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OUR MISSION

William Bonifas Fine Arts Center enhances and inspires the cultural and creative life of the community.

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Bonifas Hours:

Tuesday - Friday:

10 AM - 5:30 PM

Saturday:

10 AM - 3 PM

Sundays

& Mondays:

Closed

Holiday Hours:

Closed on

Labor Day (9/7)

Thanksgiving

(11/26-11/30)

Christmas

(12/25-12/28)

New Years

(1/1-1/4)

Bonifas Board:

President: Victoria Radke

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Trustees: Brian Pahnke, Don Kopacz
& Marilyn Dutkavich

Consultants: Beth Noreus & Al Hansen

BECOME A VOLUNTEER & GET 1 FREE CLASS!*

Volunteers earn 1 free class after 40 hours of volunteer work done at the Bonifas.

*40 hours must be completed within 1 year.

Free class is good for up to \$35—which can be applied towards the total cost of a class as well.

ON THE COVER:

Visitors enjoy the opening reception of Northern Exposure XXXII. Join us this year on November 13, 6-8pm.

Photo by Noah Johnson

CREATIVE CORNER

Available during Bonifas business hours FREE to all ages (Ages 12 & under should have adult present)



We have revamped the Creative Corner, which is a self-guided exploration of mixed media, with a permanent location and projects. Use all different kinds of art supplies and materials to make your own work of art. We can't wait to see what you create!

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DIRECTOR'S COMMENTS

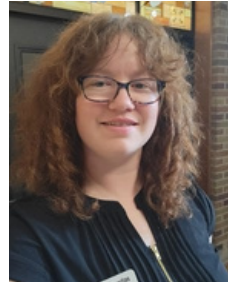
Friends, Artists, and Supporters,

This summer has been one for the books, and it's not over yet. Our staff has been hard at work planning Music Mondays, running Explorer Camps, and directing their creative energy into the Fair. Now we're transitioning into fall and we have even more exciting events and classes to share with you.

Something else I'd like to mention is that we've become a member of North American Reciprocal Museum (NARM) Association. Now we can provide a new membership level and it unlocks access to other institutions across the country.

Last, but not least, the rebuild continues! Most notably the ceiling beams have been replaced, ceiling tiles are being installed as we speak, and even some resurfacing of the

floors. Throughout this process there have been challenges and slowdowns but at the end of the day our goal is to rebuild the theater and get our community members back to enjoying shows put on by Players de Noc.



We still need your help and you don't have to do anything special to support our mission—just become a member, take a class, or go online and donate today at bonifasarts.org. Participating in classes, becoming a member, and joining us for events like Santa's Workshop aren't just fun, they are also great ways to support the Bonifas and all of the hard work we do to bring arts and culture to the community.

I'm looking forward to the day we can invite you all back for a grand reopening of the theater.

Chelsea Hart
Executive Director

ARTIST OPPORTUNITIES

CALL FOR EXHIBIT ART ENTRIES:

NORTHERN EXPOSURE XXXIII

Deadline to enter digital submissions:
By 3 PM on Oct. 3, 2026

PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION: REFLECTIONS

Deadline to enter photography:
By 3 pm on Jan. 2, 2027. Please note we are closed on Jan. 1.

CALL FOR ART VENDORS:

To register or find out more information about any of our events, please go to: bonifasarts.org/artists-vendors/

HOLIDAY ART & CRAFT FAIR:

Nov. 7, 10 - 3 pm | Register by Oct. 23

BARB SYMON SCHOLARSHIP

The Bonifas offers one \$200 scholarship each year to be used towards a workshop of your choice. The application is available online at bonifasarts.org/artists-vendors/. All required application information is due two weeks before the Bonifas Membership Show opening.

ARTIST GATHERINGS

Sept. 14, Oct. 5, Nov. 2, Dec. 7; 6 - 8 PM

Free to attend

Join us for inspiration and to meet like-minded people that want to talk about what they love to do—ART! We offer an optional artist challenge each month—designed to encourage artists to continue creating. Bring your finished or current project and share your discoveries with us.

