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Creative ABUNDANCE



A WORD FROM Aili, Nickel Plate Arts Director

You may remember that in my last letter, I likened

Nickel Plate to the grapevines in my garden, which had been zapped by the late frost we had this spring. I was anxious about whether the frost permanently damaged the vines, but I hoped that their natural hardiness would cause them to come back even stronger, and these feelings paralleled both my concerns and hopes for Nickel Plate Arts.

Well, I hope this comparison is accurate because not only did the grapes recover from the late frost, but they prospered with extravagant abundance! The vines tripled in size and they produced a sink-full of grapes by late September. My husband and I and countless birds and chipmunks were able to eat our fill. My tomatoes were also highly successful: I packed gallons of tangy tomato sauce into my freezer for soup and chili and curries this winter!

I'm delighted to say that Nickel Plate Arts is also cultivating tantalizing fruit for the future. 2022 marks our 10th year of operation and we're looking forward to celebrating in a number of ways. We're also eagerly awaiting news on the city of Noblesville's READ! grant application, which could mean a big, new adventure for us. We're even considering a rebrand in 2022 to best position us for the next 10 years. If you would like to get involved with any of these exciting projects, please reach out to me - we would love to have your help!

We're also more immediately looking forward to getting cozy for the winter. After a very active summer and fall with dozens of outdoor events, it

will be nice to focus on indoor activities, exhibits, and shopping opportunities for the next few months! I look forward to giving myself some time to think, to rest, to regenerate and to invest in my own creative pursuits, which have languished lately (except for a certain Bad Bunny who keeps making mischief on my drawing table). I also look forward to helping Nickel Plate Arts get back to some of the basics we know best: three of our most beloved programs (our Gifted exhibit, Comic Book in a Day, and Valentine's Day) are coming up and we are looking forward to making them as fun, inclusive, and as inspiring as possible. We hope you'll join us!

The Nickel Plate Arts Team and I want to encourage you to get cozy and pamper yourself this holiday season. In many ways, this year has been even harder than the last and it's important to invest some time, attention, and luxury in yourself! We have put together a tantalizing Gift Guide to help you think about ways to make your home or office as cozy and comfy as possible this winter, as well as ideas for pampering your loved ones with amazing gifts. And your investment in the arts also helps us make our community cozy, too - your support strengthens our local creative economy and helps our artists continue to put down roots that are sure to bear beautiful, creative fruit in years to come!

Ailithir McGill

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Illustration above: *Snow Hopper* by Aili McGill. Look for more squirrel action during the 200 year anniversary of the Great Squirrel Stampede!



Help us spread creative abundance throughout our entire community. Go to nickelplatearts.org/donate to make a gift that will have tremendous impact!

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LEARN THE ART OF COZY PG. 4!

ON THE COVER

A snippet of our Holiday Gift Guide, featuring a wide array of handmade art and crafts by local artists. See page 7 for more info about each item shown here!

#Hygge

It's been a long year...or two. From political upheaval to a worldwide pandemic, people are weary of conflict, strife, and animosity. It's no wonder that the Danish practice of hygge has expanded over the years, gathering traction in the United States and beyond.

So what is Hygge and how do you pronounce it?

Hygge (pronounced hoo-ga) is the cultivation of coziness which engenders a feeling of contentment or well-being. This can mean different things for different people.

A central theme is cultivating hygge is creating a restful atmosphere. This usually requires soft candlelight but it can also include:

- A hot drink such as tea or cocoa
- A flickering fire
- Soft music
- Aromatic candles or room sprays
- Comfortable clothes and a warm blanket

In the 12 Stars Media documentary "Finding Hygge," (available at NobleMade or on Hoodox) hygge is defined as the things that make your life better.

"You think of candles and cozy socks but it's more a feeling than an object."

Positive Effects of Hygge

The benefits of practicing hygge go beyond the beauty of flickering candlelight and the pleasure of fuzzy blankets. The positive effects are truly multidimensional.

- Improved sleep
- Decreased depression and anxiety
- Lowers stress and increases happiness
- Fewer stress hormone spikes (such as cortisol)
- Increased feelings of comfort and safety
- Promotes trust, intimacy and togetherness

The benefits of hygge don't have to be saved for the winter months either. Immersing yourself in nature, surrounding yourself with beloved accessories, and mindfully cultivating your surroundings can be accomplished year round.

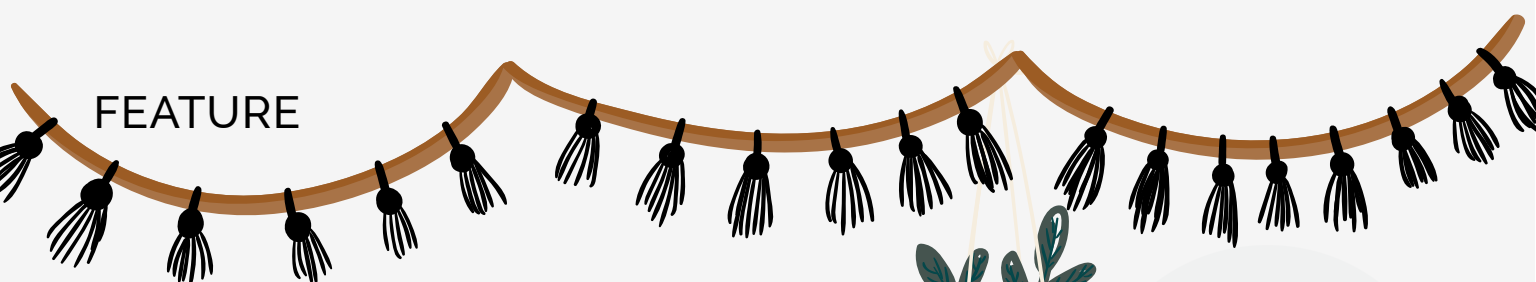
Hygge Offerings

Of course, objects can encourage hygge. Our 2021 Gift Guide (pages 6-7) is focused exclusively on hygge-encouraging gifts, including:

- Hand-sewn quilts
- Felt decor
- Hand-thrown pottery
- Knitted hats, gloves, and scarves
- Fleece jackets and caps
- Self care items such as balms and lotions
- Journaling tools
- Nature inspired gifts such as wood handles and beeswax candles

Whether a gift for family or friends, or a gift for yourself, the benefit of choosing a gift to promote hygge is about creating balance.

"You think of candles and cozy socks but it's more a feeling than an object."



FIND MORE GIFT GUIDE ITEMS ON THE NEXT PAGE!



SHOW OFF YOUR TRUE COLORS

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|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| SUE PAYNE | TRISH CHANEN | GREG ADAMS |
| 1. Blueberries and Grapes cotton handwoven scarf.....\$60 | 4. Red wool gloves.....\$25 | 8. Wood tray.....\$30 |
| ASKCHEESE WOODWORKS | RUBY BALLARD-HARRIS | TERESA WESLEY |
| 2. Wood cocktail shaker.....\$60 | 5. Quilt.....\$450 | 9. Red crochet bird.....\$8 |
| ART MIX | ROCKY WALLS | THE POLK STREET REVIEW |
| 3. Blue ceramic bowl.....\$6 | 6. Finding Hygge documentary....\$20 | 10. 2021 Family Tradition: Old and New.....\$18.69 |
| | SHAUNT'E LEWIS | |
| | 7. Handpainted purse.....\$40 | |

As humans, we crave serenity and balance in our lives. By eliminating clutter and the chaos of the holiday season, proper gratitude can be given to the simple things that promote well-being and contentment.

