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Woolgatherer
Fiber Art by Lisa Jordan

**On display at The Crossing Arts Alliance,
Brainerd, July 13th - August 4th**

You don't want to miss Crossing Arts Alliance Executive Director Lisa Jordan's first solo exhibition. Featuring a series of organic forms and renderings of natural scenes made of wool

and other fibers often combined with natural materials such as wood and stones. Drawing from her deep love of nature, especially the odd and overlooked details, and employing both wet and needle felting techniques, Jordan creates pieces that seem at once fantastic and familiar. She asks the viewer to let their minds wander and indulge in a bit of daydreaming while engaging with her works.

Visit crossingarts.org or call 218-833-0416 for more information.



Green Fair and Folk Festival

Join the Franciscan Sisters of Little Falls for an evening of live music, exhibits, and family activities on Wednesday August 1st from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

About the Event:

The Green Fair Folk Festival is a free family-friendly event that promotes a healthy and sustainable lifestyle. Festival goers can find over 52 exhibitors featuring organic foods, renewable energy, green building, recycled/green art, fashion, Eco-gifts, earth-friendly products, holistic health and much more!



The Green Fair and Folk Festival is located at the Franciscan Sisters of Little Falls at 116 8th Avenue, Little Falls, MN. Click [here](#) for more information.

deTOUR Downtown Brainerd Crow Wing Food Co-Op Market & Fair

Visit the Crow Wing Food Co-Op Market & Fair on **Saturday July 28th from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Downtown Brainerd.**

A FREE fun filled day learning from local artist, dancers, and producers. Farmers Market, food sampling, music and MORE!



Events like this are taking place in Downtown Brainerd this summer thanks to a social crowdfunding campaign supported by the Brainerd Restoration, Region Five Development Commission, and MNStarter. Additional support provided by the FWAC, the Former Blue Ox Renovation, and the residents and artists who love and support the arts!

Upcoming deTour Downtown Brainerd Events:

- **Street Fest** with music, food, and fun! Enjoy live music, BBQ contest, THE Bean Bag Tourney and much more. July 27th from 5:00 p.m. to 12:00 p.m.
- **Downtown Belly Bliss Dance Night** with Belly dance by Megg on August 3rd from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- **Community Mural**- The Crossing Arts Alliance (stay tuned for details)
- **Lakes Area Music Festival Block Party** on August 10th, 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in Downtown Brainerd

10th Anniversary Lakes Area Music Festival

Join the LAMF as they celebrate their decade anniversary with 150 all-star musicians from the nation's top orchestras and opera companies! From chamber music to symphony orchestra, with opera and ballet, this season they will revisit some of the highlights of past seasons to celebrate how far they have come since their first concerts in 2009.



More information about our roster and repertoire for the programs listed below can be found at our website: lakesareamusic.org/2018-season

FWAC Seeking Board Members

Are you interested in helping people have access to arts experiences in our region? That's exactly what members of the Five Wings Arts Council board of directors do as representatives of their home county and you might be a perfect fit for this responsibility.



Five Wings Arts Council is currently seeking representatives from **Cass, Morrison, Todd and Wadena Counties** to serve a three year term on its board of directors. Council members are charged with setting policy, as well as approving funding programs and services designed to improve the lives of the people in Region Five through arts and culture projects. They also review and make funding award decisions about grant applications submitted to the council. The volunteer board of directors meets 10 times per year, and is compensated for mileage to board meetings.

Council member candidates should have experience participating in, advocating for, and/or supporting the arts. Anyone interested serving in this capacity should submit a letter of interest stating their expertise, and resume to: Five Wings Arts Council, PO Box 118, Staples, MN 56479 or email vicki.fwac@arvig.net. Questions? Call 877-654-2166.

For more information about serving on the FWAC board of directors click [here](#).

Art To Wear at The Crossing Arts Alliance

Call for Art

Art to Wear is back for another spin down the catwalk. This show seeks to discover and showcase interesting wearable art. Creativity is prioritized over practicality. Works must be wearable for the runway show, but do not have to fall within the realm of clothing.



Submissions are due August 22. A \$10 fee for Crossing Arts members, \$15 for non-members, cover up to three pieces for consideration.

Find full details at crossingarts.org

The exhibit runs Sept. 7 - 29, 2018
Runway show/opening reception is Sept. 7 at 7pm.

Small Art. Big Ideas

Call For Art

Small But Noteworthy in Little Falls is inviting artists to submit up to 10 pieces of artwork 9" x 9" or smaller (2D & 3D).

This two day event happening October 26th and 27th will showcase visual art in various small businesses, arts organizations, and studios in Little Falls. Other activities include a hip-hop concert, spoken word workshops and events, poetry open mic, Zine sale, and more. The event is meant to showcase under-represented art forms to the community, but also shed light on small communities and rural arts.



