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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Music is a higher revelation than all wisdom and philosophy." – Ludwig van Beethoven

"Music is the one incorporeal entrance into the higher world of knowledge which comprehends mankind but which mankind cannot comprehend." – Ludwig van Beethoven

"The true artist is not proud: he unfortunately sees that art has no limits; he feels darkly how far he is from the goal, and though he may be admired by others, he is sad not to have reached that point to which his better genius only appears as a distant, guiding sun." – Ludwig van Beethoven

"The barriers are not erected which can say to aspiring talents and industry, 'Thus far and no farther.'" – Ludwig van Beethoven

"Art! Who comprehends her? With whom can one consult concerning this great goddess?" – Ludwig van Beethoven

"What you are, you are by accident of birth; what I am, I am by myself. There are and will be a thousand princes; there is only one Beethoven." – Ludwig van Beethoven

VIDEO OF THE DAY

[Beethoven Turns 250 This Year And WPR's Music Staff Are Celebrating](#)
Wisconsin Public Radio Music Staff

[Chuck Berry Performs "Roll Over Beethoven"](#)
Rock and Roll Hall of Fame

Also

[2017 Rock & Roll Hall of Fame Inductees ELO Perform "Roll Over Beethoven"](#)
Rock and Roll Hall of Fame

[How Community Development Organizations Change When They Embrace Arts and Culture \(recorded webinar\)](#)

Arts, Culture, and Community Development

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 [Gov. Evers Announces Governor's Blue Ribbon Commission on Rural Prosperity Releases Report and Ten Action Recommendations](#)

Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation

Also

NEW [Rural Voices for Prosperity: A Report of the Governor's Blue Ribbon Commission on Rural Prosperity](#)

Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation

NEW [2021 Cultural Wealth Conference: The Role of the Arts and Cultural Capital in Rural Innovation and Entrepreneurship](#)

Rural Policy Research Institute

February 23, 25

For resources to help you move through this current crisis, please check out our [COVID-19 and the arts in Wisconsin webpage](#)

[Reimagining the Future of the Arts](#)

Knowledge Center | The Wallace Foundation

[Wallace Foundation webinars](#)

[Register here.](#)

[Wisconsin conversations](#)

- **Thursday, December 18, 9-10 am.**

[Register here](#) and you will receive a Zoom link before the date

Info from The Wallace Foundation webinars:

[Arts Organizations' Early Response to COVID-19 Uncertainty: Insights from the Field](#)
AEA Consulting | The Wallace Foundation

[Executive Summary](#)

[Full Report](#)

[Navigating Uncertain Times: A Scenario Planning Toolkit for the Arts and Culture Sector](#)

The Wallace Foundation

[Download Overview](#)

[Download Scenarios](#)

[Download Worksheets](#)

[The Pandemic is Transforming the Arts—and It's Not All Bad News](#)

Wallace Blog | The Wallace Foundation

[Video Replay: What Can Organizations Learn from High-Performing and Turnaround Arts Organizations?](#)

Reimagining the Future of the Arts | The Wallace Foundation

[Pandemic Ups Game on Scenario Planning in The Arts](#)

Wallace Blog | The Wallace Foundation

[NCN Articles of Interest | December 11, 2020](#)

National Creativity Network

Job Opportunities

[Careers](#)

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Deadline: Various

[Job Opportunity | Curator & Arts Education Coordinator](#)

Thelma Sadoff Center for the Arts

Deadline: Until Filled

[Join the Board](#)

AIGA Wisconsin

Until Filled

[Board Treasurer | Master Singers of Milwaukee](#)

Jobs That Help

Until Filled

Job Opportunity | Director of Programs

Arts@Large

Deadline: Until Filled

Executive Director | Bergstrom Mahler Museum of Glass

The QTI Group

Deadline: Until Filled

Member Services Associate

Museum of Wisconsin Art

Deadline: Until Filled

Deadlines | Resources | Events

Deals Co-op Program

TravelWisconsin.com

Through December 31

Anti-Racism as Organizational Compass

National Guild for Community Art Education

Through February 22

Rootwork | Grounding Community Arts Education Beyond the Pandemic

National Guild for Community Arts Education

Through February 24

Gov. Evers, Lt. Gov. Barnes to Host People's Budget Virtual Listening Sessions

Office of Governor Tony Evers

Budget Listening Session on Our Schools and Education

Wednesday, December 16, at 6 p.m.

Registration will be live one week before the listening session date.

