Welcome to Art Link

The Frederick Arts Council welcomes your ideas and support as it continues to bring together the community’s arts organizations to strengthen our region's arts and culture.  
Become a member of the Frederick Arts Council today to join us.

Artist Applications for the Frederick Festival of the Arts  
2020 Now Open!  
2020 Festival Dates: June 5th-7th

Click here to apply online.
Call to Artists! Ornaments for FAC Holiday Tree

Once again, the Frederick Arts Council will be accepting handmade ornaments from local artists to be hung on our holiday tree and sold as part of our Holiday Bazaar. FAC will share profit with the artists 60/40 (60% to artist, 40% to FAC).

Please arrange ornament drop-off by emailing info@frederickartscouncil.org. Label ornaments with your name, contact info, and suggested pricing before bringing them to the FAC offices at 11 W. Patrick Street, Suite 201.

Holiday Bazaars will be Saturdays in November from 2-4 pm, at the FAC Gallery Conference Room (11 W. Patrick Street)!

Brooke Adams Brings Original Play, "Delusion by Proxy" to Sky Stage

FAC & friends were delighted to welcome playwright and actress Brooke Adams to Sky Stage to present a staged reading of her original play, "Delusion by Proxy." The event was presented in conjunction with the Endangered Species (Theatre) Project. The play, set in the near future, is an incisive dark comedy about love and tyranny.
Phase Change, Act III Opens at FAC Gallery

Act III of Thomas Faison's Phase Change is now open at the FAC Gallery at 11 W. Patrick Street. This is the final stage of Faison's yearlong installation, which has moved from "water" (Act I) to "steam" (Act II) and now "ice" (Act III). Act III explores what happens after natural disaster and transformation, and how creative freedom allows us to chart a path forward.

Come visit the exhibit Mon-Fri during business hours!
FAC President and Executive Director Recognized in Business Appreciation Week

M&RR, the Frederick market research firm where FAC President John Bekier is CEO, was recognized as a "hometown hero" during Business Appreciation Week by the Frederick County Office of Economic Development.

"Hometown Hero" businesses were awarded a second medal to recognize their own local heroes. M&RR chose Louise Kennelly, Executive Director of the Frederick Arts Council, for her contributions to the community and to local arts.
Marketing & Research Resources LLC is a hidden gem in Frederick County working with national clients like The NY Times, Macy’s, North Face, Estee Lauder and more. Their arsenal of research tools help give brands the insight they need to succeed. M&RR is naming Louise Kennelly of the Frederick Arts Council for her dedication and passion for the arts and the community. #BAW2019

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**Carl Butler Individual Artist Award Winner Headed to La Napoule Artist Residency**

Frederick artist William Cochran sent these photos in from Antibes, where he's visiting before heading to Chateau de la Napoule for his artist residency in the South of France. Cochran was awarded the residency as part of his Carl Butler Individual Artist Award from FAC.
Artist Selected for 201 S. Market Street Mural

Conceptual artist and muralist Gera Lozano, also known as GERALUZ, has been selected to design and execute a new mural on the north side of 201 S. Market Street. Lozano has a depth of experience in public art that enhances and highlights the beauty of natural environments, and has been funded by the NEA, Creative Work Fund, and the Zellerbach Foundation.
Visual Arts Student Scholarships Are Open Again!
Michael Campagnoli & Brittany Nicole Shiben Memorial Visual Arts Scholarships

Scholarship monies are available for students K - 12, who are pursuing visual arts instruction in a group or individualized setting.

Applications are being sought from students 5-17 years of age in Frederick County who are in need of financial assistance to pursue their training in visual arts.

- Applications will be considered for primary and secondary school students who have demonstrated talent, commitment, and aspiration in visual arts instruction.

- Applications must request funding for visual arts instruction only.

- Applications are accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

Click Here to Download Application Instructions

Need rehearsal or studio space?

Many local businesses and organizations offer space for rent. If you have space available that you would like to rent or offer in kind, please send details to info@frederickartscouncil.org.