ARTIST RETREAT

October 9 - 12

Setup starts Friday at 11 AM

\$20/day or \$70 for all weekend

Join us for a weekend art retreat at the Bonifas! Retreat starts at 11 am on Friday and ends 5 pm on Monday. We provide a chair and table. What to bring: your current project and supplies. You are welcome to spend the night as well. Join us by registering online under artists/vendors tab. If you have questions, please email kate@bonifasarts.org.





BENDING REALITY: A JOURNEY THROUGH SURREALISM

September 3 - November 5, 2026 Opening Reception: Sept. 4, 6 - 8 pm

Join us on a journey through the surrealism art movement as seen through the eyes of Brian Burroughs, William Oman, and other guest artists. We are highlighting graphic artist Brian Burroughs with his thought provoking art on the main level of the Powers Gallery. William will challenge the viewer with a unique art installation on our second floor of the Powers Gallery.

Questions & Answers
By Anne Schaaf



NORTHERN EXPOSURE XXXIII

November 13 - December 31, 2026

Opening Reception: Nov. 13, 6 - 8 pm | Awards at 7pm

The Bonifas Arts Center is excited to announce the return of its annual regional competition, Northern Exposure! Entering its 33rd year, we have broadened our entry region to all artists above the 45th Parallel. This exhibit will bring in new works that showcase the contemporary artwork being created in the northern region of the U.S.A.

Thank you to the following Gallery Partners:
Escanaba Veterinary Clinic; Lake Superior Art Association; Thrivent Financial - Brian Pahnke, Escanaba Branch; Tackman Capital Management; & East Ludington Gallery

NORTHERN EXPOSURE WORKSHOPS

We have two special workshops this year! Contour Drawing, taught by this year's Juror, Armin; and Small Works, Big Discoveries taught by Vallerie Allen. →



Need a Hand by Austin Ash

BONIFAS MEMBERSHIP SHOW FEATURED ARTIST WINNER: AUSTIN ASH

September 3 - November 5, 2026

Opening Reception: Sept. 4, 6 - 8 pm

Visit our *Studio Gallery* to view our award winning metal artist Austin Ash's many works. The pieces on display have been made throughout Austin's life and have brought many smiles to young and old.

Austin won this solo exhibit experience with his piece, titled "*Need a Hand*" during our *Bonifas Membership Show*, which opened in June of this year.



Abandoned Nest, 2025
By Kathy DeOrnellas

SMALL EXPRESSIONS TOURING EXHIBIT

November 13, 2026 - January 28, 2027

Small Expressions is an annual juried exhibition showcasing contemporary small-scale works (not to exceed 15 inches in any direction) using fiber techniques in any media. Small in scale but visually compelling, HGA's Small Expressions exhibit features work that speaks to the intricacy of expression, intimacy of design, thoughtful communication, and visual excitement. The artists in this exhibit create a big impact through small pieces.

This traveling exhibit is brought to you by the artists in the Handweavers Guild of America, INC.

CLASS INFORMATION

HOW TO REGISTER FOR A CLASS

- Register online at bonifasarts.org/classes, or stop in to see us!
- Register early to ensure your space in the class. If you cannot make a class, please call us to cancel. In order to receive a refund, you **MUST** cancel no later than 1 week before the class is held.
- Adult classes may be canceled due to bad weather, if this happens, students will be called and refunded.
- If Escanaba Public schools are closed for the day due to weather, any youth class planned for that day will also be canceled.
- **Pricing listed as: \$M / \$NM (Member / Non-Member)** Dates, times, and pricing are subject to change—Please refer to our website for the up to date information.

Thanks to the generosity of John Gustafson and contributors, the Bonifas offers a 50% scholarship for qualifying participants. Inquire by calling (906) 786-3833.

ARTIST LEVEL CLASSES

Please note that artist level classes require students to bring their own supplies. We will email the list upon registration.



