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April is [National Poetry Month](#) and National Jazz Month.

QUOTE(S) OF THE DAY

"The dancer's body is simply the luminous manifestation of the soul." – Isadora Duncan

"Our imagination flies -- we are its shadow on the earth." – Vladimir Nabokov

"If life's lessons could be reduced to single sentences, there would be no need for fiction." – Scott Turow

"I remind myself every morning: Nothing I say this day will teach me anything. So if I'm going to learn, I must do it by listening." – Larry King

"USA Today has come out with a new survey - apparently, three out of every four people make up 75% of the population." – David Letterman

VIDEO(S) OF THE DAY

[Nancy Hanks Lecture 2018](#)

Americans for the Arts

Also

[Arts Advocacy Day 2018: Senator Dick Durbin](#)

Americans for the Arts

[Arts Advocacy Day 2018: Rep. Leonard Lance](#)

Americans for the Arts

[Arts Advocacy Day 2018: Rep. Gerry Connolly](#)
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[Arts Advocacy Day 2018: Jane Chu](#)
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[Arts Advocacy Day 2018: Senator Tom Udall](#)
Americans for the Arts

Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to artsboard@wisconsin.gov!

TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

NEW [NCN Articles of Interest | April 6, 2018](#)
National Creativity Network

NEW [Vote for your favorite: America's Top 10 Towns for Craft Lovers](#)
American Craft Week | October 5 - 14
Vote by April 16

Door County and Mineral Point are on the ballot. Vote today!

NEW [Wisconsin Arts Board Town Meeting – La Crosse](#)
April 23 from 5:30 AM - 7:30 PM

The Main Theatre Lobby of the Fine Arts Center at Viterbo University
929 Jackson St, La Crosse, WI (Parking Lot A on Jackson St.)

NEW [NEH Announces \\$18.6 Million for 199 Humanities Projects Nationwide](#)
National Endowment for the Humanities

Congratulations to the 8 funded projects from these Wisconsin cities: Appleton, Green Bay, Madison, Milwaukee, and Platteville.

NEW [Curator & Arts Education Coordinator](#)
Thelma Sadoff Center for the Arts
Until Filled

[Job Opportunity: Education Coordinator](#)
John Michael Kohler Arts Center
Deadline: Until Filled

Wisconsin Film Festival 2018

UW–Madison

Through April 12

Also

20th Wisconsin Film Festival to present more than 140 films

Wisconsin State Journal

Through April 12

National Endowment for the Arts Accepting Applications for Challenge America Fast-Track Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: April 12

Congressional Art Competition Entries Being Accepted

KFIZ

Deadline: April 13

2018 Rural Summit

Wisconsin Rural Partners

April 18 - 19

Arts Business Research Symposium 2018: The Future of Creative Placemaking In Higher Ed 2.0

Bolz Center for Arts Administration

April 19 – 21

Job Announcement: Arts Project Coordinator

City of Milwaukee

Deadline: April 23

How to Apply | Arts Midwest Touring Fund

Arts Midwest

Deadline: April 25

Submit

The Quill

First Draft Deadline: May 7

AIA Wisconsin 2018 Conference on Architecture

AIA Wisconsin

May 9 – 10

NEW Photo Gallery: Backline Musician Program Ready to Rock Milwaukee

Urban Milwaukee

Submissions Accepted June 4 – 29

Annual Conference
Americans for the Arts
June 15 - 17 | Denver

Join the worldwide celebration of music on June 21!
Make Music Day
June 21

Milwaukee Film now accepting entries for 2018 Festival
The Milwaukee Independent
Deadline: June 25

Entries sought for Wisconsin Wild Turkey, Pheasant and Waterfowl Stamp design contests
Weekly News | Wisconsin DNR
Deadline: July 16

Arts Midwest Conference
Arts Midwest
September 5 – 8 | Indianapolis

Wisconsin Science Festival 2018
Wisconsin Science Festival
October 11 - 14

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

Frame of mind: Owner of Eau Claire's oldest gallery reflects on its evolution
Eau Claire Leader-Telegram

