

Red Rock Center's June Calendar of Events

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Artists' of the Month – Michael Eischen, Comfrey



Michael is busy farmer living in Brown County, but his passion for the arts leads him to his sketchbook at least once every day. He enjoys watercolors and painting on canvas with acrylics in his spare time. For more complex paintings he uses his computer skills and Photoshop to piece together the images. He recently started experimenting with 3D printing, the process of making a three-dimensional solid object of virtually any shape from a digital model. He has a passion for history, landscapes and wildlife that he brings to life through his paintings.

Michael has displayed his work in the Brown County Museum, and dreams of becoming a full time artist in the future.

Stained Glass by Marie Schutter, Truman



Stained glass has become Marie Schutter's favorite creative outlet. Truman residents for the past 33 years, Marie and her husband, Tom decided two years ago to take stained glass classes at Sleepy Eye Glass. Marie found that the process of creating is almost as satisfying as the end product. With the wide range of colors, textures, and types of glass, creative options are nearly limitless.

Marie has sold pieces locally, done commissioned works, and most recently was chosen as a presenting artist at the Carnegie Art Center Juried Exhibition.

Sunday, June 9 • 7pm Hymn Fest

Come and sing your favorite non-denominational hymns. Free will donation

May, June 10 · 7 pm Annual Dinner & Entertainment



A 3 course chicken breast dinner will be served at 6 followed by a business briefing. Enjoy musical entertainment featuring the Mary Guentzel Quintet. The Quintet is a group of Minnesota based musicians who have joined together to play their renditions of the great standards from the 30's and 40's, along with select favorites from more recent decades.

The band centers around jazz singer Mary Guentzel. Mary is a talented vocalist with a pleasing voice. She loves to interact with her audience. You will not find

Mary behind a microphone stand but rather out among her audience. Mary is a true entertainer.

Dinner reservations required by Friday, June 7th. Please call 507-235-9262 or email your reservation to redrockcenter@frontiernet.net. Cost: \$10 per person

Saturday, June 15 · 11 am-2 pm

The Red Rock Center is hosting Experience the Native American Culture at Sylvania Park during Interlaken Heritage Days. Hear stories and see demonstration by a group of Native Americans from Pipestone. Explore your creative side painting life size totem poles created by the Fairmont High School Jr. High students. Along with our Native American art projects. Fun for all ages.

at 1:00 pm the Native American tribe will dance and drum in the band shell.

"This activity is made possible by the voters of Minnesota through a grant from the Prairie Lakes Regional Arts Council, thanks to a legislative appropriation from the Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund."

Tuesday, June 11 · Noon Lunch With the Arts program

Featuring Randy Yackle's voice and piano students. Bring a sack lunch if desired. Coffee will be provided. Free will donation.



Monday, June 17 · Big Band summer series begins

The Big Band series continues under the direction of Dick Bowdin. The band has something for everyone's enjoyment. The band will meet the third Monday in June-July-August. The public is welcome to attend and free will donation will be taken.

ART EDUCATION CLASSES AVAILABLE

Story Time Art Tuesday's



Each session will begin with a colorful tale to capture your imagination. Then go on an artistic adventure to create your own masterpiece using a variety of media and techniques. Includes snacks and last 10 minute of class a show and tell time (parents welcome).

Session A: Tuesday June 18: Fairy Tale Castle using watercolors (costumes welcome)

Session B: Tuesday, July 2: Fire in the shy using pastels

Session C: Tuesday, July 16: Our Fine Feathered Friends using watercolor/crayon resist.

Ages 3-6, 10:30-noon · Ages 7-12, 1pm-3pm

Cost: \$10.00/session or \$25.00 for all three

All About Me," Children's Scrapbook Class

Monday, June 10 · 6:30 Ages: 4-7 (must be accompanied by an adult)

Monday, July 8 · 6:30 Ages: 8-12



Create a keepsake that will bring pleasure for many years to come! Learn basic scrapbooking skills and create their own mini album to take home. Children should bring with them a selection of at least 12 4"x6" photos. Photo subjects can be school photos (can be wallet size), child with parent(s), child with siblings, grandparents or other relatives, friends, pets, child at play or with hobby (LEGOS, dolls stamp collecting, etc.), sports activities, dance or gymnastics class, holiday pictures, etc) Instructor: Julie Hendrickson. Cost: \$10.00

Pre-registration required through Community Ed & Recreation

<http://fairmont.revtrak.net> or by phone (507) 235-3141

Office Hours: Monday – Friday 10am-3pm
Extended Gallery Hours: Tuesday & Thursday until 6pm