Click Here for a List of Rental Space Info

Coming Up at Sky Stage

Only a few more events! Thanks to all who came out or volunteered for Sky Stage’s 2019 Season!
Saturday, October 26th @ 4 pm -- **Hip Hop Showcase & Battle of the Beats**  
Sunday, October 27th @ 1 pm -- **Frederick Rock School Showcase**  
Tuesday, October 29th @ 6 pm -- **Yoga w/ Yogamour**

*Follow Sky Stage on Facebook for updates*

59 South Carroll Street  
skystagefrederick.com

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**Hood College News & Events**

**Former Military Musicians to Perform on Campus**

Trumpeter Chuck Seipp and organist Randall Sheets will play a concert at Hood College's Coffman Chapel on Nov. 3 at 4 p.m.  
Seipp retired from the U.S. Army Band, "Pershing's Own," in 2012, culminating his 32-year career as concert band group leader. Sergeant Major Seipp performed at national, presidential and historical world events, at concerts and special events in Washington, D.C., and for funerals and wreath-laying ceremonies at the Tomb of The Unknown Soldier in Arlington National Cemetery. Sheets has been ceremonial organist for Arlington National Cemetery for more than 20 years, where he performs over 1,000 services a year in the historic Old Post Chapel and the Memorial Chapel. Their program will feature works by Handel, Bach, Mussorgsky, Gershwin, and others including Freddie Mercury's "Bohemian Rhapsody."

The concert is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Wayne L. Wold at woldw@hood.edu.

hood.edu

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**The Potters' Guild of Frederick -- Monthly Events**

'Take a Turn At The Wheel' -- Try out the potter's wheel! We're offering 3-hour classes so you
can see what it's like, and whether you want to learn more. This is an excellent investment in fun, creativity, & learning a new craft! Classes are the 2nd Saturday of each month. $100 per person. All of the supplies, firings, & equipment needed for the event are provided.

Location:
Frederick Clay Studio
119 N. East Street
Frederick, MD 21701

pottersguildoffrederick.com

More Info & Registration
On Thursday, November 7th join Thespian executive producer and local entrepreneur Richard Zane at The Cellar Door in downtown Frederick, along with Marc and Maria Unger, co-creators of the hit Amazon series "Thespian", for a great evening of dinner and conversation. Meet cast and crew members from the show and get a behind the scenes look at season two, some of which was filmed right in Frederick!

$49 ticket includes a full 3 course dinner with complimentary soft drinks, coffee and iced tea plus a 45 minute screening of the first two episodes of season two as well as some other select scenes. There will also be a Q&A session after the screening.

If you'd like to come to the screening only $15 ticket option for that as well.

Doors open at 5:30 and the event will end at 9pm

Support the Arts locally!
All proceeds from this event will help fund the rest of the season and allow these amazing storytellers to tell a great season two story featuring brilliant Frederick based actors Sasha Carrera, Matthew Bowerman, Dan Franko and Richard Zane Belles.

For further inquiries and details about the evening's menu or anything else email
richard@cellardoorfrederick.com

Purchase Tickets
L'Arche Frederick presents

LET IT SHINE EXTRAVAGANZA!

A variety show featuring adults with intellectual disabilities and friends!

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH AT 7PM

Suggested donation: Adults $10 | Kids $3

St. John Regional School
8414 Opposumtown Pike | Frederick, MD

All proceeds will support our mission to provide loving homes where people with and without disabilities live together in mutual respect and service to one another.

For more information call Pat 973-615-3131
JEN GRAHAM

WORKSHOP SERIES

Breaking the Box
Ages 13+ Int/Adv.
November 2
2:30 - 4:00 pm

Owning the Space
Ages 12- Beg/Int.
November 2
4:00 - 5:00 pm

24/7 Pride Company Members - no charge
24/7 Students - $20.00
Non- Studio students - $25.00
482 Prospect Blvd. Frederick 301-846-4247

Level 2 and up

24-7dancestudio.com
Maryland Author: Matthew A. Henson

Genre: Personal Adventure

"I was in the lead that had overshot the mark a couple of miles. We went back then and I could see that my footprints were the first at the spot."

