



2024

57th Annual

ART

by the river

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The Fort Malden Guild of Arts and Crafts wishes to extend a heartfelt thank you to our dedicated Volunteers, the staff of Fort Malden NHSC, Friends of the Fort, The Town of Amherstburg Tourism and Public Works Departments for their help and our generous sponsors.



For your safety

In the event of an environmental occurrence, such as a severe thunderstorm, the Art by the River Committee may make the call to evacuate the grounds.

They will inform the public and vendors by megaphones and direct them to the nearest exit, as indicated in the program map. If this occurs, please **STAY CALM**, as you exit the grounds and please **DRIVE CAREFULLY** on your way home.

Welcome to Art by the River 2024!



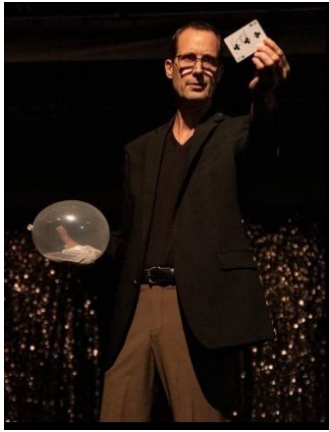
The Fort Malden Guild of Arts & Crafts/The Gibson Gallery welcomes you to our 57th annual Art by the River, an end of summer tradition. Started as a centennial project, Art by the River has grown, bringing over 170 artists and artisans, family entertainment and food vendors, to the grounds of Fort Malden Historical site the in beautiful town of Amherstburg. Our talented artists and crafters work in a variety of mediums to bring their unique creations to Art by the River. Funds raised this weekend at Art by the River help operate, maintain and restore Amherstburg's former railway station as an arts and crafts center with free admission.

Thank you for your support and please enjoy a beautiful summer day with the ARTS!

Childrens Entertainment

SATURDAY & SUNDAY
AUG 24th, 25th:

Magic Spectacular at 1 pm in Kid's Fun Zone Area



Enjoy the illusions of Craig Hind, master of the sleight of hand tricks!

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Entertainment



Enjoy the travelling troubadour entertainment of local entertainer Michael Greaves

L'il Artist Workshop



Kids, be creative then take a picture and share it on our Facebook page.

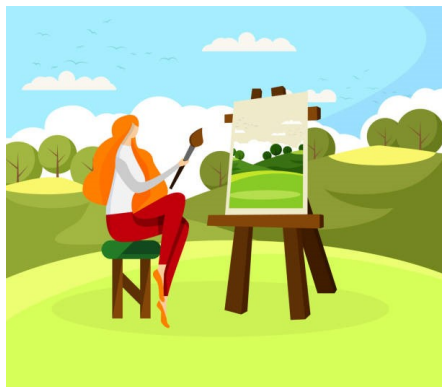
Draw a picture in the "L'il Artist Workshop"

Kids Fun Zone Behind Museum building, each day from 10am-4pm

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Plein Air Art Competition



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Private Wealth

Both Saturday and Sunday Plein Air Artists will be painting live throughout the venue. Stop and say "Hi!" Winners will be announced Sunday at 2 pm on Barracks Porch.

For your Eating Pleasure

Friends of the Fort– hamburgers, hotdogs, sausages, chips, pop
Located in Artist Alley

Cottam Candy– cotton candy, caramel apples, mini donuts,
lemonade
Located in Barracks Way

Parrothead Poppers – popcorn
Located in Barracks Way

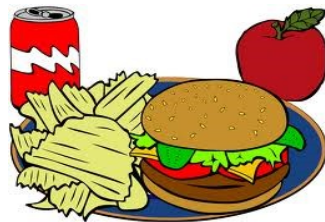
Bubble Tea Express – tea based drinks
Located in Barracks Way

Sizzler's Snack Shack– nachos, taco in a bag, fries, poutine
Located in Barracks Way

Nuccelli's Frozen Yogurt – frozen yogurt and smoothies
Located between Barracks Way and Cannon Ridge

Kona Ice – shaved ice treats
Located in River Walk

Elza's Gourmet– fried halloumi (fries and taco version)
Located in River Walk



Artists and Artisans (by area)

