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We met while doing art shows back in the 1980's. Together we logged in many hours behind the paint brush and in our art show booth greeting customers. Our experience taught us the importance of knowing which shows were good and which shows we should avoid. Sometimes this was simply by trial and error, other times we depended on the advice of our fellow artists. What we have learned is that one man's bad art show is often another crafters good show.

Each show we attended had exhibitors who were doing either well or not so well. We are publishing the Midwest Art & Craft Show Directory so that you, the Artists and Crafters can have the most up to date, error free listings of shows and festivals in the Midwest. By using our web sites data, collected over the past 11 years, and by calling and e-mailing thousands of promoters we have created an Art & Craft show directory that we can be proud of.

The Midwest Art & Craft Show Directory is a publication that can help you find that perfect show to sell your artwork. Knowing where and when the shows are is half the battle. We are pleased to offer this great tool to help you increase your sales at some of the Midwest's best shows.

We also publish the Michigan Art & Craft Show Directory which features over 400 Michigan Shows. Please note that the Midwest Show Directory does not have any Michigan Shows. If you plan on doing the Michigan Shows, we suggest ordering the Michigan Directory. *Order both and we will give you a discount.*

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About The Jury Process

As you use the Midwest Art & Craft Show Directory, you will find that we use several words and phrases in our notes on shows. A few clarifications are as follows:

Jury all after deadline (The group has a deadline and will jury all of the artists at one time, picking the ones that will be accepted.)

Jury as received. (A person or committee will look at applications as they come in. They will then ok or reject the applicant.

Not juried. The promoters will not look at pictures. If you apply they will accept you. Please note that if they say (handcrafted only) they could reject you at the show if you have imported items. It is best, even if the show is not juried, to send a picture along of your display. This will probably not be returned, but will let them know what you are selling.

Art & Craft Show Listing By Date

This listing of Art and Craft shows by date is ideal for finding an Art or Craft show to fill an opening in your schedule. The list is by date, then city of event, and name of the event. At the back pages of this issue we have included another listing of events which is in the order of City, then by date and name of event. You can use these two listings to quickly locate art shows without having to thumb through each months listing.

Contact information and details on each show is included in the monthly listings.

Date Start - End	City	Event Name
ILLINOIS		
01/30/10 01/31/10	Antioch	IL Antioch's Winter Arts and Crafts Faire
01/30/10 01/31/10	Wheaton	IL Cabin Fever Arts and Crafts Show
02/05/10 02/07/10	Aurora	IL Fox Valley Art & Craft Show
03/05/10 03/07/10	Calumet City	IL River Oaks Center Arts & Craft Show
03/06/10 03/06/10	Mt Zion	IL Mt Zion Grade School Spring Craft Show
03/06/10 03/06/10	Schaumburg	IL Schaumburg HS Spring Art & Craft Fair
03/06/10 03/07/10	St. Charles	IL Saint Charles Festival of Arts & Crafts
03/06/10 03/07/10	Troy	IL TABC Spring Craft Fair
03/13/10 03/13/10	Palatine	IL 18th Annual Spring Craft Fair
03/14/10 03/14/10	Crystal Lake	IL Crystal Lake Festival of Arts & Crafts
03/14/10 03/14/10	Palatine	IL Palatine Festival of Arts and Crafts
03/20/10 03/20/10	Bloomington	IL Spring Bloom Arts Festival
03/26/10 03/28/10	Joliet	IL Westfield Louis Joliet Mall Arts & Craft Show
03/27/10 03/28/10	Grayslake	IL Grayslake Festival of Arts and Crafts
04/01/10 04/04/10	Bloomington	IL Stratford Square Spring/Easter Show
04/10/10 04/10/10	Palos Heights	IL Alan B. Shepard Spring Arts, Crafts & Vendor Show
04/16/10 04/18/10	Rockford	IL Cherryvale Mall
04/17/10 04/17/10	Manhattan	IL Manhattan Chamber of Commerce Business Expo and Craft Show
04/21/10 04/24/10	Arthur	IL Spring Quilt Show
04/23/10 04/25/10	Carbondale	IL Southern Illinois Irish Festival
04/23/10 04/25/10	Villa Park	IL Spring Festival, An Arts & Crafts Affair
04/23/10 04/25/10	West Dundee	IL Spring Hill Mall arts and crafts show
05/01/10 05/02/10	Elmhurst	IL Elmhurst Art Museum's Fourteenth Art in the Park
05/07/10 05/09/10	Aurora	IL Fox Valley Mall Art & Craft Show
05/08/10 05/08/10	Park Ridge	IL 20th Annual An Arts & Crafts Adventure
05/08/10 05/09/10	Peoria Heights	IL Illinois Art League Fine Art Fair
05/14/10 05/16/10	Belleville	IL Art on the Square
05/15/10 05/15/10	West Chicago	IL West Chicago Blooming Fest
05/15/10 05/16/10	Oak Park	IL Oak Park Art in the Park
05/15/10 05/16/10	Springfield	IL Springfield Old Capitol Art Fair
05/22/10 05/23/10	Riverside	IL Riverside Arts Fair
05/28/10 05/30/10	Chicago Ridge	IL Westfield Chicago Ridge Spring Show
05/29/10 05/30/10	Barrington	IL Barrington Art Festival