Small Community Forum

Wisconsin Rural Partners, Wisconsin Main Street, League of Wisconsin Municipalities, Arts Wisconsin, Wisconsin Downtown Action Council, UW-Madison/Extension and USDA Rural Development Wisconsin

December 16

Believe in Music Week

NAMM

Begins January 18

NEA Big Read Grant Opportunity

National Endowment for the Arts

Deadline: January 27

Also

[Apply for the National Endowment for the Arts Big Read for 2021-2022!](#)

National Endowment for the Arts Blog

Deadline: January 27

NEW [Submit Your Idea!](#)

Wisconsin Governor's Business Plan Contest

Deadline: January 31

[\[Virtual\] 2021 NAEA National Convention, taking place March 4-7](#)

National Art Education Association

March 4 – 7

POSTPONED [2020 Conference](#)

Association of Midwest Museums & Wisconsin Federation of Museums

July 2021 | Milwaukee

[The print version of the 2020 Arts & Crafts Fair Directory is available and may be ordered here.](#)

TravelWisconsin.com

If you'd prefer to view the Directory online, click [here](#).

[Online Workshops and Conversations](#)

Creative Capital

Various

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

[Sterling Rathsack's paintings look back at Manitowoc | Art Forward](#)

Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter

[2021 Shenandoah National Park Artist-in-Residence Program](#)

Café

Deadline: January 18

[Struggling Museums Are Increasingly Relying on the Generosity of Artists to Convince Private Donors to Bail Them Out](#)

artnet news

[Artist Perspectives On Net Art And New Media](#)

Arts Management and Technology Laboratory

Arts and Creativity in Education

[Arts and Creativity Education Newsletter | January 2021](#)
Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction

[Center Stage Theater Program teaches students about different career paths in theater](#)
WeAreGreenBay.com

[High school students from Verona and Finland present ideas for cross-cultural problem-solving](#)
The Cap Times

[Youth Art Competition Offers Cash Prizes](#)
Chippewa Valley Family
Deadline: December 27

[UW-Stevens Point marker to honor indigenous burial grounds](#)
WSAW-TV

Also
[Memorial Marker to Acknowledge Indigenous People Buried at UWSP](#)
WXPR

[UW-Whitewater seeking instrument donations](#)
Watertown Daily Times

[Digital showdown a lesson in teamwork for UW-P students](#)
Dubuque Telegraph Herald

[State Ranks 41st in Tax Dollars for Higher Education](#)
Urban Milwaukee, Wisconsin Public Radio

Also
[Report: Wisconsin's public colleges are falling behind as state funds lag and enrollment drops](#)
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

[Wisconsin's tuition freeze squeezes its campuses tighter than other states have, report says](#)
Wisconsin State Journal

Community Arts

[Consider A Gift Of Connecting With Older Adults This Holiday Season](#)
Central Time | Wisconsin Public Radio

[Black Power 2020: Wisconsin's 51 Most Influential Black Leaders, Part 3](#)
Madison 365

Literary Arts/Libraries

[G.E. Patterson | The Keeping Room](#)
Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

Media Arts

[Milwaukee PBS will not renew 'Around the Corner with John McGivern'](#)
Milwaukee Journal Sentinel

[Anita Hill's Commission Urges Hollywood To Improve Workplace Culture: 'In The Midst of Any Global Health Crisis, Racism & Sexism Flourish'](#)
Variety

[Sundance Film Festival Lineup Features 38 First-Time Directors, Including Rebecca Hall and Robin Wright](#)
Variety

Also
[Sundance 2021: New Frontier Program Unveils 14 Selections, Presented \(Of Course\) in Virtual Spaces](#)
Variety

Performing Arts

Dance

[Ann Reinking Dies at 71; Dancer, Actor, Choreographer and Fosse Muse](#)
The New York Times

Also
[Ann Reinking: Playful, Refined and With Legs for Days](#)
The New York Times

Music

[Beethoven Turns 250 This Year And WPR's Music Staff Are Celebrating](#)
Wisconsin Public Radio Music Staff

Also
[Beethoven's Fifth: Encore](#)
Milwaukee Symphony

[Beethoven's 250th Birthday: Here's Everything You Need to Know](#)
The New York Times

[Beethoven's Greatness Is In The Details](#)
The New York Times

[Beethoven's birthday](#)
Peanuts Wiki

[In Japan, Beethoven's 'Ode to Jo' is a Christmas carol](#)
National Geographic

[Late country music pioneer Charley Pride's Wisconsin connection: He played baseball in Fond du Lac](#)
Fond du Lac Reporter

