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Welcome to ArtLink

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.](#)

Frederick Arts Council Announces FY22 Community Arts Development (CAD) Grantees

The Frederick Arts Council would like to congratulate the following organizations, who have been awarded Community Arts Development grant funding for FY22.
Thank you for providing wonderful arts programming to our community.

**Endangered Species (Theatre) Project
Frederick Book Arts Center
Frederick Regional Youth Orchestra
Frederick Symphony Orchestra
Maryland Ensemble Theatre
Maryland Wind Music
Other Voices Theatre
Spires Brass Band
The Clustered Spires Chorus
The Delaplaine Arts Center
The Frederick Children's Chorus
The Frederick Chorale
The National String Symphonia
Weinberg Center for the Arts
Emmitsburg Community Chorus
Downtown Frederick Partnership
Calvary United Methodist Church**

FAC's Sky Stage Receives 2021 Sustainability Award from Frederick County



The Frederick Arts Council's Sky Stage was recognized for its environmentally friendly design and practices by the Frederick County Sustainability Commission with a 2021 Sustainability Award in the category of nonprofit.

To learn more, check out the [press release](#).

Celebrate Halloween with Art & Family Fun at the Carroll Street Creative District!



Frederick's Creative District is hosting a Halloween Party on Sunday, October 31st from 1:30pm – 6:00pm! Celebrate the spooky season by dressing up and exploring the vendors, music, candy and fun to be had!

Interested in getting involved? The Creative District is still accepting artists interested in hosting craft tables and workshops during the event. Contact Andy at feinberg.alan2@gmail.com

FAC Seeking Gallery Attendant for 5 E. 2nd Street Art Center

The Frederick Arts Council is seeking a gallery attendant for the FAC Art Center located at 5 East 2nd Street.

The position pays \$15 / hour and responsibilities include general front desk duties such as greeting visitors, answering visitor questions, responding to emails and phone calls. The gallery attendant will be responsible for opening and closing the Art Center.

This is a great opportunity for someone looking for part time work and interested in getting involved in the arts in Frederick. Please contact info@frederickartscouncil.org with a statement of interest and a resume.



GET YOUR SWAG ON

Support your Frederick Arts Council by purchasing some FAC merch!
Each purchase supports artists and arts programs.

Purchase online at FrederickArtsCouncil.org and click 'shop' on the top right.
Or by stopping in at the new FAC Art Center, 5 E. 2nd St.
Items are available by shipping or via pick-up.

For questions email info@frederickartscouncil.org

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[Visit the Online Shop](#)

FAC Calendar Open to Member Event Submissions

FAC Members are invited to submit their events to the FAC website calendar.

Visit the FAC [Calendar page](#) and click "submit an event" on the right.

Use the email address associated with your membership account to begin or to reset your password.

Not a member? [Join now!](#)

Please reach out to info@frederickartscouncil.org with questions.



Professional Development Opportunities with MSAC

Maryland State Arts Council is offering a range of Professional Development opportunities through their free webinar series. Upcoming discussions include Liability with Maryland Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts on Tuesday, Nov. 2 at 2pm EST and Marketing Best Practices on Wednesday, Nov. 17th at 1pm EST.

Explore their [Eventbrite](#) to see the full list of sessions.

MSAC Seeking Program Director, Arts in Education

See here for the job description: [Program Director, Arts in Education](#)

Deadline to apply: 11/12/2021 at 4 p.m. EST



Featured Events



Upcoming Events

Saturday, October 30th @ 1 pm --[Family Concert: Mr. Jon & Friends](#)
 Saturday, October 30th @ 6 pm --[Concert: "Spooky SZN" by ATK & Friends](#)

COVID-19 protocols as regulated by state and county are in place and capacity limits may apply. Details and more events at www.skystagefrederick.com/project/calendar

[Text Link](#)

STAGE

SALSA UNDER THE STARS

3rd Wednesdays, 7-10pm

starts w/brief lesson

\$5 donation, reg w/Frederick Salsa

LITERATURE NIGHT

w/ Open Mic, 2nd Wednesdays

7:30-9:30pm | Free

YOGA

all-levels, Tuesdays, 5:30-6:30pm

sign up w/yogamour.org

\$10 donation (drop-ins if room)

SWING DANCE

1st Thursdays, June-Oct, 7-10pm

Starts w/brief lesson

Reg. @RevolutionModernDance.com

DRUM CIRCLE

SKYSTAGE

Sky Stage is a pre-Revolutionary building shell transformed into an all-ages community artspace & venue by artist Heather Clark with a team from MIT. A project of the Frederick Arts Council.

