

# Kalamazoo Rotary Arts Minute Report for Monday, October 10 2022 brought to you by



## CLASSES & WORKSHOPS



### [Pour It Out! Pour Painting Workshop](#)

Thursday

Oct 13, 2022 at 06:00 pm

Presented by [Unwinding Movement](#) at Hello Jerico - Start Here Coffee, 1501 FULFORD ST, KALAMAZOO, MI, UNITED STATES, Kalamazoo, MI 49001

We listened to your feedback and Pour It Out! Workshops are here again and better than ever.

Stephanie Lee from Unwinding Movement guides you through breathing and visualization practices to spark your creative eye. Learn from your own intuition with support from a pour painter and teacher of 4.5 years. Then you get to infuse your intuition with intention and create your very own pour painting. Once you're satisfied with your painting, you and your classmates get to work together and create a community painting with your remaining paint. Play along with the creative muses of others and walk away feeling relaxed and connected with your creativity and community. This is a space where you can engage with your artistic self and feel supported by your community. A space where you get to meet new people, express yourself, and have a ton of fun! Join us at Start Here Coffee Thursday, October 13th from 6-8 for a fantastic art & community-filled evening.

[Tickets are \\$55.](#) The ticket price includes the use of supplies, assistance from the artist, wine, refreshments, and your hand-poured canvas to take home. Registration closes on Oct 13th at 10 am.



### [Audition Workshop](#)

Sunday

Oct 16, 2022 at 05:00 pm

Free Workshop

Presented by [Kalamazoo Civic Theatre](#) at [Kalamazoo Civic Auditorium](#), 329 S. Park St., Kalamazoo, MI 49007

A powerful story of a black family's experiences in south Chicago, following the death of their father, amid the challenges of housing discrimination and racism.

The Academy of Theatre Arts is pleased to be able to offer a free Audition Workshop for our upcoming production of A Raisin in the Sun. Audition workshops are led by the production's artistic team, using the same materials that will be used at the audition. Time is built into the workshop for participants to receive personalized tips and feedback.

Registration is free, but space is limited!



### [Clases de Ingles Gratis / Free English as a Second Language Classes](#)

Monday, Wednesday

Feb 07, 2022 - Dec 31, 2022 at 12:30 pm

Free Admission

Presented by [El Concilio](#) and [Kalamazoo Public Schools](#) at [El Concilio](#), 930 Lake Street, #A, Kalamazoo, MI 49001

¿Quiere Ud. aprender o mejorar su inglés? ¿Le gustaría tener más confianza en usarlo? Entonces esta clase es para usted. El Concilio, en colaboración con el programa de Educación Adulta de las Escuelas Públicas de Kalamazoo, ofrecen esta clase para ayudarle a alcanzar sus metas y ganar confianza en hablar el inglés.

Registración abierto ahora. Cupo limitado. ¡Gratis para inscribirse! Llámanos para guardar su espacio. Would you like to learn or improve your English? Would you like to have more confidence in using it? Then this class is for you. El Concilio, in collaboration with the Kalamazoo Public Schools' Adult Education program, offers this class to help you reach your goals and gain confidence in speaking English.

Registration is open now. Limited space available. Free to enroll! Call us to save your space.

## FILM & VIDEO



### [The Rocky Horror Picture Show 1975 \(R\) Enhanced by WMU Musical Theatre Students](#)

Saturday

Oct 15, 2022 at 09:00 pm

#### **Ticket Information:**

This event is recommended for a mature audience age 16+.

All new this year: Buy the Super Star Movie Pass and get all four (4) of our holiday movies for just \$40! Includes Rocky Horror Picture Show, Hocus Pocus, The Nightmare Before Christmas and National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation. Hurry, only 100 passes available!

