

# WISCONSIN ARTS NEWS



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**July 17, 2024**

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## QUOTE OF THE DAY

“We don't make mistakes here, we just have happy accidents.” – Bob Ross

“An artist's career always begins tomorrow.” – James Whistler

“I see dance as glue for a community.” –Twyla Tharp

[45 Quotes From Mr. Rogers That We All Need Today](#)  
*Inc.com*

“We are cups, constantly and quietly being filled. The trick is, knowing how to tip ourselves over and let the beautiful stuff out.” – Ray Bradbury

“It's a sign of mediocrity when you demonstrate gratitude with moderation.” – Roberto Benigni

“Education is the ability to listen to almost anything without losing your temper or your self-confidence.” – Robert Frost

“Start every day off with a smile and get it over with.” – W. C. Fields

## VIDEO OF THE DAY

[Discover the story behind this curious sculpture at Milwaukee's City Hall](#)  
*The Arts Page | Milwaukee PBS*

[Symphony celebrates NATO's 75th anniversary with music from member nations](#)  
*PBS NewsHour*

[Artist turns her work into love letters to husband fading into the fog of Alzheimer's](#)  
*PBS NewsHour*

*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** [2024 Conference | Leadership Exchange in Arts & Disability](#)  
*Access/VSA | The Kennedy Center*  
**July 31 - August 2 | Hybrid Series**

**NEW** [Announcing the 2025 NEA Jazz Masters](#)  
*National Endowment for the Arts*

**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**

### 50<sup>th</sup> 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 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary](#)

Governor Evers' [Certificate of Commendation](#)

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

[Abigail Sharp](#)

*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 | July 12, 2024](#)**

*National Creativity Network*

**Job Opportunities**

[Arts Council Deputy Director](#)

*Nebraska Arts Council*

**Deadline: July 22**

**NEW Operations and Database Associate**

*St. Croix Valley Foundation*

**Deadline: August 9**

**NEW Executive Director**

*Fargo-Moorhead Symphony Orchestra, Genovese Vanderhoof & Associates*

**Deadline: September 9**

**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**

*gener8tor*

**Deadline: Various**

**Deadlines | Resources | Events**

America's Invitation | Share Your Story

*America 250*

**Deadline: Before July 4, 2026**

National Education Summit

*Smithsonian Education*

**Through July 18 | Online \* Washington DC**

Museums Nationwide Provide Free Admission to Military Families This Summer

*National Endowment for the Arts*

**Through September 2**

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!

Announcing the Midwest Culture Bearers Award

*Arts Midwest*

**Deadline: July 29**

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 Conference

*Wisconsin Art Education Association*

**October 23 – 25 | Black River Falls Middle School**

2024 Wisconsin State Music Conference

*Wisconsin Music Educators Association*

**October 23 - 26**

2024 Arts Schools Network Annual Conference

*Arts Schools Network*

**October 24 – 25 | Washington, D.C.**

Opportunity Grants

*Wisconsin Humanities*

**Deadlines: November 1, March 1**

**NEW** 2025 NAEA National Convention

*National Art Education Association*

**March 20 – 22 | Louisville, KY**

## 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**

#### Crafting Brilliance | Ceramic artists perform alchemy with glazes and pigments

*WI People & Ideas | WI Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters*

#### "Capitol" by Erin Kessler, Hatch Art House

*Wisconsin State Journal*

#### Wisconsin Historical Society: How the Wisconsin Historical Society collects political history in an election year

*WisPolitics*

### **Arts and Creativity in Education**

#### "I knew that I wanted to become an art teacher." | Frank Juarez

*Love Wisconsin*

#### Bay Port Teacher Bags Barry Manilow Music Grant

*WTAQ*

#### UW-Green Bay mourns loss of R. Michael Ingraham

*Inside UW-Green Bay News*

#### When schools tap a love of esports

*The Christian Science Monitor*

### **Community Arts**

[Bayfield juggles tourist economy, seasonal booms](#)  
*Business North*

## **Folk Arts/Folklife**

[Grantee Spotlight: Somali and Scandinavian Heritage Events in Barron County](#)  
*Wisconsin Humanities*

## **Literary Arts/Libraries**

[Congratulations to the 2024 Fiction and Poetry Contest Winners](#)  
*WI People & Ideas | WI Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters*

[Q&A: Peter Jest and the Author of His New Biography, Amy Waldman](#)  
*Milwaukee Magazine*

[Adventures await at River Falls Public Library](#)  
*Pierce County Journal*

[Survey Results: Audiences and Generative AI and the Comic Book Industry](#)  
*Arts Management & Technology Laboratory*

[John Lee Clark | A DeafBlind Poet](#)  
*Poetry Foundation*

Also  
[John Lee Clark | Reading Environments](#)  
*Poetry Foundation*

## **Media Arts**

[Larry visits Door County to hear about local theater and maritime history](#)  
*The Larry Meiller Show | Wisconsin Public Radio*

[Exclusive: Michael Mann unveils his in-depth, behind-the-scenes Archives project](#)  
*Los Angeles Times*

Note: Michael Mann is a [UW-Madison alumnus](#).

