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i>	X	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i>		X
c Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i>		X
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i>		X
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	X	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part XI</i>	X	
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i>	X	
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i>		X
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		X
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?		X
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i>		X
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i>		X
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i>		X
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i>		X
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>	X	
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		X
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		X
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III [X]

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission: TO ENCOURAGE, SUPPORT AND FACILITATE ARTISTIC OPPORTUNITIES WITHIN THE COMMUNITIES OF NORTH TARRANT COUNTY.

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? [] Yes [X] No

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? [] Yes [X] No

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses, Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported.

4a (Code:) (Expenses \$ 164,056. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$) MASTERWORKS CONCERT SERIES OFFERS FREE CONCERTS TO NORTH TARRANT COUNTY. ART AND MUSIC LOVERS FROM AGE 2 TO 102 HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ENJOY OVER 67 FREE CONCERTS A YEAR, WITH MUSIC FROM LOCAL AREA TALENT RANGING FROM CLASSICAL TO CELTIC AND FROM COUNTRY & WESTERN TO JAZZ & BLUES. THE MASTERWORKS SERIES CREATES A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR THE FAMILY TO GET OUT AND ENJOY A GREAT NIGHT OF ENTERTAINMENT. DURING 2014, THERE WERE 67 PLUS CONCERTS WITH OVER 16,500 IN ATTENDANCE.

4b (Code:) (Expenses \$ 58,880. including grants of \$ 39,846.) (Revenue \$) SUB-GRANTING - ARTS COUNCIL NORTHEAST STRIVES TO SUPPORT THE CULTURAL ARTS IN NORTH TARRANT COUNTY. THROUGH ITS GRANT PROGRAM, OFFERED YEARLY TO SCHOOLS, CITIES, LIBRARIES, MUNICIPALITIES AND OTHER NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS, AS WELL AS INDIVIDUAL ARTISTS. THE ORGANIZATION IS ABLE TO OFFER FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR ARTS-RELATED PROGRAMS IN NORTH TARRANT COUNTY. DURING 2014, NINETEEN LOCAL ARTS GROUPS AND INDIVIDUALS RECEIVED FUNDS.

4c (Code:) (Expenses \$ 42,109. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 29,500.) SUMMER ARTS COLLEGE IS A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY FOR CHILDREN AGES 6-16 TO LEARN WITH SOME OF THE AREA'S TOP ARTISTS. STUDENTS RECEIVE A TASTE OF THE PERFORMING AND VISUAL ARTS. SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS WHO ARE FINANCIALLY UNABLE TO ATTEND. DURING 2014, 383 FULL AND/OR PARTIAL SCHOLARSHIPS WERE AWARDED. THE 2014 PROGRAM HAD 516 STUDENTS. ART CLASSES ARE ALSO OFFERED FOR EVERY AGE AND ALL ARTISTIC ABILITIES.

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.) (Expenses \$ 5,518. including grants of \$) (Revenue \$ 828.)

4e Total program service expenses 270,563.