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Kamloops Art Gallery

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Kamloops Art Gallery is offering FREE admission to fire evacuees.

In response to the ongoing wildfires affecting our community and neighbouring communities, the Kamloops Art Gallery (KAG) is offering free admission to the Gallery to fire evacuees and anyone affected by wildfires and smoke. Recognizing the stress and uncertainty faced by those displaced by the wildfires, the KAG aims to provide a safe space where individuals and families can find comfort, inspiration, and a brief escape from the current circumstances. The Gallery offers a welcoming and cool environment with seating, reading materials, and inspiring artworks that offer a small reprieve from ongoing challenges.

The KAG is committed to supporting our community and believes that art plays a significant role in healing and connecting during times of adversity. Fire evacuees and those affected by fires can identify themselves to Gallery Admissions Staff for free entry. The Gallery is open Tuesday to Saturday from 10 am to 5 pm and 8 pm on Thursday. Find more information on the Gallery's current exhibitions [here](#).

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About the Kamloops Art Gallery

The Kamloops Art Gallery, established in 1978, is located in Tk'emlupsemcúlecw, the traditional and unceded lands of the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc. The largest public art gallery in Secwepemcúlecw (the Interior of British Columbia), the Gallery offers national caliber art experiences through a diverse range of accessible and affordable exhibitions, talks, tours, and studio-based programming for all ages and abilities.