



the **ARTS** have a home in north minneapolis  
Northside Arts News | January 2010 Edition

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## NAC Notes & Member News

### live<sup>'''</sup> at the capri Great Streets Concert Series

Haven't been to one of these concerts yet but you've been hearing how great they are? What's stopping you? Visit [www.nacarts.org](http://www.nacarts.org) to reserve your tickets via PayPal or call just the Northside Arts Collective office (612-767-2141). Let's show everyone that the ARTS truly do have a home in north Minneapolis by attending the Great Streets concerts and supporting our fellow artists! These concerts are being recorded live and CD's will be for sale at the NAC Office, at future shows and on our website. Doors open at 7 p.m., showtime 7:30pm. General admission seating. Tickets are \$10 at the door, at the Northside Arts Collective offices, and available online via PayPal at [www.nacarts.org](http://www.nacarts.org). \$8 with your NAC membership card.

#### Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup> – Brass Messengers with Machinery Hill

The Brass Messengers are an eleven piece brass band that for six years has been entertaining audiences in theaters, bus stops, weddings, funerals, and street parades -- with and without the required permits. Their music focuses on the Gypsy Brass dance music of Romania and other parts of Eastern Europe, augmented with their own take on American Country Music, New Orleans Brass Bands, Latin American Dance Rhythms and Afro-Pop. Opening the night is Machinery Hill who are no strangers to the Capri Theater. Featuring NoMi resident and NAC member Steve Zimmerman, Machinery Hill blends ska, klezmer, celtic, rock, American folk and original music. Machinery Hill has played regularly at NAC's Spring Art Party.



## Opportunities to Get Involved - Volunteer!

### Volunteers Needed – Great Street Concert Shows at the Capri

As our Great Streets Performance Series continues, we are looking for a few good people to help with ushering, concession, merchandise and ticket sales. Please reply to Connie in the NAC office ([connie.beckers@nacarts.org](mailto:connie.beckers@nacarts.org)) if you're interested. A total of six volunteers are needed for each show. Plan to arrive by 6:45pm for a brief orientation, the shows start at 7:30 pm and ends around 9:30 pm. You should be able to duck in and catch at least a portion of the show, as well. Dates and performances are as follows:

- Thu, 01/14/2010 Brass Messengers with Machinery Hill
- Thu, 02/11/2010 Milo Fine, Davu Seru & Charles Gillett with Gondwana
- Thu, 03/11/2010 SunPlug'd with Voice of Culture Drum and Dance

### Office Volunteers Needed

One day a week for 4 to 5 hours to assist with day-to-day clerical duties like making photocopies, filing, putting together mailings, etc. Experience with computers and other office equipment would be helpful. Please contact Connie at 612-767-2141 or [connie.beckers@nacARTS.org](mailto:connie.beckers@nacARTS.org) for more information.

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### Now Showing @ Papa's Deli Gallery

Keiona L. Cook (Day) is the featured NAC member artist at Papa's Pizza and Pasta Restaurant during the month of January.

Keiona is a freelance custom fashion designer and acrylic-collage artist. She has been designing garments for women and children for the last eight years and loves to make every individual feel beautiful from the inside out. The art she is displaying represents how she finds herself inspired by nature, found objects, and everyday life situations. Keiona sees her artwork as a traveling bird, always seeking out the new & looking to explore. Cook says, "I create pieces to evoke happiness & surprise parts of EVERY soul."

A reception for the artist will be January 5th from 5:30 to 6:30 in the deli area of Papa's Restaurant located at 4159 Thomas Avenue North. All are welcome.

Opportunity: If you are a NAC member artist interested in exhibiting your artwork in the community, please contact the Northside Arts Collective office.

### NAC Members Selected

Douglas and Rachel Limón have been selected by the Minneapolis Institute of Arts - MIA to be the Collection in Focus Guides for the Native American Collection of the Americas. There were approximately 200 applications submitted and 15 people were selected after a rigorous application and interview process had been completed.

The Limóns will begin their training in January which will run through June and they have committed themselves to volunteer for 1 year after their training has been completed. This is the first time in 10 years that applications for the Collection in Focus Guides for the Native American Collection has been open.



### NAC member Souliyah Keobounpheng featured in Minnesota Monthly:

So far: The lobby of the Warehouse District's SOHO building, adorned with an eye-popping patchwork of reclaimed lumber scraps, is among the remarkable spaces and structures on Keobounpheng's CV. His keen blend of functional modernism and earthy elegance is documented at [Silvercocoon.com](http://Silvercocoon.com).

Coming up: He'll turn heads with a large, multi-panel acrylic piece on the façade of the Delisi Building in north Minneapolis, helping revitalize the area's troubled commercial corridor. "The North Side has been abandoned by a lot of politicians and law enforcement, so people have to fight for themselves," he says. "That includes artists."

