

# Rotary Arts Minute Report for Monday, August 3, 2020

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## ART HOP



### [August Art Hop 2020](#)

Friday

Aug 07, 2020 at 05:00 pm

Art Hop is FREE!

Presented by [Arts Council of Greater Kalamazoo](#) at [Downtown Kalamazoo and Surrounding Neighborhoods](#), Kalamazoo, MI 49007

### **AUGUST 7, 2020 VIRTUAL ART HOP**

#### **Open Call for Artists – What Inspires You?**

**We are calling all artists** — visual, theatrical, musical, tech and media, dance, and more — **to post on the [ACGK Facebook page](#) from 5-6:30 pm on Friday, August 7.** Share with us what inspires you or your works of inspiration!

The Arts Council of Greater Kalamazoo has 5 Core Values within our organization, and one of those Core values is: Inspiration.

Inspiration: the action or power of moving the intellect or emotions. Since we serve a community that expects arts and culture experiences of all kinds, our appreciation for inspiration in all shapes, styles, and forms involves ... we have chosen the August 2020 Virtual Art Hop to be the month of inspiration!

View the upcoming Art Hop stops [here](#)!

## CLASSES AND WORKSHOPS



### [Epic Broadway! Musical Theater Camp](#)

Aug 03, 2020 - Aug 07, 2020 at 11:00 am

Class Fees: \$295 (Register and pay by July 1 for an Early Bird discount of \$20!)

Presented by [Crescendo Academy of Music](#) and [Wellspring/Cori Terry & Dancers](#) at [Crescendo Academy of Music](#), 359 S. Kalamazoo Mall, Ste. 12, Kalamazoo, MI 49007

**\*\*This camp has moved to an online format\*\***

*Epic Broadway!* is a collaboration between [Crescendo Academy of Music](#) and [Wellspring/Cori Terry & Dancers](#).

2020 focus: Musicals of the 1970s

Develop musical theater dance technique

Receive individual voice lessons working on solos and/or duets

Learn the basics of character development and staging

Learn and stage large ensemble music

Finale Showcase on Friday evening

**August 3-7** for students age 13-18

Camp is each day of the class session from 9:00 am – 4:00 pm with a Finale Showcase on Friday night

Class Fees: \$295 (Register and pay by July 1 for an Early Bird discount of \$20!)



### [Wild Wonderings \(Grades 4-8\)](#)

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

Aug 03, 2020 - Aug 07, 2020 at 10:30 am

Presented by [Kalamazoo Civic Theatre](#) at Online

**The Kalamazoo Civic Theatre**

**Wild Wonderings**

**August 3-7, 2020, 10:30 AM – 11:30 AM**

10 student maximum for students entering grades 4-8.

NEW THIS SUMMER! Introducing virtual online camps specifically designed to meet the needs of students challenged by learning delays, physical challenges, or neurodiversity. Adaptions to these camps include being converted to a virtual format, smaller class sizes, shorter class length, and fewer transitions.

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### [Marvelous Michigan \(Grades 9-12\)](#)

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

Aug 03, 2020 - Aug 07, 2020 at 01:00 pm

Presented by [Kalamazoo Civic Theatre](#) at Online

**The Kalamazoo Civic Theatre**

**Marvelous Michigan**

**August 3-7, 2020, 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM**

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### [Thankful Tastings \(Grades 1-3\)](#)

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

Aug 03, 2020 - Aug 07, 2020 at 09:00 am

Presented by [Kalamazoo Civic Theatre](#) at Online

**The Kalamazoo Civic Theatre**

**Thankful Tastings**

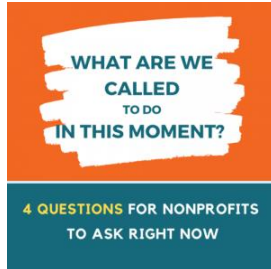
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[ONEplace Webinar: Which of our strengths can be deployed to create something new? SESSION 3](#)

Wednesday

Aug 05, 2020 at 11:30 am

Presented by [Kalamazoo Public Library](#) at Online

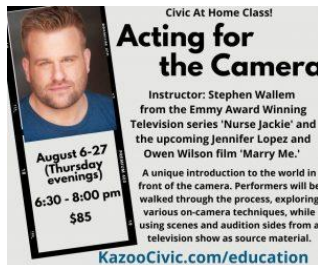
**Kalamazoo Public Library**

**ONEplace Webinar: Which of our strengths can be deployed to create something new? SESSION 3**

**August 5, 2020 11:30 – 12:30 PM**

This series of webinars are geared towards arts organizations looking to connect surrounding their recovery plans due to COVID-19. COVID-19 has been devastating to the arts and entertainment community. Now is the time for organizations to come together to continue planning for the future of creative expression in our community. Each webinar will focus on a specific question and will be led by Mia Henry, facilitator and founder of [Freedom Lifted](#). This series is presented in partnership with the [Arts Council of Greater Kalamazoo](#). While this workshop is geared towards arts organizations, everyone is welcome to participate. Contact [ONEplace@kpl.gov](mailto:ONEplace@kpl.gov) with questions.

