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PIRATE

Pirate has hosted a neighborhood party and artistic celebration honoring Dia de los Muertos for three decades, becoming a Denver tradition. This family-friendly event features Day of the Dead-inspired art and handmade altars from locals, plus Aztec dancers, piñatas, drinks, and more. There will a candlelight procession from the gallery to Our Lady of Guadalupe Church to honor the dead in the evening.

Día de los Muertos, or Day of the Dead, is a festive time to honor deceased relatives, satirize the living, and entice the spirits to visit with flower-decked altars and offerings of food. Day of the Dead, is considered a day of cheerful celebration rather than one of mourning.

This year the show opens October 14, 2016 and runs until October 30th. The big celebration takes place on the evening of Saturday October 29th from 5 PM until 10 PM. There will be Aztec dancers at 6, followed by the kids' piñata at 7, artistic performance at 7:30, the procession at 8, and the adult piñata at 9.

Pirate accepts alters as well as Day of the dead themed artwork from all ages. All alters are free to enter as well as youth artwork. Adults pay an entry fee of 10 dollars per piece entered. Artwork must be dropped of on Tuesday October 11 from 6 PM to 8 PM.

You can find more of Information on Pirate at
<http://www.pirateartonline.org>

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Pirate hours
Thursday 6/9 pm
Friday 6/10 pm
Saturday 12/6 pm
Sunday 12/5 pm

Located in the Navajo Street Art District
3655 Navajo St. Denver CO, 80211

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