

**NEW Offerings!** Thanks to the Cadillac Women's Giving Circle and the Cadillac Men's Giving Circle for making these classes possible!

**Mother/Daughter Mixed Media Painting Series**

**Father/Son Wood Burning Series**

See [page 3](#) for registration info...



## MORE NEW CLASSES IN 2024 INCLUDE

- ❖ Basket Making
- ❖ Drawing/Painting Series
- ❖ Haiku

Join us for one or all. An Annual Membership will bring a reduced fee for classes throughout the year! See [page 2 & 3](#) for class info and [page 5](#) for membership info.

On-going classes begin again in January with

- ❖ 6 week Pottery
- ❖ Kids classes for grades K - 12

## OPEN ART STUDIO

**Wednesdays 1pm - 4pm**

Contact Karen Roncari

[allaprima1ady@gmail.com](mailto:allaprima1ady@gmail.com)

to confirm availability.

Open to UNA members.

## Letter from our Incoming President – Amy Gonzalez

I am honored to step into the role of UNA President, following in the big footsteps of Tim Florinki and the extraordinary board members who have served UNA for many years. As we move into a new year, we owe a huge thank you to the board members and volunteers for their dedication and service over the past year. Their giving of time and talents has made 2023 our most successful year to date. The transformation of the center is a testament to their unwavering desire to move our mission forward -- bringing quality art to the greater Cadillac area. We cannot say goodbye to 2023 without specifically thanking the **Rotary Club of Cadillac**, **Cadillac Area Public Schools**, and the **City of Cadillac**. The Rotary Club for their belief in our mission and their funding of our beautiful new sign. CAPS for collaborating with us as we continue to grow our community outreach with CAPS Crew. The City of Cadillac for sharing our mission and vision to help us transform the center.

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**Pardon us** if we're proud of our new sink in the children's wing! Thanks to funding received from the **Doris Lea Foundation, Hundred Plus Women Who Care** (both through **CACF**), **Susan Mellema** and **Wavelet Weigel**.

## CLASSES AND EVENTS – register on the link

### Take Me To The Market - Beginning Basketmaking - Market Basket

Students will learn basic weaving techniques and will weave a market basket. Ages 16+

Saturday, 1/6/2024, 9am - 3:30pm

Members \$ 40 Nonmembers \$ 50

Additional Materials Fee Paid Directly to Teacher 1st night of class \$75

[Take Me To The Market - Beginning Basketmaking - Market Basket - 1/6/24 - 9am-3:30](#)



### 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. Beginner through Advanced 12-Adult

**Mondays for 6 weeks 6pm - 8:30pm See dates for session below.**

Member price \$125 Nonmember price \$150

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 01/15/2024-02/19/2024 REGISTER HERE FOR SESSION 11](#)

[Pottery For All - Pat Schroeder 02/26/2024-04/08/2024 REGISTER HERE FOR SESSION 12](#)



### Jump into the New Year with Haiku!

Slow down or speed up by putting your mind's images and thoughts into short snippets of haiku with Rosemary Rokita.

**Saturday, 01/20/24, 10am-noon, Ages 14 and up**

Members \$5 Non Members \$10

[Jump into the New Year with Haiku! 1/20/24 - 10am-noon](#)



### Adult Drawing / Painting with Gabby Hanson

Class will begin with drawing exercises to loosen up and end in a relaxing painting session. 3 Week Class Ages 14+

**Wednesday 1/17, 24 & 31, 2024 (3 week Class) Time 6-8pm**

Members \$55 Non Members \$65 Materials Fee of \$20 Included in Registration Fee

[Adult Drawing/Painting with Gabby Hanson – 6-8pm – 1/17, 24 & 31, 2024 – 3 Week Class](#)



3rd-8th Grade After-School  
Program for CAPS Students



**Available this Fall**

**Elementary:** Music, STEM & Basketball

**MTMS:** Outdoor Sports, Art, Writing,  
Japanese & Babysitting Classes

**Registration is Open!**

**Click the link in the 'Join CREW' section below  
to sign your child up for Fall workshops!**

<https://register.capturepoint.com/reg/login.cfm?a=2140>

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

[www.upnorthartsinc.com](http://www.upnorthartsinc.com)

## CLASSES AND EVENTS – register on the link

### Mother Daughter Mixed Media Painting Series - 01/11/24 - 5-8pm

Learn different mixed media approaches and share that joy with the little ladies in your life. All materials supplied. All Ages