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[Acting for the Camera](#)

Thursday

Aug 06, 2020 - Aug 27, 2020 at 06:30 pm

Presented by [Kalamazoo Civic Theatre](#) at Online

**The Kalamazoo Civic Theatre**

**Acting for the Camera**

**August 6-27, 2020, Thursdays from 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM**

Now's your chance to work with television and film actor Stephen Wallem

to learn the ins and outs of acting for the camera!

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## KIDS & FAMILY



[LIVE Night Sky Tour](#)

Tuesday

Jul 28, 2020 - Aug 25, 2020 at 04:00 pm

Presented by [Kalamazoo Valley Museum](#) at Online

## Kalamazoo Valley Museum

### LIVE Night Sky Tour

**Starting July 28, 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm, & showing every Tuesday until August 25**

Take part in a virtual live tour of Kalamazoo's night sky. The Kalamazoo Valley Museum's planetarium staff will show you how to find constellations, spot planets, and even see distant galaxies!

The program will be live via Zoom. Registrations up to 30 minutes prior to the program will receive the link via email.

All times are in Eastern Daylight Savings Time.

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### [Virtual Summer Glass Camp](#)

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday

Aug 03, 2020 - Aug 07, 2020 at 10:00 am

Cost: \$110. Includes all materials.

Presented by [Glass Art Kalamazoo](#) at [Glass Art Kalamazoo](#), 326 W. Kalamazoo Ave., Kalamazoo, MI 49007

In this week long camp, students will explore the techniques of kiln fusing from the safety of their homes. The camp will cover the basics of glass cutting, shaping, fusing and beyond. Students will create multiple objects like sun catchers, bowls, etc. Additionally, students will be introduced to the scientific concepts that have shaped modern glass making and the history of glass art and craft in America.

**No previous experience necessary!** Suitable for ages between **9-18**.

## MUSIC



### [August 5 - Strumble Head Band](#)

Wednesday

Aug 05, 2020 at 05:00 pm

at [Bates Alley](#), Kalamazoo, MI 49007

**Beats on Bates**

**Bates Alley**

**August 5, 5:00 – 8:00 pm**

Enjoy **Strumble Head Band** at Beats on Bates on Wednesday, August 5 at 5 pm. Beats on Bates is a weekly summer music series launching in July and continuing through September 30.

**Each concert is free and is friendly for the entire family.**



### [August 6 - Al Hight & M 6 - West- Rhythm & Blues](#)

Thursday

Aug 06, 2020 at 07:00 pm

at Romona Park, 8600 S Sprinkle Road, Portage, MI 49002

**Drive In Concerts**

**Ramona Park**

**August 6, 7:00 pm**

The perfect way to end the Summer Concert Series. Enjoy local artist, Al Hight & M6-West to close out the concert series with rhythm & blues.

**Special thanks to our Series Sponsor, the Arts Council of Greater Kalamazoo and our event sponsor Honor Credit Union!**

## THEATRE



### [The Bar Show](#)

Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Jul 14, 2020 - Dec 31, 2020 at 11:30 am, 07:00 pm

Presented by [Barn Theatre](#) at [Barn Theatre](#), 13351 W. M-96, Augusta, MI 49012

**Barn Theatre**

### **The Bar Show**

**Opens July 14, 2020**

#### **2020 Shed Show Hours:**

Tuesday – Saturday, Doors open at 7pm, Show starts at 8pm

Sunday, Doors open at 4pm, Show starts at 5pm

2020 brings changes for all of us. This year, join us in the Rehearsal Shed for the Shed Show, which will feature some beloved Barnies. Who you see is still a surprise! Patrons can enjoy great bar food and beverages as you take in a charming twist on our “Bar Show.”

Reservations are strongly encouraged due to limited seating – we’ll be at 50% capacity to accommodate for social distancing.

Please note:

There is a \$15 cover, which is charged when you make your reservation, or at the door.

A credit card is required to hold your Shed Show reservation.

