Des Moines Arts Festival®





Western Gateway Park • June 28 - 30, 2024 • www.desmoinesartsfestival.org

Friday 11 AM to 10 PM Saturday 11 AM to 10 PM Sunday 11 AM to 5 PM

Juried Art Fair presented by Nationwide featuring 197 of the nation's best artists selected from a competitive jury process · Emerging Artists Program presented by Principal® · Community Outreach Program presented by MidAmerican Energy Foundation showcasing and supporting Central lowa nonprofit organizations · The Mural Project Presented by Athene · Live music on the Hy-Vee Main Stage featuring St. Paul and The Broken Bones and The Marshall Tucker Band · BOOM ART! presented by MidAmerican Energy Company · Roots Stage featuring The Deslondes and Sunny War · Silent Rivers Design + Build VIP Club · Over 400 volunteers sponsored by Polk County Board of Supervisors · Student Art Exhibition and Visionary Artists Ceremony presented by GreenState Credit Union · Interrobang Film Festival featuring 50 films from 14 countries · Green Arts Zero-Waste Sustainability Program · Artist Demonstrations · Interactive Arts Activities featuring Prairie Meadows Spin Art · Liquid Art · Art Alley · Wearable art at two Arts Festival Shops · Wide variety of beverages from Exile Brewing Company, Gateway Market and craft beers from throughout Iowa · Eclectic food booths and food trucks

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General Information

Admission: FREE

Info: <u>desmoinesartsfestival.org</u> <u>info@desmoinesartsfestival.org</u>

Disabled Access: The Festival grounds are handicap accessible. Wheelchairs are available for checkout on a first-come, first-served bases at Volunteer HQ. located nin the papajohn Center, 1200 Grand Ave.

For a full list of options on how to reach and park at the Festival, including walking, riding your bike, taking DART, and more, visit:

desmoinesartsfestival.org/gettingthere

Handicap Parking: Designated handicap parking is located on the north side of Walnut St, between 12th St & 13th St. Parking is limited & on a first-come, first-served basis.

\$\$\$: The Arts Festival is cashless! This means that the Festival Stores (Official Festival Merchandise), and all Food & Beverage locations accept touchless pay or credit/debit card only with NO service fee

Media: Contact Colleen Murphy at cmurphy@desmoinesartsfestival.org

Volunteers

Volunteers are a vital part of the Festival every year and we could not execute an award-winning Festival of this magnitude with YOUR help. There is still time to contribute your talent to the success of the Festival by signing up today to volunteer for a variety of jobs and shifts at desmoinesartsfestival.org/volunteer
All volunteers will receive a volunteer t-shirt to wear during their shift(s), snacks provided by Natural Grocers and a free beer coupon from Exile Brewing Company (21+ only).





Policies

- Please respect the original work of the artists ask before snapping a photo.
- No outside beverages are allowed within the Des Moines Arts Festival® site. For safety reasons, glass bottles are prohibited within the Festival site. Revenue from festivalsanctioned on-site beverage sales assists the Festival in remaining an admission-free event. Proceeds also benefit our many non-profit vending partners' important community programs. Please purchase your food and beverages from one of the Festival vendors.
- Alcoholic beverages are sold within the Festival site to patrons 21 years and older presenting valid identification. State laws and regulations require that alcoholic beverages purchased at the Festival remain on-site. On-site security will ask you to dispose of any alcoholic beverages before you exit or enter.
- State law prohibits smoking inside any structure or in any seating or entertainment area on the Festival grounds. This includes vaping, e-cigarettes, and cannabis.
- Large signs and placards that may endanger or inconvenience the public attending the Festival are prohibited onsite. The Festival is not responsible for any injury resulting from this prohibition.
- Bikes are prohibited from being ridden through the Festival site or on surrounding sidewalks included in the Street Closure. Please dismount bikes, skateboards, & rollerblades upon entering the Festival site. Free bike valet is available on Locust Street, just west of 10th St. The Festival is not responsible for injury due to riding through the Festival site.
- The Festival reserves the right to decline admittance to anyone who violates the policies established for public safety or to restrict activities within the Festival site.
- All packages are subject to search.
- Be kind to your pets leave them at home when you visit the Festival. For the safety of the pets due to the heat and the number of people, pets are highly discouraged. City regulations state that seeing-eye dogs are allowed on-site. Pets are not allowed inside artist's tents.
- No firearms, weapons, or fireworks are allowed on the Festival site.
- Buskers and/or entertainers who are not contracted with the Festival are not permitted.
- The Festival is produced by a 501c3 non-profit organization. It is not a public platform for protestors, political speeches, preachers, soapbox orators, or similar presentations. The Festival reserves the right to remove any presenter who is not contracted with the Festival.
- By entering the Festival grounds, guest expressly grants Des Moines Arts Festival and its partners the right to use your image or likeness, or your child's image or likeness, in any promotional or advertising materials, or in any live or recorded transmission of the Festival.
- Assumption of Risk: By entering the Festival grounds, Guest hereby releases, waives, and forever discharges the Festival and its Directors, Officers, Employees, Volunteers, and all sponsoring organizations from any and all liability for any damage or injury, including death suffered by Guest in connection with attending and/or participating in the festival, including but not limited to damages or injury caused by the negligence of the Festival.
- We have partnered with Polk County Emergency Management to keep you and your family safe. Text DMAF to 67-283 to receive an alert containing important information about what to do if an emergency occurs within the vicinity of the Festival.