Thursday, 01/11/2024, 5pm-8pm

Members \$ 25 Non Members \$ 30

[Mother Daughter Mixed Media Painting Series - 01/11/24 - 5-8pm](#)



### Fish Signs - Father, Sons Wood Burning Series - 01/13/24 - 5-7pm

Learn to wood burn with the important Father Figure in your life. All materials supplied. Ages 12+

Saturday, 01/13/2024, 5-7pm

Members \$ 25 Non Members \$ 30

[Fish Signs- Father, Sons Wood Burning Series - 01/13/24 - 5-7pm](#)



## ART CLASSES with GABBY

in January for Kids Grades 1 - 12!

### Jr Art Club with Gabby Hanson

**Grades 1-5** 5 weeks, once a week, exploring and growing your child's creative mind

Members \$25 Non Members \$35

Additional Materials Fee Paid Directly to Teacher 1st night of class \$20

**Tuesdays, January 9, 16, 23 & 30 4:00 – 5:00pm**

[Jr Art Club Winter 2024 with Gabby Hanson - 01/09, 16, 23 & 30 - 4-5pm - Grades 1-5 - REGISTER HERE](#)

[Jr Art Club Winter 2024 with Gabby Hanson - 02/06, 13, 20 & 27 - 4-5pm - Grades 1-4 - REGISTER HERE](#)



### Artists in Training Club with Gabby Hanson

**Grades 5-8** 5 weeks, once a week, exploring and growing your child's creative mind

Members \$25 Non Members \$35

Additional Materials Fee Paid Directly to Teacher 1st night of class \$20

**Tuesdays, January 9, 16, 23 & 30 5:00pm – 6:30pm**

[Artists in Training Club Winter 2024 - 01/9, 16, 23 & 30 - 5:00-6:30 pm - Grades 5-8 REGISTER HERE](#)

[Artists in Training Club Winter 2024 - Grades 5-8 5-6:30pm – 2/6, 13, 20 & 27 REGISTER HERE](#)



### The Art Factory with Gabby Hanson

**Grades 9-12** Come hang out with Gabby for 5 weeks to expand your mind and creativity

Members \$25 Non Members \$35

Additional Materials Fee Paid Directly to Teacher 1st night of class \$20

**Tuesdays, January 9, 16, 23 & 30 6:30pm – 8:00pm**

[The Art Factory Winter 2024- 01/9, 16, 23 & 30 - 6:30-8:00pm Grades 9-12 - REGISTER HERE](#)

[The Art Factory Winter 2024- 02/6, 13, 20 & 27 - 6:30-8:00pm Grades 9-12 - REGISTER HERE](#)





## Every Child Deserves the Opportunity to be an Artist

In October, UNA Vice President, Susan Mellema, and President, Tim Florinki, presented Harilee Edwards with a bag full of art supplies. Harilee was featured in a *Cadillac News* story in August, recounting her lemonade stand venture as a way to earn money for art supplies. UNA chose to help Harilee with her very worthwhile goal.





**Phyllis Olson  
Juried  
Art Fair**  
Apply Online  
Cadillac, Michigan  
upnorthartsinc.org  
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# 2024 Art Fair

## Applications

**OPEN**  
**November 1, 2023**

Show Dates: July 19 & 20, 2024

**Application/Jury Fee \$30.**  
 \$25 Early Bird Special if Application is received by December 31, 2023  
**How to Apply:** [Zapplication.org](http://Zapplication.org)  
 Search for Phyllis Olson Juried Art Fair Cadillac Michigan 2024  
 Follow us on Facebook and Instagram  
 Visit our website: [upnorthartsinc.com](http://upnorthartsinc.com)



Above: UNA crafts at the Holiday Market (at the Cadillac North End Market). Below: UNA Board members Gabby Hanson and Heath Urbaniak welcoming all.

# Call For Arts & Crafts Teachers

Looking for  
a tufting  
instructor!