**EXPRESSIONS IN CONTOUR
DRAWING WITH ARMIN MERSMANN**
November 14; 10 - 1 PM
Register by Nov. 6
Student Fee: \$55 M / \$65 NM

Contour drawing is an essential technique in art because it provides a strong foundation for both drawing and painting. It is a method in which the artist outlines the shape, structure, and mass of a subject. The primary details and features are defined, while smaller details and value transitions are intentionally omitted.

In contour drawing, the artist focuses on accurately representing the edges and boundaries of forms—their “contours”—without relying on shading to create volume or depth. Instead, expression and structure are achieved through line quality.

The primary goal of this workshop is to explore the expressive potential of line by using thick, thin, lost, and found lines to describe form, space, and movement. In short, a single line can tell a story.



**SMALL WORKS,
BIG DISCOVERIES
WITH VALLERIE ALLEN**
November 14, 10 - 1 PM
Register by Nov. 6
Student Fee: \$55 M / \$65 NM

Discover how working small can transform your creative process! In this energetic three-hour workshop, you'll create three 5"×7" mixed media paintings using gel plate printing, collage, and acrylic painting. Working with a limited palette, you'll explore layering, composition, and intuitive mark-making while learning to rotate, edit, and build your paintings through experimentation. Along the way, Valerie Allen will offer spot critiques to encourage bold decisions and fresh ideas. Leave with three original paintings, new techniques, and renewed creative confidence. Supply list to be provided on registration.

TEEN/ADULT CLASSES

PAINT & SIP WITH EADI DIEBOLT

Wednesdays,
September 16
& December 16;
5:30 - 7:30 PM
Register by
Sept. 12 | Dec. 12
Student Fee:
\$40 M / \$50 NM



COWBOY COIN HATS WITH TONY HIRN

Thursday,
September 17;
6 - 8 PM
Register by Sept. 14
Student Fee:
\$35 M / \$45 NM

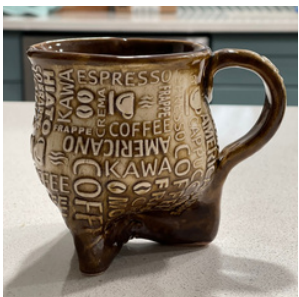


TEEN/ADULT CLASSES



MOSAIC ROCKS WITH JAN DILLON

Tuesday, September 22;
6 - 8:30 PM
Register by Sept. 18
Student Fee: \$40 M / \$50 NM



CLAY TRI-MUGS WITH DAWN DELANEY

Thursdays,
October 8; 6 - 8 PM,
October 15; 6 - 7 PM,
October 22; 6 - 8 PM
Register by Oct. 3
Student Fee: \$62 M / \$72 NM



COIN RINGS WITH TONY HIRN

Thursday, October 15;
6 - 8:30 PM
Register by Oct. 12
Student Fee: \$35 M / \$45 NM



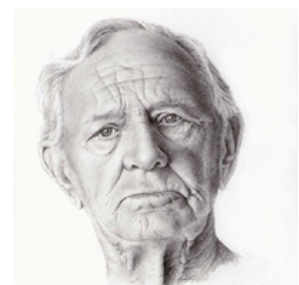
NATURE PHOTOGRAPHY WITH MICHAEL HALL

Friday, October 16;
3 - 6 PM
Register by Oct. 12
Student Fee: \$35 M / \$45 NM



STAINED GLASS WITH BETH COX

Wednesdays, October 21,
28, & November 4; 1 - 4 PM
Register by Oct. 18
Student Fee: \$75 M / \$85 NM



DRAWING THE FACE WITH MARLENE WOOD

Thursday, October 22;
9:30 AM - 12 PM
Register by Oct. 17
Student Fee: \$45 M / \$55 NM



PAINTING WITH A PALETTE KNIFE WITH MARLENE WOOD

Thursday, October 22;
1 - 3:30 PM
Register by Oct. 17
Student Fee: \$45 M / \$55 NM