2024 Exhibiting Professional Artists

View the gallery of artists online at <u>desmoines</u>artsfestival.org/juriedartfair



The Juried Art Fair presented by Nationwide features the works of 195 professional visual artists from across the nation in a variety of medium. Invitations to artists come from a pool of over 950 applicants making Des Moines one of the nation's most competitive shows. Ten of the invited artists are award winners from 2023 and received an automatic invitation.

Su Abbott • Claudia Abderhalden • Nanasei Agyemang • Jeanne Akita • Joel Anderson • Jeribai Andrew-Jaja Dennis Angel · Andres Arango · William Armstrong · Jackson Avila · Anna and Nathanael Bailey · Stephen Baldauf • Melissa Banks • Laura Baring-Gould • Billie Barthelemy • Amanda Bennett • Lori Betz • Annie Bisone • Tom Bloyd • Michael Bose • Jenna Brownlee • Jason Brueck • Michael Bryant • Steve Cambronne Eric Candee • George Ceffalio • Mary Christian • Eric Clay • James Cole • Nichole Collins • Matt Conlon Dagmara Costello Nogalska • Justin Coursey • Tony Cray • Chris Cumbie • Chris Dahlquist • Michel Delgado Brandon DeNormandie • Chad Eames • Jeff Easley • LJ Eidolon • Ummarid Eitharong • Angelika Ejtel Jennifer Falter • Andy Fletcher • Todd K. Fox • Steve Frank • Leslie W. Friedman • Michele Friedman • Steve Germaine • Betsy Giberson • Luis Gonzalez • Blake Gore • Carol Greiwe • Chelsea & Jeremy Griffith • Richard Gruchalla & Carrin Rosetti • Chris Gug • Leslie Guinan • Oliver Hampel • Gabby and Lijah Hanley • Anthony Hansen • Shawn Harris • Thomas Harris • Scott Hartley • Diane Harty • Clifton Henri • Pam Hibbs Scott Hildebrandt • Cali Hobgood • Justin Hossle • Luke Hubbard • Erica Iman • Jennifer Ivory • Dewey James Julie Jerman-Melka & Jeffrey Melka • Nicario Jimenez • Clare Johnston • Mike Jones • Steve Jones • Mira Jung Kelly Kaatz • Wiwat Kamolpornwijit • Selma Karaca • Ronna Katz • Brian Keller • Suro Kim • Tanya Kirouac Robin Kittleson Joachim Knill · Andrew Kosten · Lynn Krause · Ryan Kvande · Lynda Ladwig · Alex Lanier · Amy Lansburg · Jennifer Lawler · Kerry Leasure · Laura Lebeda · John Leben · Bill Lepak · Linda Lewis · Karina Llergo · Ynon Mabat · Susan Mahlstedt · Ancizar Marin · Kelly Marshall · Thomas Martin Brianna Martray • Rob Matthews • Jaana Mattson • Mays Mayhew • Tom McGurrin • Igor Menaker • Jonathan and Allison Metzger • Balbina Meyer • Kipley Meyer • Michael Mikula • Kirk Miller • Mark Mohrenweiser • Dganit Moreno • Katie Musolff • Jimmy Navarro • Janvier Ngamije • Xavier Nuez • Gedion Nyanhongo • Thomas Nye · Randy O'Brien · Cindy Olmes · Susan Otterson · Lauren Pesta · Tim Peters · H.C. Porter · Mary Pow · Ed Pribyl · Nolan Prohaska · Jef Raasch · Louis Reilly · Lee Rentz · Ella Richards · Chris & Katie Robleski Jovy Rockey · Andy Rogers · Matt Roman · Marlene Rose · Betsy Rudicil · R.C. Sanford · Irena Saparnis Kristin Schillaci • Douglas and Renee Sigwarth • Annette Silkwood • Steven Skinner & Louise Belmont-Skinner · Shani Solomon · Thomas Spake · Jason Stoddart · Gregory Story · Mark Sudduth · Tom Sullivan · Julie Sutter-Blair • Ken Swanson • Scott Swezy • Sumiko Takada • Lewis Tardy • Allan Teger • Marina Terauds Craig Terry • Shawn Thomas Kristin Thorsen • Reiko Uchytil • Andrew Valdes Mosedale • Chris Vance • Alice Vander Vennen Robert Varela • David Vigo • Jeri Vitello • Karin Wagner Coron • Thomas Wargin • Robin L. Washburn • Richard Wehrs • Jon Welborn • Jeff & Angela Welti • Robin Whalan • James Whitbeck • Mick Whitcomb · Paige Whitcomb · Marisa White · Don Widmer · Brady Willette · R. Michael Wommack · Glenn Woods & Keith Herbrand • Kreg Yingst • David Zahn • Marc Zoschke & WendyBaxter-Zoschke