It's the Thought that Counts

A thoughtful gift such as a handmade pizza cutter alongside the promise of a pizza-making date offers a practical present (rather than cute clutter) as well as a cherished activity.

A dreamer would appreciate a handmade journal and custom crafted pen made with natural materials.

The child-within would love warm, quirky felt decor that delights.

And everyone needs to indulge in more self-care, which can include everything from a scented candle to a favorite mug, or a cherished new book.

The key is to keep things simple and emotionally rewarding.

Deep Thoughts

In these tumultuous times, creating an atmosphere of hygge is not an indulgence

but a necessity. This philosophy goes hand-in-hand with appreciation of the arts.

Surrounding ourselves with art that speaks to our sense of wellbeing is not only a mental health booster, but it gives our lives meaning and beauty.

The act of creating art is another way to add balance to our lives. We consume so much media, screen time, and noise, it is nice to unplug and reconnect with our artistic side. Whether painting, sketching, knitting, writing, or singing, our bodies crave expression.

Art can tap into many different core comforts. Texture and weight allow us to ground ourselves with tactile indulgences.

Calm lighting, pleasant scents, and warm drinks give comfort.

Some items recall a quieter, simpler time, activating nostalgia and sentimentality.

Beauty can be appreciated in a painting, a song, a poem, or even a color. Hygge is personal to each of us: let us help you find your hygge this holiday season!

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COZY GIFT GUIDE

As the cold wind whispers at the window, it's time to cuddle up with cozy gifts for the long winter. This year's **Nickel Plate Arts Gift Guide** focuses on gifts of warmth, comfort, coziness, and plush textures.



**HAPPY
HYGGE
HOLIDAYS**

PAIGE HARPER

- 1. Indiana State ornament.....\$4
- 2. Ceramic bird ornament.....\$3
- 3. Acorn ornament.....\$5
- 4. City ornaments.....\$6

UNDER THE GLAZE

- 5. Indiana ornament.....\$8

RODNEY REVEAL

- 6. Christmas cards.....\$2.50

TRISH CHANEN

- 7. Felt gnome.....\$20
- 8. Felt mouse.....\$15
- 9. Felt Christmas tree...Lg \$22 | Sm \$12
- 10. 10' Felt garland.....\$40



**TAKE
COMFORT**

SHEBEME

- 1. Knitted messy bun hat.....\$28
- 2. Knitted chain scarf.....\$28
- 3. Peace, Love, Joy wood plaque...\$14

NOBLE COFFEE

- 4. Noble Coffee.....\$12.50
- 5. Noble Coffee gift card...Any amount
- 6. Handpainted purse.....\$30

GREG ADAMS

- 7. Wood vase.....\$20

UNDER THE GLAZE

- 8. Indiana Mug.....\$28

FULL MOON CREATIONS

- 9. Sacral Chakra Neroli, Orange blossom and Jasmine candle.....\$12



**OUT
OF THE
WOODS**

ASKCHEESE WOODWORKS

- 1. Wood pepper mill.....\$42
- 2. Wood travel mug.....\$50
- 3. Wood shaving kit.....\$98
- 4. Ice cream scoop.....\$24
- 5. Pizza cutter.....\$33

KANGAROO FEATHERS

- 6. Baking Boa with phone pocket.....\$18

JOE ROHRMAN

- 7. Ceramic egg.....\$12
- 8. Dali egg.....\$15



**PLUSH
AND LUSH**

SHEBEME

- 1. Knitted fingerless gloves.....\$24
- 2. Knitted hat with pompom.....\$34

ROSEANNE CROWELL

- 3. Waiting for the Tortoise print.....\$20

KANGAROO FEATHERS

- 4. Slate Blue felt typewriter.....\$35

AILITHIR O. MCGILL

- 5. The Owl and the Pussycat Went to Sea book.....\$25

TRISH CHANEN

- 6. Felted grey striped mouse.....\$15

FULL MOON CREATIONS

- 7. Throat Chakra Basil and Eucalyptus candle.....\$12



**BEVY OF
BAUBLES**

MATTHEW HEIMANN

- 1. Leopard wood and poplar box with single drawer.....\$70
- 2. Leopard wood and poplar box with two drawers.....\$75

MAPLE LEAF CERAMIC

- 3. White fiber earrings.....\$10

MARILYN MARTIN JETER

- 4. Beaded bracelet.....\$30

SOOZI'S CRAFTY SHOP

- 5. Coffee earrings.....\$8
- 6. Israel coin necklace.....\$22

PAM COGET

- 7. Peas in a pod necklace.....\$14



**PERMISSION
TO
PAUSE**

ERIC O'DELL

- 1. Handpainted journal.....\$45

SHELBY MOWREY

- 2. Handmade pens.....\$30

JEFFREY STONE

- 3. Wood block with two candle inserts.....\$20

ALYSSA OVERTON

- 4. Beeswax candles.....\$10

SWEET MELISSA

- 5. Honey and Hive Eye Balm.....\$18

- 6. Honey and Hive Lavendar Lotion Bar...\$14

- 7. Honey and Hive Scented Rollers.....\$16

MICHAEL MCGUIRE

- 8. Playing cards.....\$15

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EXHIBITS
AT NICKEL PLATE ARTS

Nickel Plate Arts' historic Noblesville campus is home to two exhibit spaces (Judge Stone House and the Stephenson House) as well as artists' personal studios. All exhibits at Nickel Plate Arts are open to the public for **FREE** during regular hours: Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 12-5 p.m.; Saturdays, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; all other times by appointment.

Edu So Lovely by Shaunt'e Lewis

GOLD STANDARD
November 5-13, 2021

"Gold Standard" is Nickel Plate Arts' annual juried exhibition set in our Judge Stone House Gallery in downtown Noblesville. Artists are invited to submit the best of their best, the "gold standard" from their portfolio for review. Artist's contributions are judged by our celebrity judge and voted for online, as our "People's Choice Award."

GIFTED
November 27-December 31, 2021

"Gifted" is our annual holiday exhibit-turned-gift-market and your one-stop-shop for the arts enthusiasts on your holiday shopping list. Shop early for holiday cards, ornaments, gifts, and more in our Judge Stone House in downtown Noblesville. Choose from the wide selection of pottery, woodenware, jewelry, hand-knit items, home decor, holiday art, and more. All artwork will be for sale and ready for gift giving!



THE GREAT ABSTRACT
January 7-29, 2022

Abstract art allows us to express the invisible, to capture the ineffable, and to explore the joyous possibilities of the media in which we work. Let art give you a break from reality and excite your imagination. Explore the farthest reaches of our artists' subconscious and creative minds during the cold, winter days of January.