\$15 Early Bird Ticket available only 7/15-7/31

\$20 Advanced Ticket available only 8/1-9/30

\$25 General Admission available only 10/1-10/15

\$10 Prop Bags

\$15 Students available in the box office only until 7/15-10/8

#### **VIP Ticket Information**

\$45 – includes early into the venue, VIP pre-party with the shadow cast, an interactive prop bag, priority seat selection, one complimentary drink, tasty vittles, and opportunity to compete in costume contest

VIP pre-party is 6:15pm-7:45pm on the stage

Space is limited

Presented by [Kalamazoo State Theatre](#) at [Kalamazoo State Theatre](#), 404 S. Burdick, Kalamazoo, MI 49007

#### **Kalamazoo State Theatre**

#### **What To Know Before Attending The Show**

**All bags and purses must be under 8" x 5" x 2" – Click for more details**

**Doors: 8:00pm | Show: 9:00pm**

#### **Buy Tickets HERE**

Let's do the time warp again! The **Rocky Horror Picture Show** *enhanced* movie experience is back at the **Kalamazoo State Theatre** Saturday, October 15, 2022. This 1975 musical horror comedy film will come to life with a live shadow cast (that's actors acting in front of the screen during the film) performed by the WMU Department of Theatre!

Come as a spectator or give yourself over to absolute pleasure by upgrading to the full VIP experience! Join Brad, Janet, Frank N. Furter, Riff Raff, Magenta, Colombia, and Eddie in the Kalamazoo State Theatre "Castle"!

Playing continuously since its release in 1975, Rocky Horror is the longest running movie in history. Starring Tim Curry as the kinky yet endearing “transsexual from Transylvania” Dr. Frank N. Furter, Susan Sarandon and Barry Bostwick as his hapless guests Brad and Janet, Meat Loaf as motorcycle-riding rough trade and author Richard O’Brien as the hunchbacked butler Riff Raff. It’s harmless musical fun—a delightful spoof of Hollywood horror movies and Old Dark House melodramas. The Rocky Horror Picture Show was the first—and is still the best—interactive movie experience!

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[BUY TICKETS HERE](#)

[Buy Prop Bag HERE](#)

[Buy Skip The Line Tickets HERE](#)

[RSVP On Facebook HERE](#)

**\*\*PLEASE NOTE:** This event is not a musical. This event will feature the 1975 film with a shadow cast performing (i.e. lipsync/dancing/acting) on stage/in the pit along with the movie below the screen.

**Skip the line Ticket Information:**

Why wait in the elements when you can skip the line?! This is a separate ticket that will grant you expedited entry into the venue. Skip The Line entry is located near the main entrance of the building. Look for VIP / Skip The Line signage or ask a staff member. Present your Skip The Line pass along with your event ticket for expedited entry and to avoid the public lines. THIS IS NOT AN EVENT TICKET.

**Security Information:**

All patrons are subject to search, pat down, and wandling. The following items are not allowed in the venue: guns, knives, lasers, tasers, mace, glass items, cameras, selfie sticks, outside food or beverage, no bags over the dimensions of 8 inches wide by 5 inches tall with a width of 2 inches, and other items that may challenge public safety. You can view our full list by visiting our frequently asked questions here

**FREE EVENTS**



[La Luna Recording & Sound: FREE Music Production & Business Workshops](#)

Monday, Tuesday, Friday

Aug 01, 2022 - Dec 16, 2022 at 07:00 pm

at La Luna Recording & Sound, 1501 Fulford Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49001

La Luna Recording & Sound is pleased to announce the return of our music production & business workshops for fall 2022, all of which are now **free to the public**.

Taught by some of West Michigan's most experienced and influential musicians, engineers and industry professionals, these classes focus on subjects important to both those producing music in the studio, as well as performing artists. Presenters include La Luna engineers **Ian Gorman**, **Maggie Heeren**, and **Samuel Peters**, as well as guest instructors **John Campos** (Audio instructor; Western Michigan University), Jay Jackson (Producer/Performing artist; Last Gasp Collective), **Michael Shimmin** (Performing artist; May Erlewine, Dave Bruzza, Seth Bernard, the ollum), **Dutcher Snedeker** (Performing artist/Booker/Journalist; Earth Radio, Blushing Monk, Local Spins), **Val Walters** (Event & concert manager; Bell's Brewery), and **Darcy Wilkin** (Performing artist/Radio Host; The Corn Fed Girls, WMUK)

All events start at 7pm, and take place at La Luna Recording & Sound (**1501 Fulford St. Kalamazoo, MI 49001**). **No advance registration required**. For more info, please visit [LaLunaRecording.com](http://LaLunaRecording.com).