Matthew Alexander Henson, (August 8, 1866 - March 9, 1955) was born on a farm in Nanjemoy, Maryland, moved to Washington, DC, became a ship's cabin boy at 12, and traveled to ports in China, Japan, Africa, and the Russian Arctic. The ship's captain took Henson under his wing and taught him to read and write. At age 25, Henson met Robert Peary and spent the next 16 years of his life with Peary on 7 Arctic expeditions learning how to reach the North Pole. On April 6, 1909, during their 8th expedition, they reached and conquered the North Pole. In that moment, Matthew Henson became the greatest Negro explorer of all time.

In 1912, Matthew Henson published his memoir, A Negro Explorer at the North Pole. In it, he described himself as a “general assistant, skilled draftsperson, interpreter (he had learned an Inuit language), and laborer.” In 1937, he was the first African American to be made a life member of The Explorers Club. In 1944, Henson was awarded the Peary Polar Expedition Medal and he was received at the White House by Presidents Harry Truman and Dwight Eisenhower. In 1947, he collaborated with author Bradley Robinson on a biography, Dark Companion, which told more about his life. In 1988, he and his wife were re-interred at Arlington National Cemetery and in 2000, the National Geographic Society posthumously awarded Henson the Hubbard Medal.

Genre: Personal Adventure  — Personal Adventure is autobiography dedicated to describing the process involved, work required, and obstacles overcome to accomplish a specific extraordinary goal, usually involving overcoming the power and strength of the natural world.

Partial reading list: A Negro Explorer at the North Pole, Dark Companion

Writers Prompt - Fun With Words - Maryland Writers' Association (MWA) invites you to have fun writing Personal Adventure. Using just 100 words, write a Personal Adventure account where your character accomplishes a significant goal in a harsh environment (water, land, air, space) after overcoming harsh obstacles. Submit your Fun With Words response to: www.marylandwriters.org/Notable_Maryland_Authors. You will see the “submit” button in the center of the page. We will continue to publish all responses on: www.mwawritersroundtable.org.

[Link to marylandwriters.org]

Call to Artists
DISTRIBUT Arts is pleased to announce "Night and Day" a juried exhibition that challenges the artist to contrast "opposites" in the same piece. It could be the juxtaposition of light and dark or good and evil. Maybe war and peace or shadow and saturation.

Entries must be received by end of day December 31.

For details please visit https://DistrictArts.com/Exhibitions
(Prospectus and application link available on 11/1/19.)

15 N. Market St
Frederick, MD

Concerts
The Knotwork Band

Sunday,
October 27, 2019
3:00 p.m.
doors open at 2:30
Calvary United Methodist Church
131 West Second Street
Frederick, MD 21701

This concert is free and open to the public!

Come and hear wonderful Celtic folk music from Ireland, Scotland, England, and Brittany, including traditional songs as well as The Knotwork Band's own original compositions. Enjoy a wide spectrum of musical styles and instruments, including mandolin, bodhran, flute, bones, vocals and more in an entertaining and energetic performance.

Visit www.calvaryumc.org/concerts for information on these upcoming events:

Sunday, January 5, 2020, Lux Choir
Sunday, January 19, 2020, Brian Ganz, pianist
Sunday, March 15, 2020, Meraki, clarinet and piano duo
Sunday, April 26, 2020, Michael Alcock, pianist

calvaryumc.org/concerts
The Choral Arts Society of Frederick Presents
"Holidays of Light and Love"
Friday, December 6, 2019, at 7:30 p.m.
One night only! Get tickets online at:
https://www.showtix4u.com/event-details/34795

Theater
The Doo Wop Project  
FRI OCTOBER 25, 2019 | 8:00 PM

Authentic sound and vocal excellence that recreates and reimagines some of the greatest music in American pop and rock history. [Learn more](#)