Iowa Artists -- Enjoy These Iowa Artists From Our Home State







Jenna Brownlee



Jeff Easley



Leslie Guinan



Luke Hubbard



Mike Jones



Jennifer Lawler



Linda Lewis





Linda Lewis Rob Matthews



Jonathan and Jimmy Navarro Allison Metzger





Lauren Pesta





Chris Vance

Emerging Iowa Artists Presented By Principal®



Discover the talents of Iowa artists as they launch their careers in the world of visual arts through the Emerging Iowa Artists (EIA) program. The program is generously underwritten by premier sponsor Principal® to provide Iowa-resident students who are currently enrolled in, or recently graduated from, a college or university the opportunity to exhibit and sell their work at one of the nation's most decorated arts festivals.

Find out more at desmoinesartsfestival.org/emergingartists

Discover these artists on Grand Ave. near 13th Street.



Lisa Ellingworth Waverly, IA Hawkeye Community College



Micah Ferin Johnston, IA **Drake University**



Carly McCoy Ankeny, IA Grand View University



Audrey Stirling Runnells, IA Iowa State University



Heath Wheeldon Pleasant Hill, IA Drake University

Emerging Artists





The Emerging Artist Program recently expanded to individuals making a new career in art at any stage of their life. The participating artists were selected through the same blind jury process that selected the professional artists for this year's Festival. The Emerging Artists are mixed with artists throughout the Juried Art Fair.



Pam Hibbs Des Moines, IA



Mira Juna Ames, IA



Betsy Rudicil Des Moines, IA



Annette Silkwood Saint Charles, MO



Robin Whalan Houston, TX

Artist Demonstrations

Professional and emerging artists share their knowledge and passion for their work throughout the weekend with demonstrations of their work. Professional artists provide insight into a variety of medium including ceramics, painting, drawing, and mixed media.

Entertainment Schedules

Hy-Vee Main Stage

Visit the Hy-Vee Main Stage for exciting performances by The 502s, Sister Hazel, the B2wins, Satsang and more. St. Paul and The Broken Bones and The Marshall Tucker Band

Roots Stage

The Roots Stage offers guests an alternative music experience in a laid-back, backyard style setting and features Americana musicians like The Deslondes and Sunny War.

Friday, June 28:

5 p.m. Sharane Calister & The Feel Right

6:45 p.m. Halfloves

8:30 p.m. St. Paul & The Broken Bones

Friday, June 28:

5 p.m. Chip Albright 6:30 p.m. Weary Ramblers 8 p.m. The Deslondes

Saturday, June 29:

12:30 p.m. Mia Prosperi 2 p.m. Emmett Phillips Community Showcase

3:30 p.m. Anderson Coates

5 p.m. Soultru

6:30 p.m. The Bird Hunters

8 p.m. Sunny War

Sunday, June 30:

11:30 a.m. All-State Art Team
Recognition Ceremony
1:15 p.m. Cedar County Cobras
3 p.m. Community Youth Showcase









Saturday, June 29: 11:30 a.m. Student Art

11:30 a.m. Student Art Exhibition: Visionary Arts
Ceremony (Grades K - 4)

