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**ART BEYOND BOUNDARIES GALLERY presents *Planting The Future* at 1410 MAIN ST.**  
**ArtsWave Sampler Weekend on SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 2011 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

CINCINNATI (FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE) – Sampler Weekend celebrates its 25th Anniversary and ArtsWave is excited to try something new – scheduling the Arts Sampler over six weekends during the 12-week community campaign for the arts from mid-February through April, and increasing the number of programs in neighborhood and community arts centers. **As part of Sampler Weekend on Saturday, April 23, 2011, ART BEYOND BOUNDARIES GALLERY will present *PLANTING THE FUTURE* at 1410 Main St. at 1 to 4 p.m.**

The ArtsWave Sampler Weekends, sponsored by Macy's, celebrate the creative things — music, dance, theater, museums, and festivals — happening in large and small ways throughout our region. These weekends are great opportunities for families, friends, and neighbors to connect with one another and experience the arts through free events. The six weekends will offer some 180 events at over 75 venues all over the region.

**Art Beyond Boundaries will host an Ice Cream Reception and display works from *PLANTING THE FUTURE*, an art project sponsored by The City of Cincinnati Department of Planning and Buildings as part of *PLAN Cincinnati*. The project's purpose was to give Cincinnati's youth (K-12<sup>th</sup> grade) a voice in expressing their hopes, dreams, fears and concerns about the future development of Cincinnati. Painted flower pots are used as vessels of expression and visual representation of what concerns and encourages a cross section of Cincinnati youth. Visitors, young and otherwise, assisted by Jenny Haubiel, will be able to create their own one-of-a-kind spring planters. As a backdrop for these activities, there will be the musical styling of Jazz saxophonist, Bruce Menefield.**

The ArtsWave Sampler Weekends are a celebration of the arts in our community, and occur throughout the annual community campaign, when people all across our region come together to support the fun things to do in greater Cincinnati.

For a complete schedule of events and an interactive searchable calendar, visit <http://www.TheArtsWave.org/arts/sampler>.

**Art Beyond Boundaries Gallery** is supported by individuals and organizations throughout the area who recognize that their donations to ArtsWave help create a livelier community and a place where people from different backgrounds come together to share ideas and experiences.

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#### **About ArtsWave:**

ArtsWave helps create the kind of thriving arts environment that makes the Cincinnati region a better place to live, work, play, and stay. We support and collaborate with arts organizations large and small throughout the area. Music, dance, theatre, galleries, museums, art centers, festivals, and more create communitywide benefits for everyone here. The arts create benefits like attractive, lively neighborhoods and a population that comes together to share ideas and experiences.