The G. Frank Thomas Foundation presents  
The Hunchback of Notre Dame (1923)  
SUN OCTOBER 27, 2019 | 3:00 PM

A silent film accompanied by the mighty Wurlitzer organ! [Learn more](#)

Flying Dog Film Series presents  
Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas (1998)  
WED OCTOBER 30, 2019 | 7:30 PM

Happy Hour begins at 6:30 PM! [Learn more](#)

Steep Canyon Rangers  
FRI NOVEMBER 1, 2019 | 8:00 PM

Come on an ongoing creative journey and enjoy the spirited, eclectic approach, bending and shaping bluegrass music to create something uniquely original. [Learn more](#)

Wonder Book & Video  
The Marx Brothers DOUBLE FEATURE  
SUN NOVEMBER 3, 2019 | 2:00 PM

A brand new film series this season! [Learn more](#)

The Tivoli Society  
Kittel & Co.  
THU NOVEMBER 7, 2019 | 7:30 PM

This contemporary string trio inhabits the space between classical and acoustic roots, Celtic and bluegrass aesthetics and folk and jazz sensibilities. [Learn more](#)
Russian Ballet Theatre presents

**SWAN LAKE**

**FRI NOVEMBER 8, 2019 | 8:00 PM**

Russian Ballet Theatre's new production bestows the splendor of tradition with new magical trimmings!  Learn more

[weinbergcenter.org](http://weinbergcenter.org)
marylandensemble.org

Celebrating Susan Thornton’s Tenth Anniversary

ROALD DAHL’S
MATILDA
THE MUSICAL

Book by DENNIS KELLY  Music and Lyrics by TIM MINCHIN

OCT 25, 26
NOV 1, 2, 8, 9
at 8:00 p.m.

OCT 27
NOV 3, 9
at 2:00 p.m.

Pre-show dinner on Oct. 26
Pre-show brunch on Oct. 27
Catered by Renaissance Chef Catering Co.

other voices Theatre
301-662-3722
othervoicestheatre.org
244 South Jefferson St. Frederick, MD

othervoicestheatre.org
Free Range Humans presents

JEKYLL & HYDE
an immersive musical thriller
October 18th-November 3rd

Explore the battle between good and evil as we travel through a lush score, thrilling story, and gorgeous immersive venue with a 90-minute JEKYLL & HYDE musical experience.

Audience will follow the action through our labyrinthine venue, giving you an experience both intimate and epic, with the same quality you've come to expect from Free Range Humans.

Will you drink the potion?

TICKETS:  https://www.eventbrite.com/e/jekyll-hyde-an-immersive-musical-thriller-tickets-69679241487

JEKYLL & HYDE has mesmerized audiences the world over with its pop rock hits from multi-Grammy- and Tony-nominated Frank Wildhorn and double-Oscar- and Grammy-winning Leslie Bricusse. In this new production, the audience follows the action from room to room through an immersive environment of thrilling intensity. Based on the classic story by Robert Louis Stevenson, a devoted man of science, Dr. Henry Jekyll is driven to find a chemical breakthrough that can solve some of mankind's most challenging medical dilemmas. Rebuffed by the powers that be, he decides to make himself the subject of his own experimental treatments, accidentally unleashing his inner demons along with the man that the world would come to know as Mr. Hyde.

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Visual Art Exhibits
OCTOBER 2019  EXHIBITIONS • PROGRAMS • WORKSHOPS

FIRST SATURDAY, OCT 5
Art Matters: Artist Talk | 2 pm | FREE
Exhibiting artist Judy Kripich breaks down the Emotional Constructs of the improvisational quilting employed to create her large-scale fiber works
Exhibitions Reception | 3-5 pm | FREE
See new exhibitions and meet the artists
Creative Outlet Drop-In Art Activities | 3-5 pm | $2 per artist
Celebrate the art of Roy Lichtenstein by creating Ben Day dots
ARTOBUS | Fri. OCT 11 • 8 am-5 pm
Join us on a guided tour bus trip to the Smithsonian's contemporary art museum for a tour of Manifesto: Art x Agency.
$55 ($45 members)