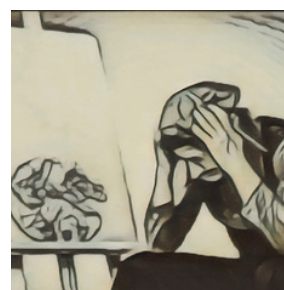
FUSED GLASS WITH BETH COX

Saturday, October 24; 1 - 4 PM
Register by Oct. 22
Student Fee: \$60 M / \$70 NM



FIBER COILING WITH JESSICA SHIELDS OF UPCYCLED HIPPIE

Thursday, November 5;
6 - 7:30 PM
Register by Nov. 1
Student Fee: \$22 M / \$32 NM



A NEW VIEW WITH ALICE HERBST

Thursday, November 12;
10 AM - 12:30 PM
Register by Nov. 8
Student Fee: \$20 M / \$30 NM



SILVERWARE JEWELRY WITH TONY HIRN

Thursday, November 19;
6 - 8:30 PM
Register by Nov. 14
Student Fee: \$33 M / \$43 NM



CLAY ORNAMENTS WITH DAWN DELANEY

Thursdays, December 3 & 10;
6 - 8 PM
Register by Dec. 1
Student Fee: \$47 M / \$57 NM

YOUTH CLASSES



HOMESCHOOL ART WITH MARY & BETTY NYBERG

Mondays,
September 14, 21, 28;
October 5, 12, 19, 26;
November 2, 9, 16, 30;
December 7 & 14;
9:30 - 10:30 AM
Ages: 1 - 8 Grade
Student Fee:
\$100 for the series
or \$10 per session



TODDLER ART WITH MARY & BETTY NYBERG

Fridays, September 18, 25;
October 2, 9, 16, 23;
November 6, 13, 20;
December 4, 11, 18;
9:30 - 10:30 AM
Ages: Walking - 4 years
Student Fee: \$5 per session



GINGERBREAD WORKSHOP

Saturday, December 12;
11 - 1 PM
Ages: 5 & Up
Student Fee: \$15
Price includes entrance into
Santa's Workshop after class.

LIFESTYLE CLASSES



SPOOKY MACARONS

Wednesday, October 28;
6 - 7:30 PM
Register by Oct. 23
Student Fee:
\$40 M / \$50 NM



ADVANCED SUSHI WITH ANDREW HIRN

Wednesday, November 4;
6 - 8 PM
Register by Oct. 30
Student Fee:
\$42 M / \$52 NM



SUSHI PART 2 WITH ANDREW HIRN

Friday, December 4;
6 - 8 PM
Register by Nov. 30
Student Fee:
\$40 M / \$50 NM

EVENTS



Join us for food, music, and prizes! We've made this event fun for the whole family. Enjoy live entertainment from 5:30 - 10 PM, and together we can "Raise the Roof"!

Celebrate how far we have come since the May 15 fire last year. Our community has stepped up and helped us to get where we are now, please continue to support us and come see how the rebuild is progressing.

Proceeds from this fundraiser will go towards covering additional costs that come with restoring a historic building that is near and dear to our hearts and the community as a whole.

Drinks: Alcoholic beverages can be purchased from the bar outside. Soda will be available by donation indoors.

Activities: Stuffed Bird Decorating with the Van Beek's, Rock Painting hosted by one of our talented volunteers, Bucket Raffles with fabulous prizes and our Pie-in-the-Face Donation Drive.

Live Music on the Escanaba DDA Stage:
Wingin' It from 5:30 - 7:30 PM;
The Make-Believe Spurs from 7:30 - 9:30 PM

At 9:40 PM we'll announce the winner of the Pie-in-the-Face and then the "pie-ing" will commence.

Block Party
September 4; 5 - 10 PM
Tickets: \$10 in advance &
at the door.
Free Admission for First
Responders & Kids Under 5!

