



**April 22, 2024**

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Governor Evers | [Jazz Appreciation Month Proclamation](#)

[National Poetry Month](#) | [Get the Official Poster](#)

Governor Evers | [Hmong Heritage Month Proclamation](#)

## **QUOTE OF THE DAY**

"Be brave enough to live life creatively. The creative place where no one else has ever been." – Alan Alda

"In my music, I'm trying to play the truth of what I am. The reason it's difficult is because I'm changing all the time." – Charles Mingus

"I believe only in art and failure." – Jane Rule

"Is not the real experience of each individual very limited? And, if a writer dwells upon that solely or principally, is he not in danger of repeating himself, and also of becoming an egotist? Then, too, imagination is a strong, restless faculty, which claims to be heard and exercised: are we to be quite deaf to her cry, and insensate to her struggles? When she shows us bright pictures, are we never to look at them, and try to reproduce them? And when she is eloquent, and speaks rapidly and urgently in our ear, are we not to write to her dictation?" – Charlotte Brontë

"The advantage of poetry over life is that poetry, if it is sharp enough, may last." – Louise Glück

“Right now I'm having amnesia and deja vu at the same time... I think I've forgotten this before.” – Steven Wright

## VIDEO OF THE DAY

[30th anniversary of Polka Dance in Wisconsin](#)  
*WQOW*

[Wisconsin filmmaker works multiple jobs to support his dream](#)  
*Spectrum News 1*

[More than 600 people sign up to help paint street art on State Street in Madison](#)  
*Spectrum News 1*

[Improvisation and appreciation: a Q&A with jazz vocalist Marcya Daneille](#)  
*Re/sound | PBS Wisconsin*

[6 new series premiering in May on PBS Wisconsin](#)  
*PBS Wisconsin*

[Yuja Wang, Gustavo Dudamel, LA Philharmonic – Rachmaninoff: Piano Concerto No.2: II. Adagio sostenuto](#)  
*Deutsche Grammophon – DG*

Also

[How did pianist Yuja Wang's heart respond to playing Rachmaninoff?](#)  
*The Well-Tempered Ear*

*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](mailto:artsboard@wisconsin.gov)!*

## TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

### FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

**NEW** [Quick Study: April 18, 2024](#)  
*National Endowment for the Arts*

*“In this episode of Quick Study, we learn how leaders of a global network of arts and cultural districts regard their influence on community health and well-being.”*

[Americans for the Arts Teams Up with Handwork 2026 to Celebrate Legacy of American Craft in Lead-Up to U.S. Semiquincentennial](#)  
*Americans for the Arts*

[Quick Study: Cultural Districts and Well-Being Strategies](#)

*By Any Measure | ArtsJournal.com*

[High School Students from Across Nation to Compete in Poetry Out Loud National Finals](#)

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**May 1 – 2**

Also

[Riley Saenim is 2024's Wisconsin Poetry Out Loud Champion](#)

*Wisconsin Arts Board*

[2024 Creative Power Awards](#)

*Arts for All Wisconsin*

**May 4**

[Celebrate National Arab American Heritage Month with the Arts!](#)

*National Endowment for the Arts Blog*

**Attention Film Lovers!**

[2024 Milwaukee Film Festival](#)

*Milwaukee Film*

**Through April 25**

Also

[11 Must-See Films at the 2024 Milwaukee Film Festival](#)

*Milwaukee Magazine*

**Through April 25**

[Arts & Cultural Sector Hit All-Time High in 2022 Value Added to U.S. Economy](#)

*National Endowment for the Arts*

Also

[Arts and Cultural Production Satellite Account, U.S. and States, 2022](#)

*Bureau of Economic Analysis, US Department of Commerce*

[Wisconsin – 2022 | Arts & Cultural Production Satellite Account](#)

*Bureau of Economic Analysis, US Department of Commerce*

[Creative Economy State Profiles](#)

*National Assembly of State Arts Agencies*

[Quick Study: NEA Chair in Conversation with U.S. Census Bureau Chief](#)

*By Any Measure | ArtsJournal.com*

[Can the Arts Fortify State Economies in Times of Financial Crisis? Yes, Apparently](#)

