Small But Noteworthy is a two-day art event that will take place in Little Falls, October 26 -27, 2018, featuring small artwork, poetry, spoken word performances, and more. The theme is "Small Art. Big Ideas." With visual art (9x9" or smaller), poetry, spoken word, hip hop performances, open mics, and food, the community is celebrating what small can mean.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26th SCHEDULE

True About You: A Storytelling Workshop With Amy Salloway: 9am - Noon
Spoken Word Workshop with Desdamona: 1pm - 4pm
Art Crawl: 4pm - 7pm
Desdamona ft. DJ Kool AKiEM: 7:30pm
Open Mic At Starry Eyed Brewing Company: 9pm - 11pm

True About You: A Storytelling Workshop With Amy Salloway
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26
True About You: A Storytelling workshop with Amy Salloway is available to the public. Located at the Sprout Growers & Makers Marketplace in Little Falls.

About Amy:
For anyone who's said, "I don't think I have a story to tell" -- You do! For any storyteller who's said, "I'm out of ideas" - You're not!

Learn how to find and craft the rich, hilarious, painful and revealing true stories in your own everyday life in this active, encouraging and highly participatory workshop. Through discussion, free writing, partner exercises and even a little improv, workshop attendees will focus on the definition of "story" and the essential building blocks that make up a story; identifying conflict and a dramatic arc; bringing scenes to life with action, emotion and sensory detail; and embracing your unique voice. Bring a notebook and pen and a recording device (smart phone, iPad or voice recorder).

Recommended for ages 17 and up.

Free but registration is necessary. Register HERE.

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Spoken Word Workshop with Desdamona

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26
1:00PM to 4:00PM at Carnegie Library in Little Falls. Part of the Small But Noteworthy collection is this unique workshop that dives deep into the meaning of the spoken word.

About the Workshop:
From storytelling to poetry to stand up comedy, there are many types of performance that could be defined as spoken word. People use phrases like "performance poetry" and "slam poetry" and "spoken word poetry" interchangeably, so is there a difference? In this workshop, writer and performer Desdamona will introduce you to the sometimes confusing world of spoken word and offer you examples and exercises to transform your ideas and writing in to spoken word pieces.

Free to attend. Register HERE.

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Desdamona ft. DJ Kool AKiEM

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26
Doors open at 6:30PM, Show at 7:00PM
Ticket Price: $12 | Purchase Tickets Here

About the Show & Artists
Desdamona is an international award-winning artist; who has taken her distinct lyrics, sounds, and artistic styling to audiences from Minnesota to Hawaii to Puerto Rico to Germany; gracing some of
Hip Hop and poetry's most illustrious stages.

Desdamona is recognized as a Minnesota Hip Hop Pioneer. Although she came onto the Minneapolis scene in 1997 and wasn't the first to grab the mic, she paved the way for ladies who rock the mic in the Twin Cities and was the first female MC widely known for not only rockin' mics but as a promoter, community organizer and teaching artist.

From underground mix-tapes in the early nineties and the various Micranots releases, to 2006's Mixtape Deluxe, DJ Kool Akiem has been providing a steady diet of funk to the public for years now. Lacing ornate and eclectic samples over rugged drum hits and 808 kicks, Kool Akiem's productions have a distinct feeling that provide just the right amount of stimulation not to take attention away from the lyrics of his various collaborators. While most producers stick to a time-tested formula, Kool Ak constantly keeps it fresh by reinventing his production style without losing the urgent bump that folks have grown to expect from his tracks.

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Open Mic at Starry Eyed Brewery

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26
9:00 PM to 11:00 PM
At the Starry Eyed Brewery
16757 11th Street, NE Little Falls, MN

Local musicians, poets, and all artists that express themselves through sound are welcome to take the stage and share their passion with patrons.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27th SCHEDULE

Art Crawl: 10am - 7pm
Make & Take Activities: 10am - 12pm
Sprout Growers & Makers Market: 10am - 3pm
Poetry Open Mic: 2pm - 4pm
Ukulele Jam Circle: 4pm
Small But Noteworthy Spoken Words: 7:00pm - 9:00pm

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Sprout Growers & Makers Marketplace

Join the Vespertine Tribal Dancers, a FatChanceBellyDance® Sister Studio and the American Tribal Style®
belly dance troupe at the Sprout Growers & Makers Marketplace on Saturday October 27th. They will be entertaining shoppers throughout the day. Based out of Spirit Movement Dance Studio in the Franklin Arts Center (Brainerd, MN). Also performing is Sestri (Bulgarian for "Sisters"), a Slavic choir from Little Falls, MN, devoted to the study and performance of women's Slavic folk music. Performances will be every 30-minutes: 10:30AM, 11:30AM, 1PM, with Sestri singing the last set beginning at 2PM.

This October market kicks off the indoor market season at the Sprout Growers & Makers Marketplace. All are welcome to enjoy the performance as well as a cooking demonstration and samples. The cooking demonstration of bison stir-fry by Sharon Nordrum will run from 12:00PM - 1:00PM.

**Poetry Open Mic Night**
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27
2:00 PM to 4:00 PM at Great River Arts

Poets, spoken-word performers, and short-form storytellers are invited to sign up for the Saturday open mic. Short poems (multiples welcome) will be read on a stag rotating with other poets.

**Ukulele Jam Circle**
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27
4:00 PM to 5:00 PM
At Tony's First Avenue Custom Framing & Furniture Restoration
118 1st Avenue SE, Little Falls, MN

Bring your small but noteworthy Ukulele to Tony's 1st Avenue Frame Shop to jam with other like-minded awesomeness!

**Small But Noteworthy Spoken Words**
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27
7:00 PM to 9:00 PM at Great River Arts, Little Falls
A fabulous opportunity to enjoy the talents of spoken word artists Desdamona, Khary Jackson, and, storyteller Amy Salloway!

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