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## ***Fountain Hills Transforms into A Fine Art Haven***

Thunderbird Artists encourages everyone to attend the Fountain Hills Fine Art & Wine Affaire, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2008. Come join us and discover why Thunderbird Artists was voted "The Best Place to Buy Art" by the readers of Take 5 Magazine.



The Fountain Hills Fine Art & Wine Affaire couples fine art and fine crafts with exquisite wine, savory food, gourmet chocolate and live musical entertainment. The juried festival brings nationally acclaimed, award-winning artists from throughout the country and abroad to one place; displaying premium paintings, metal, stone, small, medium, and life-sized bronzes, scratchboard, photography, pottery, baskets, batiks, jewelry and more!



The entertainment for the festival features the Trinidad Calypso Band, specializing in a mix of Caribbean and American music. Wind Rodriguez will be performing both original and traditional pieces on his Native American cedar flute. Jazz piano sounds will flow through the air by musician and composer, Jeffery Michael and Bobby Zee, with Morpheus Music, adds smooth jazz playing classical favorites on the piano.

The festival also accommodates wine-tasting; providing a unique opportunity to sample an extensive collection of domestic and imported wines. For \$10, patrons will receive an engraved souvenir wine glass and six tasting tickets; allowing patrons to come together and saunter through the ambience of fine art, wine, live musical entertainment and the numerous shops and cafes along the Avenue of the Fountains.

The richness and quality of life in Fountain Hills is evident the moment you crest the mountain pass; leaving behind the hustle and bustle of Scottsdale and the rest of the Valley. Fountain Hills is also home to the "world's tallest fountain". At full power, the fountain rises 560 feet into the air and runs for approximately 15 minutes at the top of the hour, from 10a.m. to 9p.m. daily.



The Fountain Hills Fine Art & Wine Affaire is a can't miss event for any art or wine enthusiast! The festival will take place on Avenue of the Fountains, between La Montana and Saguaro Blvd. Hours are 10am to 5pm each day. Admission is \$2.00 for all non-Fountain Hills residents. Parking is free all weekend. For more information, visit our website [www.ThunderbirdArtists.com](http://www.ThunderbirdArtists.com).