LOVE, LUST, AND POETRY
February 4-26, 2022

Let the arts awaken passions and melt away icy February gloom. Our local artists will inspire you with feelings of affection and romance through painting, pottery, and poetry. This is a great opportunity to get that one-of-a-kind gift for your special sweetheart!

YOUNG ARTISTS' EXHIBIT
March 4-26, 2022

We all start out as artists, but somehow we lose the confidence and creativity of our childhood as we age. In this annual exhibit, we invite the Noblesville elementary art teachers to bring their students' best work into our gallery. This exhibit, which is always one of our favorites, is sure to inspire and reawaken your inner child, while encouraging the youngest artists in our community to keep going in their creative careers!



Video Killed the Radio Star by Rocky Walls



NOVEMBER 5-27, 2021
ROCKY WALLS | "My Type of Art by Rocky Jack"
Reception: November 5, 6-9 p.m.

Rocky Walls, co-founder of 12 Stars Media and Executive Director of niche streaming service Hoodox, focuses on telling stories of interesting characters that inspire communities to make positive changes. He, like many artists, is on a journey to understand his type of art and how to use it to express himself.

Rocky grew through photography as photography itself was going through the digital transformation. The photos in his exhibit are mostly digital works, with a few film photos.

"My Type of Art by Rocky Jack" is Rocky's way of accepting the fact that he's an artist, which is a realization that all of us at Nickel Plate Arts love to celebrate and support!



DECEMBER 3-31, 2021
RODNEY REVEAL
"Come and See Art by Me"
Reception: December 5, 3-6 p.m.

Rodney Reveal has been a creator of fine art for more than forty years. His paintings are represented in public and private collections throughout the United States, Europe, and Brazil.

Although his art career began with watercolors and continued for 40 years, Rodney turned to oil about eight years ago.

Rodney often works from photos, plein air when he can, and he also paints from his imagination. He leans on his fellow artists on the Nickel Plate Arts campus. "One of the perfect things of being here [in the studio] is that we feed off of one another. A new eye helps."



Oh Deer by Rodney Reveal




JANUARY 7-29, 2022
JERRY MANNELL
"More Than Meets the Eye"
Reception: January 21, 6-9 p.m.

Creativity has been the unifying backbone of Jerry Mannell's professional career. A Fine Arts and English Literature major in college, Jerry combined his love of visual and written stories into a career as a graphic designer, working for an ad agency. When the agency closed, he, like so many creative professionals, forged out on his own and became a freelancer, which gave him more time to dedicate to his personal creative pursuits by painting regularly in his studio.

From there emerged a career-long exploration of the relationships between the concrete and the abstract, the mechanical and the organic. Jerry creates colorful compositions, full of well-defined shapes with hard edges. His vibrant color palette creates an almost tropical feel to his pieces.

Ostrazie by Jerry Mannell

FEBRUARY 4-26, 2022

KATHRYN SMITH | "Grand Souls"

Reception: February 4, 6-9 p.m.



Kathryn Smith was always interested in the arts, but she began as a performer—dance, acting, singing—and didn't take her first real visual arts class until her senior year in high school. As she got into college, working toward a degree in elementary education, she realized that she preferred art even to music.

She was an art teacher for several years, working on art at home (commissions) and found ways to work in the art community. "Grand Souls" is the thesis for Kathryn's last Master Class at University of Indianapolis.

Kathryn's exhibit was inspired by her interest in portraiture and people. "I wanted to start with [the grandparents] as an exploration of myself. [by] getting to know them a bit more and how they've impacted my life in different ways."

While not all pieces in this exhibit will be available for sale, Kathryn is open for commissions to create a truly unique portrait of someone you love.



MARCH 4-26, 2022

LEAH LEACH "Boosting the Signal: Women's History in Art"

Reception: March 11, 6-9 p.m.

Artist **Leah Leach** has an honorary doctorate in metaphysics—the study of life, taking things apart and putting them back together again, which sounds an awful lot like her chosen medium, torn paper art.

"Paper is forgiving – if I don't like it and I can remove it before I glue it, but if I [make a painting and don't like it], it feels like more of a failure." Leah has used her art to shine a light on women and women in history.

This exhibit, "Boosting the Signal: Women's History in Art", will showcase the work of local female-identifying artists as well as artists whose work celebrates women.



Art and culture are a big part of our team's core passion for telling stories through film and video. That's why we're proud to support Nickel Plate Arts and their efforts to build a stronger community through arts and culture here in Noblesville and Hamilton County.



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artwork on display

"NPArts Members Only" October 1-December 31, 2021

Experience the talent of our Promote and Showcase Member artists in an exhibit inspired by this year's Gala, "Paint the Town Red." Wrap yourself in various mediums ranging from torn paper to oil to pastels and mixed media. The vast array of talents within our artist community truly shines in this exhibit.



Megan Hutchins "My Journey" January 4-March 29, 2022 Reception: March 24, 5-8 p.m.

Megan Hutchins' wood and galvanized nail creations are not only unique, but unexpected. "A lot of people assume when I go to shows that [my work] was

[done by] a male artist. It's fun to put on a skirt and eyelashes, put on a show and [have people say], 'Oh shit, you're the artist?'"

Although Megan has been creating art in a variety of forms for quite some time, her galvanized nail and wood pieces are a recent addition to her arsenal.

As Megan continues this journey of creation, she is looking to showcase feminine emotions, pushing them into her masculine medium and letting them speak for themselves. "I know my medium and a lot of people assume when I go to shows that it was a male artist. The stigma is going to the wayside and I'm helping prove that."



FOUR DAY RAY

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Contact Nickel Plate Arts to purchase artwork on display



Jennifer Hoard "In Between Dreams" October 1-December 29, 2021 Reception: October 11, 4:30-7:30 p.m.

Jennifer Hoard attended Indiana University in Bloomington, where she earned her BFA. Originally working in collage, painting sprang out of collaging. "It wasn't something I

was going to put on a wall in a gallery—it was just something I did to pass time and think about new ideas, just a hobby—until about six years ago [when I started] turning them into paintings."

Jennifer's objective in designing her paintings is to capture the general shape, appearance, and mood of her dreams—the way that time and space lose their footing in logic, and gravity seems to twist rather than pull. Her subjects are always painted in grayscale as an expression of the dreamer, who is out of his/her usual reality.

"In Between Dreams", Jennifer's exhibit at Four Day Ray, truly carries out her theme of painting her dreams.



Stuart Troxel "Stuart After Dark" January 5-March 29, 2022 Reception: February 7, 4:30-7:30 p.m.

Stuart Troxel has been an artist for as long as he can remember, drawing and making art since he was able to talk. In fifth grade he used to draw his own comic strips, featuring his character, Flash the Mouse, and sold them on the playground.

He started painting professionally in 2014, using cheap materials with a goal that as he progressed, he would start using better materials. His philosophy was, "If I can't make something good with poor materials, I can't do anything good with \$30 oil paints either."