Ceremony (Grades K – 4)

12:30 p.m. Des Moines Playhouse: School of

Rock

1:15 p.m. Student Art Exhibition: Visionary Arts

Ceremony (Grades 5 – 12)

2 p.m. 28 Days Later 3:30 p.m. Some Friends 5 p.m. Allegra Hernandez 6:45 p.m. Brother Trucker

8:30 p.m. The Marshall Tucker Band

Sunday, June 3<u>0:</u>

11:30 a.m. Des Moines Young Artists' Theatre 1:30 p.m. Love & Co. Drag Show

3 p.m. Luke Fox & the Mangled Roots

Find out more at desmoinesartsfestival.org/2024livemusic



FILM FESTIVAL

The Interrobang Film Festival combines a traditional film production festival with a public screening. 50 films from fourteen countries will be screened over the three days of the Festival inside the air-conditioned Central Library.

It's For You: Ephemeral Art & The Death of the Public Phone, USA Cocoon, Iran Game Over, Turkey The Bamboo Dialogues, Qatar Parts & Pieces, USA Traces of Rocco, Italy Pitage, Iran 11:53, Germany How Do You Ask Consent of a Microbe?, United States Heart Sister, USA

Social Media Monster, USA The Serena Variations. USA Ballet, Russian Federation Lily's Turn, France Orbital, Iran Love and Irony, USA One Day Without Him, Ukraine Fishpaste, USA Electra Wasp, USA Running To Remember, USA Layaway, USA Dwight in Denmark Call Them Athletes, USA Symphonic Distress, Canada Twilight Garden Opaque Ocean, Germany Resurrection Under the Ocean, Turkey Lady Revel - Jeanette, USA Chasing Greatness: Wresting Life, USA Life With a Flower, United States

Painting, China Paper Plates, USA The Satchel, USA The Dream I've Never Had. Iran Never Not Yours, USA Gangs of Kazan, Russian Federation Hunky Dory, USA Feedback Loop, USA Dokra Keu Bojhey Na, India Crossroads, USA Two Men One Pool, Slovakia Somewhere to Stay, Iran Inheritance, USA Savant, USA Skulk, United Kingdom The Meaning of a Ritual, Germany The RAGBRAI Documentary, USA Crossed in the Dust, USA An Open Door – Temple Grandin, USA In the Silence, USA

Student Art Exhibition

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GreenState Credit Union and Des Moines Arts Festival® are proud to host the Student Art Exhibition. The program spotlights the creativity of children attending K-12 schools in central lowa. Students' artistic achievements will be on display at the Festival, June 28 - 30, at the corner of 13th Street and Locust Street.

All Student Art Exhibition participants and their families and teachers are invited to the Visionary Artist Ceremony on Saturday, June 29 on the Hy-Vee Main Stage. The ceremony is divided into two sessions by grade. The ceremony for students in Kindergarten through 4th grade will begin at 11:30 a.m. The ceremony for students in 5th through 12th grade will begin at 1:15 p.m. During each session, student artists will be called on stage to receive a medallion of appreciation in recognition for their artistic efforts.

Find out more at desmoinesartsfestival.org/sae

The Mural Project presented By ATHENE



The Mural Project presented by Athene is a giant interactive art experience where Festival guests contribute to the creation of a large mural over the three days of the Festival. Guests entering the art activity area will receive one small square image of the original painting, a blank panel, and the opportunity to transfer their interpretation of the small square onto the larger. When finished, the panels are affixed into a billboard-sized frame, piece by piece.

The Mural Project is a collaboration with ArtForce Iowa and youth in Des Moines Public Schools and the Latinos in Action programs at East High School and Roosevelt High School. The project will produce two murals collectively called Together We Flourish. "Day" and "Night" are original artworks created by Emma Parker showing flowers of each heritage and ethnicity represented in these schools, along with the youth-centered values reflecting hope, unity, inclusivity, and place. The best part is that once the murals are completed by our community at the Festival, they will be permanently installed at East High School and at Roosevelt High School, forever symbolizing the connection of youth between the two schools.

Come join our partner Athene and their amazing crew of volunteers to create the Festival's newest mural project.



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Calling all doodlers! One of the festival's don't-miss activities is the at the popular BOOM Art! Interactive mural project sponsored by MidAmerican Energy Company, which offers festival quests (including kids AND kids at heart) the chance to contribute to an enormous coloring-book styled mural; as each 10-foot section comes to live, the mural is hoisted up to 30 feet in the air by MidAmerican's zero-emission/all-electric bucket trucks. Markers provided, no skills required, and don't be surprised if MidAmerican mascots Sniffie the Sniffasauras and Louie the Lightning Bug drop by to join the fun.

