Up North Arts Newsletter

Up North—Arts

CADILLAC, MICHIGAN

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Excitement was in the air

as people continued to arrive on July 18 for our 3RD ANNUAL COLOR RUN. Approximately 200 babies, kids, teens, and adults came for a fun evening run / walk / stroll along Lake Cadillac's Keith McKellop Walkway. Thanks to our participants, volunteers, and to our sponsors too, for helping to make this incredible event happen!

Watch the fun: https://www.facebook.com/upnorth artsinc/videos/1707885769955638

MAHJONGG MADNESS

Come Mavens! Come Newbies! Come All!
All levels WELCOME!



Join us
Monday AUGUST 19
1 pm - 4 pm

Only \$10

Refreshments, door prizes, fun!

Register here:

Mahjonng Madness - 08/19/2024 - 1pm - 4pm

Questions? Call 269-547-7592 https://upnorthartsinc.com/

OOK WHAT UNA HAS TO OFFER

- KAREN McCann, traveling FUSED-GLASS artist is coming Saturdays, August 24 (dragonfly) and September 28 (cardinal).
- We're repeating our BEACH GLASS class on Sept 7 and Oct 12. (see page 2 for both classes registrations)
- The UNA POTTERY ROOM is expanding to make more room for additional wheels and "throwing" classes in late summer/fall. KEEP AN EYE on FB & our website!
- ❖ PLUS TWO PAGES OF **ADDITIONAL CLASSES** pp 3 & 4



community and organizing very successful **Phyllis Olson Art Fairs** these past three years!

UNA is always looking for people in the community who are looking to be actively involved as volunteers, including board members. If you have experience, talent, or a strong interest in being an active part of a fun, growing art center, contact us by phone 231-468-3040 or attend our next board meeting, on the 2nd Tuesday, August 6 or September 3 at 5pm.



Gongratulations to **Gabby Hansen** on winning the **Dorothy W. Sorensen Excellence in Painting** award (which comes with a \$500 honorarium) at this summer's Olson Art Fair.



Join Fused Glass artist **Karen McCann** on **Saturdays**, **August 24**, **and/or September 28**, **2** - **4pm**.

\$65. Ages 18 & over.

<u>Classes will take place at **Up North Arts**</u>. Registration will take place on Karen's own website. To register and for more information go to:

August 24: DRAGONFLY project

https://kmccannglass.com/products/fused-glass-dragonfly-workshop-in-cadillac

September 28: CARDINAL project

https://kmccannglass.com/products/fused-glass-dragonfly-suncatcher-workshop-in-cadillac

Gabby's Children's classes:
Artists in Training, Art Factory,
and Junior Art Camp
will begin again in September!



To learn more about MEMBERSHIP and payment

options for UNA go to our website membership

link. https://upnorthartsinc.com/memberships/

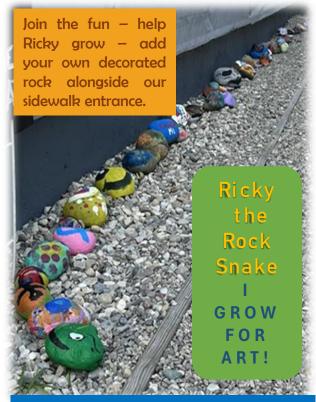




Beach Glass Crafting Party Beach Glass Windows - Cadillac

Join the party and create your own custom beach glass window on Saturdays, September 7 and/or October 12, at 10am, at Up North Arts in Cadillac! \$60 includes step by step instructions, a wide variety of beautiful glass, and all other supplies. Seats fill fast! Don't miss out on the fun! Sign up at:

https://www.eventbrite.com/e/beach-glass-windows-cadillac-tickets-894296664397



Ricky changes week to week as he grows with your help. Keep your eye on Ricky's progress...

CLASSES AND EVENTS - register on the links

Open Sew Mondays - 10a - 4pm CREATIVITY * COLLABORATION * COMMUNITY

We are excited to offer a **WEEKLY OPEN SEW** for members of UNA! No cost— A benefit of annual membership. Every Monday, beginning **Monday**, **July 22**, you may bring your supplies and your project, and take advantage of our comfortable classroom to work on a project of your choice! Carve out some time in your week to be creative and hang out and socialize with other sewists . You will have access to an ironing station, cutting table, and one of our sewing machines (You may bring your own machine or reserve one of ours for only \$5.) Ages 14+ Ability Level Beginners to Advanced. Help is available through a Host who will be on site!

Purchase a yearly membership to take this class.

Every Monday – indefinitely 10am – 4pm Members Only

August 5 OPEN SEW MONDAYS - Every Monday - 10am-4pm - No Cost - For Members Only

August 12 OPEN SEW MONDAYS - Every Monday - 10am-4pm - No Cost - For Members Only

August 19 OPEN SEW MONDAYS - Every Monday - 10am-4pm - No Cost - For Members Only

August 26 OPEN SEW MONDAYS - Every Monday - 10am-4pm - No Cost - For Members Only



Open Art Studio - Every Wednesday - 1-4pm CREATIVITY * COLLABORATION * COMMUNITY

OPEN STUDIO for members of UNA! No cost— A benefit of annual membership. Every Wednesday, bring your supplies and your project, and take advantage of our comfortable classroom to work on a project of your choice! Bring your lunch and some snacks too! Ages 14+ Ability Level Beginners to Advanced.

Purchase a yearly membership to take this class.