These women are some of America's greatest artists. Why don't they get the respect they deserve?
The Washington Post

Washington's Holocaust Museum Announces Billion-Dollar Fundraising Goal
The Washington Post

Arts and Creativity in Education

Young entrepreneurs receive \$3,500 from investor panel
Wausau Pilot & Review

Steve Michaels hired as new Westby Schools District Administrator
The Westby Times

[La Crosse Public Education Foundation hands out \\$29,000 in grants to school projects](#)
News8000.com

[Students from UW-Green Bay host ninth annual Empty Bowls Fundraiser for local charity](#)
WLUK

[Lawrence University students win entrepreneur contest](#)
WLUK

Community Arts

[Mltzi Shore was Green Bay native who 'helped change the face of comedy'](#)
Green Bay Press Gazette

[Sherman Phoenix developers receive \\$250,000 WEDC grant](#)
Milwaukee Neighborhood News Service

Literary/Libraries

[Poetry in Portage group holds first reading](#)
Portage Daily Register

[Diary of a Wimpy Kid: Jeff Kinney visits Worzalla Publishing](#)
Stevens Point Journal

[Public Libraries are Reinventing Access to Higher Education](#)
The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation

Media Arts

[Photos: Huge mural kicks off CineLatino Milwaukee Film Festival](#)
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

[Big Gender Pay Parity Gap at U.S. Entertainment Companies in U.K.](#)
Variety

Performing Arts

Music

[Filling the void](#)
Isthmus

[Jazz exodus](#)
Isthmus

[All That Jazz: A #JazzAppreciationMonth Podcast Round-up](#)
National Endowment for the Arts

Presenting

[Bradley Center final gala honors Jane Bradley Pettit, gives out \\$400,00 to local nonprofits: Slideshow](#)
Milwaukee Business Journal

Other

[Heather Meeker on The Basics of Intellectual Property Law](#)
Own Your Content

WHEN YOU GO

Have you added your event to [Portal Wisconsin?](#)

Visual Arts/Museums

[Radical Jewelry Makeover Creates New Out Of Old](#)
Wisconsin Public Radio
April 13 – May 11

[The Boys are Back: Michael Santini and Friends](#)
Urban Milwaukee
April 26 – June 3

Arts and Creativity in Education

["Failure: A Love Story" opening April 13 at Central High School](#)
Kenosha News
April 13 – 15

Community Arts

[Second Saturday events in downtown Kenosha \(April 14, 2018\)](#)
Kenosha News
April 14

[Painting class offered at Club 55](#)
Lake Mills Leader
Various

Performing Arts

Music

Kenosha Symphony performing at Carthage College

Kenosha News

April 14

Waukesha Choral Union – A Celebration of Female Composers

Shepherd Express

May 5

Presenting

Cory Chisel and friends give Tom Petty a salute Saturday in Oshkosh

Appleton Post-Crescent

April 14

Classical: Greatest Hits of the Old Brits

Urban Milwaukee

April 14

WAMI Awards: Fox Cities PAC hosts celebration of Wisconsin music

Appleton Post-Crescent

April 15

Relatable anti-racist - Isthmus

Isthmus

April 19 – 21

Student bands selected for Bye Gosh Fest openers

The Advance-Titan

May 3

Theater/Opera

Hamilton's Syndee Winters Will Play Esmeralda in Wisconsin Run of The Hunchback of Notre Dame

Playbill

June 1 - 3

OPPORTUNITIES

National Endowment for the Arts Accepting Applications for Challenge America Fast-Track Grants

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: April 12

Harpo Foundation Seeks Applications for New Work Grants

RFP | Philanthropy News Digest

DEADLINE: April 13 (Letters of Inquiry)

