



**December 4 – Christmas with John Berry: The Silver Anniversary Tour**

7:30 p.m. Main Stage. Tickets \$50.00

John Berry is known for his seasonal fan favorite holiday performances which are filled with traditional Christmas songs, including his incredible version of "O Holy Night," many of his most requested hit songs, and a few of his childhood stories sprinkled in. "I cannot express the gratitude in my heart enough to be able to share this seasonal tour with fans for 25 years. With Covid-19 crippling the touring industry this past year, it has given me even more reasons to want to share God's most precious gift, Jesus, with audiences through Christmas music along with my hit songs,"

shares John Berry. Concert tickets are \$50 each, reserved seating. Doors open for seating at 7:00 p.m. The "Meet and Greet" tickets are \$25 and do not include admission to the concert. The "Meet and Greet" is from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.



**December 7 – A Backtrack Vocals Christmas**

7:30 p.m. Main Stage.

Tickets \$20.00 Adults \$10.00 Children 18 and under.

Backtrack is a 5-person pop vocal group based in New York City. Their exciting arrangements are infused with heart and humor and will transform all of your favorite Christmas songs while showcasing the top-notch vocal abilities of each member of the group. Backtrack got its start on YouTube, where the group now has over 11 million views

and 111,000 subscribers! They've appeared on PopTV & Scary Mommy's "Lullaby League" hosted by Parks and Recreation star, Jim O'Heir, Steve Harvey's daytime show, STEVE!, Broadway's Kinky Boots and they won New York's Got Talent Season 6.

**December 18 – Winter Fables**

3:00 p.m. Black Box. Tickets \$5.00

Winter Fables is an imaginative show that features some of winter's most well-known tales and lessons. Join the Ant as he prepares for winter, the Grasshopper who doesn't, the brave Lion, the crafty mouse and more in this seasonal adventure for young audiences. Bright Star Theater specializes in small productions of classic tales that tour around the United States year-round. This show will consist of two cast members and is ideal for pre-kindergarten through sixth grade audiences.



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Enjoy a selection of illustrations by west Michigan artist illustrators and browse many books written by area authors featuring local artists! In the Jansma Gallery at NCCA-Artsplace. Find out what it takes to become an illustrator!

NCCA-ARTSPLACE FALL PHOTO COMPETITION

Deadline: Wednesday, October 13, 2021 – 5:00 p.m.  
Eligibility: Open to anyone, photo must have a fall theme.  
Awards will be announced by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 15 at www.ncca-artsplace.org and Facebook @NCCAartsplace.

Photographs exhibited in the Corridor Gallery, October 15 - November 6.



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Dogwood Center for Performing Arts: Upcoming Events

September 2  
The Rough & Tumble

7:30 p.m.  
Black Box.

Tickets \$15.00.

From their upbeat, commanding stage presence and sharp banter to their heartstring lyrics, this dumpster-folk/thriftstore Americana duo has been writing and performing together since 2007. Mallory Graham and Scott Tyler inevitably formed The Rough & Tumble in 2011 as the friends turned into bandmates. Their new record follows on the 2019 release "Howling Back at the Wounded Dog." The opening track "The Hardest Part" won the Independent Music Award's Best Americana Song of 2019.

September 18  
Kristina Koller: Jazz Quartet

7:30 p.m.  
Black Box.  
Tickets \$15.00

Jazz artist Kristina Koller will be presenting her unique musical arrangements of one of her all time favorite Great American Songbook composers, Cole Porter. Ranging from his well known compositions such as "I've Got You Under My Skin" and "Just One of Those Things"



to a repertoire of never recorded tunes. Porter was known for his bold choices. What better way to honor his boldness with arrangements that bring out the music in a new, contemporary way. The quartet will include Fima Chupakhin on piano, James Robbins on bass and Juan Chiavassa on drums. This performance is made possible with the support of Jazz Road, a national initiative of South Arts, which is funded by the Doris Duke Charitable Foundation with additional support from The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation.



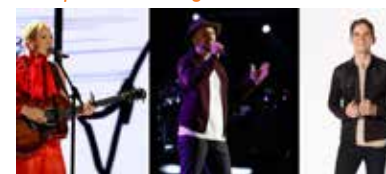
October 8 - Sarah Potenza

7:30 p.m. Black Box. Tickets \$20.00

"I work for me," Potenza declares at the beginning of *Road to Rome*, kicking off her second solo album, a record of self-empowered R&B, swaggering soul, and contemporary blues. Filled with messages of self-worth, determination, and drive, *Road to Rome* shines new light on a songwriter whose career includes multiple albums, a game-changing appearance on *The Voice*, and an acclaimed solo debut titled *Monster*. "Potenza is to the blues what Adele is to pop: a colossal-voiced singer who merges her old-school influences with a modernistic sound," *Rolling Stone*.

