

Monta Philpot Mural Restored and Returned to RMCC Campus



RMCC recently held a reception to welcome the return of the Monta Philpot mural to its original location in the Spencer Building entry outside the Mary Bales Ingle Lecture Hall on the Mena Campus.

The painting was damaged in the April 2009 tornado and since restored by Norton Arts Incorporated. Norton Arts was founded in 1989 in New York City and currently has conservation studios in Northwest Arkansas, Little Rock, New York City, and San Francisco.

Monta Philpot created the mural in 1987, served as an art instructor for RMCC from 1986 to 1994, was on the RMCC Foundation from 2006-2009, and continues to teach as an adjunct instructor for the College.