August 7 OPEN Art Studio - Every Wednesday - 1-4pm - MEMBERS ONLY

August 14 OPEN Art Studio - Every Wednesday - 1-4pm - MEMBERS ONLY

August 21 OPEN Art Studio - Every Wednesday - 1-4pm - MEMBERS ONLY

August 28 OPEN Art Studio - Every Wednesday - 1-4pm - MEMBERS ONLY



Fused Glass Open Studio Summer 2024 SIGN UP FOR ONE OR ALL!

The glass fusing studio at Up North Arts will be open the second and fourth Thursday of the month. We will offer projects for every age and experience level. Material cost is project based – Starting at \$10 (see description for details) Adult/Children 10+ with adult present Limited Seating 10 Ability Level: All Thursdays July 11th through August 22nd 6:30 – 8:00 pm Individual sessions Members \$10 Non-Members \$15

Fused Glass Open Studio Summer 2024 - August 8, 2024 - 6:30pm - 8:00pm Fused Glass Open Studio Summer 2024 - August 22, 2024 - 6:30pm - 8:00pm



Beginning Stained Glass with Sherrie Sandell

Come learn everything about basic stained glass from guru Sherrie Sandell. Then make a panel project. Participants will learn to draft a pattern, cut glass, grind, foil and then solder your pieces together. 6 seats available.

Tuesday & Wednesday, August 13 & 14 6pm – 9pm

Members \$162 (Includes materials fees - all materials provided)

Non Members \$187 (Includes materials fees - all materials provided)

Beginning Stained Glass with Sherrie Sandell! 8/13 & 8/14/2024 2 day class 6pm-9pm - REGISTER HERE



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WATERCOLOR JOURNALING IN NATURE with Julie Raabe

Enjoy summer through watercolor! We'll learn watercolor basics, then sketch and paint outdoors in Cadillac's own beautiful Sound Garden. In journaling anything goes!Watercolor journaling is a fun, easy, relaxing way to explore and express yourself while apturing nature's beautiful colors you enjoy in summer! You will need a 140# Cold Press watercolor journal or watercolor paper, see link when register. All other materials, watercolor paints and brushes will be provided. These are student grade, so please feel free to bring your own. *We will meet at the "Sound Garden", at 398 Chestnut Street. This class is outdoors, please dress appropriately! (Sunscreen, bug spray, hat, camp chair and water.) In case of rain we will be at UNA. Ages 18+ (a teen studying art may take the class)



Thursday, August 15 9:30pm – 12:30pm

Members \$40 Non Members \$50

WATERCOLOR JOURNALING IN NATURE with Julie Raabe Gentry – Thursday August 15, 2024, 9:30 am-12:30pm

MAHJONGG MADNESS

Up North Arts welcomes all Mahjongg players, Newbies to Mavens, for an afternoon of fun and fellowship! Players will need to have their 2024 National Mahjongg League card, and bring a Mahjongg set, if available. Enjoy an afternoon with fellow Mahjongg enthusiasts! If purchasing more than one ticket, you will be required to provide names and emails of others you are purchasing for when you check out. All ability levels Only 28 spots available

Monday, August 18, 1pm – 4pm Monday, October 21, 1pm – 4pm \$10 Members and non-members

<u>Mahjonng Madness - 08/19/2024 - 1pm - 4pm</u> <u>Mahjonng Madness - 10/21/2024 - 1pm - 4pm</u>



Acrylic WORKSHOP w/ Julie Tibus Acrylic: Big Skies Large Canvas

Acrylic: Big Skies Large Canvas (1 day- 6 hours with a 45-minute lunch break) Are you interested in learning how to paint stunning landscapes with dynamic clouds and big horizons? This class is the perfect opportunity to do so! You'll work on a large 24" x 24" canvas and begin by underpainting the entire canvas in orange to create a cohesive base. We'll then sketch out the composition before practicing basic blending techniques and cloud shapes. You will learn to mix and apply colors to create a vibrantand dramatic sky. Finally, we'll finish by making the foreground

with color drips, palette knife blending, and oil pastels, to produce a beautiful foreground. Our experienced instructor, Julie, will guide you through each step of the process, providing demonstrations, coaching, and classroom time. Best of all, no prior experience is necessary! Session includes step-by-step demonstrations, ample classroom time, and personalized guidance. Minimum Class 4/ Maximum 12 Additional canvases will be available during class for \$15 Students

will need to purchase and bring some materials to class. See list in description. Ages 14+

Thursday, August 29 10am-4pm

Members \$75 (\$85 with 24x24" canvas) Non Members \$95 (\$105 with 24x24" canvas) Acrylic WORKSHOP w/ Julie Tibus Acrylic: Big Skies Large Canvas 08/29/24 - 10am-4pm



So, So, Let's SEW!!! 5 WEEK CLASS

Basic sewing skills for creating simple projects such as headbands, hats, water bottle bag, pillow, small tote bag, and many more ideas. Ages 11+

Wednesdays, September 11, 18, 25, Oct 2 & 9 Time 6-8pm

Members \$10 Non Members \$20

Additional Materials Fee Paid Directly to Teacher 1st session: \$10

So, So, Lets SEW!!! Sept 11, 18, 25 Oct 2 & 9 - 5 Week Class 6-8pm REGISTER HERE





UNA Summer Classes & Events!!!



Up North Art, Board Meeting,

Please join us at the UNA Center for our open meetings <u>usually</u> on the first Tuesday of the month at 5pm at Up North Arts Center, 601 Chestnut (across from CAPS stadium).

Next meetings are on Tuesday, August 6 and September 3 at 5pm. For questions or information on meetings, classes or other UNA matters, call Heath Urbaniak, Executive Director, at 231-468-3040 or email info@upnorthartsinc.com. You can also call this number to leave a message for any of our board members.

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Michigan Arts & Culture Council







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