November 12 – Alex, Max and Cali from The Voice Season 17

7:30 p.m. Main Stage. Tickets \$20.00



All three top 16 contestants from Season 17 of *The Voice* will be performing a one of a kind acoustic set on the Dogwood Center's Main Stage! Alex Guthrie is a singer-songwriter based in Atlanta who infuses different genres including soul, folk and rock into his songs, with brilliant lyrics and an expressive voice. Max Boyle is an empathetic writer, charismatic vocalist, and talented instrumentalist. The Toledo, Ohio-born singer-songwriter encompasses folk grandiosity and pop-soul genres. Hailing from Nashville, Tennessee, Cali Wilson's appreciation of and passion for all genres of music is evident in her powerful, pure and expressive voice.

Saturday, November 27  
Braunschweiger Blues Band

7:30 p.m. Black Box. Tickets \$12.50.

Join us for a great night! Band members include: John Chandonnet on drums and vocals; Todd Juengel on guitar, keyboard and vocals; Wade Perkins on horns, keyboard and vocals; Randy Seabolt on bass and vocals; Doug Harmon on guitar and vocals; Angie Burgess and Lola Harmon-Ramsey on vocals; and Cousin Richie on vocals.

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# INSPIRE!

## ART CLASSES FOR TEENS

These classes are funded in part by a grant from the FAFY Youth Advisory Committee.

3:45-5:00 p.m. • Ages 12-18 • Class Fee \$10

### Tuesdays, September 21&28

#### Sublimation T-Shirt Design

Use composition, contrast, color and creativity to design a T-shirt that will be scanned and sublimation printed on day 2 at The Original Print Shop.



### Tuesday, October 5

#### Clay Leaf Bowl Sculpture

Participants will hand build a leaf slump bowl using imprinting, slab rolling and slumping techniques. Kiln fired project can be picked up after October 11 and stained or glazed in your own time.



### Tuesday, October 19

#### Faux Painting Potions Bottles

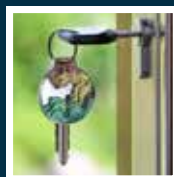
Using acrylic paints, mica powders, aged labels, hot glue, findings and more students will create faux potions bottles for festive display.



### Tuesday, November 2

#### Epoxy Casting Using Molds

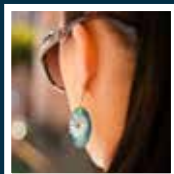
Epoxy is a fun new medium that combined with original artwork, found objects, tint and more can be cast into silicone molds to create fun earring, key-chain or necklace pendants.



### Tuesday, November 16

#### Metal Etched Pendant

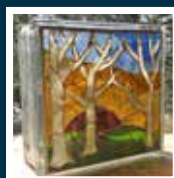
Using copper, resist, stamps, pens and more, students will create an original design then etch it in acid and add a finished patina.



### Tuesday, December 7 & 14

#### Glass Mosaic Block

Using glass on glass techniques students will mosaic over a glass block that can be used for decoration.



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To sign up for these and other exciting classes contact NCCA-Artsplace, 231-924-4022 or stop in at 13 E. Main Street, Fremont. Pre-registration required.

## YOUTH ART CLASSES

### Clay Iguana with Kris Vredeveld

Tuesday, September 14 4:00-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 9-11 \$10

What's more fun than using clay to form an interesting iguana! Students will learn basic clay building techniques while creating a unique sculpture. \*Students should plan on returning to the NCCA-Artsplace on their own time to glaze their pieces.



### Explosion Book with Kris Vredeveld

Saturday, October 9 11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.  
Ages 9-11 Class Fee: \$10

Come and explore a variety of art techniques that will be used to create a folded book that will surprise you.



### Building a 3D Art Gallery with Donna Knuver

Saturday, October 30 11:00 a.m. -1:00 p.m.  
Ages 9-11 \$10

Using foam board, students will construct a miniature art gallery which will include their own choice of art pieces.



### Clay Nativity with Kris Vredeveld

Thur, October 21, 28, Nov 4 4:00-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 9-11 \$30 (\$25 Members)

Students will use clay to form their own nativity set which will include at least six figures. The first two classes will be spent forming the figures. On the last day students will select one color and glaze all their pieces. This will become a family keepsake. \*Available for pick up after firing.



### Owl Art with Donna Knuver

Saturday, September 25 11:00 a.m. -12:30 p.m.  
Ages 6-8 \$7

Explore line and color in this mixed media artwork using markers and watercolors.



### Clay Animal Tile with Kris Vredeveld

Tuesday, September 28 4:00-5:30 p.m.  
Ages 6-8 \$7

Capture your favorite animal in clay on a sculpted 6" x 6" tile. \*Students must return to pick up pieces after they are fired.



### Color Wheel Turtle with Kris Vredeveld

Saturday, November 6 11:00 a.m. -12:30 p.m.  
Ages 6-8 \$7

In this class students will be introduced to the basic color wheel by using oil pastels and watercolors students to create a sea turtle.