6x6 - The International Small Art Phenomenon

Rochester Contemporary Art Center

Deadline: April 15

Dull, humble rental bowling shoes getting makeover in national contest

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

Deadline: April 16

Harpo Foundation Invites Applications for Visual Artists Program

RFP | Philanthropy News Digest

DEADLINE: April 20

Arts Midwest Invites Applications for Touring Fund

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: April 25

Bloomberg Philanthropies Launches 2018 Public Art Challenge for U.S. Cities

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: April 25

Chamber Music America Invites Applications for Classical Commissioning Program

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: April 29

Rockonsin: Wisconsin student bands can win Summerfest gig

Appleton Post-Crescent

Deadline: April 30

Internships at RAM

Racine Art Museum

Deadline: April 30

NEW Open Call for Public Art

Create Portage County

Deadline: May 1

Preservation and Access Education and Training

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: May 1

Preservation Assistance Grants for Smaller Institutions

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: May 1

American Farm Bureau Issues Purple Plow Challenge

Wisconsin Ag Connection

Deadline: May 1

NEW Submit

The Quill

First Draft Deadline: May 7

2018 Community Catalyst's Funding Opportunity: A Chance to Innovate

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Deadline: May 14

Get Ready Grants

CERF+

Deadline: May 15

2018 AARP Community Challenge

AARP

Deadline: May 16

Also

AARP Community Challenge Project Examples

AARP

Aaron Siskind Foundation Invites Applications for 2018 Individual Photographer's Fellowships

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: May 18

ArtSeed Grants Program

Racine Arts Council

Deadline: May 20

Figures of Speech

Anderson Museum of Art

Deadline: May 22

NEW Call for Artists | 56th Annual Juried Exhibit

The Hardy Gallery

Deadline: May 24

Common Heritage

National Endowment for the Humanities

Deadline: May 31

NEW Artistic Solar Public Art Project

City of Ashland Wisconsin

Deadline: June 1

Milwaukee, meet Backline: A start-up accelerator to amplify Milwaukee's music scene

88Nine Radio Milwaukee

Apply: June 3 – 29

Also

[Photo Gallery: Backline Musician Program Ready to Rock Milwaukee](#)

Urban Milwaukee

Submissions Accepted June 3 – 29

[Crayola Invites Proposals From Elementary Schools for 2018 Creative Leadership Grants](#)

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: June 22

[Milwaukee Film now accepting entries for 2018 Festival](#)

The Milwaukee Independent

Deadline: June 25

[ART WORKS Guidelines: Grant Program Description](#)

National Endowment for the Arts

Deadline: July 12

[Entries sought for Wisconsin Wild Turkey, Pheasant and Waterfowl Stamp design contests](#)

Weekly News | Wisconsin DNR

Deadline: July 16

[Women's Studio Workshop Invites Applications for Art-in-Education Artist Book Residency](#)

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: November 15

[Ezra Jack Keats Foundation Invites Entries for New Writer and Illustrator Children's Book Awards](#)

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: December 31

[Fender Music Foundation Announces Guitar Donations to Nonprofit Music Instruction Programs](#)

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: January 17, 2019

[NEW Harpo Foundation Accepting Applications for Native American Artists Fellowships](#)

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: February 15, 2019

[Radcliffe Institute Accepting Applications for Fellowship Program](#)

Philanthropy News Digest

Various

[Foundation for Contemporary Art Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants](#)

RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: Open

[Adolph & Esther Gottlieb Accepting Applications for Emergency Grants RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest](#)
Deadline: Open

[Open Grant Solicitations](#)
Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State
Various

[Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens RFP | Philanthropy News Digest](#)
Deadline: Various

[NALAC Unveils New Funding For Latinx Artists](#)
National Association of Latino Arts and Cultures
Various Deadlines

[Craft Emergency Relief Fund Accepting Applications From Craftspeople in Need](#)
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: Open

[Pollock-Krasner Foundation Accepting Grant Applications From Artists With Financial Need](#)
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: Open

[Artfully Reimagined Invites Submissions for 'Reimagine It' Grants](#)
RFPs | PND
Deadline: Open

[Shubert Foundation Accepting Applications for Performing Arts Grants](#)
RFPs | Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: Various

[Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Invites Entries From Creative Teens](#)
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadlines: Various

[Local Systems](#)
The Kresge Foundation
No Deadline

[Community Development Investment Grant](#)
Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation
No deadlines; continually available

The less art kids get, the more it shows.
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http://www.artsusa.org/public_awareness

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