### NAC Member Exhibiting

Leann Johnson is also member of the Handmade Tile Association and will be in the Art in the Home Show at the Bloomington Art Center. This show allows visitors to see how they can incorporate beautiful one-of-a-kind and functional art into their homes. The gallery will be arranged in small "rooms" to show work in different fun and eclectic settings. Leann will have individual Adinkra tiles as well as "two-way" mudcloth trays throughout the gallery.

### Art in the Home Show

Featuring The Xylos Gallery and the Handmade Tile Association  
January 15–March 12, 2010  
Inez Greenberg Gallery, Bloomington Art Center

Artists' Reception: Friday, Jan. 15, 6-8 pm  
Artist Talk: Feb. 25, 7 pm

### Gallery Hours:

Mon.–Fri. 8 am–10 pm  
Sat. 9 am–5 pm  
Sun. 1 pm–10 pm

### Gallery Location:

1800 W Old Shakopee Rd  
Bloomington, MN 55431  
952-563-8587

[www.bloomingtonartcenter.com](http://www.bloomingtonartcenter.com)

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### 1200 West Broadway Mural

Rachel Orman was selected to create a mural for Catalyst Community Partners at 1200 West Broadway. The focus of peace and multiculturalism are incorporated in the mural through strong visual symbols from both traditional West African designs and Hmong embroidery, and hold symbolic connections with Native American, Buddhist, Catholic, and American heritage. Across cultures, the simple form of the circle is powerful, it is used to represent the life cycle and looking inwards; the wheel, the egg, the sun, and the Mandala are all examples. There are five wheels which roll across the wave of the mural. Within each circle are Adinkra symbols from Africa representing unity, wisdom and creativity, leadership; transformation, and the knot of reconciliation. The ladder in the middle of the mural creates a bridging of gaps in the multitude of cultures represented and also speaks of our mortality. There is selective wording of the prayer of St. Francis of Assisi included, words which can be identified with by persons of any background.



### Featured Artist



Artist: Lucy Yogerst  
 Email: [lyogerst@yahoo.com](mailto:lyogerst@yahoo.com)  
 Art Form: ceramics

Lucy Yogerst has maintained a studio in the Twin Cities since 1979. A graduate of the University of Wisconsin - Madison, Lucy has taught youth and adults at the Walker Art Center, the Minneapolis College of Art and Design, the Minneapolis Community and Technical College, and through several community education programs. Her work continues to be exhibited throughout the Twin Cities

January Artist Birthday | Happy Birthday to all NAC members who have an January birthday!



Jackson Pollock  
 American abstract expressionist painter  
 Born January 28, 1912  
[View the video](#)

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## Call for Artwork – “The Fabric of Life”

The exhibition of artwork by Northside Arts Collective artists is the result of a partnership between the Northside Arts Collective and NorthPoint Health and Wellness Center. Our collaboration is informed by the shared belief that the presence of artists and their work in a community contributes to the essential vitality of that community. The purpose of the Northside Arts Collective Exhibitions program is to raise awareness of the arts and to stimulate interaction that fosters growth and creativity in our community.

The Northside Arts Collective contracts with NorthPoint Health & Wellness Center for art services at their clinic located at 1313 Penn Avenue North, Minneapolis. Artists working in fiber and similar mixed media 2-dimensional art forms are invited to submit works for consideration in the show “The Fabric of Life” which begins in early February 2010 and runs through the end of April. There will be a small, informal reception scheduled at some point which you and your guests will be invited to attend.

Considering the public and family-oriented setting of this busy health and wellness center, works should not include any images of violence, foul language or nudity. The area for exhibiting is very accessible to the public so artists might want to consider encasing their fiber works somehow to protect from the inevitable touching.

The Northside Arts Collective will process the sales of any works included in the exhibition retaining a modest 10% commission.

Please contact the Northside Arts Collective for an application, email [info@nacarts.org](mailto:info@nacarts.org) or call 612-767-2141.

## Northside Arts Organizations & Venues



The Warren-An Artists Habitat | 4400 Osseo Road, 612-703-9609 [www.thewarrenhabitat.com](http://www.thewarrenhabitat.com)

Workhouse Theatre Production – January 10 is a re-working of Shakespeare’s play Troilus & Cressida which was developed by the Minnesota Shakespeare Project in 2005. The basic plot of Shakespeare’s play is intact, but the text is built from Shakespeare’s words and Homer’s The Iliad, with a few tidbits of original writing to connect disparate pieces. The war in Afghanistan has now gone on nearly as long as the Trojan war had at the outset of the Iliad (one more year to go). The loss of life is staggering ... not people being killed per se, but all the people, on all sides of the conflict, that are missing birthday celebrations and graduation parties and first steps and last goodbyes ... a story of young love trying to blossom amidst the bloodshed. Please contact The Warren for details.