His exhibit, "Stuart After Dark" relates to the past few years of COVID and the pandemic—the paintings that came after a dark period. Most works will be available for sale.



ARTIST SHOWCASES IN FISHERS

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November 2021 - March 2022



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Brad Fields

"The Thorpe Creek Landscape in Fishers"

October 1-December 29, 2021

Reception: December 10,
5-8:30 p.m.

Brad Fields' paintings are full of realistic details and loose flowing "glorious messes" that characterize the medium.

Watercolor was a summer hobby that he played with for 17 years, until Brad got to a point in his life where he really wanted to make it as an artist. In 2003, he built a home in Fishers resting on Thorpe Creek where he found himself painting the hills and the changes of the seasons.

Frequently, Brad participates in Plein Air competitions which continue to push him creatively. "There's nothing like drawing or painting from life. It makes you smarter about your choices and how much you can bite off at a time."

North Towards Avalon by Brad Fields



NICKEL PLATE ARTS UPCOMING EVENTS

There's no need to hibernate this winter when Nickel Plate Arts has so many fun and cozy events! Mark your calendars for our monthly First Friday open houses or one of our Signature Events!



FIRST FRIDAYS

6-9 p.m.

Nickel Plate Arts Campus

Each month we offer a chance to dip your toes into the arts community, to get to know our studio artists and local artists with art on display in our exhibits, and to enjoy live music and performances. Plus, there is always a chance to shop, enjoy local beer and wine, and hobnob with the local arts elite! Don't miss your chance to check out the latest from our local arts community. Join us from 6-9 p.m. on the First Friday of each month: Nov 5, Dec 3, Jan 7, Feb 4, Mar 4.

SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY SHOP SMALL NOBLESVILLE

Nov 27, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. or later

(hours vary by location)

Start at Nickel Plate Arts and then wander through Downtown Noblesville. Don't forget to visit NobleMade!

This is the one day of the year when your purchases can have the greatest impact. Support local artists, get first dibs on the best handmade holiday items, and strengthen the downtown Noblesville economy all at the same time. Check out our ever-popular "Gifted" exhibit at Nickel Plate Arts for gorgeous art and handcrafted items, and don't forget to stop in at NobleMade for Noblesville-themed gifts. While you're at it, drop in at one of the other locally-owned shops in Downtown Noblesville and plan on lunch or dinner at one of our amazing restaurants.

Need inspiration for your shopping list? See our Gift Guide on pages 6-7.

SIGNATURE EVENT: DAY OF THE DEAD

Nov 1, 3-7 p.m.

Nickel Plate Arts Campus

On Nov 1st, we celebrated this traditional Mexican holiday with crafts led by local artists Esperanza Alonzo and Darlene Patterson, with live music provided by Victor Zamudio, and face painting by Adrienne Maynard. With well over 100 visitors in attendance, this family-focused after school event proved to be great fun for all ages.



CURE FOR CABIN FEVER DROP-IN CRAFTS AND CRAFT KITS

Dec 22 and 29-31 and Jan 5-8,
10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

\$5 per craft or kit

Sometimes winter break can feel a little long for parents or for kids... Let us give you a little artistic distraction by dropping by our campus and making one of our crafts, designed to provide an artist challenge for all ages. You can check out our exhibits, studio artists and the Gal's Guide Library at the same time. You can even take a craft kit home for emergencies, too.

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SIGNATURE EVENT: VALENTINE'S DAY FOR ALL DROP-IN CRAFTS & CRAFT KITS

Adult-focused activities:
Feb 11, 12 and 14 from 6-9 p.m.

\$20 per couple's activity

Family-focused activities:

Feb 12 from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Prices vary: \$5-\$10

Nickel Plate Arts Campus

If you are looking for a one-of-a-kind date or a special day out for your family, look no further than our Valentine's Day For All event.

For Adults: We will host Date Night activities that make a perfect and unique Valentine's Day gift or surprise for your sweetheart, your best friend, or your family member. These activities will be designed and led by local artists and we guarantee success regardless of your skill level. Whether you've known each other for a few weeks or a few decades, we guarantee that you'll learn something new about each other and have a fantastic time. Tasty treats will be included in your ticket price and local beer and wine will also be available for purchase.

For Families: Drop by on Saturday, Feb 12th to participate in our family-friendly art activities and crafts. Whether you want to make Valentine's Day cards to send out in the mail or gifts to exchange at home, we'll have you covered, and we'll take care of all the clean up. Craft prices will vary by complexity. Snacks will also be available.

Register or learn more:
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The Fishers Arts & Culture Commission is proud to recognize seven partners as part of our inaugural Partnership Program for the 2021-2022 art season. The program recognizes local businesses, non-profit organizations, or individuals identified by the Commission who have gone above and beyond in supporting, showcasing, and advocating for public art and art programming in Fishers. The Commission is proud to share the stories of our public art galleries, educational classes, and programming opportunities made possible by these local businesses and non-profit organizations. -



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NICKEL PLATE ARTS UPCOMING EVENTS

SIGNATURE EVENT:

COMIC BOOK IN A DAY IS BACK

Jan 22, 2022!

Our popular annual challenge to make your own comic book from scratch is back. We'll be hosting **Comic Book in a Day** with the help of our friends at the Ignite Studio at the Hamilton East Public Library in Fishers on **Jan 22, 2022 from 9 a.m.-5 p.m.**

THIS EVENT IS GREAT FOR ANYONE INTERESTED IN COMICS OR CREATING ART. THERE ARE THREE WAYS YOU CAN PARTICIPATE:



IF YOU:
Always wanted to try making a comic book yourself
OR just want a great artistic challenge

IF YOU:
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OR if you have kids who like superheroes and art
OR if you want an artistic diversion on a wintery Saturday

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OR Want to learn some in-depth art skills
OR Need a creative shot-in-the-arm

Sign up for our Comic Book in a Day Challenge to enter our day-long contest on Jan 22nd for \$25! You'll make new friends, learn new artistic tricks, and you'll get published in our Comic Book in a Day 2022 book! **Go to nickelplatearts.org/ComicBookInADay to sign up now.**

Drop by the Ignite Studio at the Hamilton East Public Library between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Jan 22nd to meet our artists and to try some custom-made, comic-themed activities.

Sign up for one or more of our workshops in January, leading up to Comic Book in a Day. Each of our Featured Artists will lead a workshop on a topic of their expertise. You don't have to know anything about comics to enjoy these workshops. You just have to be ready to try something new! **Check out Ignite's schedule of events for the latest opportunities: ignite.hepl.lib.in.us**
AND THEN, since you'll be all ready to create, sign up for the Comic Book in a Day Challenge on our website.