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1 • Set Up Times: 3pm Friday • Electricity Available?: No • RV Parking Available?: Ask • Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?: NO • Flea Market Items Allowed?: NO • Promoters Comments:

06/11/10 - 06/13/10

Chicago, IL

Ribfest Chicago • Location: 4000 N. Lincoln Ave. • Event Type: Rib Festival With Vendors • Show Hours: Friday, June 11, 5-10 PM; Saturday, June 12 and Sunday, June 13, Noon-10 PM • Total Spaces: 110 • Admission Charge: • Contact: Big Buzz Idea Group, 3821 W. Wallen Avenue, Lincolnwood, IL, 60712 • Phone: 847-677-8273 • Email: melissa@bigbuzzideagroup.com • Fax: • Web Site: www.ribfest-chicago.com • Applications Sent When: Application online now • Deadline: Late fee applies after May 14, 2010 • Indoor or Outdoor: Outdoor • Years For Event: 12 • Space Sizes: 10x10 • Cost: \$200 for Handcrafted / \$300 General Merchant • Past Attendance: 50,000 for festival • Juried?: Not juried • Photographs Required?: No • When Notified: ASAP • Set Up Times: Will advise upon acceptance • Electricity Available?: Ask • RV Parking Available?: Ask • Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?: Yes • Flea Market Items Allowed?: Ask • Promoters Comments:

06/11/10 - 06/13/10

Lincolnwood, IL

Lincolnwood Town Center Art and Craft Show • Location: Lincolnwood Town Center • Event Type: Art and Crafts Mall Show • Show Hours: Fri 10-9, Sat 10-7, Sun 11-6 • Total Spaces: • Admission Charge: • Contact: Heartland Creative, Herb Adler/Peg Sancya, 3232 Ridge Rd Suite 2, Lansing, IL, 60438 • Phone: 708-895-3710 • Email: heartlandcreative@yahoo.com • Fax: • Web Site: www.heartlandcreative.com • Applications Sent When: • Deadline: • Indoor or Outdoor: Inside • Years For Event: 3 • Space Sizes: • Cost: \$220 • Past Attendance: • Juried?: • Photographs Required?: Yes • When Notified: • Set Up Times: • Electricity Available?: • RV Parking Available?: • Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?: • Flea Market Items Allowed?: • Promoters Comments:

06/12/10 - 06/12/10

Chicago, IL

Old Town Art Fair • Location: Old Town Neighborhood • Event Type: Fine Art and Crafts • Show Hours: 10-6 • Total Spaces: 260 • Admission Charge: • Contact: Old Town Triangle Association, Chris Beer, 1763

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N. N. Park Avenue, Chicago, IL, 60614 • Phone: 312-337-1938 • Email: info@oldtowntriangle.com • Fax: • Web Site: www.oldtownartfair.org • Applications Sent When: Must apply online at www.zapplication.com • Deadline: December 15, 2009 • Indoor or Outdoor: Outdoor • Years For Event: 61 • Space Sizes: • Cost: \$500 • Past Attendance: 40,000 • Juried?: www.zapplication.com online jury process. \$ • Photographs Required?: Yes digital images to be uploaded upon application. • When Notified: • Set Up Times: • Electricity Available?: Ask • RV Parking Available?: Ask • Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?: NO • Flea Market Items Allowed?: NO • Promoters Comments:

06/12/10 - 06/13/10

Bolingbrook, IL

Artwalk at The Promenade Bolingbrook • Location: 80 • Event Type: Fine Art and Craft • Show Hours: Saturday June 12 from 10am to 8pm & Sunday June 13 from 11am to 5pm • Total Spaces: 80 • Admission Charge: • Contact: Virgo Rising Presents, Tina Guide, 501 Wexford Drive, Lemont, IL, 60439 • Phone: 630-201-7073/630-202-9583 • Email: info@VirgoRisingPresents.co • Fax: • Web Site: www.virgorisingpresents.com • Applications Sent When: Download an application from web site or call • Deadline: 04/23/2010 • Indoor or Outdoor: Outdoor • Years For Event: 1st year event • Space Sizes: 10x10 • Cost: \$200 + \$35.00 Jury fee • Past Attendance: N/A • Juried?: Jury as received from photographs • Photographs

Required?: 3 images of your work and 1 of your display • When Notified: ASAP • Set Up Times: • Electricity Available?: Ask • RV Parking Available?: Ask • Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?: NO • Flea Market Items Allowed?: NO • Promoters Comments:

06/12/10 - 06/13/10

Hinsdale, IL

37th Annual Hinsdale Fine Arts Festival. • Location: Burlington Park, 30 E Chicago Avenue, • Event Type: Fine Art and Crafts • Show Hours: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. • Total Spaces: 150 • Admission Charge: free • Contact: Hinsdale Chamber of Commerce, Jan Anderson, 22 E. First Street, Hinsdale, IL, 60521 • Phone: 630-323-3952 • Email: janet@hinsdalechamber.com • Fax: • Web Site: www.hinsdalechamber.com • Applications Sent When: Must apply using www.zapplication.com • Deadline: 03/05/2010 • Indoor or Outdoor: Outdoor • Years For Event: 37 • Space Sizes: • Cost: \$220 • Past Attendance: 3,000 • Juried?: after deadline by www.zapplication.com • Photographs Required?: 4 digital images (a booth shot is required) • When Notified: After Deadline • Set Up Times: Will advise • Electricity Available?: No • RV Parking Available?: Ask • Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?: NO • Flea Market Items Allowed?: NO • Promoters Comments:

06/12/10 - 06/13/10

Wilmette, IL

Art on the Plaza Fine Art Show • Location:

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at the renowned Plaza del Lago Shopping Center • **Event Type:** Fine Arts and Crafts • **Show Hours:** Sat. 10am-6pm & Sun. 10am-5pm • **Total Spaces:** 60 • **Admission Charge:** • **Contact:** North Shore Art League, Barbara Cole, 620 Lincoln Avenue, Winnetka, IL, 60093 • **Phone:** 847-446-2870 • **Email:** nsal@sbcglobal.net • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** <http://northshoreartleague.org> • **Applications Sent When:** Download from web site now • **Deadline:** 04/12/2010 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Outdoor • **Years For Event:** • **Space Sizes:** 10x10 • **Cost:** \$375 + \$45 jury fee • **Past Attendance:** 3,500 • **Juried?:** Jury all after deadline • **Photographs Required?:** Slides or CD, 5 images only, 4 of your work and (1) of your display asjpeg files, • **When Notified:** After jury deadline • **Set Up Times:** Will advise • **Electricity Available?:** No • **RV Parking Available?:** No • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** NO • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** NO • **Promoters Comments:**

06/13/10 - 06/13/10

Rockford, IL

Art on the Lawn • **Location:** Rockford College • **Event Type:** Fine Art and Craft • **Show Hours:** 10:00am to 5:00pm • **Total Spaces:** 75 • **Admission Charge:** \$3.00, children 12 and under are free • **Contact:** Rockford College, Barbara Berney, 5050 E. State Street, Rockford, IL, 61108 • **Phone:** 815-519-2121 • **Email:** info@artonthelawn.org • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.artonthelawn.org • **Applications Sent When:** Download from web site • **Deadline:** 03/12/2010 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Outdoor • **Years For Event:** 11 • **Space Sizes:** 10x12 • **Cost:** \$60.00 • **Past Attendance:** 3,000+ • **Juried?:** Jury all after deadline \$10 jury fee • **Photographs Required?:** 4 images 1 of display. Quality digital preferred • **When Notified:** Notification of acceptance will be mailed by April 2, 2010. • **Set Up Times:** Will advise • **Electricity Available?:** No • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:**

06/17/10 - 06/20/10

Oswego, IL

Prairiefest 2010 • **Location:** 4209 Route 71 • **Event Type:** Arts and Crafts at festival • **Show Hours:** 10-6 • **Total Spaces:** 200 • **Admission Charge:** • **Contact:** Oswegoland Park District, Margaret Gienger, 313 E. Washington Street, Oswego, IL, 60543 • **Phone:** 630-554-1010 • **Email:** MGIENGER@oswegolandpd.org • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.prairiefest.com • **Applications Sent When:** As requested • **Deadline:** 06/01/2010 • **Indoor or Outdoor:**

Outdoor • **Years For Event:** 22 • **Space Sizes:** 10x10 appx. • **Cost:** \$80 per day • **Past Attendance:** 40,000 for festival • **Juried?:** Not juried • **Photographs Required?:** No • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Ask • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** Yes • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** Ask • **Promoters Comments:**

06/19/10 - 06/19/10

Grayslake, IL

Grayslake Arts Festival • **Location:** Center Street in Downtown • **Event Type:** Fine Art and Crafts • **Show Hours:** 10am15pm • **Total Spaces:** 70 • **Admission Charge:** free • **Contact:** Grayslake Area Chamber of Commerce, , PO Box 167, 10 S. Seymour Avenue, Grayslake, IL, 60030 • **Phone:** 847- 223-6888 • **Email:** business@grayslakechamber.com • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.grayslakechamber.com • **Applications Sent When:** As requested, download from web site now • **Deadline:** May 21 —Deadline for Application • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Outdoor • **Years For Event:** 15 • **Space Sizes:** 10x10 • **Cost:** Grayslake Resident: \$80.00 Non-Resident: \$90.00 • **Past Attendance:** 6000 • **Juried?:** Juruy all after deadline • **Photographs Required?:** Attach a minimum of 3 slides/photos/CD of your work along with a self-addresses stamped envelope. • **When Notified:** May 27 —Notification of selection mailed to artist • **Set Up Times:** Will advise • **Electricity Available?:** No • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:**

06/19/10 - 06/20/10

Antioch, IL

Antioch's Winter Arts and Crafts Faire • **Location:** Antioch High School • **Event Type:** Arts and Crafts • **Show Hours:** Saturday 10-5, Sunday 10-4 • **Total Spaces:** 150 • **Admission Charge:** free • **Contact:** Antioch Chamber of Commerce, Barbara Porc, 882 Main Street, Antioch, IL, 60002 • **Phone:** 847-395-2233 • **Email:** info@antiochchamber.org • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.antiochchamber.org • **Applications Sent When:** As requested download from web site • **Deadline:** Until full with late fee after April 2010 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Outdoor • **Years For Event:** 34 • **Space Sizes:** 8'x10' ...6'x10' • **Cost:** \$95 before end of April 2010 - \$150 if received after April 2010 • **Past Attendance:** 5000 • **Juried?:** As received from photographs. Everyone must be juried! • **Photographs Required?:** 3 photos of craft, including you creating your craft,

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your crafts, and a photo of display. Include a SASE • **When Notified:** May 14, 2010 • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** limited • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** Must be handcrafted. No hand-crafted products accepted from outside the USA.

