FALL/WINTER
2022-2023

NICOLET LIVE!
ART GALLERY
SCHOOL OF THE ARTS
COMMUNITY CLASSES & EVENTS
LEARNING IN RETIREMENT
ARTS & ENRICHMENT AT NICOLET COLLEGE

Create something beautiful. Discover a new passion. Experience a live performance or engaging gallery exhibition.

Whatever your interests, Arts & Enrichment at Nicolet College offers something for everyone. We're committed to enriching communities by bringing regional and national art and cultural experiences to the Northwoods while also supporting local artists and organizations.

Our collaborations with ArtStart, the Northwoods Community Garden, WXPR Public Radio, and the Association of Wisconsin Artists have allowed us to offer an exciting line-up of fall and winter classes and events. We're proud to welcome you to Nicolet College as a place for our community. Thank you for being a part of our history and our future!
MOORS & McCUMBER CONCERT
SPONSORED BY WXPR
Saturday, August 20
Nicolet Theatre
Tickets are $25 and can be purchased at wxpr.org.
5:30 pm Pre-show cocktail reception with music by Stovepipe Stephens (cash bar)
7 pm Opener TBD
8 - 9:30 pm Moors & McCumber Concert
A vocal harmony duo 15 years in the making, Moors & McCumber have done more than just endear themselves to fans – they’ve built a genuine community. Bridging the gap between classic folk rock and present-day Americana, they write heartfelt songs directly inspired by life’s experiences. With their latest record, 2021’s ‘Survival,’ they have created some of their most compelling work to date. The sound of Moors & McCumber is adventurous, eclectic, and endlessly creative. Borrowing from rock, pop, blues, folk, and world music, the two multi-instrumentalists defy common logic and embrace spontaneity to bring their stories and songs to life. Their strong vocal harmonies and unconventional instrumentation combine to create a mesmerizing experience. At the center of it all is their evocative songwriting.

GENERATION QUARTET CONCERT
Thursday, September 22
7:30 pm
Nicolet Theatre
Tickets $10
Beer, wine, and concessions will be available for purchase beginning at 6:30 pm.

Generation Quartet is a newly formed Wisconsin-based professional saxophone quartet. This chamber ensemble features saxophonists Myles Boothroyd (UW-Stevens Point), David Hastings (UW-Stevens Point), Nicki Roman (UW-Milwaukee), and Drew Whiting (UW Oshkosh). With a refreshing look to the saxophone’s historic repertoire combined with a new focus on music of the present, Generation offers an engaging listening experience to audiences throughout Wisconsin and beyond. The ensemble fulfills this mission by including composers of varied and inclusive backgrounds and supports its outreach goal by providing professional concerts and educational opportunities. Generation brings to the stage and classroom combined training and experiences from the top-rated music programs and saxophone studios in the country. Their individual efforts to promote newly composed and newly discovered music include internationally recognized and reviewed performances, innovative recordings, commissions with significant composers, and captivating premieres.

TEDx NICOLET COLLEGE 2022
Friday, September 30
8:30 am - 1 pm
Nicolet Theatre
Tickets $15 (includes lunch)
TEDxNicoletCollege is back! This year’s theme is Origin Stories: Reflections from Our Northwoods Community. Together, these reflections will blend to create a kaleidoscope of our beautifully intertwined histories, backgrounds, experiences, identities, and more.

THE NICOLET PLAYERS PRESENT:
THE 25TH ANNUAL PUTNAM COUNTY SPELLING BEE
November 4 - 6, 10 - 13
7:30 pm or 2 pm on Sundays
Tickets $10 General Public / $8 Students and Seniors
Beer, wine, and concessions will be available for purchase for the evening shows, beginning at 6:30 pm.
Complimentary cookies and coffee will be provided during the Sunday matinees.
An eclectic group of sixth-graders vie for the spelling championship of a lifetime. While candidly disclosing hilarious and touching stories from their home lives, the tweens spell their way through a series of (potentially made-up) words, hoping never to hear the soul-crushing, pout-inducing, life un-affirming “ding” of the bell that signals a spelling mistake. Six spellers enter; one speller leaves! At least the losers get a juice box.