Artist Alley

Coaster Creations	Ceramics	AA1
beadKRap	Jewellery	AA2
Martina Obersat– Basket Maker	Home Décor	AA3
The Crafty Bee	Children Clothing/Access.	AA4
Dezigned for u	Wood	AA5
Cellar Door Arts	Fine Arts/Home Décor	AA6
Open Door	Home Décor	AA7
JamWorks Jams	Gourmet Food	AA8
Chelsie Amber Burkoski Art	Fine Art	AA9
Lunar Xpressions	Home Décor	AA10
Bubble Bake Shop	Soaps & Lotions	AA11
Lake Erie Pebble & Beach Glass	Glass	AA12
Art In Metal	Home Décor	AA13
Pieces of the Past	Fine Art	AA14
Cookies Underground	Gourmet Food	AA15
Leather Art	Leather	AA16
Gentle Wolf Collection	Clothing/fine Art	AA17
Fairy Wheat Creations	Fibre Art	AA18
Seasonal Crafts	Home Décor	AA19
Christine's Bake Shop	Gourmet Food	AA20
Faerhaven Personal Care Product	Soaps/Lotions	AA21
Designs by Sav	Clothing	AA22
Saoirse	Fine Art	AA23
Vincent & Jules	Home Décor	AA24

DD Designs 2021 Home Décor AA25

Lisa's Small Batch Everything Sauce Gourmet Food AA26

Barracks Way

Original Blend Pottery Pottery BW1

Victoria's Gallery Fine Art BW2

R.W. Studios Jewellery BW3

doggie delights Pet Products BW4

R & S Designs Clothing/Accessories BW5

Light Up Your Life Creations By Char Home Décor BW6

Lydia Joy Palmer Art + Design Fine Art BW8

Maribeads Jewelry Jewellery BW9

Joyful Creations Photo Albums BW10

JKD Custom Metal Works Metal BW11/12

Inner Soul Art Fine Art BW13

ollo/shhh_woww Jewellery BW14

Forest to Finish Wood BW15

L A Ceramics Ceramics BW16