In case you missed last year's challenge, here is a recap:

Our 2021 all-virtual challenge included participants from five states and even Abu Dhabi! Featured Artists Yuri Duncan, Victor Dandridge and Stuart Sayger, along with Returning Champion Sarah Butler provided coaching and support for our 21 contestants. We learned about storytelling, layout and lettering, and even hacks to help make the work go faster. **You can still view our videos from this event on our Facebook Page: [Facebook.com/NickelPlateArts](https://www.facebook.com/NickelPlateArts)**

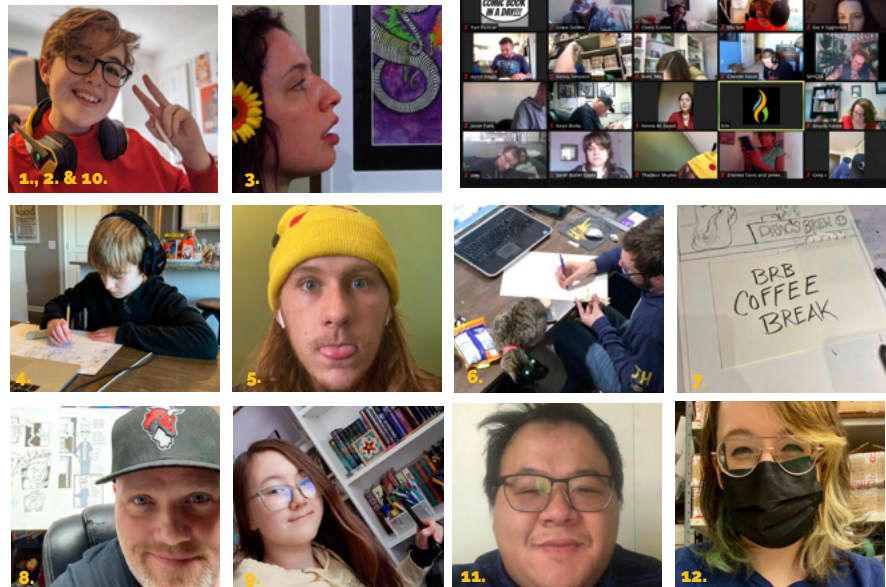
In all, we created more than 100 pages of new content, which are being published in a two-volume, printed book which should be available in December 2021.

OUR COMIC BOOK IN A DAY 2021 WINNERS:

1. **People's Choice Award:** Ella Satterfield
2. **Best Emerging Artist:** Ella Satterfield
3. **Most Fearless Artist:** Eve Eggleston
4. **Most Ambitious Artist:** Dexter Tudor
5. **Most Creative Artist:** Thaddeus Shipley
6. **Best Story:** Joseph Haas
7. **Best Art:** Kenna Al-Sayed
8. **Best Overall:** Kevin Bixby

JUDGES CHOICES:

9. Mia Noel - *selected by Stuart Sayger*
10. Ella Satterfield - *selected by Yuri Duncan*
11. Albert Cheung - *selected by Sarah Butler*
12. Kelsey Simpson - *selected by Victor Dandridge*



NICKEL PLATE ARTS 2022 SPRING CLASSES



Our talented and ever-popular teacher **Jeannette Pomeroy Parssi** will be back again this spring to help you grow your creative skills, stay in artistic shape, or simply connect with other artistic people. Hybrid options will still be available for all classes. Supplies can be provided upon request. Remember: Classes make a great gift! Nothing makes winter cozier than a weekly creative check-in with your classmates!

LOCATION FOR ALL CLASSES:
Hybrid - In-Studio at Nickel Plate Arts or Via Zoom

MONDAY NIGHT ADULT DRAWING CLASS SERIES

7:00-9:00 p.m. EDT/EST
\$120 for full course, **\$12**/single session
Session 1: January 10-March 14
Session 2: March 21-May 23

TUESDAY OIL PAINTING STUDIO: 201

9:00-11:00 a.m. EDT/EST
\$200 for full course, **\$20**/single session
Session 1: January 11-March 15
Session 2: March 22-May 24

WEDNESDAY BEGINNING OIL PAINTING: 101

10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. EDT/EST
\$200 for full course, **\$20**/single session
Session 1: January 12-March 16
Session 2: March 23-May 25

WEDNESDAY TEEN & TWEEN DRAWING + ART

4:30-5:30 p.m. EDT/EST
\$100 for full course, **\$10**/single session
Session 1: January 12-March 16
Session 2: March 23-May 25

WEDNESDAY OIL PAINTING STUDIO: 201

6:30-8:30 p.m. EDT/EST
\$200 for full course, **\$20**/single session
Session 1: January 12-March 16
Session 2: March 23-May 25

Register or find more information at nickelplatearts.org/classes

NEW in 2022:

Paint & Sip Classes by Jeannette Pomeroy Parssi
Third Thursdays beginning in February
DETAILS COMING SOON!
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Shaunt'e Lewis: AN ARTIST EVOLVING

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OF ENCOURAGEMENT--AS MOMS,
WIVES, DAUGHTERS, FRIENDS...
MY ART IS MEANT TO UPLIFT AND
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”

The newest artist-in-residence in the Stephenson House is **Shaunt'e Lewis**, an vibrant new muralist, painter, and artist who has been featured on the front page of the New York Times arts section.

A local resident, Lewis, was looking for collaboration and a space for her art to grow. "I wanted to be close to home and my kids, and I love the vibe of downtown Noblesville. The art scene is strong here and I want to be a part of it."

Lewis started her career in hair artistry, launched into murals, and has diversified into prints, custom commissions, and commercial art. She has only been a full-time artist since January 2021 and has already made her impact on the local landscape.

Meteorite Rise

Anyone who has been declared an "overnight success," knows there are many years of quiet, unseen hard work which proceeds a meteoric rise. Shaunt'e Lewis' first big project was the Mask Up Indy graphics with the design being plastered across the city and a banner in City Market.

"I heard about the call out from the Arts Council and my design was chosen for the commission," said Lewis. The Mask Up Indy exposure was closely followed by murals at Jiffy Lube and Lewis' mural on Lugar Plaza as part of March Madness.

"It was the first live event after the shutdown and I got tremendous feedback about the bright, happy, and uplifting image. The mural exposure did my marketing for me. I started getting tagged in social media posts, girls who posed with my art, and the requests for prints. It was a real turning point."

Evolving Art

Lewis opened her first hair salon just five years ago and wanted art on the walls. But not just any art, she wanted HER art on the walls.

"I always thought I would paint pictures of flowers," said Lewis. Originally from Massachusetts, she moved to Georgia with her husband before relocating to Indiana in 2011. "I didn't really start making art until I got here."

Rather than focusing on flowers, Lewis started painting female portraits and faces. "Once I started with faces, I was hooked. I couldn't stop."

Lewis has plenty of strong females to draw from, including her mother, grandmother and admirable women of color. She focuses on women's faces and eyes, varied skin colors, and their innate empowerment as women.

"I've found all women are in need of encouragement--as moms, wives, daughters, friends.. My art is meant to uplift and impact people's lives."

People of Color

One of the key elements of Lewis' art is her vibrant colors, including varied skin tones.

"Personally, I am pretty boring--always wearing black from my hairdressing days. So to use such vibrant colors was fun. I like to capture louder voices."

Lewis also paints quickly, which has steered her towards acrylics which dries faster than oils.