MAY-OCTOBER 2021
59 SOUTH CARROLL STREET

*For details & more events, visit us at: SkyStageFrederick.com

DRUM CIRCLE

w/ Noteable Progressions
1st Fridays, 5:30-6:30pm
Free/\$5 suggested donation

COMEDY NIGHT

Standup & Improv
Most* 4th Fridays, 7:30-9:30pm
\$5-10 Eventbrite/door

SKYPOP!

Pop-up artist & maker market
1st Saturdays, 11am-3 or 4pm

THEATER

Variable days/times* June-Sept
Shakespeare Fest, July-Aug
Tix online/door/donations

SKY STAGE PRESENTS

live bands & ensembles
varied* Fridays or Saturdays
most \$10 Eventbrite/door

Frederick Jazz Festival presents

SUMMER NIGHTS SERIES

4th Saturdays, June-July-Aug
7:15-9:30pm
\$20 Eventbrite/door; \$45 pkg.

F.A.M.E. OPEN MIC

Frederick Acoustic Music Enterprise
2nd Fridays, 7-9pm
Free, reg. w/FAME

JAZZ JAMS

w/Valley Jazz Collective
Sundays, Aug-Oct, 4-7pm,
varied host bands
\$10 door to play or listen



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10 Week Saturday Program

REHEARSAL DATES:

January 8th - March 12th
10:00 am - 2:00 pm

SHOW FILMING DATE:

Saturday, March 12th

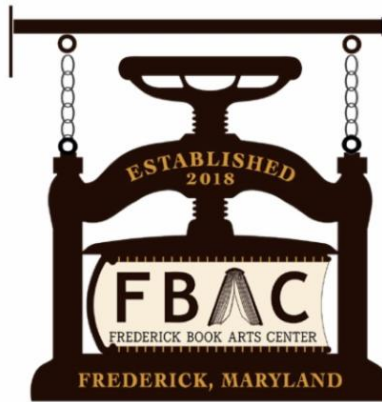
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Frederick Book Arts Center



Annual Fundraising Auction

Online From November 16-30th

Donations Requested

Please email contact@frederickbookarts.org

By October 15th

If you would like to support us with a donation of an item or gift certificate.

The Frederick Book Arts Center, Inc. is a U.S. tax-exempt 501 (c)(3) non-profit organization. Consistent with IRS guidelines, the FBAC affirms that goods or services of only insignificant value have been provided to you.

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www.frederickbookarts.org

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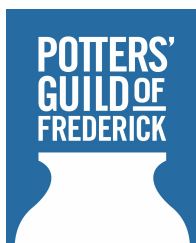
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The Potters' Guild of Frederick: Monthly Events

'Take a Turn At The Wheel'

We're back and running classes again so if you have ever wanted to make something on a potter's wheel? We are offering a fun 3-hour introductory class called "Take a Turn at the Wheel"! Clay, wheels, and tools are provided, and we'll glaze your creations with a color (from our selection of glazes) of your choice. Meet new friends in a creative environment! Sign up with friends or bring your team! Class size is limited to 4 people per class and is held on the 2nd Saturday of each month, 6-9 pm. Students must be at least 13 years old.

Classes are held at 12342 Warner Rd, Ladiesburg, MD

The Potters' Guild holds monthly General Membership meetings- Due to the current COVID-19 situation, we have postponed our [in-person](#) General meetings until further notice. As Maryland begins its phased re-opening we will notify everyone when in-person meeting will resume. Currently, meetings are being held virtually, via Zoom. If you are interested in joining us for a meeting please email us at info@pottersguildoffrederick.com to request an invite. Please visit the Potters' Guild website (www.pottersguildoffrederick.com) for details and explanation of scheduled activities.

Gallery Hours:

Thursday	11am – 5pm
Friday	11am – 5pm
Saturday	10am – 8pm
Sunday	12pm – 5pm

Horror Author recognized as **October's** Notable Maryland Author

Author: Thomas F. Monteleone

Genre: Horror

"Once you learn what good writing is, you'll never just read for pleasure again" - Thomas F. Monteleone



Thomas F. Monteleone (April 14, 1946) was born in Baltimore and raised in Sudbrook Park, Maryland. He attended Loyola Blakefield, a Jesuit high school, where he had teachers that challenged him to examine how he looked at the world philosophically. "One teacher told me," remembered Monteleone, "you can always ask the next question; don't ever take any particular answer for your final answer. This allowed me to trust my instincts when writing a story."