[Emmys 2024: The Nominations List \(Updating Live\)](#)  
*Variety*

Also  
[Emmy Nominations 2024: 'Shogun' Leads All Shows With 25 Nods, 'The Bear' Close Behind With 23](#)  
*Variety*

## **Performing Arts**



## **Dance**

[Will the Olympics Help Dancers Get Paid Like Athletes?](#)

*Dance Magazine*

## **Music**

[Meet Madison's DIY Music Maven](#)

*City Cast Madison*

[Q&A: Peter Jest and the Author of His New Biography, Amy Waldman](#)

*Milwaukee Magazine*

## **Presenting**

[Wisconsin reveals renderings of how new premium seating at the Kohl Center will look this fall](#)

*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*

## **Theater/Opera**

[The Other Side of Summer - How the season's theatre festivals are faring amid rising costs, fickle audiences, and the warming planet.](#)

*American Theatre*

## **Other**

[Are we actually in the middle of a generosity crisis?](#)

*Vox*

[Measure What You Value: Designing A Values-Based Performance Appraisal System](#)

*Blue Avocado*

[4 Ways Workplace Giving Supports Fundraising Strategies](#)

*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**

[New Gallery Exhibitions](#)

*Pumphouse Regional Arts Center*

**July 17 – September 7 | Exhibition**

**August 2 | Artist Reception**

[Full Moon Sound Bath, Mini-Market + Astrology Writing Workshop at Lynden this Sunday](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**July 21**

## **Community Arts**

[Oregon Community Calendar: July 18-28](#)  
*The Oregon Observer*  
**July 18 – 28**

[2024 Wisconsin Academy Fellows Induction Gala](#)  
*Wisconsin Academy of Sciences, Arts and Letters*  
**July 31**

## **Literary Arts/Libraries**

[Manitowoc Public Library is more than just books. This week, try group games on the lawn or stories with yoga poses for kids.](#)  
*Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter*  
**This Week**

## **Media Arts**

[See Experimental Films at aCinema This Weekend](#)  
*Milwaukee Magazine*  
**July 19 – 21**

## **Performing Arts**

### **Music**

[Concerts on the Square](#)  
*Isthmus*  
July 17

[Opera in the Park is this Saturday; here's how to make the most of it](#)  
*Wisconsin State Journal*  
**July 20**

### **Presenting**

[Q&A: A Performer's Rundown of the Bristol Renaissance Faire](#)  
*Milwaukee Magazine*  
**Through September 2 | Weekends**

[Ripon concert series welcomes FallBack to the Village Green](#)  
*Ripon Commonwealth Press*  
**July 19**

[Cheech's Deecefest 2024 is bringing over 25 bands to the Bluebird Campground](#)  
*WXOW*  
**July 26 – 28**

## **Theater/Opera**

[Opera in the Park is this Saturday: here's how to make the most of it](#)  
*Wisconsin State Journal*  
**July 20**

[Interview: Eau Claire Children's Theatre to close out 35th season](#)  
*WEAU*  
**July 24 – 28**

[Acacia Theatre Company is Making Peace](#)  
*Urban Milwaukee*  
**Season**

## **OPPORTUNITIES**

[Opportunities for July and August 2024](#)  
*Creative Capital*  
**Various | July & August**

[Opportunities for August and September 2024](#)  
*Creative Capital*  
**Various | August & September**

[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**

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**

Local artists encouraged to submit entries for 2024 Bronzeville Artwalk

*Urban Milwaukee*

**Deadline: July 21**

Artist Open Call – Wild

*Overt Space*

**Deadline: July 29**

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**

NEW FROM FRIDGE TO GALLERY: L.E. Phillips Library Spotlights Young Artists

*Volume One Magazine*

**Deadline: End of July**

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**

Artists Sought for Multiple Permanent Murals Coming to Milwaukee's Riverwalk

*Urban Milwaukee*

**Deadline: August 2**

Deadline Coming Fast for Heyde Center's First Juried Art Show

*Volume One Magazine*

**Deadline: August 5**

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

*Lake Geneva Regional News*

**Deadline: August 8**

Maryland Monument to Honor Black Patriots who served in the Revolutionary War

*Maryland State Arts Council*

**Deadline: August 9**

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**

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

*League of Wisconsin Municipalities*

**Deadline: August 30**

United Performing Arts Fund seeks to raise \$3 million in next 8 weeks

*BizTimes Milwaukee*

**Deadline: August 31**

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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