*Measure for Measure | National Endowment for the Arts*

[Celebrating Women's History Month!](#)  
*National Endowment for the Arts*

[NEA FY 2025 Grant Opportunities Now Available](#)  
*National Endowment for the Arts*  
**Deadlines: Various**

## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Materials

[Celebrate the Arts Board's 50th Anniversary in your Region!](#)  
*We'll be in Rhineland, Washburn, La Crosse, Madison, Wausau, Door County, and Eau Claire. Learn more here and join us!*

Also  
[Arts Board Marks 50 Years of Service to the People of Wisconsin Looking Back, Imagining Forward](#)  
*Wisconsin Arts Board*

[Video | Wisconsin Arts Board's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary](#)

Governor Evers' [Certificate of Commendation](#)

The Arts Board's new [Instagram](#) account.

[Babette Wainwright](#)  
*50 Artists for 50 Years*

Click <https://wab50.com/50-artists-for-50-years/> to view all the featured artists so far.

*For the Wisconsin Arts Board's 50th Anniversary, we are spotlighting 50 Artists for 50 Years from August 2023 to July 2024! A reminder that we are continuing to accept artist (self or other) nominations from around the state. We are spotlighting artists working in all the visual, literary, and performing arts disciplines, including performers (actors, musicians, dancers, etc.), composers, writers, artists engaged in the many aspects of film-making, of theater-making, of dance-making, of multimedia/multidisciplinary art-making, and folk and traditional art practices. Email any questions to [artsboard@wisconsin.gov](mailto:artsboard@wisconsin.gov).*

[Wisconsin Schools Celebrate WAB's 50<sup>th</sup>](#)

Also  
[Wisconsin Arts Celebration Project Overview](#)

Celebrating your 50th anniversary this year in 2023 and/or 2024?

Let us know!

We'd like to share our spotlight with you.

Send us a link to your online celebration information and we'll post it on our 50th website.

And Happy 50th Anniversary!

[The Indiegogo Arts Campaign Handbook](#)

*Indiegogo*

[NEW NCN Articles of Interest | April 19, 2024](#)

*National Creativity Network*

## **Job Opportunities**

[Executive Director](#)

*Forte Theatre Company*

**Deadline: May 1**

[United Performing Arts Fund \(UPAF\) is Hiring a President and CEO!](#)

*Leading Transitions, UPAF*

**Deadline: May 3**

[Art Jewelry Forum Seeks Executive Director](#)

*Art Jewelry Forum*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

[Operations Manager](#)

*Present Music*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

[Events Rental Manager](#)

*Charles Allis & Villa Terrace Museums*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

[Event Staff](#)

*Charles Allis & Villa Terrace Museums*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

[Museum Caretaker](#)

*Charles Allis & Villa Terrace Museums*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

[Technical Director](#)

*First Stage*

**Until Filled**

Now Hiring: Accounting Manager

*National Association of Latino Arts & Cultures (NALAC)*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Now Hiring: Technology Manager

*National Association of Latino Arts & Cultures (NALAC)*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Director, Haggerty Museum of Art

*Marquette University*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Learn more about the position here: <https://www.marquette.edu/haggerty-museum/documents/position-overview-director-haggerty-museum-of-art.pdf>

The NAMM Foundation Launches Search for Next Executive Director

*The NAMM Foundation*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Director of Development – WI Humanities

*Universities of Wisconsin Human Resources*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Fundraising Director

*Arts for All*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Assistant Educator and Volunteer Coordinator (on-site)

*Leigh Yawkey Woodson Art Museum*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Marketing Director

*Harley-Davidson Museum*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Community Programs and Engagement Manager

*Milwaukee County Historical Society*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Adamah Program Director

*Bethel Horizons*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

General Manager, Harley-Davidson Museum And Milwaukee Experiences

*Harley-Davidson Museum*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Arts and Culture Consultant

*Greater Milwaukee Foundation, Milwaukee Jobs*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Artistic Manager

*Danceworks MKE*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Community Education Coordinator

*Danceworks MKE*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Community Teaching Artist

*Danceworks MKE*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Director of Development

*Skylight Music Theatre*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Education Manager

*Sharon Lynne Wilson Center for the Arts*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Development Manager

*Bergstrom-Mahler Museum of Glass*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Managing Director

*Present Music*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

The Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra is hiring!

*Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra*

**Deadlines: Various**

Co-Executive Director

*Mitchell Street Arts*

**Deadline: Until filled**

Teaching Artist

*Danceworks, Inc.*

**Deadline: Until Filled**

Tour Guide

*The Mining & Rollo Jamison Museums*

**Until filled**

Careers

*gener8tor*

**Deadline: Various**

**Deadlines | Resources | Events**

2023 Co-op Opportunities

*Travel Wisconsin*

**Deadline: First-Come-First-Serve**

America's Invitation | Share Your Story

*America 250*

**Deadline: Before July 4, 2026**

T1W 2024

*Toward One Wisconsin*

**May 7 – 8 | Eau Claire**

2024 AAM Annual Meeting & Museum Expo

*American Alliance of Museums*

**May 16 – 19 | Baltimore**

2024 AAE Annual Conference

*Association of Arts Administration Educators*

**May 23 – 26 | San Juan, PR**

World's Largest Baby to Rise in Milwaukee on Make Music Day

*PR Newswire, NAMM*

**June 21**

2024 Conference

*Association of Midwest Museums*

**July 24 | Virtual Day**

**July 31 - August 3 | In-person Conference**

Arts for EveryBody

*One Nation/One Project*

**July 27**

Proud that Rhinelander, WI is one of the 18 communities!

2024 Conference

*Alliance for Wisconsin Theater Education*

**September 20 | Mitby Theatre, Madison College**

Race Forward and Americans for the Arts Announce 'Cultural Week of Action on Race and Democracy'



*Americans for the Arts*  
**September 27 – October 5**

Annual Dance Conference 2024  
*Wisconsin Dance Council*  
**October 12 | CAL Arts Center, Reedsburg**

Wisconsin Science Festival  
*Wisconsin Science Festival*  
**October 14 – 20**

2024 Wisconsin State Music Conference  
*Wisconsin Music Educators Association*  
**October 23 - 26**

2024 Conference  
*Wisconsin Art Education Association*  
**October 24 – 25 | Black River Falls Middle School**

Online Workshops and Conversations  
*Creative Capital*  
**Various**

Webinars  
*Performing Arts Readiness*  
**Various**

Springboard for the Arts Calendar of Events  
*Springboard for the Arts*  
**Various**

Upcoming Events  
*Access/VSA International Network*  
**Various**

## **IN THE NEWS**

### **Visual Arts/Museums**

Tom Ferderbar's Life Behind the Lens  
*Milwaukee Magazine*

Taylor Swift's outfit in new 'Fortnight' video designed by Milwaukee artist Elena Velez  
*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

ELECTRIFY YOUR STYLE: Electroform Artist Introduces Shop Eleven After Seven  
*Volume One Magazine*

[Faith Ringgold Had a Dream; We Must Keep It Alive](#)  
*Hyperallergic*

[Define Museum: A Q&A with the Museum Glossary Project Team](#)  
*Alliance Blog | American Alliance of Museums*

## **Arts and Creativity in Education**

[Black Student Unions from across Dane County gather at Madison College](#)  
*Madison365*

[Seeking Applications for Art and Science Collaborations](#)  
*Marie Christine Kohler Fellows @ Wisconsin Institute for Discovery at UW-Madison*  
**Deadline: April 30**

To apply you must be a UW-Madison student actively pursuing a graduate degree (Masters or Ph.D.).

