

WISCONSIN ARTS NEWS



50 Years!

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

“Any artist will tell you he's really only interested in the stuff he's doing now. He will, always. It's true, and it should be like that.” – David Hockney

“I wanted to live my life so that people would know unmistakably that I am alive, so that when I finally die people will know the difference for sure between my living and my death.”
– June Jordan

“People only see what they are prepared to see.” – Ralph Waldo Emerson

“Because people see violence on the movie screen, they're not going to go out and hold up a liquor store and kill somebody. It really doesn't correlate.” – Dean Koontz

“People say life is everything, but I prefer reading.” – Logan Pearsall Smith

VIDEO OF THE DAY

[Be the Hero the Arts in Milwaukee Need](#)

United Performing Arts Fund (UPAF)

Deadline: August 31

[The Arts Page | Segment | The Cosmic Fantasies of Stevens Point Artist, Kiba Freeman](#)
Milwaukee PBS

[Harry Whitehorse Festival Opening Ceremony, June 14th, 2024](#)
Monona Community Media

[POV | Is There Anybody Out There?](#)
PBS Wisconsin

[Silvia Pérez Cruz: Tiny Desk Concert](#)
NPR Music

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 [Announcing the Midwest Culture Bearers Award](#)
Arts Midwest
Deadline: July 29

NEW [Arts and Culture Funding: Success Stories and Ongoing Challenges](#)
Americans for the Arts

[Value of Volunteer Time](#)
Independent Sector

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

50th Anniversary Materials

[Celebrate the Arts Board's 50th Anniversary in your Region!](#)
One to go! We'll host a virtual celebration on July 16. Learn more here and join us!
July 16 @ 11:30 am | register for meeting link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DBTXRF2>

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 50th Anniversary](#)

Governor Evers' [Certificate of Commendation](#)

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

[Mai Zong Vue](#)

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.

[Wisconsin Schools Celebrate WAB's 50th](#)

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 | June 28, 2024](#)

National Creativity Network

Job Opportunities

NEW [Finance and Operations Officer](#)

Wisconsin Department of Tourism

Deadline: July 14, Until Filled

[Arts Council Deputy Director](#)
Nebraska Arts Council
Deadline: July 22

[Maintenance Technician 1](#)
Madison Children's Museum
Deadline: Until Filled

[Resource Staff- Afterschool Arts & Humanities](#)
Milwaukee Public Schools
Deadline: Until Filled

[Associate Dean of Students](#)
Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design (MIAD)
Initial Review: Until Filled

[Admissions Counselor](#)
Milwaukee Institute of Art & Design (MIAD)
Initial Review: Until Filled

[School Registrar](#)
Milwaukee Ballet
Deadline: Until Filled

[Data Systems Administrator](#)
Milwaukee Ballet
Deadline: Until Filled

[Ticket Office Representative](#)
Next Act Theatre
Deadline: Until Filled

[Art Jewelry Forum Seeks Executive Director](#)
Art Jewelry Forum
Deadline: Until Filled

[Careers](#)
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Deadline: Various

Deadlines | Resources | Events

[America's Invitation | Share Your Story](#)
America 250
Deadline: Before July 4, 2026

[Museums Nationwide Provide Free Admission to Military Families This Summer](#)
National Endowment for the Arts
Through September 2

[National Forum on Education Policy](#)
Education Commission of the States
July 10 – 12 | Washington, D.C.

[2024 Virtual String Teachers Summit](#)
American String Teachers Association
July 15 – 16 | Virtual

[National Education Summit](#)
Smithsonian Education
July 16 - 18 | Online * Washington DC

[2024 Play Make Learn Conference](#)
UW-Madison School of Education's Department of Curriculum and Instruction and the office of Professional Learning and Community Education (PLACE)
July 17 | Preconference
July 18 - 19 | Conference

[AATE National Conference](#)
American Alliance for Theatre and Education
July 17 – 20 | Chicago, IL

[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 Wisconsin Creativity Summit](#)
Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
August 7

[Collaboration, Community, and Creativity: Rural Arts and Creativity Forum 2024](#)
Create Wisconsin, Wisconsin Arts Board, and The Acreage at Osceola
September 4

[The NAMM Foundation-College Music Society Fellows Program](#)
NAMM Foundation and the College Music Society
Deadline: September 9

Annual Convening

Arts Education Partnership

September 12 - 13 | Pittsburgh

2024 Conference

Alliance for Wisconsin Theater Education

September 20 | Mitby Theatre, Madison College

Theatre Education Conference

Educational Theatre Association

September 26 – 29 | Minneapolis, MN

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

CODASummit: Art Technology and Place

CODAworx

October 16 – 18 | Cincinnati, OH

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

2024 Arts Schools Network Annual Conference

Arts Schools Network

October 24 – 25 | Washington, D.C.

