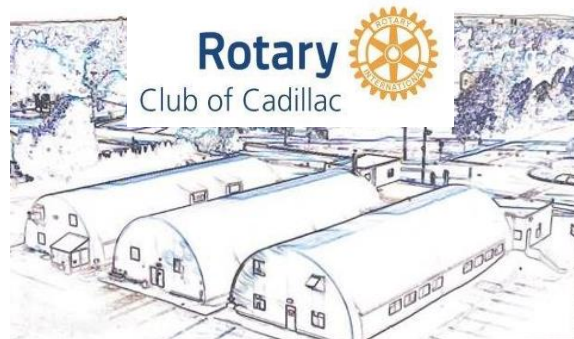


Up North Arts Newsletter

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Excited about partnering with the **Rotary Club of Cadillac** in bringing digital signage to the Community building shared by **UNA, Cadillac Senior Center, Northern Lights Irish Dance and Ballet Company, Wexford Genealogy Organization** and the **Northern Lites Readers Theatre**, as well as promoting our fellow **Cadillac Arts Council (CAC)** organizations. Learn how you can help support UNA by donating gifts/services for the Rotary auction or join in on the fun and plan to attend the **Rotary Auction on April 22** See page 2 for more information.



Call For Arts & Crafts Teachers

2023 classes
For Adults, Children & Teens

*Great Way To Share Your Talents
Meet New People
Bring Joy To Our Community*

Painting, Drawing, Glass, Clay, Jewelry,
Sewing, Writing, etc, Crafts of Any Kind!
So Many Things To Teach & Learn

Paid Positions or Volunteer



**Submit A Class Proposal
on our website
upnorthartsinc.com**

?s classes@upnorthartsinc.com



SPRING
Classes are
beginning
Altered Books
Pottery
Photography
Psanky Eggs
Fused Glass
Alcohol Ink

See page 3
more on the way . . .



**Winter Class
photos on page 5**



Cadillac Festival OF THE ARTS

2023

SAVE THE DATE

July 21-22, 2023

<https://upnorthartsinc.com/>

Follow Us on Facebook & Instagram

Phyllis Olson
Juried
Art Fair
Cadillac, Michigan
Est. 1963



Rotary

38th Annual Rotary Auction **Saturday, April 22, 2023** **6 PM—Fox Motors Showroom**

Hearts for Arts



Community Center Digital Sign Project

Join us in celebrating the arts!

Attire: Casual—Tickets: \$50

Tickets available at Cadillac Area Community Foundation,
Cadillac Area Chamber of Commerce, Up North Arts,
any Rotary member, or call Anja @ 231-580-7953.

Available on-line at UNA <https://upnorthartsinc.com/events/>

Hors d'oeuvres, Desserts, Cash Bar, Silent & Live
Auction with Amazing Packages, Baskets, Art Pieces
& more! Live entertainment by Johnny P, & a special
production by the Northern Lights Irish Dancers

This project, like the many before it, demonstrates Rotary's commitment to "Service Above Self."

If you have any questions, Susan at 231-357-1486

The Community Center also houses:

Northern Light Irish Dancers, Cadillac Senior Center, Wexford Genealogy, and Jiu-Jitsu Classes.

CLASSES AND EVENTS – register on the link

Pottery for All with Pat Schroeder

In this class you will learn the slab and coil methods as well as glazing techniques. This class is geared for both the beginner and the experienced potter. Projects are selected by the student.

Ages 12 and up

Session 8: Mondays, March 6 through April 17 6pm – 8:30pm

Member Fee: \$125 Non-Member Fee: \$150

Materials Needed: Bring Ideas From Pinterest to Attempt

Material Fees: \$25 included with registration fee for clay (25# of clay)

Additional 25# block of clay may be purchased if needed for \$25

[Pottery For All - Pat Schroeder 03/06/2023-04/17/2023 REGISTER HERE FOR SESSION 8](#)



The Art of Psanky Ukrainian Egg Decorating with Marla Courtney

Psanky, the art of Ukrainian Egg Decorating is a true celebration of the Spring equinox.

Utilizing traditional tools and dyes, each student will learn the art of Psanky and the different meanings and symbols of this traditional art form. Ability Level: Beginner Ages 14+

Friday March 24, 2023 4pm – 7pm

Members \$25 Non Members \$35 **ONLY 4 SEATS AVAILABLE!**

\$15 additional materials fee paid directly to teacher at beginning of class

[The art of Psanky Ukrainian Egg Decorating with Marla Courtney - 3/24/23 - 4pm - 6:30pm](#)



Exploring Altered Books with Linda Liabenow

Give an old, unwanted book a new life by turning it into a work of art.

