



Three women admire a piece at Studio & during Friday night's gallery walk.



An art-walker looks at jewelry at one of the many booths attending the Autumn Arts Festival.



Wine and galleries: a match made in art-lovers' heaven



A hungry crowd gathers at Karyn Gabaldon's gallery on Main Avenue on Friday night.



The Autumn Arts Festival closed off Second Avenue to motorized traffic Saturday and Sunday.

Street Art

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Those who love walking and art united this weekend for three days of glorious fall weather and art perusing. The Colorfest Gallery Walk kicked off the weekend on Friday evening with nine downtown galleries opening their doors for those wanting to browse, nosh and sip the night away.

On Saturday morning, Durango Arts Center's annual Autumn Arts Festival commenced, closing off East Second Avenue for visitors to walk three blocks art, crafts, food, music and even a bloody mary bar. The juried event, now in its 20th year, drew 86 artists from 17 states. Alas, the art weekend came to an end Sunday evening with the Autumn Arts Festival pulling up stakes, and the beginning of the ever-loved work week.



Hors d'oeuvres help whet gallery goers' appetites during the downtown Colorfest Gallery Walk on Friday evening.