### [ARTbreak: Intersectionality 101 with OutFront Kzoo](#)

Oct 11, 2022 at 12:00 pm

Presented by [Kalamazoo Institute of Arts](#) at [Kalamazoo Institute of Arts](#), 314 S. Park Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Tracy Hall, Executive Director at OutFront Kalamazoo, will share how increased knowledge and understanding about the LGBTQ+ community is often the first step in reducing and eliminating discrimination.

Tracy Hall has been part of OutFront Kalamazoo in a variety of roles over the last 13 years. Prior to becoming the interim Executive Director, she served on their Board of Directors. Tracy was also hired as the organization's first Director of Programs and was in the role from 2010 to 2012.



### ["Queenie, How Do We Save the World?" - Book Release and Signing Party](#)

Sunday

Oct 16, 2022 at 03:00 pm

at Oshtemo Community Center, 6407 Parkview Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI 49009

This is Daphne Len Ben's 1st written children's book.

There is a lot to learn when it comes to proper recycling. Join Grayson Beverly in his journey of discovering new things. In this book, you will learn the basics of recycling and how to save the world.

Daphne Len Ben would love to see and share her book with everyone.

**Sunday, October 16, 2022**

Oshtemo Community Center

6407 Parkview Avenue Kalamazoo, MI 49009.

Snacks, Prizes, Giveaways, and other Surprises.

**Please bring your family and friends.**

This Book will be \$10.00 at this event or \$13.99 on Amazon, Barnes and Noble, Apple Play, and other future sites.

**MUSIC**



### [2 of a Kind \(Steve Kamerling and Joe Ferguson\) @ Hilton Garden Inn](#)

Wednesday

Oct 05, 2022 - Oct 12, 2022 at 07:00 pm

Free Admission.

Presented by [Arts Council Member Artist](#) at Hilton Garden Inn, 303 N Rose St., Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Come spend a relaxing Saturday evening at the Hilton Garden Inn, in the historic Rose Street Market building. Steve and Joe will be performing an eclectic mix of jazz standards, pop tunes with a twist, and some classic blues. Joe is well known in the local blues scene for his prowess on harmonica and vocals. The HGI features a modern, comfortable space for music, drinks, and dining.



### [Steve Kamerling @ Brick + Brine](#)

Friday

Oct 07, 2022 - Dec 30, 2022 at 06:00 pm

Free Admission.

Presented by [Arts Council Member Artist](#) at Brick + Brine, 100 W Michigan Ave., Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Come enjoy an evening at Brick + Brine restaurant. Steve will be performing everything from jazz standards to pop tunes with a twist on an archtop guitar and vocals. Enjoy an appetizer, dinner, or just a drink while listening to many of your favorite tunes.



### [Scott Bradlee's Postmodern Jukebox: Life In The Past Lane](#)

Oct 12, 2022 at 07:00 pm

Tickets range from \$48-\$68 for more ticket information please visit our website or the Miller Auditorium box office.

Presented by [Miller Auditorium](#) at [Western Michigan University - Miller Auditorium](#), 2200 Auditorium Drive, Kalamazoo, MI 49008

Times change and trends come and go, but—like a 1961 Jaguar XK-E—the classic sounds of the past only appreciate with age. Postmodern Jukebox’s Life In The Past Lane Concert Tour is a celebration of the greatest 20th century musical genres, fused with the recognizable hits of our own modern era, for the perfect patina of “vintage” and “modern.” As always, we’ll be bringing the PMJ Universe to life with a cast full of today’s most exciting vocalists, instrumentalists, and tap dancers, to bring you the top-shelf entertainment experience for which PMJ is known. Whether you’re a vinyl aficionado or a TikTok fashionista, catch a ride with us for an unforgettable trip through 100 years of timeless music.