He was the first person in his family to go to college, earning degrees in English and Psychology from the University of Maryland, College Park. "My grandfather came over here from Sicily when he was 15, and he had a bakery in New York," said Monteleone. "My father worked Bethlehem Steel in a shipyard for 30 years. I came from one of those families."

Monteleone turned professional as a writer in 1972 when "Amazing Stories" magazine published one of his stories. His novelist career took off in 1975 with *Seeds of Change*, the lead-off title in the Laser Books line of science fiction titles. This led

to Monteleone becoming a popular writer of supernatural thrillers.

His dad is responsible for Monteleone's interest in the macabre. He read pulp fiction as a young man, pulp magazines in the '30s and '40s, and he liked watching strange movies. His dad bought him comic books when he was young, and as he says, "There was a lot of strange, interesting stuff out there." Father and son went to horror films on a regular basis.

Monteleone is an extremely versatile writer. His novels, *The Resurrectionist* and *Night of Broken Souls*, have been optioned for films. He and his wife, Elizabeth, are the editors of seven anthologies. He writes a column of opinion and entertainment, *The Mothers And Fathers Italian Association*, for "Cemetery Dance" magazine. Monteleone has written creatively for both stage and television with a script produced for American Playhouse that won a Gabriel Award. In non-fiction, he is the author of the bestselling, *The Complete Idiot's Guide to Writing a Novel*. He is also very popular with his books and stories being translated into twelve foreign languages.

marylandwriters.org

Concerts

CALVARY COMMUNITY CONCERT SERIES

presented by the Music and Arts Ministry
of Calvary United Methodist Church

Sunday, November 14, 2021 at 3:00 p.m.

doors open at 2:30

Masking is required at this event

Calvary United Methodist Church
131 West Second Street • Frederick, MD 21701

Beau Soir Ensemble



Don't miss this award-winning trio of harp, flute, and viola with Michelle Lundy, Carole Bean, and Ruth Wicker. Dedicated to classical and contemporary music, the trio will be performing two world premiers by composers Graham Lynch and Adrienne Albert.



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

Sunday, January 23, 2022
Brian Ganz, Pianist
Chopin's Musical Garden, Part II

February 20, 2022
Women's Guitar Gala

Sunday, March 6, 2022
Meraki
(piano, clarinet)

Concert dates are firm at the time of posting and rarely change, but changes or cancellations by the artist/group and/or inclement weather may happen due to circumstances beyond our control. Changes will be posted at www.calvaryumc.org/concerts.

Theater



**The Weinberg is open with COVID-19 protocols in place.
For information on upcoming events,
visit weinbergcenter.org.**



Weinberg Center and Frederick Music Productions

Frederick Jazz Festival

SAT NOVEMBER 6, 2021 | 1:00 PM

With headliner TERENCE BLANCHARD featuring THE E-COLLECTIVE and TURTLE ISLAND QUARTET. [More Info](#)



Jerrod Niemann

FRI NOVEMBER 12, 2021 | 8:00 PM

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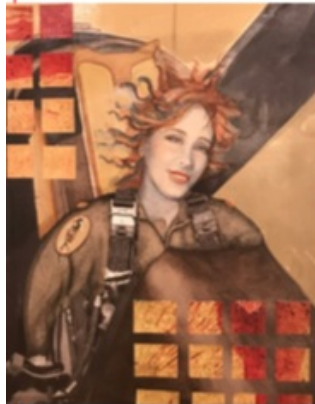


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Visual Art Exhibits

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JOHN GODINET
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Acrylic paintings
Nov 6–28



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The Craftivist
Quilted wall hangings
Nov 6–Dec 26



KIMO WILLIAMS
Faces of Vietnam
Photography
Nov 6–Dec 26

NOVEMBER 2021 EXHIBITIONS • PROGRAMS • WORKSHOPS

FIRST SATURDAY, NOV 6

Exhibition Openings | On-site & Online | FREE

Art Matters Artist Talk | 2 pm | On-Site | FREE

Exhibiting artist **Carol Williams** discusses her work during the Delaplaine's month-long focus on artists who are also U.S. veterans.