06/19/10 - 06/20/10

Chicago, IL

Gold Coast Art Fair • **Location:** Downtown Chicago • **Event Type:** Fine Art & Fine Crafts • **Show Hours:** 10-5 Both days • **Total Spaces:** 350 • **Admission Charge:** • **Contact:** Amdur Productions, Inc, Amy Amdur, P O Box 550, Highland Park, IL, 60035 • **Phone:** 847-926-4300 • **Email:** info@amdurproductions.com • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.amdurproductions.com • **Applications Sent When:** Download from web site • **Deadline:** Jan 4, Late fee \$25 Jan 11 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Outdoor • **Years For Event:** 9 • **Space Sizes:** approx 12x12 • **Cost:** \$585 + appl fee \$35. • **Past Attendance:** 325,000 • **Juried?:** after deadline • **Photographs Required?:** 4/1 Slides, Photos or Disc • **When Notified:** Feb 8 • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Ask • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** no • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** no • **Promoters Comments:**

06/19/10 - 06/20/10

Evanston, IL

Custer's Last Stand Festival of the Arts • **Location:** Main Street and Chicago Avenue • **Event Type:** Festival with Crafts, Commercial, Antiques, etc. • **Show Hours:** 10-9 • **Total Spaces:** 500 for commercial and Handcrafted • **Admission Charge:** free • **Contact:** Evanston Festival Theatre, Inc., John Szoste, P.O. Box 6013, Evanston, IL, 60204 • **Phone:** 847-328-2204 • **Email:** office@custerfair.com • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.custerfair.com • **Applications Sent When:** Download application today • **Deadline:** • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Outdoor • **Years For Event:** 38 • **Space Sizes:** 5x12 and 10x12 • **Cost:** Crafts: \$250-\$275, Commercial: \$350 + Screening Fee \$10 • **Past Attendance:** 60,000 for festival • **Juried?:** Not Juried (will check first day to see that your booth meets requirements) • **Photographs Required?:** No • **When Notified:** Upon acceptance • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Yes + \$100 • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** Only original works of art or

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Outdoor: Indoor / Outdoor • **Years For Event:** • **Space Sizes:** 10x10, 10x20 • **Cost:** \$75.00 • **Past Attendance:** 2500 • **Juried?:** Juried, 2/1 Photos, Restricted to Handcrafted Work by Artist • **Photographs Required?:** 2 of work one of display • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Yes Limited • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** NO • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** NO • **Promoters Comments:** 11th annual art & craft show with door prizes, free children's activities, and a great variety of handmade products for home & garden.

04/10/10 - 04/11/10

Onalaska, WI

Onalaska OmniCenter 12th Annual Spring Gift and Craft Show • **Location:** Onalaska OmniCenter, 255 Riders Club Road • **Event Type:** Arts and Crafts • **Show Hours:** Sat 9am - 4pm, Sun 10am - 3pm • **Total Spaces:** 90 • **Admission Charge:** Free • **Contact:** Natasha Rach - Onalaska OmniCenter, , 255 Riders Club Road, Onalaska, WI, 54650 • **Phone:** 608/781-9566 Ext. 203 • **Email:** natasha@omnicenter.net • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.omnicenter.net • **Applications Sent When:** • **Deadline:** Until Full • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Indoor • **Years For Event:** 12 • **Space Sizes:** 10x10, 10x20 • **Cost:** \$90-\$150; Also 10x30/\$285 limited! • **Past Attendance:** 5000 • **Juried?:** Juried as received • **Photographs Required?:** Yes 2 of artwork and 1 of booth • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Yes/limited • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** Yes • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** NO • **Promoters Comments:**

04/17/10 - 04/17/10

Kimberly, WI

Kimberly High School 7th Annual Art and Craft Fair • **Location:** W2662 Kennedy Avenue • **Event Type:** Fine Art, Crafts and Brat Fry • **Show Hours:** 9am - 3pm • **Total Spaces:** 100+ • **Admission Charge:** \$2.00 • **Contact:** Carrie Everitt, Kimberly High School Art Club, Carrie Everitt, W2662 Kennedy Avenue, Kimberly, WI, 54136 • **Phone:** 920/687-3024 x 6194 • **Email:** ceveritt@kimberly.k12.wi.us • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.kimberly.k12.wi.us • **Applications Sent When:** • **Deadline:** Until Full • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Indoor • **Years For Event:** 7 • **Space Sizes:** 10x10 • **Cost:** \$40 • **Past Attendance:** 1200+ • **Juried?:** Open • **Photographs Required?:** no • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Ask • **RV Parking Available?:**

Yes • Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?: No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** Annual Art and craft fair sponsored by the art club to raise money for an annual museum trip to Chicago. There will be a raffle, bake sale, and brat fry.