[Wisconsin Folksong Collection Added to the Library of Congress' National Recording Registry](#)  
*Libraries | UW-Madison*

[Field Day's media literacy game featured in story from Wisconsin Public Radio, PBS Wisconsin](#)  
*School of Education | UW-Madison News*

## **Community Arts**

[Ruth Arts awards \\$950K in grants to 10 Wisconsin arts groups to help break down barriers between artists and their craft](#)  
*Sheboygan Press*

[Take This Dance Class and Call Me in the Morning](#)  
*The New York Times*

## **Literary Arts/Libraries**

[WHAT DO YOU WANT? L.E. Phillips Library Seeks Public Input on Programming](#)  
*Volume One Magazine*  
**Deadline: April 30 | Survey**

[An Oasis in the Desert: Why Libraries Are the Best Places to Write](#)  
*Literary Hub*

[Aaron Tyler Hand | Self-Portrait as Combination Taco Bell / Pizza Hut / KFC](#)  
*Poem-a-Day, Poets.org*

## **Performing Arts**

## Music

[Chicken P's "Ain't Runnin' Out" Reps Milwaukee's Rap Prowess](#)

*Hyfin*

[Rock and Roll Hall of Fame Announces 2024 Inductees: Cher, Jimmy Buffett, Mary J. Blige, Dave Matthews, Peter Frampton, Foreigner and More](#)

*Variety*

## Presenting

[Jerry Seinfeld visits another local restaurant before Green Bay show, stops at Powers Comics](#)

*Green Bay Press-Gazette, Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

## Other

[How to Prevent Nonprofit Payment Fraud](#)

*NonProfit Pro*

## WHEN YOU GO

For more event listings, please go to the new Wisconsin Events page on TravelWisconsin.com: <https://www.travelwisconsin.com/events>.

## Visual Arts/Museums

[5 Points Art Gallery + Studios Temperature's Rising Fashion Show and Wearable Arts Exhibition Opening](#)

*Urban Milwaukee*

**May 17; Through June 23**

## Arts and Creativity in Education

[Fighting show leaves a lasting punch](#)

*Royal Purple | UW-Whitewater*

**April 25 – 27**

[Poet-in-residence Sonya Lara will read Friday, April 26 at Ripon College](#)

*Ripon Commonwealth Press*

**April 26**

[UW-Green Bay: Celebrates diversity at the first annual Festival of Cultures](#)

*WisPolitics*

**April 27**

## Community Arts

[What to do in Madison this week: The Skatalites, Fred Armisen and more Isthmus Picks](#)  
*Isthmus*

**April 22 – 25**

[Fifth Annual Hill Farms Art Walk & Sale](#)

*Wisconsin State Journal*

**May 4**

### **Folk Arts/Folklife**

[Your 2024 guide to cultural festivals in Wisconsin](#)

*Spectrum News 1*

**Various**

### **Literary Arts/Libraries**

[Arts & Ideas: Why William?](#)

*Volume One Magazine*

**April 23**

[Marathon County Public Library programs: Youths](#)

*Wausau Pilot & Review*

**Various | May**

### **Performing Arts**

#### **Dance**

[Danceworks Performance MKE and APERI ANIMAM Team Up for Third and Final Show of the Season](#)

*Urban Milwaukee*

**May 17 – 19**

#### **Music**

[Philomusica Quartet Offers American Themes](#)

*Urban Milwaukee*

**April 22**

#### **Presenting**

[102.9 The Hog's HOG F Hog Fest Returns to Fiserv Forum on Friday, May 3](#)

*Urban Milwaukee*

**May 3**

### **OPPORTUNITIES**

[Opportunities for May and June 2024](#)

*Creative Capital*

**Deadlines: Various**

[April 2024 Opportunities: Open Calls, Residencies, and Grants for Artists](#)

*Colossal*

**Deadlines: Various | April**

[Opportunities for April and May 2024](#)

*Creative Capital*

**Various | April & May**

[Public Art Conservation Fund Application and Guidelines](#)

*City of Milwaukee Arts Board*

**Deadline: Rolling, as long as funds remain, in order they are received.**

[Artist Residency](#)

*Wormfarm Institute*

**Applications reviewed on a rolling basis through Mid-March**

[NEA FY 2025 Grant Opportunities Now Available](#)

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Deadlines: Various**

[America's Invitation | Share Your Story](#)

*America 250*

**Deadline: Before July 4, 2026**

[Springboard for the Arts Calendar of Events](#)

*Springboard for the Arts*

**Various**

[Are you raising impact capital for the creative economy?](#)

*UpStart Co-Lab*

**Deadline: Open**

[RJE Sprout Fund Invites Proposals From Artists Working With Underserved Communities](#)

