



Dear Friends of Rock Hall,

Main Street Rock Hall and the Kent County Arts Council have undertaken the task of renewing and revitalizing three of Rock Hall's murals. The existing murals have been in place for decades and are ready for a facelift. Our plan is to have the redesigned artwork in place before July 1<sup>st</sup> of this year. Located on three Main Street buildings, the plans for the new designs are as follows:

- Mural #1 (on Main Street wall of Bayside Foods) This mural will focus on the lives and traditions of Chesapeake Bay watermen, who continue to ply their trade and have played a significant role in shaping the Rock Hall community.
- Mural #2 (along the back wall of Java Rock) This mural will pay tribute to the hard-working farmers who have been, and continue to be, an integral part of the Eastern Shore landscape.
- Mural #3 (at rear entrance to The Mainstay) This mural will depict the rich and bountiful natural resources of the Chesapeake Bay, which comprise a variety of native species from plants to fish to crustaceans.

Fortunately we have already received some "in kind" donations of materials and labor as well as a few small grants. The remaining costs of the project are anticipated to be \$3,500. We are hopeful that community members will step forward to help with some of the remaining costs, which include compensation for the artist(s) who will guide and implement this project in concert with school teachers and community members.

**Will you consider joining us in this grass roots effort to beautify our town while also recognizing the history, culture and natural resources of Rock Hall?** We have enclosed a sponsorship form with this letter. Please contact Laurie Walters (443-465-0681 or [lewalte1@yahoo.com](mailto:lewalte1@yahoo.com)) if you have questions or would like additional information. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Laurie Walters  
Vice President,  
Main Street Rock Hall



**Buyboat - \$500 or greater contribution** - Donors will receive an invitation to the artist's reception, a set of 5 mural coozies and recognition on the *Murals Walking Tour Brochure*

**Skipjack - \$100- \$499** -Donors will receive a set of 5 mural coozies and recognition on the *Murals Walking Tour Brochure*

**Bugeye - \$50- \$99**- Donors will receive a set of 5 mural coozies

**Bateau - \$25- \$49** - Donors will receive three mural coozies.

Please select your contribution level and enclose the bottom portion of this form with your check.

Checks should be made out to "Main Street Rock Hall" and mailed to  
Main Street Rock Hall, PO Box 45, Rock Hall, MD. 21661.

All donations are tax deductible.

Donations above the amount needed to complete this project will be used for future maintenance and promotion of the murals.

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## *Rock Hall Mural Project Sponsorship*

I pledge my support for the Rock Hall mural project as follows:

\_\_\_ **Buyboat (\$500 or greater)**

\_\_\_ **Skipjack (\$100 - \$499)**

\_\_\_ **Bugeye (\$50- \$99)**

\_\_\_ **Bateau (\$25- \$49)**

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