### [Craft Music](#)

Wednesday

Oct 12, 2022 at 07:00 pm

All tickets are \$25

Presented by [Kalamazoo Symphony Orchestra](#) at [Bell's Eccentric Cafe](#), 355 E. Kalamazoo Ave., Kalamazoo, MI 49007

From rags to waltzes, this concert embraces the close relationship between dance and music. It’s the perfect way to celebrate Craft Music being back on tap!



### [Matthew Fries - "Lost Time" album release concert](#)

Thursday

Oct 13, 2022 at 07:30 pm

This is a choose-your-price / pay-what-you-want event!

Presented by [Arts Council Member Artist](#) at [Crawspace Comedy Theatre in Historic First Baptist Church Building](#), 315 W. Michigan Ave, Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Join us as we celebrate the release of Matthew Fries' new album, [Lost Time](#). We'll be performing music from the album in this downtown Kalamazoo jazz-club style venue. There will be copies of the album available for purchase at the event.

This album of original music explores the ways in which we might perceive time being lost. The music was written during the Covid pandemic lockdown when we all experienced our own version of lost time – loved ones we lost, special events we missed out on, and just the general loss of awareness of knowing what day it was.

*Lost Time* varies widely in color and mood even as it documents a cohesive aesthetic, animated by the deep lyricism and swing of Fries' writing. Threading together formative influences in his own inimitable voice, Fries contemplates life at a time when tragic loss and long-sought artistic clarity and progress exist side by side.



### [Joe Satriani Earth 2022-2023 Tour](#)

Friday

Oct 14, 2022 at 08:00 pm

#### **General Ticket Information:**

All seating is reserved for this all-ages event. There's an 8-ticket limit.

\$40-\$80

VIP Q&A \$160 – Limited quantity

Presented by [Kalamazoo State Theatre](#) at [Kalamazoo State Theatre](#), 404 S. Burdick, Kalamazoo, MI 49007

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**Doors: 7:00pm | Show: 8:00pm**

**Buy Tickets [HERE](#)**

Get ready to go *Surfing with the Alien*! We are excited to announce guitar virtuoso **Joe Satriani's** return to the historic **Kalamazoo State Theatre** Friday, October 14, 2022!

Joe Satriani is the world's most commercially successful solo guitar performer, with six gold and platinum discs to his credit (including one more gold award for the debut album by his band Chickenfoot), and sales in excess of 10 million copies. Satriani's 19th studio album, *The Elephants of Mars*, crackles with an exciting new energy, briskly traveling through stylistic roads that feel freshly updated, viewed through new eyes. Forced time away from the road due to the pandemic, allowed for time to deliver an album length journey that never dulls.

Joe Satriani had an admirably productive workingman's holiday, forced time away from the road that ultimately produced his 19th studio album, *The Elephants of Mars*, as the final result.

The guitarist challenged himself to create a "new standard" for instrumental guitar albums to be measured against, one which would work from "a new platform of his own design," as he terms it. "I want to show people that the instrumental guitar album can contain far more complexity of creative elements than I think people are using right now."



Satriani and his touring band, all recording remotely in separate areas of the world during lockdown, answered that challenge in spades. *The Elephants of Mars* crackles with an exciting new energy, briskly traveling through stylistic roads that feel freshly updated, viewed through new eyes. From the gripping, sci-fi madness of “Through A Mother’s Day Darkly,” to the isolation felt in a decaying urban landscape, as depicted in “Sahara,” to the general endorphin levels that peak as the elephants finally roar in the title track, *The Elephants of Mars* offers up an album length journey that never dulls.

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[Legends of the West](#)

Saturday

Oct 15, 2022 at 07:30 pm

FREE

Presented by [Kalamazoo Concert Band](#) at [Chenery Auditorium](#), 714 S. Westnedge Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Many painters and writers of the 19th-century cited the American West as their inspiration. In short order, the West began to symbolize the American identity of rough and rugged individualism for those willing to face new challenges. It is with that sentiment the Kalamazoo Concert Band opens their 2022-2023 season. So, whether you were born to ride or not, grab your hobbyhorse and mosey on over to Chenery corral for a rootin'-tootin' good time! You'll be home on the range and an old cowhand before you know it. Happy trails!