YOOPER POETRY SLAM
November 5, 6 - 8 PM

Free to participate and donations are welcome. Prizes to be awarded to the top three poets. Check our website for more details



*Holiday Arts
& Craft Fair*

Saturday, November 7
10 am - 3 pm

This annual tradition is a great way to kick off your holiday shopping. Support local artists, catch up with friends, and maybe even win a bucket raffle or two.

SANTA'S WORKSHOP
December 12, 1 - 4 PM
\$5 per person

Welcome to Santa's Workshop! Join us for an afternoon of festive activities. Indulge in our delicious hot chocolate bar before snapping a family photo with Santa! Mrs. Claus will be hosting a cookie decorating station, and the elves will guide you through crafting your own Christmas tree ornament!

Visit the Kasota gift shop for a variety of locally made, unique, gifts and be sure to swing through the gallery and check out the Northern Exposure exhibit. As an added bonus we'll even have a self-serve gift wrapping station to make sure your gift stays a surprise.

Entry will be \$5 per person, and in the spirit of giving we will be collecting nonperishable food item(s) for Bay College's Student Pantry throughout the month of December.

This event is a fun and festive way to help the Bonifas Arts Center rebuild after the fire. All monetary donations are greatly appreciated.



**VOLUNTEER
APPRECIATION MEAL
AND ANNUAL MEETING**

**Date will be advertised
closer to the event,
5 - 7 PM (food served
until 6:30 pm)**

The Bonifas Arts Center staff would like to thank all those that have helped us throughout the year. Whether you assisted with an event, teaching a class, setting up the gallery, front desk work, or any of the dozens of other jobs that need to be done to help keep the Bonifas running like clockwork, we want to say thank by letting us do the cooking. But it won't be just a meal, we'll also be announcing our Volunteer of the Year and our Benedict Honorees. We'll also take time to reflect on the accomplishments of the past 12 months and look forward to what we can achieve together in the coming year. The Bonifas wouldn't be what it is without your dedication. Thank you

EVENTS

Waterfront Art Festival 2026 Winners:

Best in 3D: Island Girl Glass
 Best in Fiber: Generations Fiber Art
 Best in Jewelry: Kim's Art
 Best in Photography: MJW Designs & Things LLC
 Best in Mixed Media: Melissamyth Studio
 Best in Wood Working: Bob's Bowls & Boards
 Best in Painting/Drawing: Ingrid Tourangeau
 Best in Show: Island Girl glass

Thank you to everyone that came out to support the local artists and congratulations to our festival winners.



BONIFAS AFFILIATES



LITTLE BAY ZEN BUDDHIST SANGHA

Meets on Tuesdays at the Bonifas from 6:30 - 7:30 pm. They take a break from Memorial Day - Labor Day.

THE REMNANTS BARBERSHOP CHORUS

Keep up to date by going to facebook.com/The-Remnants-Barbershop-Chorus



PLAYERS DE NOC

Something exciting is always just around the corner with Players de Noc.

- New season starts out with *Stag Light* opening in October. Please check their website for tickets and performance dates.
- Get Involved: they have ongoing volunteer opportunities throughout the year. Questions about how to get involved? Email playersdenocinc@gmail.com
- Players de Noc is still looking for financial donations to update their lighting and sound instruments after the fire last May. Donations can be made through their website or by scanning the code:



For the latest updates and offerings, visit playersdenoc.org or follow them Facebook.



FRIENDS OF THE ESCANABA PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Friends of the Escanaba Library will be celebrating National Friends of Library Week October 18-24, 2026. Some exciting things are being planned throughout the week. Follow them on Facebook as details will be released!! For the most current information, please go to the Escanaba Public Library or check out their website: <https://escanabalibrary.org/friends-of-the-library/>

THE BAY DE NOC CHORAL SOCIETY

Are you a singer looking for a choir to join? Perhaps you are new to the area and looking for a fun way to meet new people. Consider joining the Bay de Noc Choral Society. They are a four part choir and sing a variety of classical and contemporary music including sacred, jazz, spirituals and more. Everyone is invited to join and there are no auditions. All parts are needed. They perform two concerts a year and will start back up this fall, beginning on September 15, for their Christmas concert-- which is slated for December 6. Call Patty for more information at 906-789-1590.