Ongoing Programming: Yoga, every Wednesday, 6-7:30pm, \$10 per session  
Live music with Gary Anderson & the Snow Leopard Collaboration,  
Thursday, January 21<sup>st</sup>, 7pm, FREE



Legends: Sanford Moore: My First Loves, Jan. 9 & 10  
Tonia Hughes, Greta Oglesby & Yolande Bruce join in a program of jazz, gospel, showtunes and classical music

### Save the Date!

Debbie Duncan To Perform Music of the Great American Songbook at June 4 Legends Concert –  
Duncan’s performance replaces previously scheduled concert with Shangilia and features her original trio: Adi Yeshaya, Gary Reynor & Nathan Norman



### Lundstrum Center for the Performing Arts

Classes will be back in full swing on Monday, January 4th, 2010. We offer classes in dance, voice, and drama to all ages and all levels. Please don’t hesitate to call us with any questions about classes, private lessons, or dancewear. Or, visit our website at [www.lundstrumcenter.org](http://www.lundstrumcenter.org).

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2400 Plymouth Ave. N., 612-588-3723 [www.homewoodstudios.com](http://www.homewoodstudios.com)

### Shows and Events

William Kapel Slack: A Ho' Nuva Levo extended through Saturday, January 9<sup>th</sup>

Improvised Music at Homewood Studios Monday, January 11<sup>th</sup> beginning at 7pm

Passing The Torch: Resident Artists & Invited Artists, January 12<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup>; Opening Reception: Friday, January 15<sup>th</sup> from 5pm to 8pm

### Regular Meetings and Groups

Northside Writers Group - Thursday, January 14<sup>th</sup> at 7pm  
For information, please e-mail co-leaders Debra Stone at [stone.debra@comcast.net](mailto:stone.debra@comcast.net) or George Roberts at [george@homewoodstudios.com](mailto:george@homewoodstudios.com).

Homewood Tai Chi - Saturdays, 8:30am to 10:30am  
Questions, please call Beverly Roberts at 612 588-3723 or e-mail her at [bev@homewoodstudios.com](mailto:bev@homewoodstudios.com).

### Classes

Acrylic painting & Artists Study with Peyton. Please check [www.homewoodstudios.com/classes.html](http://www.homewoodstudios.com/classes.html) for full details.

### Opportunities

#### WORKSPACE STUDIO FOR RENT

Homewood Studios has an artist's studio available. 370 square feet, 11 ft. ceilings, 24 hour access, east-facing windows, basement storage space included. If interested, please call George at 612 587-0230 or e-mail [george@homewoodstudios.com](mailto:george@homewoodstudios.com).

#### Artwork Storage Space For Rent

Is your studio full of completed artwork or unused materials? Need to make space for your next project? Homewood Studios has an art storage space available beginning January 1, 2010. 8' x 8' with sliding door. 24 hour access. \$40/month. If interested, please call George at 612 587-0230 or e-mail [george@homewoodstudios.com](mailto:george@homewoodstudios.com).

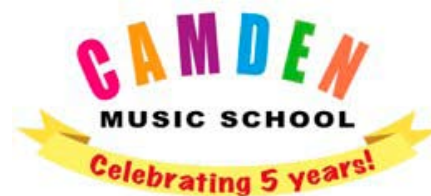
## Camden Music School Celebrates 5 Years!

Camden Music School is cooking up all sorts of delicious activities for our fifth year celebrations.

Items on the 5th Anniversary menu include:

- Anniversary Week Festivities for students and parents at CMS in Camden and NE, January 18 – 23. Daily drawings for fabulous prizes, special eat-treats, a trivia contest and more.
- Children's Sing-Along, Saturday, February 13, 4-5pm, CMS in Camden.
- Beatles Sing-Along with Dan Chouinard and special guest song-leaders, Friday, April 9, 7pm, Capri Theatre.
- A Drum-Along and String-Along are in the works, too.

Please mark your calendars now, watch for more information, and be sure to step out and celebrate with us. You're sure to find a musical entrée that you'll enjoy!



### Camden Music School Winter Registration ON NOW.

Winter term: January 11 – March 20 (10 weeks).

Scholarship applications due: 5pm Monday, January 4.

New this winter: "We Can Work It Out" – a weekly rock 'n roll getaway for adults, and "The Real Sing" – gospel music with United Deliverance Temple Choir. And as always: vocal and instrumental lessons, early childhood Musikgarten classes, adult choir and string ensembles, fiddle group, music theory, hand drums, youth rock 'n roll, and more. Family discounts available. All ages welcome.

To register, or for more information visit [www.camdenmusicschool.com](http://www.camdenmusicschool.com) or call 612-618-0219.