[3 of a Kind @ Hilton Garden Inn](#)

Saturday

Oct 15, 2022 at 07:00 pm

Free Admission.

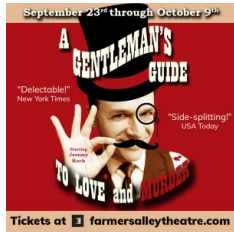
Presented by [Arts Council Member Artist](#) at Hilton Garden Inn, 303 N Rose St.,

Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Join me, Joe Ferguson, and Matt Landon at the Hilton Garden Inn in downtown Kalamazoo for a mix of classic rock, blues and country with artful harmony. Joe is well known in the local blues scene for his

pro prowess on harmonica and vocals. Matt is an accomplished guitarist, and is on the music faculty at WMU and Kalamazoo College. I perform on upright bass with this vocal oriented trio. The HGI is in the historic Rose Street Market building and features a modern, comfortable space for music, drinks, and dining.

## THEATRE



### [A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder](#)

Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday

Sep 23, 2022 - Oct 16, 2022 at 02:00 pm, 07:30 pm

Tickets are \$49/\$45 on Fri/Sat/Sun and \$44/\$40 on Thursdays. Student ticket pricing is \$15 for all shows. Tickets are available for purchase

at [www.farmersalleytheatre.com](http://www.farmersalleytheatre.com) or by calling the Box Office at (269) 343-2727.

Presented by [Farmers Alley Theatre](#) at Farmers Alley Theatre, 221 Farmers Alley,

Kalamazoo, MI 49007

In this Tony award-winning musical, a distant heir to a family fortune sets out to speed up the line of succession by using a great deal of charm... and a dash of murder. When low-born Monty Navarro finds out that he's eighth in line for an earldom, he sets off down a ghoulishly funny path to claim that title. But what of love? Murder isn't the only thing on Monty's mind.

This knock-'em-dead, uproarious comedy is a murderous romp filled with unforgettable music, non-stop laughs, and a scene-stealing role for **Jeremy Koch**, playing all eight of the doomed heirs of the D'Ysquith family. They meet their ends in the most creative ways!

Directed and choreographed by **Kathy Mulay** (*Bright Star, It Shoulda Been You*) with musical direction by **Chris Gray** (*Sandy Bremer: You'd Never Believe It*), this musical is truly an original and fresh new comedy that will delight audiences and leave them begging for more.

*A Gentleman's Guide To Love And Murder* runs for three weekends from September 23rd through October 9th.



### [The Kalamazoo Civic Theatre's Senior Reader's Theatre presents "Side by Side by Sondheim"](#)

Friday, Saturday, Sunday

Oct 07, 2022 - Oct 16, 2022 at 02:00 pm, 07:30 pm

Presented by [Kalamazoo Civic Theatre](#) at [The Parish Theatre](#), 426 S. Park St., Kalamazoo,

MI 49007

Senior Class Reader's Theatre will honor the late musical genius, Stephen Sondheim, with *Side by Side by Sondheim*.

This award-winning revue of his earlier work, some of the most lush, unforgettable songs from his musical theatre master are presented in one magical evening. Featuring music from *Company*, *Follies*, *A Little Night Music*, *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*, *Anyone Can Whistle*, and *Pacific Overtures*. Not to mention the classics written with musical theatre giants, Leonard Bernstein, Jule Styne, and Richard Rodgers, this dazzling array of some of Sondheim's best-known songs are a lasting tribute to his masterful craft and astounding creativity.

To purchase tickets, visit [KazooCivic.com](http://KazooCivic.com) or call our box office at 269-343-1313.