DUNGEONS & DRAGONS



MID-YOOP TTRPG PRESENTS DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS

First Sunday of each month; 5 - 9 pm
Meets in the Bonifas Upper Studio
Free to attend, donations encouraged

Led by Al Palmgren, this table top role playing game group meets the first Sunday of the month at the Bonifas to play Dungeons and Dragons and other table top games. No experience necessary. They even have pre-made characters to get you started!

For more information head to the Mid-Yoop TTRPG group on Facebook

UPCOMING EVENTS CALENDAR

Please note if a class is a series, only the start date of class is listed here. Please refer to the classes pages for the rest of the dates.

SEPTEMBER

3	GALLERY RECEPTION	6:00 - 8:00 PM
4	BLOCK PARTY	5:00 - 10:00 PM
14	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
14	ARTIST GATHERING	6:00 - 8:00 PM
16	PAINT & SIP	5:30 - 7:30 PM
17	COWBOY COIN HATS	6:00 - 8:00 PM
18	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
21	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
22	MOSAIC ROCKS	6:00 - 8:30 PM
25	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
28	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM

OCTOBER

2	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
5	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
5	ARTIST GATHERING	6:00 - 8:00 PM
8	CLAY TRI-MUGS	6:00 - 8:00 PM
9	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
9-12	ARTIST RETREAT	STARTS AT 11 AM
12	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
15	COIN RINGS	6:00 - 8:30 PM
16	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
16	NATURE PHOTOGRAPHY	3:00 - 6:00 PM
19	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
21	STAINED GLASS	1:00 - 4:00 PM
22	DRAWING THE FACE	9:30 AM - 12:00 PM
22	PALETTE KNIFE PAINTING	1:00 - 3:30 PM
23	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
24	FUSED GLASS	1:00 - 4:00 PM
26	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
28	SPOOKY MACARONS	6:00 - 7:30 PM

NOVEMBER

2	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
2	ARTIST GATHERING	6:00 - 8:00 PM
4	ADVANCED SUSHI	6:00 - 8:00 PM
5	YOOPER POETRY SLAM	6:00 - 8:00 PM
5	FIBER COILING	6:00 - 7:30 PM
6	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
7	HOLIDAY ART FAIR	10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
9	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
12	A NEW VIEW	10:00 AM - 12:30 PM
13	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
13	GALLERY RECEPTION	6:00 - 8:00 PM
14	CONTOUR DRAWING	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
14	SMALL WORKS	10:00 AM - 1:00 PM
16	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
19	SILVERWARE JEWELRY	16:00 - 8:30 PM
20	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
30	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM

DECEMBER

3	CLAY ORNAMENTS	6:00 - 8:00 PM
4	SUSHI PART 2	6:00 - 8:00 PM
4	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
7	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
7	ARTIST GATHERING	6:00 - 8:00 PM
11	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
12	GINGERBREAD	11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
12	SANTA'S WORKSHOP	1:00 - 4:00 PM
14	HOMESCHOOL ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM
16	PAINT & SIP	5:30 - 7:30 PM
18	TODDLER ART	9:30 - 10:30 AM

FREE LITTLE LIBRARY

While you're out and about this fall, stop by our free little library! You never know what you might find--maybe even your next great read!

Built and donated in loving memory of Peter D. Adamini



PAINTING PARTIES AT THE BONIFAS!

2 - 3 hours of Studio time for up to 10 people

Celebrating a birthday, bachelorette party, family reunion, etc.? Plan your next party, hullabaloo, or bash at the Bonifas! Enjoy creative time with friends and family by painting your own work of art. Our price includes all the supplies needed for your masterpiece! You'll have use of the studio and kitchen facilities. This is a fun and creative way to celebrate your special day! Painting parties are for kids and adults and for all occasions.