04/24/10 - 04/25/10

Fitchburg, WI

14SouthArtistsSpringArtShow • **Location:** Fitchburg Community Center, 5520 Lacy Rd, Fitchburg WI • **Event Type:** Fine Arts and Fine Crafts • **Show Hours:** 09/04/10 • **Total Spaces:** 30 • **Admission Charge:** free • **Contact:** 14 South Artists, Ralph Stromquist, P.O.Box 82, Oregon, WI, 53575 • **Phone:** 608-835-7151 or 608-444-1704 • **Email:** stromr@execpc.com • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.14southartists.com • **Applications Sent When:** • **Deadline:** 01/15/10 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** indoor • **Years For Event:** 4 • **Space Sizes:** 8x8 to 10x10 • **Cost:** 75-100 • **Past Attendance:** 500 • **Juried?:** juried into membership in 14 South Artists • **Photographs Required?:** 6 digital images reproduction quality • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** Fri 4-23, 4-7pm and Sat 4-24, 6:30-9 am • **Electricity Available?:** yes • **RV Parking Available?:** • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** Show cases the artworks of local artists from the smaller communities south of Madison

04/24/10 - 04/25/10

Fitchburg, WI

14 South Artists Spring Art Show • **Location:** 5520 Lacy Road • **Event Type:** Arts and Crfats • **Show Hours:** Sat 9am - 5pm, Sun 9:30am - 4pm • **Total Spaces:** 40 • **Admission Charge:** Free • **Contact:** 14 South Artists, Ralph Stromquest, 14 South Artists, PO Box 82, Oregon, WI, 53575 • **Phone:** 608-332-7900 • **Email:** president@14southartists.com • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.14southartists.com • **Applications Sent When:** As requested • **Deadline:** 1-15-09 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Indoor • **Years For Event:** 3 • **Space Sizes:** 8x10, 10x10 • **Cost:** \$75-\$100 • **Past Attendance:** 300 • **Juried?:** Juried-\$35, 3/0 Digital Images • **Photographs Required?:** 3 digital photos required • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Limited • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** NO • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** NO • **Promoters Comments:** Annual Spring Art Show located in the Fitchburg Community Center. Visit award-winning artists and find wonderful unique artwork.

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04/24/10 - 04/25/10

Rothschild, WI

Cedar Creek Mall Art & Craft Show • **Location:** Cedar Creek Mall, 10101 Market Street • **Event Type:** Arts and Crafts • **Show Hours:** Sat 10am - 4pm, Sun 11am - 4pm • **Total Spaces:** 40 • **Admission Charge:** Free • **Contact:** Cedar Creek Mall, Kelli Anderson, 10101 Market Street, Suite B40, Rothschild, WI, 54474 • **Phone:** 715/355-0011 • **Email:** kanderson@charterinternet.com • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.cedarcreekmall.com • **Applications Sent When:** • **Deadline:** Until Full • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Indoor • **Years For Event:** • **Space Sizes:** 8x10 • **Cost:** \$65.00 • **Past Attendance:** Not Specified • **Juried?:** Juried • **Photographs Required?:** one of work and one of display • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Yes Limited • **RV Parking Available?:** ASK • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** NO • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** NO • **Promoters Comments:** Annual Art & Craft Show, featuring quality handcrafted items. Great gift ideas! Well advertised, free admission, and free parking.

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05/01/10 - 05/01/10

Fond du Lac, WI

Country Fair Arts & Crafts Show *A Before Mother's Day Show • **Location:** FDL County Fairgrounds Recreation Building, Hwy 45 & Martin • **Event Type:** Fine Art and Arts and Crafts • **Show Hours:** 9am - 3pm • **Total Spaces:** 70-90 • **Admission Charge:** \$1.00 • **Contact:** Fond du Lac Recreation Department, Stephanie Hoffman, 85 Morningside Drive, Fond du Lac, WI, 54935 • **Phone:** 920/906-6663 • **Email:** fonddulac.k12.wi.us • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.fdlrecdept.com • **Applications Sent When:** As requested • **Deadline:** Until Full • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Indoor • **Years For Event:** • **Space Sizes:** 10x12 • **Cost:** \$50.00 • **Past Attendance:** 700 • **Juried?:** Juried, 2/1 Photos • **Photographs Required?:**

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Indoor • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Ask • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** A quality arts & crafts show, mixed media, door prizes drawn every half hour, food concessions, and free parking. Unique gifts and home decorating ideas - come & enjoy!

05/01/10 - 05/01/10

Madison, WI

Madison Audubon Society 34th Annual Art Fair • **Location:** Warner Park Community Center, 1625 Northport Drive • **Event Type:** Fine Art and Fine Crafts • **Show Hours:** 9:30am - 4:30pm • **Total Spaces:** 125 • **Admission Charge:** Free • **Contact:** Madison Audubon Society, Jennifer Larsen, 222 S. Hamilton Street, Suite 1, Madison, WI, 53703 • **Phone:** 608-255-2473 • **Email:** audubonartfair@hotmail.com • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.madisonaudubon.org • **Applications Sent When:** • **Deadline:** 12/14/2009 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Outdoor and Indoor • **Years For Event:** • **Space Sizes:** 10x10, 11x11 • **Cost:** \$100-\$120 • **Past Attendance:** 4500 • **Juried?:** Juried, 5/1 Digital Images • **Photographs Required?:** 5 digital images of work 1 of display • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Yes Limited • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** An early spring event featuring fine arts and fine crafts displayed in a park setting.