2024 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

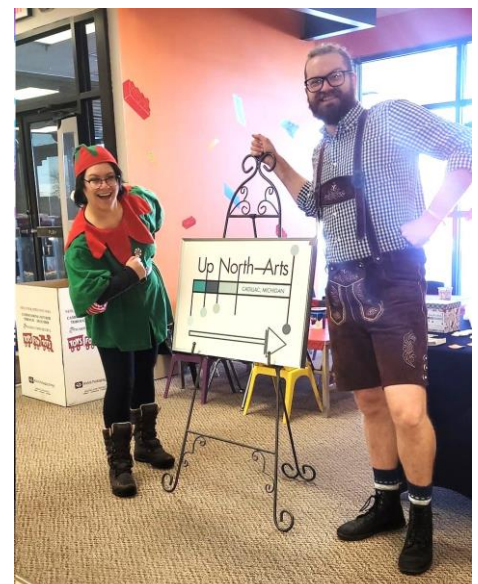


**Up North-Arts**  
CADILLAC, MICHIGAN  
601 Chestnut, Suite C, Cadillac, Michigan 49601  
info@upnorthartsinc.com 231-468-3040



**Submit A Class Proposal  
on our website  
[upnorthartsinc.com](http://upnorthartsinc.com)**

**?s classes@upnorthartsinc.com**



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



## Northern Lites Readers Theatre

### Auditions for

# Happy Endings

Three happily-ever-after plays

Many parts available

#### Audition Dates:

**Sunday, Jan 7, 2:00 p.m.**

**Monday, Jan 8, 7:00 p.m.**

At Up North Arts, 601 Chestnut, Cadillac

Performance dates:

**Saturday, February 10, 7:p.m.**

**Sunday, February 11, 2:p.m.**

## 2024 Greetings from UNA President

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As we look ahead to the upcoming year, our focus will be on growth. We have laid the groundwork and it is now time to grow our outreach, class offerings, and memberships. We could not accomplish this without the support of our community volunteers. Please consider volunteering with our dynamic, talented, fun team. With your help, we will impact many more lives in 2024. I am thrilled to be working with such an exceptional group of individuals. **Here's to making 2024 our best year yet!**

### K-12 Tuition & Class Fee Scholarship

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

Click here for  
scholarship links

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

### PURCHASE A UNA MEMBERSHIP FOR A REDUCED FEE AND ADDITIONAL BENEFITS



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. Includes: Discount on classes and Open Studio Access (donation or small fee may be required).

**Student (18 and under) \$15**  
**Couple \$60**

**Adult \$35**  
**Family \$80**

More classes are being added continuously, check the website for the most current class schedule  
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## Welcome UNA Officers and Board members for 2024

President	Amy Gonzalez
Vice Pres	Tim Florinki
Treasurer	Jim Meister
Secretary/News	Rosemary Rokita
Art Fair Coord.	Chris Fisher
Member	Susan Mellema
Member	Heath Urbaniak
Member	Gabby Hanson

## Up North Arts Board Meetings



Please join us at the UNA Center for our open meetings usually on the first Tuesday of the month at 6pm at Up North Arts Center, 601 Chestnut (across from CAPS stadium).

**Our next meeting is on Tuesday, January 9.** Please call 231-468-3040 or email [info@upnorthartsinc.com](mailto: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.



## Please Support our Fellow Cadillac Arts Council Organizations

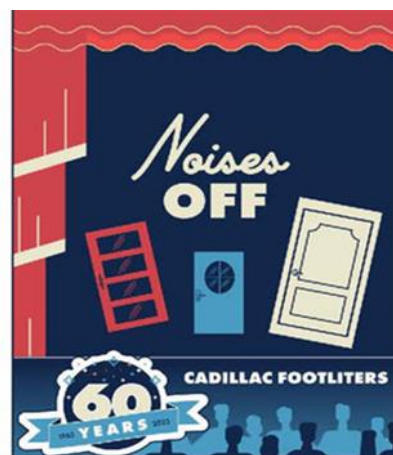
"The only thing that you absolutely have to know, is the location of the library"

— Albert Einstein

<https://www.cadillaclibrary.org/Calendar/events/events-and-programs>

**Cadillac Philharmonic Club**  
Meets monthly. For meeting, membership or other information contact  
Kathleen Kelso at [kkelso4334@charter.net](mailto:kkelso4334@charter.net)

**Gopherwood Concert**  
**Saturday, January 13,**  
7PM - 9PM @ The Elks,  
Cadillac (231) 846-8383 •  
Tickets \$30 (all ages)  
<https://gopherwoodconcerts.org/>



January 12, 13, 19, 20

At the McBain Elenbaas Auditorium  
<https://www.cadillacfootlites.com/calendar/>



For more Cadillac area events go to Cadillac Area Visitors Bureau  
<https://cadillacmichigan.com/>