Immersive class in altering new or used books to create a handmade book/journal to collect your thoughts, ideas and special keepsakes. Mixed Media Collage

Ages 14+ All ability levels Only 15 seats available

Saturday March 25, 2023 1 - 4pm

Member Fee: \$60 Non-Member Fee: \$75

Plus Material Fees: \$20 (paid to instructor at beginning of class)

[Also see full class description for supply list needed for class.](#)

[Exploring Altered Books with Linda Liabenow - Saturday March 25, 2023 - 1-4pm](#)



Fused Glass Jewelry Making Class with Susan Molnar

Explore the fun of fusing glass and make several beautiful glass pendants. Dichroic glass is the most sought after type of art glass and once you see it you'll know why!

Age 14+ All ability levels Only 8 seats available

Saturday - 04/08/2023 10:30am - 12:30pm

Member Fee: \$25 Non Member Fee: \$35 Plus Materials Fee: \$20

[Fused Glass Jewellery Making Class with Susan Molnar -Saturday - 04/08/2023 - 10:30-12:30](#)



Beginner Digital Photography with Sisters Studio

Getting your camera off auto mode and into manual mode is crucial to creating more creative photos. This Basic Digital Photography course is designed to help hobbyists learn about their cameras. Instruction covers the photographer's toolkit, ISO, shutter speed, aperture, white balance and light metering. We will provide helpful tips to get you started. Ages 15+

04/12/2023 Wednesday, 5pm - 8pm

Member Fee \$60: Non-Member Fee: \$75.00

[Beginner Digital Photography with Sisters Studio 04/12/2023 Wednesday, 5pm-8pm Ages 15](#)



MAHJONGG MADNESS

**Come Mavens! Come Newbies!
Come All!**

Join us for an afternoon of fun, snacks, door prizes and friends!

**Wednesday April 12
1 - 4pm**

**Only
\$10**



Register at: Mahjongg Madness! Wednesday, April 12, 2023, 1-4pm Nb internet - You can also register at the event!

More classes are being added continuously,
check the website for the most current class schedule

<https://upnorthartsinc.app.neoncrm.com/np/clients/upnorthartsinc/eventList.jsp>



Mary Kidder K-12 Tuition & Class Fee Scholarship

We've set aside funds to help children and their families to attend our classes and events. Please click the link to fill out an application, and call us if you have any questions 231-468-3040

Coming in May

Learn to use **Alcohol Inks** with **Julie Tibus**
3 Saturday morning classes (10am - 12:30pm)

Alcohol Ink Note Cards (May 6)

Make Alcohol Ink Note Cards with Julie Tibus May 6, 2023, 10-12:30pm

Floral Alcohol Inks Workshop (May 20)

Floral Alcohol Inks Workshop with Julie Tibus - May 20, 2023 - 10am-12:30pm

Alcohol Ink Jewelry (June 19)

Make Alcohol Ink Jewelry with Julie Tibus June 10, 2023, 10-12:30pm

Take one, two, or all three classes!



**3 KIDS
CLASSES
FOR
GRADES
1-12
IN MAY**

<https://upnorthartsinc.com/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/Class-Offerings-March-2023-up-to-July-as-of-02282023.pdf?f>

Mary Kidder Scholarship for Young Adults

We invite young, inspired artists from Wexford and Missaukee counties, who are interested in the areas of performing, visual, literary, musical and culinary arts, to apply for the Up North Arts Scholarship for the Arts. Allow us to assist you in reaching your goals. If you are interested in applying, please print the application on [this link](#), provide the required supporting materials, and mail to:

Up North Arts, Inc
ATTN: Scholarships
PO Box 62
Cadillac, Michigan 49601

Or fill in the PDF online and email the completed application along with your supporting materials to: info@upnorthartsinc.com

Scholarship Deadline is May 1st of the calendar year.

Click here for scholarship links <https://upnorthartsinc.com/scholarships/>



Kids & adults having fun with art & games



Sisters Studio schooling on cameras



UNA Instructor, Sherrie Sandell with her Stained Glass class



UNA Instructor, Gabby Hansen, teaching Acrylic Painting to her CAPS Crew students from Mackinaw Trail Middle School

Up North Arts Board Meetings



Please join us at the UNA Center for our open meetings on the **first Tuesday** of the month at **6pm** at Up North Arts Center, 601 Chestnut (across from CAPS stadium). **Next meeting is on Tuesday, March 7.** Please call **231-468-3040** or email info@upnorthartsinc.com to confirm the time and date in case of holiday/weather-related changes. You can also call this number to leave a message for any of our board members.