[Charley Pride – country music has obscured and marginalised its Black roots](#)
The Conversation

[Forget Album Of The Year, What's The Best Album Of All Time?](#)
Central Time | Wisconsin Public Radio

[Is Plexiglas keeping COVID-19 out? New Princeton study gives a clearer picture.](#)
NJ.com

Presenting

[In Senate Hearing, the Concert Industry Makes a Passionate Case for Federal Pandemic Aid](#)
Variety

Theater

[Thirteen Ways of Looking at a Play](#)
Howlround Theatre Commons

[How This Visionary Producer Is Transforming The Theater Podcast Landscape](#)
Forbes

Other

[An Earth-Shattering Year: Entertainment Industry Leaders Reflect on 2020](#)
Variety

WHEN YOU GO

Arts and Creativity in Education

[ONLINE: An Evening with Isabel Wilkerson](#)
Isthmus
January 25

Community Arts

Trip the lights fantastic - Drive-through holiday light displays, seasonal concerts and more Isthmus Picks for Dec. 17-24

Isthmus

December 17 – 24

Literary Arts/Libraries

ONLINE: Through This Door: Wisconsin in Poems

Isthmus

December 17

ONLINE: An Evening with Isabel Wilkerson

Isthmus

January 25

Marathon County Public Library activities

Wausau Pilot & Review

Various

Performing Arts

Music

Choral Arts Society presents Christmas video

Racine Journal Times

December 29

Presenting

ONLINE: The Commercialists

Isthmus

December 19, 23, 24

Theater

ONLINE: Elf the Musical Jr.

Isthmus

December 19 – 20

Renaissance Theaterworks Reimagines Its 2020-2021 Season

BroadwayWorld.com

Season

OPPORTUNITIES

NEW The Greater Milwaukee Foundation's Mary L. Nohl Fund for Individual Artists Suitcase Export Fund Launches Eighteenth Funding Cycle

Lynden Sculpture Garden

Deadline: Until this cycle's funds are spent.

Wisconsin schools and libraries can apply for \$3M in grants to support virtual learning

TMJ4

Deadline: December 18

Announcing New Music USA's New Music Creator Development Fund

New Music USA

Deadline: December 21

NEW Youth Art Competition Offers Cash Prizes

Chippewa Valley Family

Deadline: December 27

For My People Poem Project

PBS American Portrait

Deadline: December 31

2021 Student Poetry Award

Poetry Society of America

Deadline: December 31

2021 Video/Film & Environmental Awards

The Puffin Foundation

Deadline: December 31

Esra Jack Keats Foundation Accepting Entries for New Writer, Illustrator Children's Book Awards

PND by Candid

Deadline: December 31

Miller Art Museum Issues Call for Art—Invites Artists, Community to Contemplate the Role of Art in a Post-Pandemic World Through Door County Library's 2021 NEA Big Read Program

Miller Art Museum

Deadline: January 1

Wisconsin school districts encouraged to apply for Fab Labs Grants

EIN Presswire

Deadline: January 8

Art Along the Trail 2021 | Call to Artists

City of Clive (IA) Public Arts Program

Deadline: January 8

2021 Composer-in-Residence Competition

Midsummer's Music

Deadline: January 15

Les Paul Foundation Invites Applications for Music Programs

PND by Candid

Deadline: January 15

NEW 2021 Shenandoah National Park Artist-in-Residence Program

Café

Deadline: January 18

NEW Online Application

Duluth Superior Area Community Foundation

Deadline: January 19 | Letter of Intent

NEW 2021 Aviation Art Contest - "A Friendlier World with Air Sports"

Wisconsin Department of Transportation

Deadline: January 19

Wisconsin's Own Submission Guidelines

2021 Wisconsin Film Festival

Deadline: January 29

National Portrait Gallery Accepting Entries for Sixth Triennial Outwin Boochever Portrait Competition

Smithsonian Voices | National Portrait Gallery

Deadline: January 29

NEW Submit Your Idea!

Wisconsin Governor's Business Plan Contest

Deadline: January 31

2021 VSA Playwright Discovery Competition

VSA The Kennedy Center

Deadline: March 10

Expo 2020 Dubai: Cultural Performer Expression of Interest

Global Ties U.S.

Global Ties U.S. reserves the right to close the nomination form prior to the March 15, 2021 deadline

Call for submissions | Folk Arts and Creative Writing

Journal of Folklore and Education

Deadline: April 1

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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