

Q&A



Meet Audrey Votaw, Individual Giving and Donor Relations Officer.

GLAZER HALL (GH): Supporting the arts is often deeply personal. What kinds of stories do you hear from supporters about why they feel connected to GLAZER HALL?

AUDREY VOTAW (AV): It is so heartwarming to hear the stories they share about their fond memories of the playhouse. Many recall attending shows as children with their families and are now excited to be able to share that again with a new generation. I believe they'll be transported back to those cherished moments when they return for their first show, thanks to the incredible attention to detail Jill and Avie have put into ensuring the renovation honors John Volk's original design.

GH: GLAZER HALL offers unique naming opportunities throughout the building. Can you share some of the creative or meaningful ways donors have chosen to leave their mark on GLAZER HALL?

AV: These naming opportunities go beyond recognition because each one adds a layer of personality and history to GLAZER HALL. I love seeing how donors personally connect with the spaces they choose to name. Some honor family legacies by naming a space in memory of a loved one who shared their passion for the arts. Others have been creative and named their seat plaques after their pets!

GH: Part of your role is building relationships. What is the most rewarding part of getting to know our community of supporters?

AV: For me, the most rewarding part is discovering what truly inspires each supporter and how they light up when they share what they care deeply about. I love meeting donors, listening to their stories, and finding that beautiful intersection between their personal passions and the mission of GLAZER HALL, because then it becomes a shared vision.

GH: What role does philanthropy play in shaping the experiences audiences enjoy at GLAZER HALL?

AV: Philanthropy plays a vital role in almost every aspect of what the audience experiences at GLAZER HALL. From the performances they see on stage to the educational programs and community outreach, donor support helps make it all possible. As someone who is a native to West Palm Beach, it is most rewarding to see the investment the community has made in continuing to shape the Palm Beaches as a cultural destination, and bringing quality programming to all.

GH: For readers who want to be part of GLAZER HALL's mission, how can they get involved?

AV: There are so many meaningful ways to get involved with GLAZER HALL and help bring our vision to life. Whether it's through a philanthropic gift, naming a space, sponsoring a program, naming a seat plaque, joining as a member, or simply spreading the word, your support helps create a vibrant cultural home for generations to come. Learn more about how you can make an impact by visiting glazerhall.org/ways-to-give/. Also, you can always reach us at donate@glazerhall.org or 561-576-7860.