Spin Art

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Kids of all ages can join Prairie Meadows and the Altoona Lions Club to create colorful Spin Art. The fun activities just uses paint and a rotating canvas.







Community Outreach Program presented by



The Des Moines Arts Festival® and MidAmerican Energy Foundation, team up to present the Community Outreach Program. This award-winning program offers nonprofit organizations the opportunity to participate on-site and share their mission and programming to thousands of guests free of charge. In exchange for the free booth space, each organization provides an interactive arts-related activity for guests.

8th & College Connections Blank Park Zoo Creative Habitat Des Moines Choral Society

Dorothy's House

Ellipsis

Horizon Science Academy

Iowa Artists

Iowa Bird Rehabilitation Iowa Donor Network

IRIS

Postpartum Support International-

Iowa Chapter

Prevent Child Abuse Iowa

Pulse 101.7FM

Raising Readers in the Heartland

Science Center of Iowa Spina Bifida Association of Iowa St. Vincent de Paul of Des Moines Urban Dreams YSS (Youth Opportunity Center)

Find out more at desmoinesartsfestival.org/cop







Interactive Activities

- Create seed balls made of organic clay with native lowa prairie seeds that can be planted to create more habitat for Iowa pollinators.
- Turn an old CD into a beautiful suncatcher.
- Participate in a shaded drawing activity using different utensils for coloring.
- Create a sketchbook by customizing a cover and binding its pages.
- Make an elf hat.
- Share what's important to you on an interactive sticky note wall.
- Create a paper tube owl while learning all about owls and other birds.
- Use craft sticks to create a collage frame.
- Turn your thumbprint into art! print.
- Write your name in Braille with puffy paint.

- Create your own origami.
- Add your personal touch to a community art piece.
- Perform in a virtual chorus!
- Children and families sing a song and it'll be recorded live. At the end of the Festival, the recording will be fashioned into a virtual choir piece that will live on indefinitely.
- Make a pause bracelets using three green beads to represent an ellipsis, as a reminder to pause and center yourself.
- Construct a heart-shaped bookmark using recycled books and beads.
- Design a character from the book.
- Transform coffee filters, pipe cleaners, paper plates, or popsicles into a beautiful butterfly, a hot-air balloon, or a cheery flower.
- Explore the properties of light by making a solar

Find out more at desmoinesartsfestival.org/interactive



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Your patronage helps to ensure this globally-recognized Festival remains free to attend and continues to offer rich programming that makes it the best in the world. Your contribution today is a sign you value lowa's arts and culture. And to say thanks for your tax-deductible contribution, we'd like to treat you like a VIP. Some benefits you will receive by becoming a Patron include exclusive access to the Silent Rivers VIP Club, complimentary beverages and food, air-conditioned bathroom facilities,

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There's a new beverage destination for the 2024 Des Moines Arts Festival presented by Nationwide - Liquid Art. It will feature a menu with handcrafted mocktails, cocktails and specialty beers.

The Menu Features

Mocktails: Blackberry Spritz, Painkiller, C'old Fashioned

Cocktails: Dogpatch Elderberry Mule, DMAF Ice Water, and Tequila Sun Dog

Spirits: Four Roses Bourbon, Revelton Gin, Capitan Morgan Rum, Teremana Tequila and Wheatly Vodka

Mixers: Coca-Cola, Diet Coke, Sprite, Lemonade, Club Soda and Tonic Water

Craft Beer: 3 Floyds Gumballhead, American Wheat Ale, Krebs Brewing Rainbow Sherbet Sour, Redeberger Clausthaler Grapefruit (NA), Sierra Nevada Hop Splash (NA), Warpig Foggy Geezer Hazy IPA





Habitat for Humanity

Habitat for Humanity will be building a house during the 2024 Des Moines Arts Festival presented by Nationwide. This will be the 7th time the Festival has hosted a Blitz Build.

Construction begins on the morning of Friday, June 28, and will continue throughout the weekend. The Habitat for Humanity volunteers will build the entire exterior of the home and the interior framing. Once the house is moved to its permanent location, volunteers will add the electrical, plumbing, drywall, and interior features.

Festival guests may walk through the home on Sunday, June 30 after a ceremony at Noon.