Creative Outlet | On-site | \$2 per artist

Kids can create nature prints inspired by woodcut artist **Bryan Nash Gill**.
Masks are required for all participants.

ART AT NOON:

THE UNITED STATES VETERANS' ARTISTS ALLIANCE

Friday, **Nov 12** • 12 pm | Online | FREE

Keith Jeffreys, Executive Director of the USVAA, an award-winning, multidisciplinary, non-profit arts organization founded in 2004 by military veterans and artists, will discuss the organization.

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OCTOBER
1-31, 2021

Featured Artists:

Julie Maynard

What Doesn't Kill You

Christine Stovall

Natural Selection

Opening Reception:

Sat., Oct. 2, 5 - 8 pm

Artists' Talk:

Sat., Oct. 16, 2 pm

Hours and Location

Fri. & Sat. 12-8

Sun. 12-4

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Claiming The Light
by Kesra Hoffman
October 2021

NOMA
gallery

First Saturday Opening: October 2, 5-8pm

Third Thursday Artist Talk at the gallery: October 21, 7-8pm

For years I've used gouache translucently on white watercolor paper, reveling in the luminosity glowing through thinned washes of color, and celebrating the pop of pigment when more vibrancy was needed.

But I've always known gouache is a versatile medium.

Recently I started playing with gouache on blue or tan or especially black paper, and found the effect quite compelling, even if a bit counterintuitive. Instead of feeling dark and heavy, the contrast of color seems even more brilliant.

Painting on black paper requires choosing space for the color, committing to the paint, and

claiming the light.

The duality of meaning is not lost on me and speaks to my mantra of looking up and seeking the the good, especially in the face of doubt and darkness. Every moment spent practicing this helps to quiet my heart.

This body of work is my newest exploration of my favorite medium.

— Kesra Hoffman

See the entire show [here](#).

437 N. Market Street | Friday & Saturday Noon-8pm | Sunday: Noon-4pm

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Y Art Center Launches New Artist in Residence Studio Program with Two Local Artists

KARIN BIRCH AND LISA SHEIRER BEGIN THEIR RESIDENCY ON OCTOBER 1ST for one year. THEIR FIRST OPEN STUDIO AND MICRO-GALLERY EXHIBIT will be on First Saturday November 7 pm to 9 pm

The YMCA of Frederick County, the Y Art Center, officially launches its Artist-in-Residence Studio Program on October 1 with the addition of two local artists, Karin Birch and Lisa Sheirer.

The AIR Studio Program at the Y Art Center gives residents private studio space, micro-gallery exhibit, along with marketing and professional support.

Karin Birch has been using hand embroidery and hand-stitched beadwork combined with acrylic paint as a medium for making art for 35 years. Karin Birch has exhibited nationally and internationally with works in the permanent collections of the Boston Museum of Fine Art, the Renwick Gallery in Washington DC, and the United States Embassy in Tashkent, Uzbekistan.

Lisa Sheirer is a retired art and design professor living in Frederick, Maryland. She has a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Painting and Printmaking from West Virginia University and a Master of Fine Arts degree in Sculpture from the University of Notre Dame. Ms. Sheirer has been creating artwork for over 40 years.

The Y Art Center is located at 115 East Church Street. Visitors can immerse themselves in this installation during gallery hours (Monday through Friday, 10 am-4 pm; Saturday, 10 am-1 pm; and Sunday Noon-3 pm.).



September 26th, 2021 - January 9th, 2022
Opening Reception: Saturday, November 6th, 7 pm to 9 pm

Gallery Hours: Monday through Friday, 10 am-4 pm; Saturday, 10 am-1 pm; and Sunday Noon-3 pm

Y Art Center | 115 E. Church St.

BLANCHE AMES GALLERY

Presents

"Nature: Impression to Abstract"
Barbara Kenny's 7th Solo Art Show



"Evening" Oil, 11"X14"

Show opening at UUCF

Sunday, November 7, 11:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

4880 Elmer Derr Road, Frederick

View show Tues., Wed., Thurs. Fri. mornings

Or by appointment:

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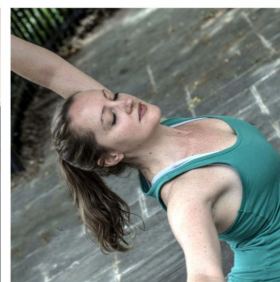
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on Facebook at Frederick Figure Drawing, natch!

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Thank you!

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