### Leaving Your Mark - Mini Canvas Painting

Saturday, September 11 11:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.  
Ages 4-5 \$7

In this class students will paint a colorful canvas and seal it with their own handprint. \*Bring a paint shirt.



### Painted Pumpkin Landscape with Donna Knuver

Saturday, October 16 11:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m.  
Ages 4-5 \$7

Celebrate the season with a painted pumpkin landscape. \*Students need to know how to cut with scissors.



## ADULT ART CLASSES

### Printmaking Quilt Design with Kris Vredeveld

Thurs., Sept. 30 6:00-8:30 p.m.  
Ages 16+ \$35 (\$30 Members)

Learn the process of linoleum printmaking while creating a nine patch quilt design. This is a colorful, rewarding art medium that is a favorite of many art instructors.



### Painting with Jane Stroschin

Wed., Oct. 6 3:00-5:00 p.m.  
Ages 16+ \$55 (\$50 Members)

Enjoy painting beautiful pastoral scenes in acrylics with artist Jane Stroschin. All materials and 11 x 14 canvas provided!



### Glass On Glass Mosaic with Deb Emerick

Tues., Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26 6:00-8:00 p.m.  
Ages 16-Adult Class Fee: \$100 (\$90 Members)

Come and join experienced instructor Deb Emerick as she teaches the glass on glass mosaic process using stained glass and other materials. Deb will guide you through the process of designing your panel and then implementing your design using glass cutting and mosaic skills. Projects will be approximately 16"x20" on a framed glass panel.



### Clay Slab and Slump with Lindsay Isenhardt

Mon., Oct. 11 6:30-8:30 p.m. and  
Mon., Oct. 18 7:00-8:00 p.m.  
Ages 16+ \$50 (\$45 Members)

Build a slab leaf box and slump small dishes in this hand building, texture focused class. Day one will be building, day two will be glazing.



### Epoxy Stone Trivet with Jo Hoersten

Thur., Oct. 14 6:00-7:30 p.m.  
Ages 16+ \$45 (\$40 Members)

Learn all about the process, materials and molds to cast in epoxy resin. Use your own stones (3/8 inch or thinner) or use ours to create a rock-hound keepsake epoxy resin trivet.



### Intergenerational Class: Mixed Media Landscape with Kris Vredeveld

Thurs., Oct. 7 4:00-6:00 p.m. \$12 per Person  
Younger participants should be able to handle scissors, paintbrushes and glue.

In this class each student will be creating a mixed media landscape art piece on a 6" x 6" square of wood using sculpture and collage techniques. Choose from a variety of interesting materials. The finished pieces will be coated with resin and can be picked up the following week. This class is designed for adults and children, select some of your favorite children and take this class together.

### Fused Glass Ornaments

Tues., Nov. 2 6:00-8:00 p.m. OR  
Fri., Nov. 5 10:30 a.m.-12:30 pm. OR  
Wed., Nov. 10 6:00-8:00 p.m.  
Ages 16+ \$45 (Members \$40)

A great introduction to glass fusing. Using glass cutting tools and techniques students will use a wide selection of fusible glass to create two fused glass ornaments. Three dates to choose from!



### Matting & Framing

Thur., Nov. 4 & 11 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.  
Ages 16+ \$75 (\$70 Members)

Learn equipment, materials, terminology, measuring, cutting and assembling completed framed artwork. Please bring approx. 8 x 10" photo, drawing, or 2D art to frame.

### Photo Fabric - Under the Cattails with Dr. Kruszinski

Fri., Oct. 8 10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
Ages 16+ \$90 (\$85 Members)

Learn the art of collage quilt landscaping with stunning and versatile lakeside/cattail design. You will amaze yourself at how easy it is to create a beautiful botanical seascape in fabric!

Prepare to have fun! Sewing machine needed. Materials list provided at registration.



## MICHIGAN WATER COLOR SOCIETY TRAVELING EXHIBITION OCTOBER 12 - NOVEMBER 13

NCCA-Artsplace will host the combined 2020/2021 73rd/74th Annual Michigan Water Color Traveling Exhibition, juried by acclaimed artist Carolyn Latanision AWS, NWS. This exhibit is a combination of 2020 and 2021 juried works from multiple talented Michigan water color artists. Visitors will enjoy detailed, layered realism as well as bold, dashing abstracts in this collection of works from MWCS painters all over Michigan.

Juror Carolyn Latanision has been recognized for her artistic efforts with many awards and by achieving Signature Membership in both the American Watercolor Society and the National Watercolor Society along with Signature Membership in numerous other national societies including Rocky Mountain, Hudson Valley, and Pennsylvania Watercolor Societies among others. In 2017, her painting was chosen as the top award-winning painting in the National Watercolor Society International Exhibition.



Flanges by Carolyn Latanision

The Michigan Water Color Society was founded in 1946 by a group of artists who envisioned an organization to promote the awareness of watercolor in Michigan. Their aim was to further watercolor education, maintain high standards artistically, while based on the premise of integrity and professionalism, and to be a forum open to all points of view.