Performances: October 7 – October 16, 2022

ASL interpreted and Audio described performance – Saturday, October 15 at 7:30pm

*Our Senior Class Reader's Theatre productions consist of actors aged 50 and older, who perform learned, but not memorized lines.*





### [Information Event: Kalamazoo Civic Theatre's Penguin Project Production: "The Rainbow Fish Musical"](#)

Saturday

Oct 15, 2022 at 04:00 pm

Presented by [Kalamazoo Civic Theatre](#) at [Kalamazoo Civic Auditorium](#), 329 S. Park St.,

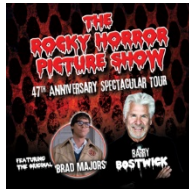
Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Artists (differently abled youth/young adults) will fill all the roles. Mentors (typically developing peers) are also needed to support the artists throughout rehearsals and performances.

Learn more about this special program, meet the directing team, and ask questions by attending our informational event on Saturday, October 15 at 4:00pm.

Register in advance to help us prepare for the group size at <http://my.kazoocivic.com/audition-workshops-2023/rainbow-fish>

To learn more about The Penguin Project, visit <https://penguinproject.org/>



### [The Rocky Horror Picture Show](#)

Saturday

Oct 15, 2022 at 07:30 pm

Tickets range from \$30, for more ticket information please visit our website or the Miller Auditorium box office.

Presented by [Miller Auditorium](#) at [Western Michigan University - Miller Auditorium](#),

2200 Auditorium Drive, Kalamazoo, MI 49008

Join the original 'Brad Majors'—BARRY BOSTWICK—for a screening of the original unedited movie with a live shadow cast and audience participation! Plus a memorabilia display with artifacts and an actual costume from the movie, a costume contest, and more! Get exclusive tickets to the V.I.P. Meet & Greet to meet Barry Bostwick himself, have a personal photo opportunity, & get an autograph. VIP Experience available.

## **VISUAL ARTS**



### [WE'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN: CELEBRATING A CENTURY OF COLLECTING ART AT WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY](#)

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Aug 29, 2022 - Nov 19, 2022 at 12:00 pm

Presented by Richmond Center for Visual Arts at [Western Michigan University- Richmond Center for Visual Arts](#), 1903 W. Michigan Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI 49008

Curated by Indra K. Lācis, PhD, Director of Exhibitions, with research assistance by Katie Mumby, B.F.A., Frostic School of Art, '22.

Join us for our fall exhibition!

Monday, August 29th – Saturday, November 19th

\*\*closed during fall break, October 19 – 20\*\*

Created to enrich learning and work environments throughout Western Michigan University, the Art Collection this year celebrates its 100th anniversary. Featuring nearly 100 works by artists from around the globe, this commemorative exhibition brings together a range of media from diverse geographic areas, time periods, and styles. Drawn from nearly 3,500 objects either stored at the Richmond Center or installed in more than 50 buildings across WMU's main and satellite campuses, We've Only Just Begun: Celebrating a Century of Collecting Art at Western Michigan University highlights major artistic

movements while also tracing the University's collecting patterns and the development of the niche position of the University museum and gallery within the art world ecosystem.

The first of two major exhibitions, *We've Only Just Begun: Celebrating a Century of Collecting* at Western Michigan University will be on view in the Albertine Monroe-Brown gallery at the Richmond Center from August 29 – November 19, 2022. Encyclopedic in scope, *We've Only Just Begun* includes examples of American Impressionism and European Romanticism, Japanese and Chinese ceramics, and art of Asian, African and indigenous American origin, as well as 20th-century Modernism, Post-war Expressionism, Pop art, and Postmodern painting and printmaking. Beginning in the late fall of 2022, a pendant exhibition spread through the Richmond Center's halls and public spaces will feature works by former Frostic School of Art faculty and staff as well as Frostic School of Art alumni. Self-guided walking tours of major sculptural landmarks and works of art beloved across campus will be announced during the fall of 2022. The second major exhibition celebrating the UAC's 100th anniversary, *All Together Now: Contemporary Prints from the University Art Collection*, will open on January 17, 2023, and remain on view in the Albertine Monroe-Brown gallery through February 25, 2023.