COMMUNITY HOLIDAY CONCERT
Sunday, December 11
2 pm
Nicolet Theatre
Free Admission
Complimentary cookies and coffee will be provided during the concert. Non-perishable food and monetary donations for local food pantries are welcome at the door.
Talented musicians from area groups join forces again to bring you this annual holiday tradition. Your seasonal favorites will be performed by the Rhinelander Area Community Band, Northwoods Choraliers, Rhinelander Male Chorus, and the Hymns and Hyrs.

ORDER TICKETS ONLINE
nicoletlive.com
Select your seats and order tickets online 24 hours a day. Tickets ordered online can be printed at home, displayed on your mobile device at the door, or held for will call at the Box Office.

ORDER TICKETS BY PHONE
715.365.4646 or 800.544.3039 ext 4646
Phone hours are 8 am - 5 pm (7 days a week). Tickets ordered by phone will be held for will call at the Box Office.
The **Nicolet Art Gallery** in the Northwoods Center features a variety of vibrant shows in a wide range of media. The gallery serves as both a community gathering space and teaching lab with Nicolet art students using the displays for reference and study.

The gallery is open Monday - Thursday (6 am - 6 pm), Fridays (6 am - 5 pm), and Saturdays (8 am - 2 pm). We look forward to seeing you!

FIBER F(r)iends Exhibition

August 15 - October 1
Opening Reception: Thursday, August 18
5 - 7 pm
Nicolet Art Gallery
Free Admission – No advanced registration required

After 10 years of creativity and friendship, Fiber F(r)iends welcomes the opportunity to present new work for public viewing in the Nicolet Art Gallery. This innovative exhibition will include fiber pieces from member artists Colleen Ansbaugh, Jan Dietrich, Pat Gaska, Lynn Gilles, Arlene Lueck, Emmy Nitzel, Helen Tumas, and Gale Willcox, as they responded to a number of artistic challenges inspired by art and poetry, various materials, and working in the style of Frank Lloyd Wright. Fiber F(r)iends is a gathering of artists who meet monthly to share work, discuss new techniques and books related to fiber arts, plan exhibitions, and learn from others in the fiber arts community.

KEN JUON EXHIBITION: ESSAYS AND PORTRAITS

October 10 - November 23
Opening Reception: Thursday, October 13
5 - 7 pm
Nicolet Art Gallery
Free Admission – No advanced registration required

Artist Ken Juon uses words as the primary medium on his painted wooden panels. He uses them in the way other artists use paint, pencil, plaster, or stone as a medium. Individual words, as well as simple, declarative phrases or sentences, are used to introduce his topics. He employs humorous, curious, sometimes ambiguous, and even mysterious statements to invite the viewer to engage with the ideas. Factual statements, clichés, commercial jargon, and visual imagery are all tools used to layer the ideas and add depth and to tap into the viewer’s personal experience and memory. At its core, each work presents an attitude. Each piece is informed by the belief that attitude shapes behavior, which in turn influences action.

Juon’s work will be on view in the Nicolet Art Gallery and at several installation sites throughout the campus.

THE ART OF AUTOMOTIVE EXHIBITION

December 12 - January 28
Opening Reception: Thursday, December 15
5 - 7 pm
Nicolet Art Gallery
Free Admission – No advanced registration required

Introducing the first in a series of exhibitions highlighting the intersection of Nicolet’s occupational programs and the creative arts, The Art of Automotive will bring together an eclectic group of artists’ creations on the subject of vehicles, as a nod to the Automotive Technician programs at Nicolet College. See this show to be riveted by expressions of automobile romance and aesthetics of the past, present, and future. You’ll find inspiration in the beauty inherent in the mechanical and technical aspects of the automotive industry.

WISCONSIN REGIONAL ART PROGRAM EXHIBITION

February 6 - April 1
Opening Reception: Thursday, February 9
5 - 7 pm
Nicolet Art Gallery
Free Admission – No advanced registration required

Artist Workshop: Saturday, April 1
10 am - 2 pm
Nicolet Art Gallery
Free for exhibiting artists

Anyone 18 years or older is invited to submit art for the Wisconsin Regional Art Program (WRAP) exhibit, which will culminate in a day-long artist workshop including a lecture or demonstration and educational critique. Meritorious work selected from the numerous regional exhibits around the state will be displayed at the Annual State Art Exhibit in Madison.

WRAP exhibits/workshops began in 1940 as an outreach program of UW-Madison, to encourage the creative growth of Wisconsin non-professional artists from rural areas. Now administered by the Association of Wisconsin Artists, WRAP exhibits/workshops are held throughout the year in over twenty-five locations all around the state.