Something Special Crochet Fibre Art BW17

Wreaths & More by Debi Home Décor BW18

Reddick Studio Porcelain Pottery BW19

Funky Buddha Collection Clothing BW20

That's Sew Sarah Clothing/Accessories BW21

Acorn Stitchery Home Décor BW22

Footpath Pottery Pottery BW23

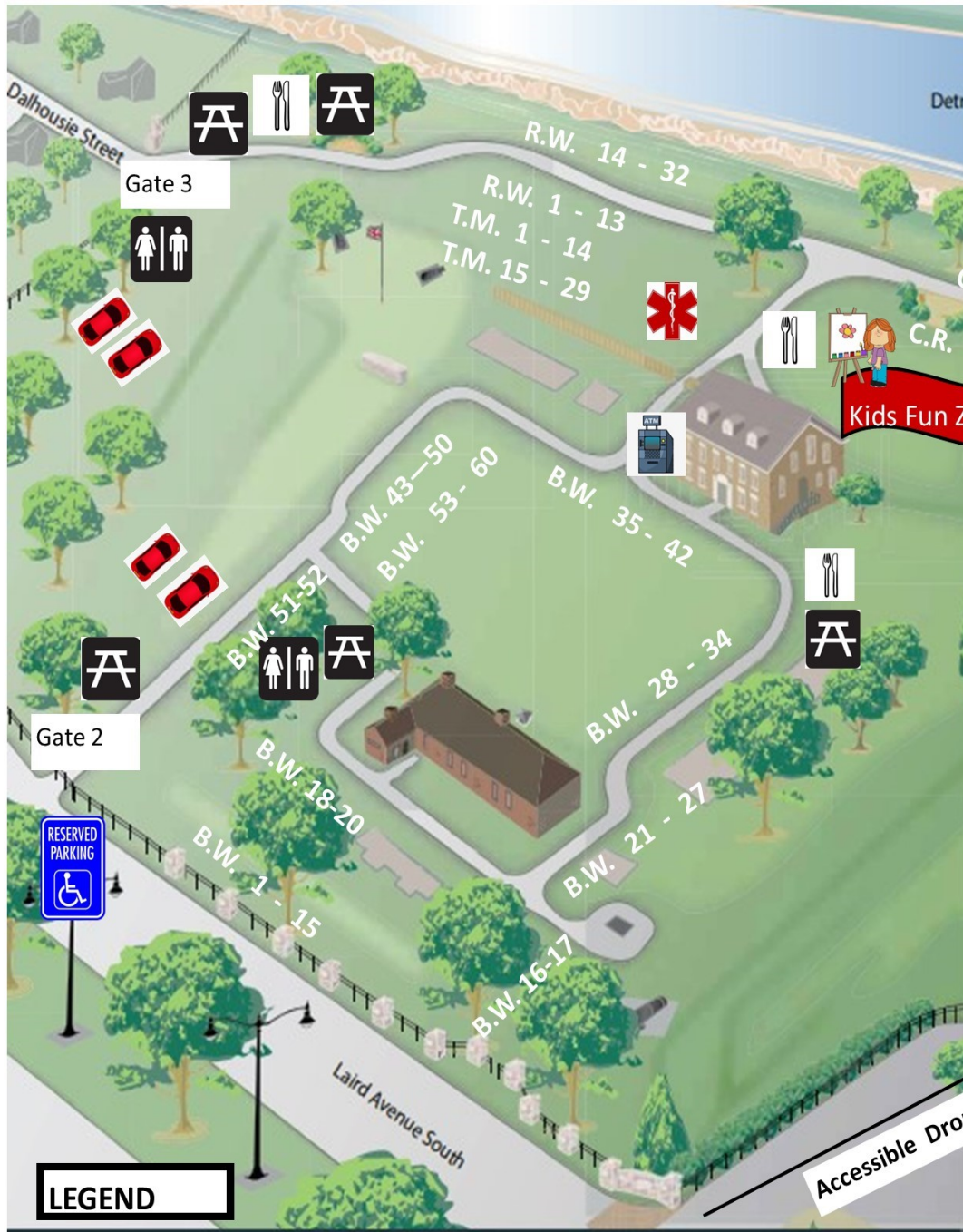
Pink Posies Bowtique Children BW24

You're Sew Sweet Fibre Art/Children BW25

Canadian Heritage Candles Candles BW26

Whimsy Glitter Pottery/Ceramics + BW27

Alice Welsh Pawttery	Pottery	BW28
CG Design Atelier	Jewellery	BW29
Mimi Jo Jo Creations	Fibre Art	BW30
Sweet Moments Cookie Co	Gourmet Food	BW31
Hollywood Original Art 2022	Fine Art	BW32
Madd Resin	Home Décor	BW33
Walkerville Candles	Candles	BW34
Emma's Dog Treats	Pet Products	BW35
Strudel Ladies	Gourmet Food	BW36
Bishop's Artwork Wonders	Fine Art	BW37
Beach Therapy Art	Home Decor	BW38
J&J Temple Photography	Photography	BW39
Vermeiren Art Always Eloquent	Fine Art/Glass	BW40
Mill Pond Loft Inc.	Home Décor	BW41
Baylis Girl Curls	Soaps/Lotions	BW42
Feminine Wiles Jewelery	Jewellery	BW43
Birk Boutique	Pottery/Ceramics	BW44
Dfife Art	Fine Art	BW45
On The Go For Fun	Children/Clothing	BW46
KatLin Kreations	Fibre Art/Pet Products	BW47
Artistically Inclined	Fine Art	BW48
I've Been Framed Laser Designs	Home Décor	BW49
Dave's Woodworking	Wood	BW50
The Little Petal Truck	Flowers	BW51
Sam Wink Acrylics	Fine Art	BW52
B's Goods	Metal	BW53/54
Erie Shells	Jewellery	BW55
Susan Harris Design	Clothing	BW56