"I am pretty structured in my portraits. So when I wanted to add some looseness, I discovered acrylic and resin pouring." As a benefit, the resin overlay adds a shine and pop to the painting, while also eliminates a need for framing and helps to protect the artwork.

I'm a Business Person

As fast as Lewis' star has risen, she has kept her eye on new challenges and profit channels.

"At the heart of the matter, I'm a business person." Lewis has customers who have created collage walls, consisting of several related or favorite prints or paintings. She taught herself digital illustration, print production, and has discovered exposure has opened doors to private clients and commissioned artwork.

Always evolving, Lewis is expanding her work, pushing boundaries, and amplifying the feminist voice, black culture, and self identity. Her work is being shared in more galleries and focusing on commercial illustrations.

Meet Shaunt'e in her studio on the second floor of the Stephenson House at our Noblesville campus.



Raven by Shaunt'e Lewis

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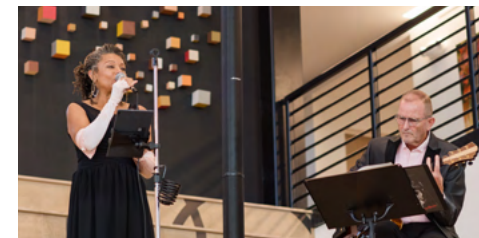
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Dinner is served in the atrium at Hub & Spoke in Fishers



Pictured clockwise:

- Alyssa Overton demonstrates leather working;
- Greg Adams created the centerpieces as well as a gorgeous willow entry way;
- Indy Gorgeous Club greets Gala attendees as they enter.
- Dinner is accompanied by Conversation Pieces, with Steve Newby and Joy Collins.
- Dinner was catered by Jacquie's Gourmet Catering.
- John Smith throws pottery at the entry way of the Gala.



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NICKEL PLATE ARTS PAINT THE TOWN *Red* 9TH ANNIVERSARY GALA

On September 23, 2021, over 150 gala attendees gathered at the Hub & Spoke design center to honor the 21 arts nominees and celebrate Nickel Plate Arts' ninth anniversary. The night's theme was "Paint the Town Red" and the attendees were dressed in various shades of crimson formal wear and were served pink champagne.

The evening began with live music from Indy Gorgeous Club while artists Greg Adams, Alyssa Overton, Leah Leach, and Stuart Sayger demonstrated their artistic skills and craftsmanship in person. Artists Darlene Patterson, John Smith, and Louise Balzucki also demonstrated pottery techniques on the lawn next to the building. A seated dinner was accompanied by Conversation Pieces, the local musical duo of Steve Newby and Joy Collins.

A silent and live auction helped to raise over \$50,000 in support for Nickel Plate Arts, a record setting amount. We raised over \$5,000 specifically for our Maker Faire and Juneteenth event: we want to grow this program and build a new brand that allows us to celebrate the diversity of and talent within our community.

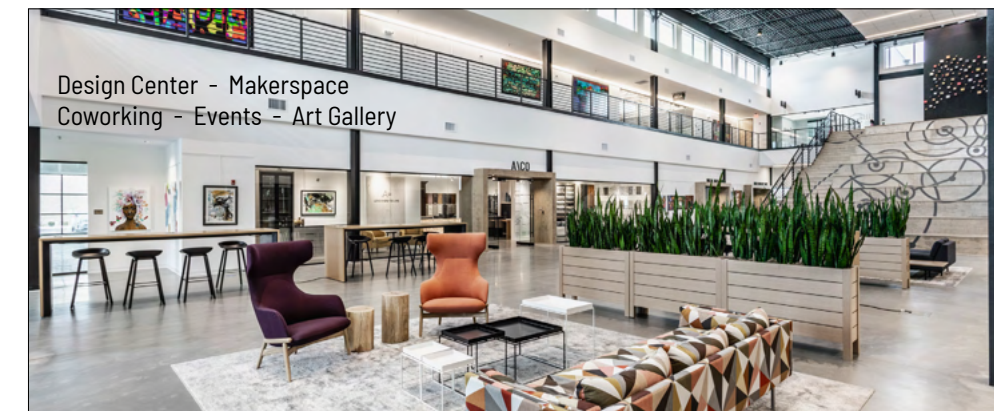
Turn to page 20 to see the Gala Award Winners!

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**ANNIVERSARY GALA
AWARD WINNERS**

This year, we were excited to recognize 21 local artists, teachers, advocates, and leaders who were nominated for our Nickel Plate Arts Awards. The winners for the 2021 Nickel Plate Arts Awards are as follows:

1. Emerging Artist:
Frederick Durham

2. Emerging Arts Champion
Ross Hilleary

3. Artist of the Year:
Jessica Hancock
(award pictured in absentia)

4. & 5. Arts Educator of the Year:
Erin Goodman and Michelle Feeney
We had a tie in this category: both of these women made incredible impacts in this very challenging year!

6. Arts Leader of the Year:
Tom Rich

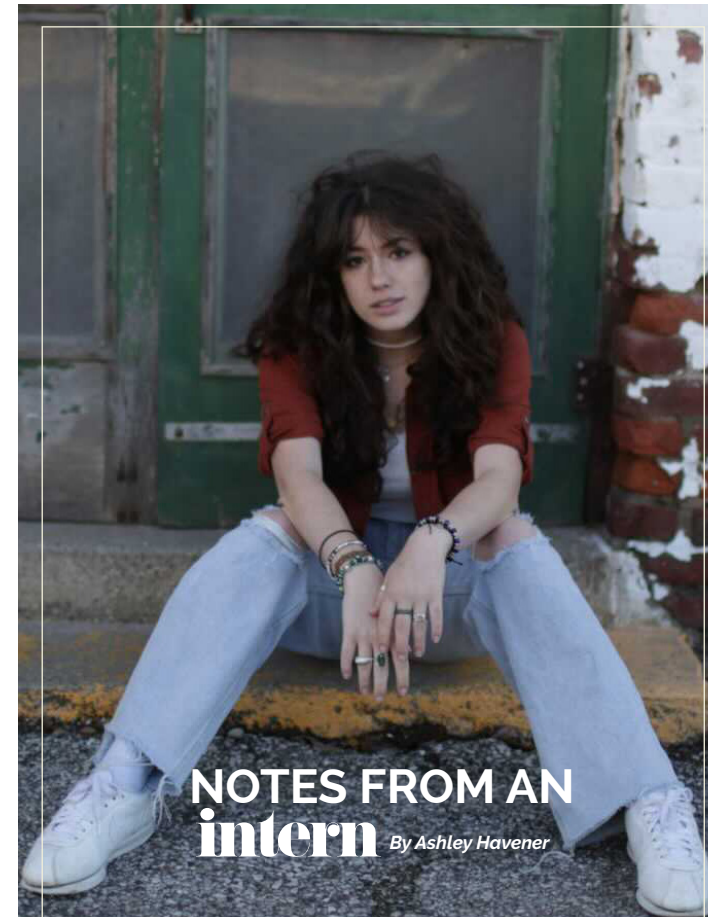
7. Arts Patron of the Year:
Steve Sanner,
Jiffy Lube of Indiana

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MAKER PLAYGROUND

We look forward to celebrating our 10th Anniversary in 2022! If you would like to be a part of our planning committee or would like to sponsor the event, please contact Aili McGill. Nominations for the 2022 Nickel Plate Arts Awards will open in the early summer of 2022.