Important Dates:

Drop Off or Mailing of Artwork: October 15, 2018
Deadline for Submissions September 5, 2018

"Bringing Artists and Business Together" Social Networking Event, September 12, 2018, Great River Arts

How to Use Social Media Workshop, September 20, 2018

Contact Info:

smallbutnoteworthy@gmail.com
Heidi Jeub, Lead Coordinator, 320-828-1437

For more information and to register your art click [here](#).

Artspace Franklin Arts Center 10th Anniversary Celebration

Join the Franklin Art Center to celebrate their 10th anniversary with food, art, and fun!

Thursday August 9th 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.
1001 Kingwood Street, Brainerd



FWAC Funded Events

Wadena County

Sounds of Spirit Lake

All Concerts are FREE and Start at 7:00 p.m. at Spirit Lake Beach in Menahga

Upcoming Concert Dates:

July 20th - Monroe Crossing

July 27th - Saddle Sores

August 3rd - Dennis Warner & the D's

August 10th - Harper & Midwest Kid

<http://soundsofspiritlake.com/>

Camp Madhatter 2018 - Little Shop of Hatters

<http://www.madhattersinc.org/camp>

Morrison County

Children's Theater Camp "Snow White Lite"

July 23rd through the 27th from 9:00 a.m. to Noon
Final Performance on Friday July 27th at 4:00 p.m.

www.greatart.org

Petite Picasso Art Camp

July 30th through August 2nd from 9:00 a.m. to Noon

Register today: www.greatart.org/summer-camps

Cass County

23rd Annual Northwoods Art & Book Festival

August 11th from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Third Street & Lake Avenue, Hackensack

For more information visit www.northwoodsartcouncil.org

MN Folklore Theater in Walker

July 22nd through the 28th Revival "Patsy Cline at the Flame Cafe"

August 24-26, 29-30 & September 1-2 Revival "On Golden Pond"

For more info and show times visit: <http://www.minnesotafolkloretheater.org>

Crow Wing County

Bus Stop with Greater Lakes Area Performing Arts (GLAPA)

Pequot Lakes High School Theatre, Door 3

30805 Olson Street

Pequot Lakes, MN 56472

Date/Time Information:

Wednesday - Friday, July 11 - 13, 2018 and

Tuesday - Thursday, July 17 - 19, 2018



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All performances at 7:30 p.m.

Purchase Tickets online at www.glapa.info by clicking on "Buy Your Tickets Online" or contact the Pequot Lakes Community Education Office at 218.568.9200 for ticket information.

CLC Theater Production

"Church Basement Ladies" Shows run from July 19th through the 27th
For show times and ticket prices visit: <http://www.clcperformingarts.com>

Foxfire Festivals on the Farm's Root Music Concert

Dead Larry with Jill & Tony and Zachary Strong

Sat, Aug 11, 2018 5:00 p.m. Sun, Aug 12, 2018 12:00 a.m.

For more information visit: <https://www.thefarmonstmathias.com/>

Brainerd's The Center's Summer Concerts at Gregory Park

July 19th is the Kingery Family

July 26th is the Cuyuna Range Community Band

For more information visit: <http://thebrainerdcenter.com/entertainment/>

FY18 Grant Opportunities

Five Wings Arts Council provides funding to organizations and artists in Cass, Crow Wing, Todd, Morrison or Wadena counties. A variety of grant programs are available to produce, present, and/or promote arts projects in Region Five.

The FWAC staff is ready and willing to assist applicants in providing feedback about project ideas and pre-review your grant application. Read on to find out more about each of our grant programs. If you have questions, please contact Vicki Chepulis, Grants & Program Coordinator, at 877-654-2166 or vicki.fwac@arvig.net.



[Overview of FY19 Grant Information](#)

Links to Grant Guidelines:

[Community Arts Access Project Grants](#)

[School Arts Project Grants](#)

[General Operating Support Grants](#)

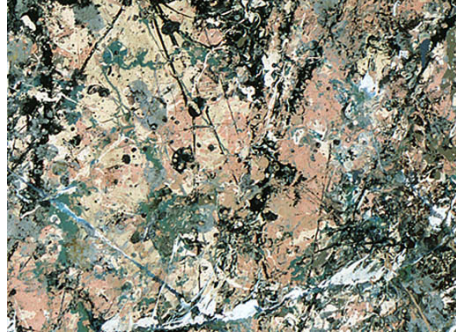
[Individual Artist Grants](#)

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Other Opportunities and Resources

- [Minnesota State Arts Board](#)
- [Jerome Foundation](#)
- [McKnight Foundation](#)
- [National Endowment for the Arts](#)

- [Springboard for the Arts](#)



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