To submit artwork, register online at wiscartists.wildapricot.org or contact 715.365.4544 for more information.
After a two-year hiatus, the School of the Arts (SOTA) will once again be held in the Northwoods. Building on the 50-year SOTA tradition, ArtStart and Nicolet College are teaming up to bring an exciting array of hands-on art workshops, demonstrations, and special events that coincide with the Project North Festival in downtown Rhinelander.

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:**  
**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15 - SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18**

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**OPTION 1**  
Ala carte selection of classes and events.  
Thursday afternoon workshop: $50  
Thursday evening panel discussion/happy hour: $25  
Friday morning workshop: $75  
Saturday morning workshop: $75  
Sunday brunch event: $35

**OPTION 2**  
SOTA all access pass - Includes all classes and events listed above: $225  
($35 savings on all classes)

**OPTION 3**  
SOTA all access pass + Project North Festival 2-day pass: $285  
THE FULL EXPERIENCE! Truly enhance your SOTA experience with a festival of eclectic concerts, thought-provoking art and inspired food with a focus on sustainable living and practices in Downtown Rhinelander.  
ProjectNorth.org  
($50 savings on cost of festival pass and all classes)

Discounted lodging for SOTA students is available at Holiday Acres Resort in Rhinelander.  
Contact 715-369-1500 or info@holidayacres.com for further lodging info.

**FOR MORE INFO**  
nicoletcollege.edu/arts

**CRAFT YOUR EXPERIENCE!**  
REGISTER ONLINE  
nicoletce.tix.com

**SCHOOL OF THE ARTS WRAP-UP BRUNCH**  
at Holiday Acres Resort

**SCHOOL OF THE ARTS**  
SEPTEMBER 15-18, 2022

**RHINELANDER**
Community Education Classes and Events

Whether you want to broaden your horizons or find a creative outlet, our non-credit community education classes and events will enrich your routine activities, allow you to meet new people, and explore new interests and skills.

Register at nicoletce.tix.com.

MOSAIC ART
Mondays and Wednesdays, October 24 - November 14
6 sessions (no class on October 31)
5 - 8 pm
Nicolet College, Tamarack Center 211, Rhinelander
Instructor: Mary Tyler
Maximum 8 students
$100 (includes all supplies)

Learn the skills needed to create an art mosaic project. Students will be shown various substrates (surfaces) and tesserae (tiles, glass, broken dishes, beads, etc.) to complete their own projects such as picture frames, mirrors, and holiday décor. At the first class, we will discuss additional supplies you may wish to bring to use in your projects. Students are encouraged to bring their own safety glasses, scissors, tweezers, small flat boxes to carry supplies, and a bucket (any size).

STAINED GLASS
Tuesdays and Thursdays, October 25 - November 10
6 sessions
5 - 8 pm
Nicolet College, Tamarack Center 213, Rhinelander
Instructor: Mary Tyler
Maximum 10 students
$100 (includes all supplies)

Let the light shine through stained glass art you’ve created yourself, while you develop and refine your techniques and complete a colorful work of art. Learn to cut, fit, and solder stained glass using lead foil techniques. This course is open to students of all skill levels, including beginners. Please bring scissors to the first session.

WINTER SOLSTICE IN THE GARDEN COMMUNITY CELEBRATION
Wednesday, December 21
5 - 9 pm
Northwoods Community Garden at Nicolet College
Free admission

Welcome the return of the light on the darkest day of the year in the Northwoods Community Garden. Wisconsin winters give us good reason to find warmth and light by gathering together, braving the cold, and participating in solstice folk traditions. Sip hot beverages while watching this year’s art in the garden fire marking the end of the 2022. This event is hosted in partnership with the Northwoods Community Garden.

STUDIO CERAMICS
Wednesdays, September 14 - October 26
6 sessions (no class on October 12)
5:30 - 8:30 pm
Lakeland Union High School, Ceramics Lab 119, Minocqua
Instructor: Leah Trojan
Maximum 12 students
$100 (includes all supplies)

Be creative in a relaxed, open ceramics studio with guidance designed to give you hands-on experience working with clay and designing your own pottery. Beginners will learn how to shape clay in a variety of ways including hand-building techniques and wheel throwing. Returning students will expand their abilities and take on new independent projects. Functional and sculptural aspects of clay will be explored along with firing, decorating, and glazing processes. All clay, glaze, firing, and tools included.