### **"Gorges, Glens & Waterfalls" Photography Exhibit by Ryan Flathau**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

Sep 12, 2022 - Oct 20, 2022 at 08:00 am

Presented by [Kellogg Community College](#) at [Kellogg Community College | Davidson Visual and Performing Arts Center](#), 450 North Ave, Battle Creek, MI 49017

Flathau is a Photography and Multimedia Program professor at Kellogg Community College. The images in this exhibit were created during his Fall 2021 sabbatical to Letchworth and Watkins Glen state parks in New York and Ricketts Glen State Park in Pennsylvania.



### **KAREN BONDARCHUK ERGO SUM: A CROW A DAY**

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Sep 22, 2022 - Nov 13, 2022 at 12:00 pm

Presented by Richmond Center for Visual Arts at [Western Michigan University- Richmond Center for Visual Arts](#), 1903 W. Michigan Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI 49008

Join the Richmond Center for Visual Arts for their fall exhibition!

Friday, September 22, 2022 – Sunday, November 13, 2022

**\*\*closed during fall break, October 19-20\*\***

Beginning in the late summer of 2014, Canadian-born artist Karen Bondarchuk began marking the passage of time that her mother, diagnosed with dementia in 2010, could no longer track. For 365 days, Bondarchuk produced "a crow a day" on hand-cut, gessoed panels. Composed of these individualized images, all of which are linked by a common thread, the resulting project articulates both the notion of time lost (and lost time) as well as the distinctiveness and transitory nature of each passing day. A deeply thoughtful approach to communication, *A Crow a Day* explores an artist's relationship to the world and translations of grief and loss. Organized by the Leigh Yawkey Woodson Art Museum, the exhibition *A Crow a Day* has been presented at the University of Saint Francis, IN, and the Woodson Art Museum (WI) in 2016; at Union College (KY) in 2018; and the Brinton Museum (WY) and the Huntington Museum (WV) in 2019; and at the Dennis Museum (MI) and the James Museum (FL) in 2021.

Check out Karen Bondarchuk's [website](#), and read more about this exhibition [here](#).



### [Kalamazoo Art League: Membership Celebration and Lecture](#)

Oct 12, 2022 at 07:00 pm

Presented by [Kalamazoo Institute of Arts](#) at [Kalamazoo Institute of Arts](#), 314 S. Park Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49007

David Frederick Riley is a gallery artist, portrait painter, and illustrator. Riley graduated from Comstock High School in Kalamazoo County and received a BFA and MFA in Fine Art with the Outstanding Achievement Award from the Savannah College of Art and Design. Riley's paintings are inspired by the universal narratives of the human condition and emotion. He will speak to us about his work, inspiration, and process. Check out his website at [davidfrederickriley.com](http://davidfrederickriley.com).

### [Teen Takeover](#)

Saturday

TEEN TAKEOVER

Oct 15, 2022 at 05:30 pm

7\$ admission

Presented by [Kalamazoo Institute of Arts](#) at Kalamazoo Institute of Arts, 314 S Park St, Kalamazoo, MI 49006

Join us for games, art-making, food, and fun!



### [Barber: Live Salon with Faisal Abdu'Allah](#)

Sunday

Oct 16, 2022 at 01:00 pm

Free Admission

Presented by [Kalamazoo Institute of Arts](#) at [Kalamazoo Institute of Arts](#), 314 S. Park Street, Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Reflecting on his own life experiences and the relationship between being both an artist and a barber, Abdu'Allah will invite the audience to discuss the questions of belonging and community that shape his practice.

Faisal Abdu'Allah is the Chazen Family Distinguished Chair in Art at the University of Wisconsin. His performance piece, Live Salon, was first performed at the Hayward Gallery, as part of the British Art Show in 2006, then at Tate Britain in 2010, and more recently at Tandem Press, USA.

In the spirit of this performance, the KIA will host local barbers and stylists to share their talents with the community by cutting, braiding, and styling hair at the KIA on November 13 and December 13.