*PND by Candid*

**Deadline: Rolling**

[Call for Artwork](#)

*Northeast Wisconsin Technical College*

**Monthly Review**

[Hometown Grants](#)

*T-Mobile*

**Grant Periods:**

April - June | Summer  
July - September | Fall

2024 ArtSeed Re-Granting Program

*Racine Arts Council*

**Deadline: April 26**

Call for Applications: Printmaking Artist in Residence, 2024-2025 academic year

*The University of Wisconsin-Parkside*

**Deadline: April 28**

Harpo Foundation invites applications from under-recognized visual artists

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: April 29**

**NEW** WHAT DO YOU WANT? L.E. Phillips Library Seeks Public Input on Programming

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20 YEARS OF ROCKING: Rockonsin Applications Open March 1

*Volume One Magazine*

**Applications Open: April 30**

Call for High School Artists | Shaped by Water

*Cedarburg Art Museum*

**Deadline: April 30**

Duluth Public Arts Commission taking submissions for utility box art

*Northern News Now*

**Deadline: April 30**

East Side BID Holding T-Shirt Design Contest for Summer Soulstice Music Festival

*Urban Milwaukee*

**Deadline: May 1**

Flow in the Forest—Artist in Residence Program

*Salmon-Challis National Forest*

**Deadline: May 1**

[NPR's Student Podcast Challenge is back – with a fourth-grade edition!](#)

*Student Podcast Challenge | NPR*

**Deadline: May 3**

[Students Urged to Participate in Art Contest](#)

*The 715 Newsroom*

**Deadline: May 3**

[Art Contest Opportunity For Wisconsin Public School Students](#)

*Merrill Foto News*

**Deadline: May 3**

[Performing Arts Technologies Lab](#)

*Doris Duke Foundation*

**Deadline: May 6**

[Call for Community Education Instructors](#)

*Nicolet College Arts & Enrichment*

**Deadline: May 6**

[Application Deadline for Fiscal Year 2024; Small, Rural School Achievement Program](#)

*Federal Register*

**Deadline: May 10**

[The Hopper Prize invites applications from visual artists](#)

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 14**

[Academy of American Poets invites applications for Lenore Marshall Poetry Prize](#)

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 15**

[Virginia Center for the Creative Arts invites applications for fellowships](#)

*Philanthropy News Digest*

**Deadline: May 15**

[2024 Andy Warhol Foundation Arts Writers Grant](#)

*The Andy Warhol Foundation*

**Deadline: May 15**

[Annual Awards Program](#)

*Association of Midwest Museums*

**Deadline: May 17**

[2024 Stevens Point Sculpture Park Juried Call](#)

*The Stevens Point Sculpture Park*

**Deadline: May 17**

2025 (EGG)CELERATOR LAB

*Chicken & Egg Pictures*

**Deadline: May 22**

Call for Artists: Musician Changemaker Accelerator (MCA) Academy offers paid training!

*Music to Life*

**Deadline: May 24**

4th Annual CAC Art Show

*Cudahy Art Coalition, LLC*

**Deadline: May 25**

The Hardy Gallery Announces a Call for Artists for the 2024 Community Mosaic Project

*The Hardy Gallery*

**Deadline: June 23**

Calling All Artists | Eggstravaganza

*Public Arts Initiative, Egg Harbor, WI*

**Deadline: June 30**

2024 Voices of Lincoln Poetry Contest

*Poets Club of Lincoln*

**Deadline: July 18**

DNR Now Accepting Artwork for the 2025 Turkey, Pheasant and Waterfowl Stamp Contest

*Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources*

**Deadline: August 1**

Plein Air at the Fair Contest Returns to the 175th Walworth County Fair

*Lake Geneva Regional News*

**Deadline: August 8**

Short Film Fest Accepting Submissions Now

*Door County Pulse*

**August 31 | Early Bird Deadline**

**December 31 | Final Deadline**

Civic Music MKE Educator Awards

*Civic Music MKE*

**Nominations Open: October 2024**

**Deadline: November 30, 2024**

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund

*Awards & Grants | American Library Association*

**Deadline: None. Monthly Review**



Open Grant Solicitations

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State

**Various**

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