BEGINNING WHEEL THROWING
Mondays, October 3 - November 21
8 sessions
6 - 9 pm
Nicolet College, Tamarack Center 211, Rhinelander
Instructor: Betsy Popp
Maximum 10 students
$145 (includes all supplies)

Beginning students will learn how to shape clay by throwing on the wheel to create a variety of items such as plates, bowls, and vases. Each session will start with a demonstration and then students will have the rest of the class to perfect that project. Students will make up to 15 items not to exceed 50 pounds of clay. Cost includes clay, firing, glazing, and use of available tools.

ADVANCED CERAMICS
Wednesdays, October 5 - November 23
8 sessions
6 - 9 pm
Nicolet College, Tamarack Center 211, Rhinelander
Instructor: Betsy Popp
Maximum 10 students
$165 (includes all supplies)

Personal growth and creativity are celebrated in this independent working environment of intermediate ceramists. Students are encouraged to be creative and are invited to explore and expand areas of individual interest. You will have a hands-on experience working with clay and designing your own pottery. The cost includes 150 pounds of clay or 25 items, firing, glazing, and use of available tools.
REFLECTIONS ON RHINELANDER HISTORY
(IN PERSON)
Friday, September 16
1 pm
Nicolet College, Tamarack Center 110
Author and Rhinelander native, Mark Miazga will share Rhinelander history information from various eras with colorful topics from his two books. He will include the John Dillinger shootout at Little Bohemia, presidential campaign visits, baseball and basketball highlights, paper mill, brewery, major fires, and more.

MIDWIFERY IN ALASKA AND SOUTH AMERICA (IN PERSON)
Wednesday, October 19
10 am
Nicolet College, Tamarack Center 110
Joan Junge will discuss her journey as a midwife. She was a Peace Corps volunteer in the Andes and attended home births among the Quechua people in Ecuador, South America. She’ll also describe her adventures, over twenty-five years, as a midwife in rural Alaska among the Inupiat and Yupik natives.

THE MYSTERY OF THE EDMUND FITZGERALD (VIRTUAL/RECORDED)
Thursday, November 10
1 pm
Nicolet College, Northwoods Center 207-209
Ray Stocking, a lifelong admirer of the Great Lakes shipping industry and history buff will discuss the tragedy of the S.S. Edmund Fitzgerald, an American Great Lakes Freighter that sank in a Lake Superior storm on November 10, 1975 – an event that dominated national headlines and has become a fixture of Great Lakes culture and history. We’ll engage in a historical review of the Edmund Fitzgerald, with photos, video, and music accompanying the presentation. We’ll examine the specific details of the Fitzgerald’s final journey that ultimately took the lives of all 29 crew members. We’ll also delve into a summary of the investigation that followed this tragic event and the multiple theories about what caused the ship to sink so suddenly, without any distress calls.

CED VIG NATURE SERIES (IN PERSON AND VIRTUAL/RECORDED)
Wednesdays, September 14 and 21, October 12 and 26
4 sessions
9:30 am
Nicolet College, Northwoods Center 207-209 and Zoom
“Nothing meant more to Ced Vig than making sure his weekly Wisconsin Woodsmoke column was packed with interesting facts and anecdotes about Northwoods nature,” wrote Ced’s son Bob in a eulogy accompanying Ced’s last column in the New Richmond paper. His column also ran in the Rhinelander paper. Our lecture series will be packed with interesting facts including the effects of climate change on inland and Great Lakes fisheries, how climate change has and will continue to affect northern Wisconsin forests, plus the fascinating topic of animal tongues and how they have adapted to what the animal eats. The final talk will uncover how earthworms as an invasive species alter the ecosystems where they are found.

LEARNING IN RETIREMENT (LIR) at Nicolet College is “A Place Where Learning Never Retires!” LIR is a membership-based organization created for and directed by retired and semi-retired Northwoods residents. The program offers compelling and diverse short-term learning experiences in a relaxed, informal environment. Fall classes begin September 9 and are free with your annual membership. Both in-person and virtual options are available.
A fall kick-off event for members and guests will be held on September 8.
The annual membership fee is just $45, and new members can join anytime.
Go to nicoletcollege.edu/lir to learn more. A partial fall class list follows.