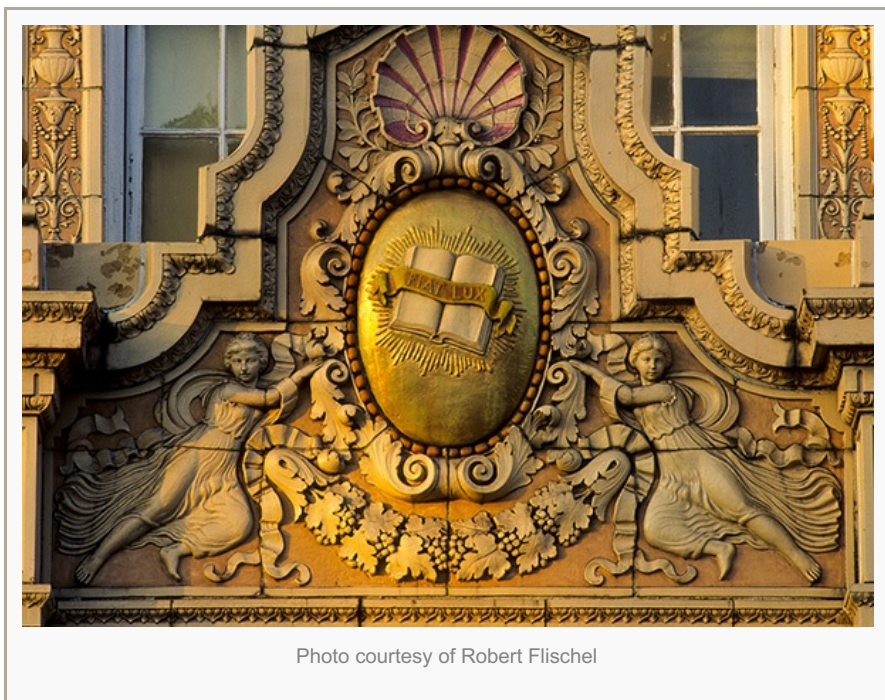


Opening Reception – Schools for the City

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Exhibition Duration: July 8 – August 12

Opening Reception: July 8, 6 – 8 pm

Artist Talk: August 11, 6 – 7:30 pm

The ***Schools for the City*** exhibition focuses on the architecture and construction history of Cincinnati elementary public school buildings. This exhibit examines the buildings the Cincinnati Board of Education built from its beginning in 1829 up through World War II and clearly demonstrates historic architecture's value as a document of the city's past. From small simple buildings, to civic showplaces, and on to obsolescence and reuse, public school buildings can teach us how our city grappled with changes including an influx of immigrants, adjustment to an auto-centric urban landscape, and changing construction technology. This exhibit will be hosted at the Clifton Cultural Arts Center from July 8 to August 12, and at the Irish Heritage Center of Greater Cincinnati from August 16 to October 3. Both of these locations are former public school buildings. Visitors will have an opportunity to share their own grade school memories make their history a part of the exhibition.

Events associated with the exhibition at Clifton Cultural Arts Center will be:

Friday, July 8, 6:00 to 8:00 pm – Opening Reception with The Art League of Greater Cincinnati

Saturday, July 23, Noon – Schools of the Basin Walking Tour. Meet at Vine Street Hill School

Thursday, August 11, 6:00-7:30 pm – Curator's Talk: School Remnants in the Landscape

To learn more, [like *Schools for the City* on Facebook.](#)

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