Opportunity Grants

Wisconsin Humanities

Deadlines: November 1, March 1

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

League of Wisconsin Municipalities Calls for 126th Annual Conference Artist-in-Residence Proposals

League of Wisconsin Municipalities

Deadline: August 30

Arts and Creativity in Education

New UW-La Crosse chancellor focused on future, serving needs of the state

Wisconsin Public Radio

Community Arts

Manitowoc couple Jason and Tina Prigge were seriously injured in a motorcycle crash Fourth of July weekend. A GoFundMe has been created.

Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter

Bronzeville Creative Arts & Tech Hub Wins Key Approval

Urban Milwaukee

See where RNC-related events will be held throughout the Milwaukee area

BizTimes Milwaukee

New home for Annie Stewart fountain?

Isthmus

Visit the World's Largest Potato Masher in Plover, Wisconsin

Boing Boing

Literary Arts/Libraries

In the groove
Isthmus

Cole Swensen | A river slips
Poetry Foundation

Performing Arts

Presenting

[PHOTOS] 'LIKE A PAIR OF WELL-WORN BOOTS': Country Fest 2024
Volume One Magazine

Also
THE HOOFBEAT GOES ON: Country Fest Changes Name, But Promises to Stay Close to Roots
Volume One Magazine

Theater/Opera

Willem Dafoe is named artistic director of Venice Biennale's theater department
WI Proud

Other

Ambition, capacity, and context
ArtsManaged Field Notes

5 Ways Maps Can Help People Find Your Mission
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

Racine Starving Artist Fair
Racine County Eye
August 4

Morning Glory Art Fair, Presented by Wisconsin Craft, Returns to Deer District Aug. 10-11
Urban Milwaukee
August 10 – 11

Arts and Creativity in Education

[MIAD's New Gallery at the Airport Showcases a Recent Grad's Work](#)

Milwaukee Magazine

On Exhibit

Community Arts

[Things to do in Manitowoc this weekend include Mid-Mod convention and lots of live music](#)

Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter

This Weekend

Performing Arts

Music

[In Nature's Realm](#)

Wisconsin Chamber Orchestra

July 10

Presenting

[The Dweebs at the Northern Wisconsin State Fair Kickoff](#)

Bloomer Advance

July 9

[Sean and Ian Okamoto: Ashley For The Arts 2024](#)

Winona Post

August 10

[All Grand Theater shows in 2024/25 season on sale individually July 9](#)

Wausau Pilot & Review

Season

Theater/Opera

[Milwaukee, Wisconsin, July 18-19—Multiple free staged dramatic performances of “It](#)

Can't Happen Here—Again

Urban Milwaukee

July 18 – 19

OPPORTUNITIES

[Opportunities for July and August 2024](#)

Creative Capital

Various | July & August

[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:

July - September | Fall

[Anyone Can Be An MMOCA Volunteer For The 66th Annual Art Fair On The Square!](#)

Madison Museum of Contemporary Art

July 13 – 14

[Loghaven Artist Residency invites applications](#)

Philanthropy News Digest

Deadline: July 15

[NEW SO, WHAT'S NEXT? Filmmakers Launch Kickstarter for Horror Comedy Short](#)

Volume One Magazine

Deadline: July 16

M&C Saatchi Group and Saatchi Gallery invite applications for 2024 Art for Change Prize
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: July 17

2024 Voices of Lincoln Poetry Contest
Poets Club of Lincoln
Deadline: July 18

Lab^4: A Community Curation Project
Art + Literature Laboratory
Deadline: July 31

AXS Film Fund invites applications from creators of color in documentary filmmaking or nonfiction new media
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: July 31

PEN America invites applications for Bare Life Review Grants program
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: August 1

PEN America invites applications for PEN/Phyllis Naylor Grant for Children's and Young Adult Novelists
Philanthropy News Digest
Deadline: August 1

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

Youth Quilters Invited To Enter Kids' Quilt Challenge
Tomahawk Leader
Deadline: August 9

Dance/USA Invites Initial Applications for the Third Round of Dance/USA Fellowships to Artists Program
Dance/USA
Deadline: August 15

NEW League of Wisconsin Municipalities Calls for 126th Annual Conference Artist-in-Residence Proposals
League of Wisconsin Municipalities
Deadline: August 30

Short Film Fest Accepting Submissions Now

Door County Pulse

August 31 | Early Bird Deadline

December 31 | Final Deadline

The NAMM Foundation-College Music Society Fellows Program

NAMM Foundation and the College Music Society

Deadline: September 9

Opportunity Grants

Wisconsin Humanities

Deadlines: November 1, March 1

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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