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## Opportunities, Classes & Workshops

### Call for Proposals

Franconia Sculpture Park is now accepting sculpture/installation proposals for 2010. Please see the link below for more information and share with artists who may benefit from the opportunity.  
[www.residencyunlimited.org](http://www.residencyunlimited.org)

### Artist's Way Class

Come begin the new year with support for your own natural creativity. Whether you are a beginning or seasoned artist, you'll unblock the creative flow as we journey through the book, *The Artist's Way: A Spiritual Path to Higher Creativity* by Julia Cameron. Class meets on Tuesdays, 6:30-8:00 for 13 sessions beginning Jan. 19<sup>th</sup> at Parkway United Church of Christ, 3120 Washburn Ave N. Cost is \$295. Discount available if needed. Facilitated by artist and life coach, Amy Egenberger, 612-588-8704. Visit [www.amyegenberger.com](http://www.amyegenberger.com) for details.

### Self Employed Tax Workshop

WomenVenture will hold tax classes / workshops in January to give individuals and business owners helpful information about doing their taxes.

Wed., Jan. 13<sup>th</sup> 3:30 – 5:00pm  
Self Employed Tax Workshop

Wed., Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 – 7:00  
Tax Prep Basics for Individuals

These classes are basically free information sessions and will be held at the St. Paul office of WomenVenture at 2324 University Avenue. The Small Business one is taught by Tom Larson from Accountability MN and Kara Hefner. The Individual Tax class is taught by Kara Hefner. Please call 651-646-3808 to register or if you have any questions.

### Calling All Minnesota Artists!

"Foot in the Door 4"  
Minnesota Artists Exhibition Program  
Friday, Feb. 19<sup>th</sup>-Sunday, June 13<sup>th</sup>  
Foot in the Door 4 is an open exhibition for all Minnesota artists, which takes place every ten years at the Minneapolis Institute of Arts. Since 1980, Foot in the Door has celebrated the diversity and enthusiasm of Minnesota's visual arts community. Submit your work and be part of the state's largest art exhibition! Let's have a HUGE showing from NAC Members! If you can, note your membership in the Northside Arts Collective for your title card. For details, visit: [www.artsmia.org](http://www.artsmia.org)

### Seventh Annual Art of Recovery

April 18 - June 30, 2010  
Minnesotans who have been victims or survivors of crime and have expressed their experiences through the arts are invited to submit artwork to be included in this annual exhibition. One need not be an "artist" to enter; anyone who has used the arts to respond, explore, express, or heal from an experience with crime is encouraged to enter. Interested individuals should submit a completed entry form, a brief narrative description, and work samples. For full entry instructions visit: [www.arts.state.mn.us/aor/2010/call.htm](http://www.arts.state.mn.us/aor/2010/call.htm) or call (651) 215-1626, (800) 866-2787

### Drawing Coop - with Model

3947 Colfax Ave N, Minneapolis 55412  
Matthew Saxe; 612-275-9573  
1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday;  
1<sup>st</sup> meeting Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>, 7-9pm; seating for 10

### Call For Jurors

19th Annual Powderhorn Art Fair  
August 7th & 8th, 2010  
Powderhorn Art Fair is now accepting resumes for 2010 Jury, visit [www.powderhornartfair.com](http://www.powderhornartfair.com) for details.

### Walker Art Center & martists.org's New Artist Pass Program Provides Access and Benefits for Local Artists

Artist Pass Holders Receive Free Admission to the Walker Galleries, Event Discounts, and E-Newsletter Subscription

The Walker Art Center and martists.org announce the launch of a new Artist Pass program to provide access, affordability, and benefits to local artists. Active martists.org members of all disciplines are eligible to apply for a \$20 annual pass, which includes unlimited free admission to the Walker galleries, discounts on select martists.org and Walker events, and a subscription to the martists.org access+ENGAGE e-newsletter. Artist Pass holders gain affordable access to the wealth of resources available at the Walker and on [martists.org](http://martists.org). For more information or to apply for a pass, visit [martists.org/artistpass](http://martists.org/artistpass)

### MiniVan & Canopy for Sale

1999 Pontiac Montana, 132k miles/100k on a new motor. Good shape, no rust, new tires, seats 7. V6 3.4 liter, FWD, Automatic, Second sliding door, A/C, power steering, power windows, power locks, tilt wheel, cruise control, AM/FM Stereo, Cassette, CD, dual front air bags, ABS, Privacy glass and loaded with liberal hippie tree hugger bumper stickers (included). Removable seats make for lots of cargo space and it runs great! Asking \$2,000. Contact Connie Beckers – 612-521-0399 or [goddessofglass@msn.com](mailto:goddessofglass@msn.com).

Used Caravan Canopy for Sale - Comes w/four sides, weights and straps. Asking \$100. Contact Connie Beckers – 612-521-0399 or [goddessofglass@msn.com](mailto:goddessofglass@msn.com).

Our mission: The Northside Arts Collective unites, enriches, and advances the Northside community through the arts.



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