STARTING POINTS
Elements of Art with Virginia Warwick
Learn color theory, perspective, composition, and perception.
OCT 12 – OCT 26 (3 Saturdays) • 10 am-12:30 pm | $115 ($90 members)

WORKSHOPS
Macrame 101 with Joh Ricci
Sat. OCT 12 • 11 am-3:30 pm | $95 ($70 members)
Working from a Model with Paul Wilson
OCT 1 – OCT 22 (6 Tuesdays) • 6-8:30 pm | $155 ($130 member)

PROGRAM DETAILS & MORE CLASSES AT DEPLAINE.ORG

40 South Carroll Street | Mon-Sat 9 am-5 pm, Sun 11 am-5 pm | 301-698-0656
info@delaplaine.org | delaplaine.org
DISTRICT Arts Presents

October 4 - October 27
Opening Reception October 4
6-8 p.m.

15 N. Market St | Frederick, MD
DISTRIBUT Arts Presents

FUSION
The Joining of "Things"
A Juried Exhibition

November 1 - December 1

15 N MARKET ST | FREDERICK, MD

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2 | 5-7 P.M.

districtarts.com

TAG/The Artists Gallery

Patricia Stockman
Sarah Higgins
New works by two long time members of TAG/The Artists Gallery are the focus of the October exhibition. Sarah Higgins and Tricia Stockman bring their individual perspectives to abstract painting and photography, respectively.

TAG will also have a show of new work by other members of the gallery. The exhibition runs from Friday, October 4 through Sunday, October 27. Opening reception for the artists is Saturday, October 5, from 5 to 9pm.

TAG is the premier art gallery at 216 N. Market in the heart of Frederick's downtown district. theartistsgalleryfrederick.com

TAG is open Friday-Saturday noon to 9 pm, and Sunday noon to 5pm
216 N. Market Street, Frederick

This is the last weekend to see Homer Yost’s amazing solo show! Do stop by for the closing reception on Sunday, October 27 from 2 to 6, or sometime during the weekend that works better for you...

And come back for the First Saturday Opening Reception for our next Group Show, “Small Works” on November 2...this will be a chance to collect a great piece from one of our artists, or to get a start on holiday shopping and buy a very special gift!

The show will run from November 1 to December 1.

Michael Douglas Jones, Jan Kaufman, Linda Kirvan, Ann Schaefer,
Anne Gibson Snyder, Roberta Staat, Russ Schofield, and Homer Yost.

www.Gallery 322.com

gallery322.com
October 4-27, 2019
NOMA presents two artists:

Andrea McCluskey
LIMINAL SPACES

Occupying a position at or on both sides of a boundary or threshold. Mixed media new works.
MIND'S EYE

A visual diary of 2019 and some change. iPhone photos.

November Exhibition
Jason Mills GREY MATTER (top image): The Grey Matter series was created as a reaction to the polarization of our society. It seems that we are living in a world of extremes, or maybe we always have and I'm just starting to awaken. This series is really me as an artist trying to start or have the conversation of how to possibly remedy this situation. Do I have the answers?... NO, but I do feel that if we can reprogram our brains to look for commonality instead of differences we could possibly make steps into a new direction. This is my attempt at a transformation from polarizing forces of light and dark to a grey area of commonality. I know, Grey is not very exciting but what if we could make that grey area more dynamic and exciting than the extremes. From this I looked into Grey Matter in the brain and found out there are also pinks and yellows in the tissue. This is why you only see Black, White, Grey, Pink and Yellow with the occasional Purple dot. My goal is not to rid the surface of opposition because they play an important role but making sure that is not all there is. Any kind of transformation is a little rough in the first stages but as we acclimate the hard edges start to soften. Or at least that's what I'm striving for.