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Racine, WI

Lakefront Artist Fair • **Location:** Festival Park • **Event Type:** Fine Art and Arts and Crafts • **Show Hours:** 8am - 4pm • **Total Spaces:** 125 • **Admission Charge:** Free • **Contact:** Racine Montessori School, Rita C. Lewis, 2317 Howe Street, Racine, WI, 53403 • **Phone:** 262/637-7892 • **Email:** rlewisms@tds.net • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.racinemontessori.com • **Applications Sent When:** As requested • **Deadline:** 03/15/10 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Outdoor • **Years For Event:** 29 • **Space Sizes:** 10x12 • **Cost:** \$75-\$100 • **Past Attendance:** 7000 • **Juried?:** Juried • **Photographs Required?:** 3/0 Slides or Photos • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Yes Limited • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** Facilities: 2 3 4 5 6 7 • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** Celebrating our 29th annual Lakefront Artist Fair! Over 100 artists exhibit at this lively family event on the banks of

beautiful Lake Michigan. Artists love our hospitality and helpfulness!

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Wisconsin Rapids, WI

Rapids Mall Spring Art & Craft Show • **Location:** Rapids Mall, 555 West Grand Avenue • **Event Type:** Fine Art and Arts and Crafts • **Show Hours:** Sat 10am - 5pm, Sun 11am - 4pm • **Total Spaces:** 40 • **Admission Charge:** Free • **Contact:** Marketing Director - Rapids Mall, Liz Radloff, 555 West Grand Avenue, Wisconsin Rapids, WI, 54495 • **Phone:** 715/421-3500 • **Email:** rapidsmall@wctc.net • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.rapidsmall.com • **Applications Sent When:** Upon request by vendor if new • **Deadline:** 04/15/10 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Indoor • **Years For Event:** 28 • **Space Sizes:** 8x10 • **Cost:** \$30.00 • **Past Attendance:** 3000 • **Juried?:** Juried, 2/0 Photos, Restricted to Handmade Items, No Buy/Sell • **Photographs Required?:** 2 if new to show • **When Notified:** Two weeks before event • **Set Up Times:** Saturday, May 1st 8:30 a.m. • **Electricity Available?:** \$5.00 fee - limited availability • **RV Parking Available?:** NO • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** This is a great show to find unique Mother's Day gift ideas at great prices. New decorative items for your indoor and outdoor needs. All items are hand crafted by local and visiting exhibitors.

05/02/10 - 05/02/10

West Salem, WI

Mayfair • **Location:** West Salem High School, 490 N. Mark St. • **Event Type:** Fine art and Fine Crafts created by the artist. No resale, imports or kits. • **Show Hours:** 10am - 4pm • **Total Spaces:** 30 • **Admission Charge:** Free • **Contact:** West Salem Fine Arts Board, Jane Bangsberg, 405 E. Hamlin Street, West Salem, WI, 54669 • **Phone:** 608/786-2388 • **Email:** mayfairart@hotmail.com • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.heidercenter.org • **Applications Sent When:** Download from web site. • **Deadline:** 03/19/10 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Indoor • **Years For Event:** 5 • **Space Sizes:** 10x10 • **Cost:** \$35.00 • **Past Attendance:** 500 • **Juried?:** Juried from photographs • **Photographs Required?:** Yes - 2 pictures of work to be sold • **When Notified:** 1st week in April • **Set Up Times:** 8:00 am • **Electricity Available?:** Yes limited • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** Annual Mayfair features an art and fine craft sale, silent auction and a Chicken Q, music, children's art activities,

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and concessions. This event helps support the Marie W. Heider Center for the Arts. Great family fun.

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Oshkosh, WI

What Women Want Shopping Expo • **Location:** Sunnyview Exposition Center • **Event Type:** Arts and Crafts Expo • **Show Hours:** 10am - 4pm • **Total Spaces:** 90 • **Admission Charge:** Free • **Contact:** L & K Productions, Kathy Joubert, 920 W. 9th Avenue, Oshkosh, WI, 54902 • **Phone:** 800/366-4189 • **Email:** kathy@landkproductions.com • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.landkproductions.com • **Applications Sent When:** As requested • **Deadline:** when full • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Indoor • **Years For Event:** • **Space Sizes:** 10x10 • **Cost:** \$60 - \$100 • **Past Attendance:** 1000 • **Juried?:** Open • **Photographs Required?:** No • **When Notified:** • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Yes • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** Yes • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** What Women Want shopping extravaganza that brings together restauranters, chocolate makers, artisans & crafters, home based businesses and small businesses.