Failure to attend the Shed Show on your selected evening will result in the forfeit of your cover charge.

Per the Governor’s Executive Order, face masks are required for entry and as you move about the Rehearsal Shed.

All staff & servers will be wearing masks.

Due to these changes, we do not plan to create a waitlist.

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### [Tibbits Summer Theatre Presents “Man of La Mancha Revised”](#)

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Aug 05, 2020 - Aug 15, 2020 at 07:00 pm

Presented by [Tibbits Opera House](#) at The Ponds in Coldwater, 368 S. Jefferson St., MI

**Tibbits Opera House**

### **Tibbits Summer Theatre Presents “Man of La Mancha Revised”**

**August 5 through August 15, show times varied**

THE SHOW WILL GO ON—but we have to adapt again. All performances of Man of La Mancha will now be held at The Ponds in Coldwater, just minutes from Tibbits Opera House. We had expected the

governor's order restricting theatres from opening to have been lifted. Our apologies for the inconvenience.

Your ticket will be automatically transferred to the new location. The Ponds offers a secluded, sheltered outdoor setting with both space for social distancing and privacy to enjoy an intimate performance. Don't forget your mask!

There is plenty of parking available and golf carts will be available to help transport patrons to the pavilion where the performance will take place.

Tickets for the Sat. Aug 8 2pm performance of Man of La Mancha will be adjusted to the Wed. Aug 5 7pm performance. If you would prefer to change your tickets to another performance time, please let the box office know. If you have any questions, please contact the box office at 517.278.6029. Our box office hours are Monday-Friday 9-5pm.

One of the longest running Broadway shows of its time, and based on Cervantes' epic 17th-century novel, Man of La Mancha is a remarkable, poignant musical set in the context of the Spanish Inquisition. An imprisoned Miguel de Cervantes gets his fellow inmates to enact the story of his novel, "Don Quixote," about an aged nobleman who declares himself a "knight errant" out to do battle for good and the love of a fair maiden. Through the story, all the prisoners – at least for a moment – are transformed. Man of La Mancha, in this concert version of the show, features such stirring songs as "Dulcinea" and "The Impossible Dream."

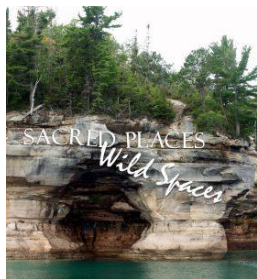
MAN OF LA MANCHA is presented by arrangement with TAMS-WITMARK. [www.tamswitmark.com](http://www.tamswitmark.com)

We are practicing social distancing, including adding Plexiglas at points of sale and taking additional cleaning steps to ensure the safety of our patrons and staff.

We encourage those who are able to wear a mask.

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## VISUAL ARTS



### [Westminster Art Festival](#)

Sunday, Monday, Wednesday, Saturday

Aug 01, 2020 - Sep 30, 2020 at 10:30 am, 01:00 pm, 06:00 pm

free admission

Presented by [Westminster Presbyterian Church](#) at [Westminster Presbyterian Church](#), 1515 Helen Ave, Portage, MI 49002

Local artists will be exhibiting works on the theme "Sacred Places, Wild Spaces."

Linda Rzoska will juror the exhibit and award prizes for first, second, third and several honorable mentions. There will also be booklet available for a donation containing the poetry submitted which will be juried by Dr. Gail Griffin. She will award prizes for first, second, and third place. Due to Covid-19, we will not be holding any public events this year, but the exhibit will be open certain times for personal or small group self-guided tours. Presentation of awards will take place virtually on dates to be determined. See the website for more information.



### [Jaziel Pugh Mural](#)

Friday

Oct 17, 2019 - Oct 17, 2020 at 01:00 pm, 06:00 pm

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

Kellogg Community College will unveil a new mural created by celebrated local artist and KCC student Jaziel Pugh next week on campus in Battle Creek. The mural is an exterior mural and it is visible during COVID-19.

The mural will be unveiled during a Davidson Building Mural Reception running from 4:30 to 6 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 17, at the Davidson Visual and Performing Arts Center on campus at 450 North Ave. The event is free and open to the public and will include remarks from the artist and Justin Andert, who organizes the annual Color the Creek street art festival in Battle Creek.

Color the Creek worked with the KCC Foundation and the College's Arts and Communication Department to facilitate the creation of the mural. The work, titled "Six Disciplines" consists of six panels, each approximately seven feet high and eight feet long, painted to represent the programs offered at the Davidson Center: art, communication, graphic design, music, photography/multimedia and theatre.