RENT THE BONIFAS



Have an event that you need a venue for? Look no further! Rent the Bonifas Studio for a great rate! Our studio has wood floors, high ceilings, a small stage with a baby grand piano, and a full kitchen for your party needs. Host your next event in our historic building located in downtown Escanaba. To check for availability, call 906-786-3833 and ask for Mariah, or email her at mariah.lee@bonifasarts.org.

FALL RAFFLE 2026

1ST PRIZE: \$1,000 CASH

2ND PRIZE:
\$500 CASH

3RD PRIZE:
\$200 CASH

4TH PRIZE:
\$100 CASH

TICKETS ON SALE AT THE BONIFAS!
~\$5 EACH ~

Monies raised from this raffle will be used to make some well needed upgrades to the Alice Powers Gallery. By purchasing a ticket you have the chance to win one of 4 Cash prizes and know that you'll be helping improve the Bonifas. Drawing will be held at the Bonifas Arts Center on November 13th at 7:30 pm. Need not be present to win.



New Price Increase & New Membership Levels began July 1

\$25 Student | \$40 Individual | \$60 Family
\$100 Patron (NARM)

North American Reciprocal Museum (NARM) benefits include discounts on admission and/or gift shop items at any participating institution in North America. For a list of NARM institutions, or to learn more about NARM, scan here:

- Patron level memberships do not include any day sponsor benefits



DID YOU KNOW?!

IF YOU HAVE AN ELMERS REWARDS CARD YOU CAN DONATE TO THE BONIFAS ARTS CENTER.



BECOME A MEMBER

INFORMATION:

Name: _____
Address: _____
City/ State/ Zip: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____

- ☐ Yes, I'm an artist! ☐ I'd like to volunteer! ☐ Send E-News
☐ Please remove me from bi-annual raffle mailings

PAYMENT METHOD: ___ Card ___ Cash ___ Check

Card # _____
Exp. Date: ____/____/____ CVV Code: _____
Signature: _____

MEMBERSHIP LEVELS:

- ☐ \$25 Student
☐ \$40 Individual
☐ \$60 Family
☐ \$100 Patron (NARM)

ADDITIONAL DONATION

\$ _____

- ☐ Check box if payment is donation only

TOTAL: \$ _____

*Day Sponsor Date(s): _____

In Honor / Memory of: _____

* Pick one Day Sponsor date for every \$100 DONATION
Day Sponsor not included with Patron Member Level

**THE EASIEST WAY
TO RENEW?
ONLINE AT
BONIFASARTS.ORG**

Office Use Only
Date Received: _____

Amt. Received: \$ _____

Check/TID: _____

Status: _____

Staff Ins: _____



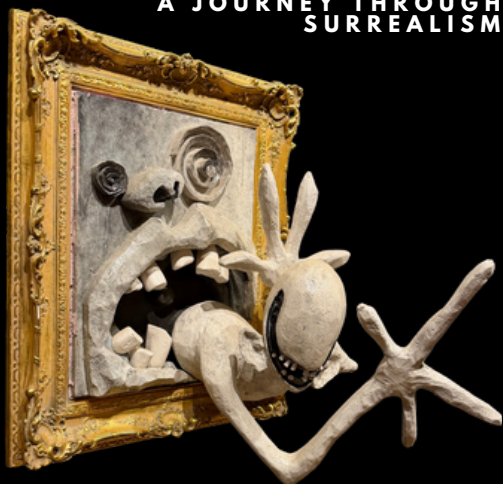
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WHAT WILL YOU DO AT THE BONIFAS?

BENDING REALITY

A JOURNEY THROUGH
SURREALISM



OPENING RECEPTION:
THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 3, 2026 | 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

FALL RAFFLE 2026

1ST PRIZE: \$1,000 CASH

2ND PRIZE:
\$500 CASH

3RD PRIZE:
\$200 CASH

4TH PRIZE:
\$100 CASH

TICKETS ON SALE AT THE BONIFAS!
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