Lisa Sheirer's "The Big Woo" (bottom image "The Big Woo #1): is a new series based upon the mysteries of nature. Is the still life really still or it merely dormant? Maybe the still life is transitioning into a new life form? Does decay emit the same level of energy as the new life? Woo? Science? Both? These large works (144” x 60” max) each examine the meditative, but active space surrounding recognizable floral living beings. The energy lined color fields are also filled with life. By increasing the size of the wilted flower, making it human scale, the viewer is forced into the flower's life space. The process begins with photography or scanning of a flower. The photograph (bitmap) is then vectorized to become organic shapes of color, as opposed to square
pixels. The organic shapes can then be changed, filled with color, and these shapes can also become lines. The lines of these shapes have been repeated and colorized to represent energy.
GWC Gallery
Two floors of Fine Art, Photography and Crafts

Location: 328 East Patrick Street, Frederick MD 21701
Hours: Tuesday through Saturday – 10:00 am to 5:00 pm
Tel: 301-639-6657
Email: condon@msn.com
Website: gwc-artwork.com

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The Blanche Ames Gallery
“Now and Then”
by Christina Lund

“Still Life”
“Dinner Party”

“Sunny Day at Kiparoo”

Show opens Sunday, November 3
with a reception 12:30-2:00 p.m.
Call 301-473-7680 for gallery hours.
GALLERY LOCATED 4880 ELMER DERR ROAD, FREDERICK
Show closes Sunday, November 24.
New Art Classes taught by Homer Yost at the Griffin Art Center
437 N. Market St. Frederick, MD 21701
Contact Homer Yost at 301-524-1834 or homeryost@comcast.net
To see his work, go to www.HomerYost.com

- **Figure Drawing** -- Fridays – 10 am – 1 pm – 6 classes -- $240
  October 11 – November 15
- **Animal Sculpture Workshop** -- 10 am – 1 pm -- $55
  Saturday, November 9
- **Figure Sculpture Workshop** -- 10 – 5 pm -- $215
  Sat & Sun, November 16 & 17 – 10 am – 5 pm

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WALT BARTMAN'S
Goldfinch Studio
FALL CLASSES
NOW ENROLLING
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Study with this internationally known Middletown artist at his Goldfinch Studio. Walt Bartman has been teaching painting for over forty years. He has taught thousands of students to love painting. Among his students are nationally known museum curators, painters, photographers, sculptors, and animators. He was featured on CBS Sunday Morning with Charles Osgood for his outstanding reputation as a teacher. He is founder of the Yellow Barn Studio in Glen Echo, Maryland. To view his work, visit walterbartman.com

Frederick Landscape Painting $295
Middletown, Maryland (1 hour from Bethesda)
Tu, 9:30am-12:30pm
September 23 - November 25

Cow Painting Workshop in Middletown Valley $215
Sa, Su, 10am-4pm,
11/8-11/10

Enroll: Send a check payable to Walt Bartman
7215 Mountain Church Rd., Middletown, Maryland

Info: alex.bartman@outlook.com. Phone: 240-626-4981

walterbartman.com

FIGURE DRAWING
in Downtown Frederick

Develop, practice and improve your figure drawing skills.
Held weekly at the Griffin Art Center, 437 N. Market St.
(The sign out front says Noma Gallery, the studio is located a few rooms behind the gallery. Enter through the front if it's open or around on the 5th Street side through the door marked 4W)

Fridays, 6-9 pm  $15
Mostly nudes, occasional costume. Different professional model every week. Bring your supplies (pencil, paper, paints, charcoal, pastels, tablet, wine, etc. We have easels.)

Run by artists, for artists
Moderated by Gnarly Arty: gnarlyarty@gmail.com  240-529-7814
on Facebook at Frederick Figure Drawing, natch!
Engage with Frederick's remarkable arts community -- become a Frederick Arts Council member today!
Click to learn more.

How to submit to the newsletter: Members, please send your information and/or graphics to info@frederickartscouncil.org by Monday of the week the next issue is scheduled to come out. Please include "Newsletter submission" in the subject line. Do not reply to the newsletter. This helps ensure that we are able to clearly identify and mark your information for inclusion in the next issue. Thank you!

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