LEGEND



ACCESSIBLE PARKING



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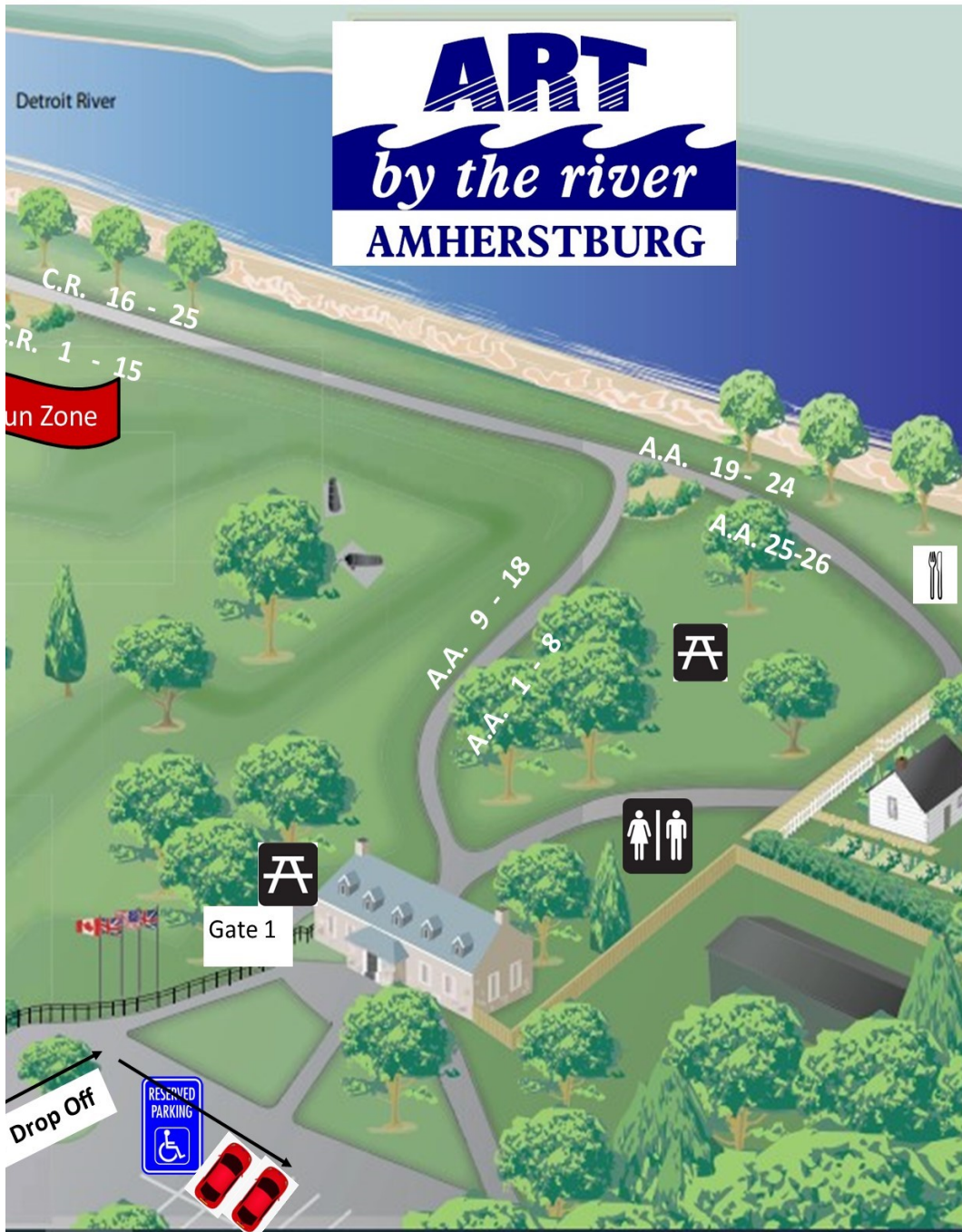
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L'IL ARTIST WORKSHOP



PICNIC TABLES



Kids Fun Zone Kids Fun Zone

 **FOOD**

 **PORTA-JOHNS**

 **VENDOR PARKING**

Cream Beanery Café and Bakery	Gourmet Foods	BW57
Kitchen Cat Textiles	Home Décor	BW58
Paul Dunn Fine Art	Fine Art	BW59
Higher Vibes Creations	Clothing/Accessories	BW60

Cannon Ridge

Designed 4 a Market of One	Wood	CR1
Earth and Fire	Pottery/Ceramics	CR2
Beke Jewellery Design Inc.	Jewellery	CR3
Jan's Ceramic Designs	Pottery/Ceramics	CR4
The Rooted Begonia	Glass/Accessories	CR5
Carnival of Kitsch	Fibre Art	CR6
Eyes to the Skies	Jewellery	CR7
Cary's Cutting Boards	Wood	CR8
Art by Madison PJ Young	Fine Art	CR9
Kevin + Sheryl Photography	Photography	CR10
Iris & Marnie	Jewellery	CR11
Creative Signs by Lany	Wood/Home Décor	CR12
Edmond Gagnon Author	Literary Arts	CR13
The Messy Bun Soap Company	Soaps/Lotions	CR14
RHCY	Fine Art	CR15
Amy Farkas Small Batch Ceramics	Pottery/Ceramics	CR16
Wood Alchemy	Wood	CR17
Karma Calm	Jewellery/Candles	CR18
River Rock Pottery	Pottery/Ceramics	CR19
Dip Dip Hooray!	Gourmet Food	CR20
Mary Ann Adam Author	Literary Art	CR21
Glass by Jo	Glass	CR22