05/09/10 - 05/09/10

Marshfield, WI

47th Marshfield Art Fair • **Location:** Marshfield High School Fieldhouse, 1401 E. Becker Road • **Event Type:** Fine Art and Fine Crafts • **Show Hours:** 10am - 4:30pm • **Total Spaces:** 113 • **Admission Charge:** Free • **Contact:** New Visions Gallery, Mary Peck or Tamara Mess, 1000 N. Oak Avenue, Marshfield, WI, 54449-5703 • **Phone:** 715/387-5562 • **Email:** newvisions.gallery@verizon.net • **Fax:** • **Web Site:** www.newvisionsgallery.org • **Applications Sent When:** • **Deadline:** 03/12/2010 • **Indoor or Outdoor:** Indoor • **Years For Event:** 47 • **Space Sizes:** 10x10 • **Cost:** \$65.00 • **Past Attendance:** 5000 • **Juried?:** Juried-\$5, 3/0 Digital Images • **Photographs Required?:** 3 Digital Images • **When Notified:** 03/26/2010 • **Set Up Times:** • **Electricity Available?:** Yes, Limited • **RV Parking Available?:** Ask • **Non Handcrafted Items Allowed?:** No • **Flea Market Items Allowed?:** No • **Promoters Comments:** Marshfield's only juried fine arts fair. Free admission and entertainment. Kid's Creative Corner, demonstrations by artists, Rotary Club food booth. A Mother's Day tradition in Central Wisconsin.

Art & Craft Show Listing By City

This listing of Art and Craft shows by City is ideal for finding an Art or Craft show to fill an opening in your schedule. The list is by City, then Date of event, and name of the event. At the front pages of this issue we have included another listing of events which is in the order of Date, then by City and name of event. You can use these two listings to quickly locate art shows without having to thumb through each months listing.

Contact information and details on each show is included in the monthly listings.

City	Date	Date	Name of Event
ILLINOIS			
Antioch	01/30/10	01/31/10	Antioch's Winter Arts and Crafts Faire
Antioch	06/19/10	06/20/10	Antioch's Winter Arts and Crafts Faire
Arlington Heights	06/26/10	06/27/10	Promenade of Art
Arthur	04/21/10	04/24/10	Spring Quilt Show
Aurora	02/05/10	02/07/10	Fox Valley Art & Craft Show
Aurora	05/07/10	05/09/10	Fox Valley Mall Art & Craft Show
Barrington	05/29/10	05/30/10	Barrington Art Festival
Batavia	08/14/10	08/15/10	Art in Your Eye
Belleville	05/14/10	05/16/10	Art on the Square
Bloomington	04/01/10	04/04/10	Stratford Square Spring/Easter Show
Bloomington	03/20/10	03/20/10	Spring Bloom Arts Festival
Bolingbrook	06/12/10	06/13/10	Artwalk at The Promenade Bolingbrook
Bourbonnais	07/04/10	07/04/10	"4th of July Jubilee" at Hidden Cove Sportsplex
Buffalo Grove	07/17/10	07/18/10	Buffalo Grove Invitational Fine Art Festival
Burr Ridge	09/11/10	09/12/10	Burr Ridge Art on the Green
Bushnell	06/28/10	07/03/10	Cornerstone Festival
Byron	07/09/10	07/11/10	Byronfest
Calumet City	03/05/10	03/07/10	River Oaks Center Arts & Craft Show
Carbondale	04/23/10	04/25/10	Southern Illinois Irish Festival
Cedarhurst	09/11/10	09/12/10	Cedarhurst Craft Fair
Chicago	06/04/10	06/06/10	Eastside Millennium Art festival
Chicago	06/05/10	06/06/10	Fifty-Seventh Street Art Fair
Chicago	06/11/10	06/13/10	Ribfest Chicago
Chicago	06/12/10	06/12/10	Old Town Art Fair
Chicago	06/19/10	06/20/10	Gold Coast Art Fair
Chicago	09/11/10	09/12/10	8th Annual Renegade Craft Fair
Chicago	12/04/10	12/05/10	Renegade Holiday Fair
Chicago	09/25/10	09/26/10	5th Annual Hyde Park Arts & Crafts Adventure
Chicago	07/25/10	07/25/10	9th Annual An Arts Adventure
Chicago Ridge	05/28/10	05/30/10	Westfield Chicago Ridge Spring Show
Collinsville	10/01/10	10/03/10	Fall Craft and Gift Show
Crystal Lake	03/14/10	03/14/10	Crystal Lake Festival of Arts & Crafts
Crystal Lake	11/07/10	11/07/10	Crystal Lake Festival of Arts & Crafts
Decatur	08/06/10	08/08/10	Decatur Celebration
Downers Grove	09/11/10	09/12/10	Downtown Downers Grove
Elmhurst	05/01/10	05/02/10	Elmhurst Art Museum's Fourteenth Art in the Park
Evanston	06/19/10	06/20/10	Custer's Last Stand Festival of the Arts
Evanston	07/17/10	07/18/10	Evanston Ethnic Arts Festival
Farmington	10/02/10	10/03/10	Crafters Corner
Farmington	10/09/10	10/10/10	Crafters Corner
Frankfort	09/04/10	09/06/10	Frankfort Fall Festival
Geneva	06/22/10	06/27/10	Midsommar Festival – Swedish Days
Geneva	07/24/10	07/25/10	Geneva Fine Arts Fair
Glena	10/09/10	10/10/10	Galena Country Fair
Glencoe	07/10/10	07/11/10	Glencoe Festival of the Masters
Glenview	07/24/10	07/25/10	Glenview Summer Art Fair
Glenview	08/07/10	08/08/10	Art at the Glen
Grayslake	03/27/10	03/28/10	Grayslake Festival of Arts and Crafts
Grayslake	06/19/10	06/19/10	Grayslake Arts Festival
Grayslake	10/02/10	10/03/10	Grayslake Festival of Arts and Crafts
Grayslake	11/27/10	11/28/10	Grayslake Festival of Arts and Crafts