**NOTES FROM AN
intern** *By Ashley Havener*

Hello, my name is Ashley Havener and I am the 2021-2022 intern for Nickel Plate Arts.

I'm a 17 year old student at Noblesville High School who is interested in pursuing work in the field of arts. During my time at Nickel Plate Arts, I have seen behind the scenes on how a business in the arts is run. From decorating our campus for events, like Day of the Dead, to uploading a month's worth of social media posts, the work is varied and often fun.

Looking to my future, I would like to pursue business marketing and design. Working with the marketing staff at Nickel Plate Arts to create promotions, social media graphics, and printed materials has shown me how important it is to communicate clearly with the intended audience.

Having the opportunity to create connections and learn new skills pertaining to my future interests has been a delight! I hope to continue to learn more practical business skills to help promote the arts, so I am more prepared for my future in this field.

This internship has become a very valuable experience for me, allowing me to work with a team and to discover what makes Nickel Plate Arts so special. The team at Nickel Plate is like a family. There are lively conversations and laughter shared on a rainy day, working together towards the future, and getting to share art with the community in many ways.

By spending my senior year with such an incredible team of people, I know how passionate I am about the arts and their promotion. I am excited to work even harder in this field, to achieve my goals.

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November 5, 5-9 p.m.

Downtown Noblesville

Join us for #FirstFridays & a kick off to the holiday season! Our wonderful downtown businesses will be highlighting their new holiday/winter items!

SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY

November 26-28, Hours vary by store

Shop small all weekend long but join us on Saturday November 27th specifically for a day full of fun holiday festivities! We are activating the alleys all day! North Alley: Alexander's hot chocolate bar from 12PM-9PM. East Alley: Matteo's wine bar from 5 p.m.- 9 p.m.. Carolers throughout downtown and live music in the South Alley! Check out our Facebook page for more information!

DECK THE DOWNTOWN

December 3, 5-9 p.m.

Join us for #FirstFridays in Downtown Noblesville! The City of Noblesville is hosting Lights over Seminary and the Santa House will be back on the square! The downtown merchants will be open until MIDNIGHT so you can get all your holiday shopping done!

MORE INFO: noblesvillemainstreet.org
@noblesvillemainstreet

FISHERS ARTS COUNCIL

The Art Gallery at City Hall
1 Municipal Drive, Fishers

WATERCOLOR SOCIETY OF INDIANA MEMBER SHOW

November 12, 6-8 p.m.

Free Monthly Reception at the Art Gallery at City Hall featuring the Watercolor Society of Indiana Member Show, with musical guest, Nick Ivanovich. Special performance by Fishers Community Chorus in the auditorium at 7:30 p.m..

SHOP FISHERS!

November 27, 1-6 p.m.

Shop Fishers! Small Business Saturday at the Art Gallery at City Hall and ONLINE! Meet artists and creatives making new works, ask questions, and learn about their mediums. Shop small and buy directly from the artists! Plus - make & take classes in Alcohol Ink and Weaving will be available on a first come, first serve basis for a \$5 donation.

WINTER WONDERLAND OF ART

December 4, 3-8 p.m.

Winter Wonderland of Art at the Art Gallery at City Hall and ONLINE! Meet artists and creatives making new works, ask questions, and learn about their mediums. Find the most unique holiday gift for friends and family, directly from a local artist. Plus - make & take classes in Alcohol Ink and Weaving will be available on a first come, first serve basis for a \$5 donation.

EMERGING ARTIST EXHIBIT

December 10, 6-9 p.m.

Free Monthly Reception at the Art Gallery at City Hall for our Emerging Artist Exhibit along with our Alcove Featured Artist, Margot Bogue's exhibit, Ephemeral Indiana. There will be live music from two up & coming bands and refreshments available.

ARTWORK OF TAYLOR WALKER

January 14, 2022, 6-8 p.m.

Free Monthly Reception at the Art Gallery at City Hall featuring the artwork of Taylor Walker. There will be live music and refreshments available.

EMBRACING BLACK CULTURE EXHIBIT

February 11, 2022, 6-8 p.m.

Free Monthly Reception at the Art Gallery at City Hall for our Embracing Black Culture exhibit, featuring the works of Fall Creek Junior High Students and Fishers High School's Future Black Leaders Club, along with our Alcove Featured Artist, Shaunt'e Lewis. A performance in the auditorium is planned for 7 p.m.

DISABILITIES AWARENESS EXHIBIT

March 11, 2022, 6-9 p.m.

Conner Prairie, 13400 Allisonville Rd, Fishers
Free Monthly Reception at Conner Prairie for our Disabilities Awareness Exhibit, featuring the artwork from talented local artists with developmental or intellectual disabilities.

MORE INFO: bit.ly/fishersevents

THE BELFRY THEATRE

THE DINING ROOM

January 21-30, 2022

Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m.

Saturdays and Sundays at 2 p.m.

The Switch Theatre at Ji-Eun Lee Music

Academy, 10029 East 126th St., Suite D, Fishers

A comedy/drama, directed by Diane Wilson of Carmel, the play is a comedy of manners set in a dining room where a dozen-and-a-half scenes from different households overlap and intertwine. Actors change roles, personalities and ages with virtuoso skill as they portray a wide variety of characters, from little boys to stern grandfathers and from giggling teenagers to Irish housemaids. Play by A.R. Gurney. Presented with permission by Dramatists Play Service.

THE LILIES OF THE FIELD

March 17-27, 2022

Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m.

Saturdays and Sundays at 2 p.m.

Location TBD

The comedy/drama directed by Linnea Leatherman, features a traveling handyman who stops by a farm in rural Arizona and is welcomed by a group of Roman Catholic nuns. Realizing that the farm needs a lot of work, he takes on a number of repair projects for the nuns, who come to believe that he has been sent by God to help build them a chapel. Play by F. Andrew Leslie from the novel by William E. Barrett. Presented with permission by Dramatists Play Service.

MORE INFO:
thebelfrytheatre.com

HAMILTON COUNTY ARTISTS' ASSOCIATION (HCAA)

The Birdie Gallery of HCAA,
195 S. 5th St., Noblesville

SHOP LOCAL IN NOBLESVILLE

Nov. 26-28, Fri-Sat, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sun, 12-4 p.m.

839 Conner Street, Noblesville

The HCAA will be selling additional fine art gifts in the South Alley next to NobleMade Gift Shop! Find unique art and small handcrafted items as perfect one-of-a-kind gifts for the holiday season.

HAMILTON COUNTY ARTISTS' ASSOCIATION UNDER \$100 HOLIDAY EXHIBIT

December 3-18

Reception: December 3, 6-9 p.m.

Regular gallery hours: Saturdays,

10 a.m.-4 p.m.