Moringo's Gifts	Clothing/Accessories	CR23
Jewellery by Christine & Mike	Jewellery	CR24
D'Vinyl Designs	Home Décor	CR25

River Walk

Rustic Flame Metalwork	Metal	RW1/2
Crafty Chicks	Fibre Art	RW3/4
Akuku	Fibre Art	RW5
Sprucewood Handmade Cookie Co.	Gourmet Food	RW6
Amberela	Jewellery	RW7
Wood and Vine Windsor	Wood	RW8
Otters & Acorns 2023	Home Décor	RW9
Mona Sullivan Designs	Jewellery	RW10
Tracey's Creative Candles	Candles	RW11
Port Bruce Glass Arts	Glass	RW12
Paula's Handcrafted Jewellery	Jewellery	RW13
Designs by S.A.D.	Clothing/Accessories	RW14-16
Scatterbrain Creations by Paige & Mom	Fibre Art	RW17/18
John Schlarbaum Author	Literary Arts	RW19
Arts by Ash	Home Décor	RW20
Art Designs by Susan	Fine Art	RW21
My Choice Natural	Soaps/Lotion	RW22
Sun Sweet The Greek Chef	Gourmet Food	RW23
Jennie B Designs	Clothing/Accessories	RW24
Brand Dead	Clothing	RW25
K-Anne Creations	Clothing/Home Décor	RW26
Lake Bottom Art	Fine Art	RW27
Silver N Such	Jewellery	RW28/29

Elaine Craddock	Pottery/Ceramics	RW30
Wright By Design	Clothing/Accessories	RW31
The Crunchy Hammer	Metal/Accessories	RW32

The Moat

Erie Treasures Chainsaw Art	Wood	TM1
Ashley Hastings 2023	Fine Art	TM2
Carmen Caldwell	Fibre Art	TM3
Rustic Path Studios	Jewellery	TM4
M.E. Wellness Alternative	Soap/Lotion/Candle	TM5
Forever Fuzed Permanent Jewelry	Jewellery	TM6
Dorothy's Doll Folk	Soft Sculpture	TM7
Rusty Relics	Metal	TM8
2 Petite Boutique	Clothing/Décor	TM9
Sewing 4 You	Leather	TM10
From the Willows	Fine Art	TM11
Baked by Rita	Gourmet Food	TM12
Messy Acrylics	Fine Art	TM13
Wood N Things	Wood	TM14
Edge of the Woods Designs	Wood	TM15
Pawsitively a Dog Thing	Pet Products	TM16
Finishing Touches by Danese Dot Art	Fine Art	TM17
Blue Front Magnetics	Jewellery	TM18
Apron Strings & Pretty Things	Clothing/Accessories	TM19
Smashpaw	Pet Products/Metal	TM20
Springs Woodcraft & Gifts	Wood	TM21
SM Photos	Photography	TM22
Stitched by Dana	Fibre Art	TM23
Calliope's Art	Fine Art	TM24

Bonzai Gifts by Pet Nanny	Pet products	TM25
Everyday Pretties Co.	Jewellery	TM26
Speziale Fine Foods	Gourmet Food	TM27/28
Whispering Willow Garden Designs	Garden Décor	TM29

Kids Fune Zone

L'il Artist Workshop	Kids drawing
Scouts Canada	Kids Activities
Sunflower Face Painting	Face painting
Little Buddies	Kids Activities

Gibson Gallery upcoming exhibits

Off the Beaten Path: Artist Francis Lucier—August 5 to September 1

Off the Wall/On the Wall 2—Artists Robert McLellan and Stephen Gibb September 5 to October 13 with reception Sunday September 8

Rochambeau— Rock/Paper/Scissors— Artists Emma & Jody Fleming with reception Sunday September 29

Spectres & Spirits— A spiritual experience October 17 to November 3 with reception Sunday October 29

Holiday Artisan Shoppe: November 14– December 8–

Art by the River comes indoors, featuring gifts from 50 vendors.