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Harvard	06/04/10	06/06/10	Harvard's Milk Days Festival
Highland	10/08/10	10/10/10	Highland Art in the Park
Highland Park	06/26/10	06/27/10	Highland Park Festival of Fine Craft
Highland Park	08/28/10	08/29/10	Port Clinton Art Festival
Highwood	09/24/10	09/25/10	Highwood Last Call Art Fair
Hinsdale	06/12/10	06/13/10	37th Annual Hinsdale Fine Arts Festival.
Homewood	06/05/10	06/06/10	29th Homewood Area Chamber Fine Art Fair
Homewood	07/08/10	07/10/10	Homewood days
Joliet	03/26/10	03/28/10	Westfield Louis Joliet Mall Arts & Craft Show
LaGrange	09/18/10	09/19/10	West End Art Festival
Lake Forest	09/05/10	09/06/10	56th Annual Art Fair on the Square
Lakeview East	09/11/10	09/12/10	Lakeview East Festival of the Arts
Libertyville	08/07/10	08/08/10	festival of the Arts
Lincolnwood	06/11/10	06/13/10	Lincolnwood Town Center Art and Craft Show
Lockport	11/20/10	11/21/10	Christmas Crossroads Craft Show
Lombard	07/17/10	07/18/10	Cuneo Gardens Art Fest
Manhattan	04/17/10	04/17/10	Manhattan Chamber of Commerce Business Expo and Craft Show
McHenry	09/19/10	09/19/10	Country Meadows
Mendota	08/12/10	08/12/10	Mendota Sweet Corn Festival
Mt. Vernon	09/11/10	09/12/10	Cedarhurst Craft Fair
Mt Zion	03/06/10	03/06/10	Mt Zion Grade School Spring Craft Show
Murphysboro	09/17/10	09/19/10	Murphysboro Appletime Arts & Crafts Fair
Naperville	09/18/10	09/19/10	Riverwalk Fine Art Fair
Newark	10/02/10	10/03/10	Scarecrow Fest & Maze Days
Normal	07/10/10	07/11/10	Sugar Creek Arts Festival
Northbrook	07/10/10	07/11/10	Art In The Park - Northbrook Fine Arts Festival
North Shore	07/24/10	07/25/10	North Shore Festival of Art Old Orchard
O'Fallon	11/06/10	11/07/10	30th Annual OTHS Band Boosters Craft Fair
Oak Brook	07/24/10	07/25/10	AFA Mayslake Art Fair
Oak Park	05/15/10	05/16/10	Oak Park Art in the Park
Oak Park	08/20/10	08/21/10	36th Oak Park Avenue-Lake Arts & Crafts Show
Oregon	06/27/10	06/27/10	Fields Project Fine arts and Crafts Show
Oregon	10/02/10	10/03/10	Autumn on Parade
Orland Park	06/04/10	06/06/10	Orland Square Mall
Oswego	06/17/10	06/20/10	Prairiefest 2010
Oswego	08/21/10	08/22/10	Oswego Art Fair
Palatine	03/13/10	03/13/10	18th Annual Spring Craft Fair
Palatine	03/14/10	03/14/10	Palatine Festival of Arts and Crafts
Palatine	09/01/10	09/01/10	St John UCC 36th Annual Craft Fair and Flea Market
Palatine	11/13/10	11/14/10	Palatine Festival of Arts and Crafts
Palos Heights	04/10/10	04/10/10	Alan B. Shepard Spring Arts, Crafts & Vendor Show
Park Ridge	09/18/10	09/18/10	20th Annual Fall Arts & Crafts Adventure
Park Ridge	05/08/10	05/08/10	20th Annual An Arts & Crafts Adventure
Peoria	09/25/10	09/26/10	48th Annual Peoria Art Guild Fine Art Fair
Peoria Heights	05/08/10	05/09/10	Illinois Art League Fine Art Fair
Quincy	06/25/10	06/27/10	Midsummer Arts Faire
Quincy	09/19/10	09/19/10	Arts/Quincy Riverfest 2010
Riverside	05/22/10	05/23/10	Riverside Arts Fair
Rockford	04/16/10	04/18/10	Cherryvale Mall
Rockford	06/13/10	06/13/10	Art on the Lawn
Rolling Meadows	08/07/10	08/07/10	Cornfest Arts & Crafts
Schaumburg	03/06/10	03/06/10	Schaumburg HS Spring Art & Craft Fair
Schaumburg	05/29/10	05/30/10	Prairie Arts Festival
Schaumburg	09/04/10	09/06/10	Septerberfest
Schaumburg (T)	10/02/10	10/10/10	Schaumburg HS VIP Club 2009 Fall Craft Fair
Skokie	07/10/10	07/11/10	Skokie Art Guild Art Fair
South Elgin	08/07/10	08/08/10	The World of Faeries Festival
Springfield	05/15/10	05/16/10	Springfield Old Capitol Art Fair
Springfield	09/11/10	09/12/10	Art Spectacular-Juried Fine Art Show
St. Charles	03/06/10	03/07/10	Saint Charles Festival of Arts & Crafts