UNA Board	
President	Tim Florinki
Vice President	Sue Mellema
Co-Treasurer	Ed Goldman
Co-Treasurer	Jim Meister
Sec'y/Newsletter	Rosemary Rokita
Board Members	
Chris Fisher	Amy Gonzales
Shelly Mueller	Bethany Miller
Heath Urbaniak	Chelsi Foster

Purchase a UNA MEMBERSHIP for reduced fee and additional benefits



UNA has adopted very simple membership levels -

Student (18 and under) \$15
Adult \$35
Couple \$60
Family \$80

All members are eligible for:

1. Discount on classes
2. Open Studio Access (donation or small fee may be required)

To learn more about **membership** and payment options for UNA go to our website membership link—<https://upnorthartsinc.com/memberships/> You can manage your own membership account and in the future learn about your past membership and class history on NEON, our Customer Relations Management (CRM) system.

You can also pay with check or money order payable to: **Up North Arts, Inc.** Mail to: Up North Arts, Inc., Attention: Membership, PO Box 62, Cadillac MI 49601 Your account will be billed at once. You will be notified annually about your membership renewal.



UNA On-line Store is now OPEN!

Some of the tiny canvases (4x4 and 6x6) that were painted by community members are still available FOR SALE in support of the **Mary Kukla Kidder Scholarship Fund.** To view and purchase available tiny **Canvases** and **t-shirts** (in all sizes) or **Gift Certificates from \$25 to \$150** go to the **UNA Store** at Up North Arts, Inc. <https://upnorthartsinc.com/> Items can be picked up at UNA or shipped. You can also email info@upnorthartsinc.com or call **231-468-3040** to make purchases or for more information.



Commemorative German Holiday Market mugs are available for sale at \$5/each

Up North Arts is proud to be a member of the **Cadillac Arts Council**, **Northwest Michigan Arts & Culture Network**, and **Michigan Arts & Culture Council**.



Please Support our Fellow Cadillac Arts Council Organizations

Northern Lites Readers Theatre

Our Birthday Suits Are Wrinkled!

And Other Joys of Aging



Jokes, Quotes & Anecdotes to make us laugh

Saturday, April 1, 7:00

Sunday, April 2, 2:00

Up North Arts 601 Chestnut Street Cadillac

Tickets \$10.00

**Brinks Art & Frame & Horizon Books
Online from Up North Arts' webpage**

<https://upnorthartsinc.com/events/>

Tickets sold at the door if space available



Gopherwood concerts

PRESENTS



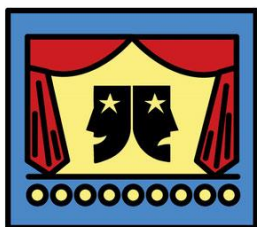
Willy Porter

**SAT @ 7pm
March 11**

**Elks Lodge,
Cadillac**

<https://gopherwoodconcerts.org/>

Friends of the Library invite you to discover
the Cadillac Wexford Public Library



**CADILLAC
FOOTLITES**

ENGAGE. ENRICH. ENTERTAIN.



A madcap collection of mini-plays where the audience picks the order each night. **March 10-11, 17-18,** @ Charming North, Downtown Cadillac
<https://www.cadillacfootlites.com/>



For a full list of community events
visit the Cadillac Area Visitors Bureau
website at cadillacmichigan.com/

CWPL ADULT PROGRAMMING SPECIAL EVENTS

BOOKS & BOOZE - BOOK CLUB @ THE GREENHOUSE -

WILLOW/PRIMOS: Monday, March 13, 6:30-8pm, Ages 21+

Join the library and Horizon Books in our new book club! Meet at Willow's Greenhouse. This month we're discussing WWII historical fiction, *The Book of Lost Names* by Kristin Harmel.

HISTORY SPEAKER SERIES Tuesday March 14, 5:30 - 7:00pm

Ben Townsend, author of *"T23 North, R12 West: The Story of Springville Township, Michigan,"* will give a presentation on his book and research. Springville Township is the home of Mesick, as well as the former towns of Sherman, Yuma, and Coline and played an integral part in Wexford County's history.

WINTER BOOK BINGO

Read to complete our bingo sheets from January 4 - March 31 and be entered into a drawing to win a prize! Drawing on April 3rd for an Horizon Books gift card. Ages 18+.

52 BOOKS IN 2023 READING CHALLENGE

Ages 16+. Challenge yourself to read 52 books in 52 weeks!

Turn in a copy of your sheet (even if unfinished!) at the end of the year for a prize and potential entry into our grand prize drawing! No need to read the list in order - jump around and find what works for you. Happy Reading!