Gallery Guilds

Tuesday mornings— The Gibson Girls needle guild

Wednesday afternoons— Wednesday needle guild

Wednesday evenings— The Quilting Bee quilt guild

Thursday afternoon— The Artist Station art guild

Thursday evening— Thursday night art guild

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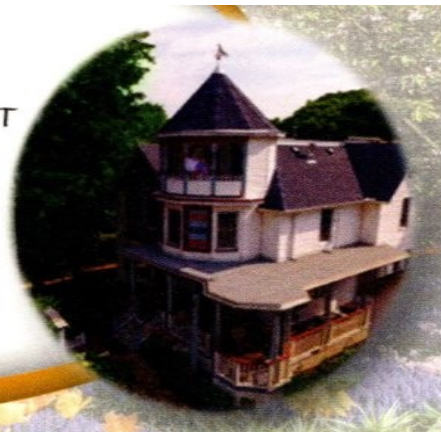
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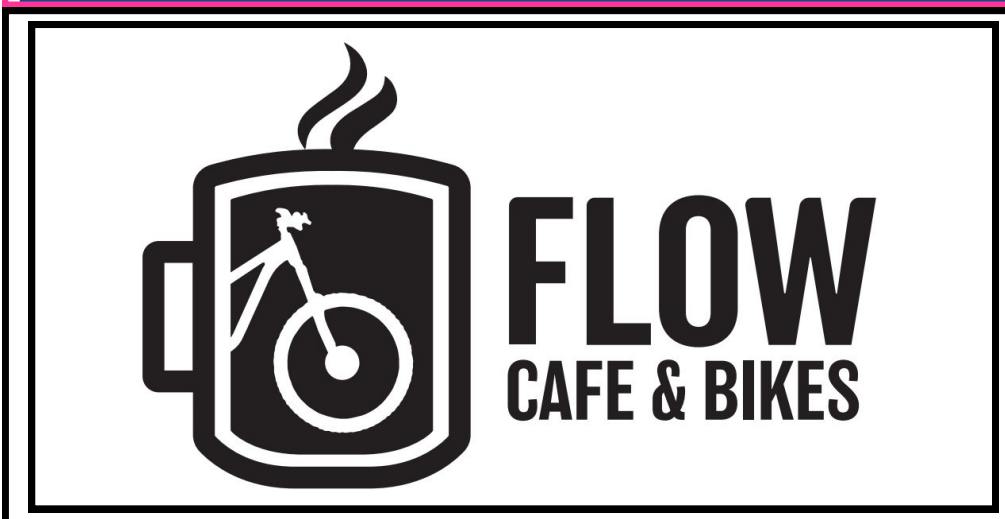


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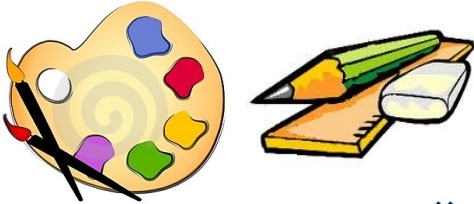
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Gibson Gallery Offerings

Childrens Art

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Adult Workshops

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Holiday Art

Christmas Event

Nov 14 -Dec 8 Thursday to
Sunday 11 am- 5 pm



Look for costumed interpreters at the Pensioners Cottage. Fort Malden Historic Site will also be running their mini militia display periodically throughout the weekend.



**Thank you to Fort Malden
National Historic Site, Parks
Canada, for being such a
spectacular venue to host Art by
the River for the past 57 years!**



Art by the River Through the Years





Who are the Fort Malden Guild of Arts and Crafts?

The Fort Malden Guild of Arts and Crafts is a charitable organization operating as the Gibson Gallery, founded in 1945 “to encourage and foster cultural development in the field of fine arts and applied arts”.

The Gibson Gallery building, located at 140 Richmond St, Amherstburg, is a former Michigan Central Railroad station built in 1896. The building has been renovated to its original Romanesque glory to house a public art and craft gallery, featuring towering ceilings, hardwood floors and bevelled fanlights. Our attached caboose serves as a museum of local railroad artifacts, memorabilia and history.

The Gallery offers a full season of exhibits by local artists and touring exhibits from Ontario galleries. Our unique Artisan Shoppe, art & craft lessons for children and adults, two needle guilds, two artist guilds and a quilting guild make this heritage site a vital center for the visual arts in our community.

Each year, the Gallery awards three \$500 scholarships to local students pursuing advanced education in visual arts. Visit the Gallery, become a member, join a guild or committee– get involved in the arts!

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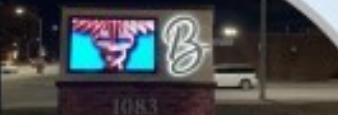


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