The Juried members of Hamilton County Artists' Association present their annual Fine Art and Gift Market! Find unique works of art and handcrafted items as perfect one-of-a-kind gifts for the holiday season. Most paintings in the exhibit will be priced under \$100. Many of the Holiday Market items in the Birdie Gallery Gift Shop will be priced under \$20. Hours are Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. through December 18th.

SHOP LOCAL IN NOBLESVILLE

Saturday, December 4, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

The HCAA will be selling additional fine art gifts During Shop Local in Noblesville. Find unique art and small handcrafted items as perfect one-of-a-kind gifts for the holiday season. Everything will be priced under \$100 with much of the Holiday Market items under \$20.

THE BIRDIE GALLERY OF THE HAMILTON COUNTY ARTISTS' ASSOCIATION IS CLOSED DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY.

HAMILTON COUNTY ARTISTS' ASSOCIATION NEW MEMBER RECEPTION AND EXHIBIT

February 4-26, 2022

Reception: February 4, 6-9 p.m.

Regular gallery hours: Saturdays, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

The HCAA is proud to exhibit the creativity of its newest Active Juried Artist members in 2D, 3D, and Photography. These artists have applied for membership, have been juried by their peers, and have earned the designation Active Juried Member, which appears as a label on their work. Join the Hamilton County Artists' Association for fine art and refreshments.

HAMILTON COUNTY ARTISTS' ASSOCIATION 1ST ANNUAL JURIED REGIONAL SHOW

March 4-26, 2022

Reception: March 4, 6-9 p.m.

Regular gallery hours: Saturdays, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

The Hamilton County Artists' Association is proud to present the artwork of the 1st Annual Midwest Juried Art Exhibit, March 4 - 26, 2022. This fine art competition is open to artists 18 years and older who are residents of Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, or Wisconsin.

MORE INFO:
hcaa-in.org or email info@hcaa-in.org

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WEDNESDAY HOMESCHOOL ART FOR AGES 6-12

Every Wednesday
Fully Masked at 11 a.m.-12 p.m.
Mask Optional at 2 p.m.- 3 p.m.
After School at 4:30 p.m.
Students will learn about a famous artist each week and create works based on the technique and styles of each artist.

TEEN ART

Every Wednesday, 5:45-6:45 p.m.
Teens will focus on a session of drawing followed by a lesson together, then will be given time at the end of class to work on a project of their choosing.

ADULT OPEN STUDIO

Most Wednesdays, 7-8 p.m.
\$15 or class pack available
All supplies provided. Choose your medium and subject.

FAMILY ART CLASS

Thursdays, 6:30 p.m.
\$15 per family
This class is designed for families to learn and participate in the weekly artist less together. Recommended for ages 4+. Pre-registration required.

FRIDAY HOMESCHOOL ART FOR AGES 6-12

Every Friday, 11 a.m.-12 p.m.
Students will learn about a famous artist each week and create works based on the technique and styles of each artist.

MORE INFO:
caravan-classes.square.site

GAL'S GUIDE TO THE GALAXY

107 South 8th Street, Noblesville

BOOK CLUB - "THE NIGHT WATCHMAN" BY LOUISE ERDICH

November 18, 8 p.m. via Zoom

GAME NIGHT - INDIGENOUS PEOPLES

November 19, 7 p.m.

GIVING TUESDAY

November 30, all day online

GAME NIGHT - FOOD

December 17, 7 p.m.

BOOK CLUB - FAVORITE BOOKS OF THE YEAR

December 30, 8 p.m. via Zoom

GALENTINE'S DAY BRUNCH

February 13, 2022, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

"BOOSTING THE SIGNAL" SHOWCASE

Stephenson House

March 4-30, 2022

Reception: March 11, 6-9 p.m.

BOOK SIGNING FOR THE GAL'S GUIDE ANTHOLOGY

March 19, 2022, 2-5 p.m.

MORE INFO:

galsguide.org



Caravan Classes

TABBY TREE WEAVER

9832 North by Northeast Blvd, Fishers

RIGID HEDDLE WEAVING 2 - PICK-UP PATTERNS AND LACE WEAVES

November 20, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

\$100

Add another tool to your rigid heddle weaving toolbox and learn how to do pickup patterns! Come with your loom already warped and ready to go, and then spend class time experimenting working on a beautiful sampler.

2ND ANNUAL BOOKMARK EXCHANGE

Deadline November 30

Weave 5 identical bookmarks and submit them to Tabby Tree by 11/30/2021. A few weeks later you will get 5 different bookmarks back from 5 other participants!

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Dec. 11

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MORE INFO:
tabbytreeweaver.com



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MORE INFO:
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SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY
TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY

The holiday season in Noblesville kicks off Saturday, Nov. 27. In addition to supporting local businesses, The annual tree lighting ceremony will be held at 6 p.m. outside on the steps of the Historic Hamilton County Courthouse.

www.cityofnoblesville.org/christmas

LIGHTS OVER SEMINARY

Lights Over Seminary is a walkable, holiday lights display that focuses on history in Seminary Park. The display is available 5 to 11 p.m. nightly once it opens in December.

HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS TOUR

Santa will be traveling neighborhood to neighborhood to bring the holiday cheer to your home. Parade routes will be held Saturday, Dec. 4 & 11; and Sunday, Dec. 5 & 12.

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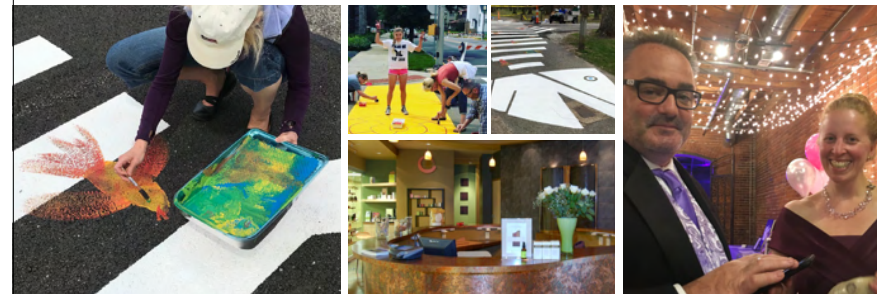
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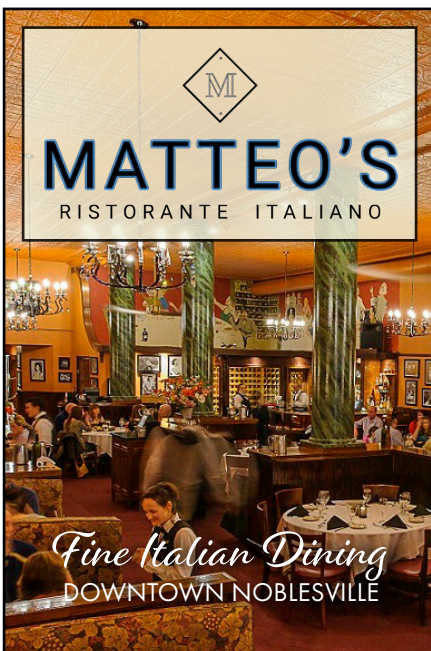


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