



# *Art Beat*

2026

Park Rapids Area





*The goal of Heartland Arts is to support and promote arts events in Park Rapids and neighboring communities.*

### Mission

*"To promote excellence in the Arts through creation, education and performance."*

Heartland Arts serves as an umbrella organization for 20 arts and culture organizations in the greater Park Rapids area. Representatives from the arts and culture groups, along with individual art projects champions, meet monthly to coordinate arts calendars, share information and incubate interest in new arts projects.

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#### **October Lilacs** by Heidi Allen

Nemeth Art Center's Education series summer instructor, Heidi Allen is offering two relief printmaking intensive workshops. The first on 7/23, *One-Day Black and White Woodcut Workshop*. The second 8/6, 13, 20, *Three-Day Color Woodcut with Stencils Workshop*.

**October Lilacs**, measures 10'6" x 60", and is made woven cotton paper and linen. Prior to weaving, paper is printed from inked woodblocks and copper plates that have been worked through carving and etching to make images to print. The printed and woven images reference aspects of memorable outdoor experiences and relationships that people have to nature.

Heidi lives and works near Itasca State Park.

## Summer Calendar May 2026

- 1** *Classic Chorale*: 7:30 pm concert at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*Hubbard County Historical Museum*: open for the season 11 am-4 pm Thursday, Friday, Saturday  
*Nemeth Art Center*: Exhibitions: *John Fleischer* and *Rosemary Holliday Hall* through July 19
- 2** *Armory Arts & Events Center*: 10 am-2 pm Copper Enameling
- 3** *Classic Chorale*: 3 pm concert at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR
- 6** *Community Ed*: May 6 Travel to Chanhassen Dinner Theatre to see *Guys & Dolls*
- 9** *Armory Arts & Events Center*: 10 am-1 pm Contour Drawing to Wire Sculpture  
*Park Rapids Area Library*: 11 am 2nd Saturday STEM
- 10** *Armory Arts & Events Center*: 11 am-4 pm Open Art Studio
- 13** *Northern Lights Dance Academy*: 7 pm Spring Recital in Park Rapids HS Auditorium [nldadance.com/park-rapids](http://nldadance.com/park-rapids)
- 14** *Park Rapids Area Library*: 8:30 am-6 pm Friends of the Library Booksale  
*Nemeth Art Center*: HS Art Show through May 23; reception and awards ceremony May 16, 2-4 pm  
*Northern Lights Dance Academy*: 7 pm Spring Recital in Park Rapids HS Auditorium [nldadance.com/park-rapids](http://nldadance.com/park-rapids)
- 15** *Park Rapids Area Library sponsored*: 6:30 pm Caleigh "They Brought Their Songs: International Music in MN" at the Armory Arts and Events Center
- 16** *Armory Arts & Events Center*: 10 am-1:30 pm Beginning Mosaics  
*Armory Arts & Events Center*: 4:30-5:30 pm Word Dances: Poetry in Motion  
*PR Community Band*: 4 pm Community Band Concert at Park Rapids HS Auditorium  
*Park Rapids Sculpture Trail* Opening Ceremony at Red Bridge Park  
*Nemeth Art Center*: 2 pm-4 pm HS Art Show opening reception and awards ceremony, with portfolio review and student artwork critique by visiting representatives from MCAD
- 20** *Tin Ceiling Gallery*: Painting and drawing exhibition by David Ceminski from CREATE Studio; (Opening Reception: Wednesday, May 20, 1-3 pm)
- 21** *Armory Arts & Events Center*: 11:30 am Art Bites  
*Armory Arts & Events Center*: 7-11 pm Season Finale of Open Mic Night
- 23** *Armory Arts & Events Center*: Plant Day
- 30** *Armory Arts & Events Center*: 7 pm PK Mayo Band

# Summer Calendar June 2026

- 1 **Park Rapids Area Library:** "Plant a Seed, Read" summer reading program for ages 2-18 begins
- 4 **Noon Hour Concert:** 12:15-12:45 pm Jenn Ellis, Harp/Piano at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR
- 5 **Heartland Arts & Giwwedinong:** "Procession of the Species" puppetry workshop at the Armory, followed by parade
- 6 **Heartland Arts & Giwwedinong:** "Procession of the Species" parade at Pine Point
- 10 **Jasper's Theater:** 2 pm Dan Brekke Band "Waylon, Willie & the Boys" [jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 11 **Noon Hour Concert:** 12:15-12:45 pm Melanie Hanson, Piano /Violin; Michael Hanson, Soprano Saxophone at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
**2nd Street Stage Concert:** 6-8 pm Mark Joseph & The American Soul; social hour begins at 5 pm
- 12 **Nemeth Art Center:** 1- 3 pm HS & Adult Willow Whistle Workshop in the gallery, with guest artist Bruce Engebretson. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center max registration: (6), cost: \$10.  
**Park Theater:** Lamp House Event  
**Long Lake Theater:** 7 pm Free family movie "Shrek" [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 13 **Park Rapids Area Library:** 11 am 2nd Saturday STEM  
**Long Lake Theater:** 2 pm Ultimate Tribute to Roy Orbison, all ages concert [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 14 **Nevis Sites 'n Bites:** 11 am-3 pm Art, Music, Food [nevischamber.com/sites-n-bites](http://nevischamber.com/sites-n-bites)  
**Northern Light Opera Company:** 4 pm Workbench New Play Workshop begins at the Armory (7 consecutive days)
- 17 **Park Rapids Area Library sponsored:** 1:30 pm Ventriloquist James Wedgwood at Century School
- Jasper's Theater:** Wed 2 pm "Crooners, Big Bands, and Cool Cats" [jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 18 **Noon Hour Concert:** 12:15-12:45 pm Jennie Anderson, Flute; Rebekah Sundsrud, Piano at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
**2nd Street Stage Concert:** 6-8 pm Good Morning Bedlam; social hour begins at 5 pm
- 20 **Dorset Boardwalk Art & Authors Festival 3rd Street Festival** (formerly Author Fest), Park Rapids  
**Tin Ceiling Gallery:** Beadwork exhibition by Patrick Pope; Opening Reception: Saturday, June 20, 1-3 pm  
**Long Lake Theater:** 7:30 pm "The TV Show Show" family game show [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 21 **Long Lake Theater:** 2 pm "The TV Show Show" family game show [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 22 **NLOKids Theater Camp:** a month-long theater camp for kids 8-13 years old, from the Indigenous Community of Pine Point and Park Rapids area, in which kids create an original musical to perform in both communities. Program runs June 22-July 11 with performance at the Armory.
- 24 **Jasper's Theater:** 2 pm "Classic Country and Iconic Duets" [jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 25 **Noon Hour Concert:** 12:15-12:45 pm Timothy Pinkerton, Violin at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
**Nemeth Art Center:** noon-2 pm Children's 3-D art workshop in the gallery, with visiting artist John Fleischer. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration: (10), cost: \$10.  
**2nd Street Stage Concert:** 6-8 pm Indecent Proposal; social hour begins at 5 pm  
**Community Ed:** June 25 Travel to Masonic Auditorium to see Nobody's Perfect

- 26 **Park Rapids Area Library:** 10:30 am children's author Emily Kilgore  
**Nemeth Art Center:** Noon-2 pm Children's Photography workshop in the gallery, (1 of 2 sessions, 2nd session August 13) with guest artist Wayne Gudmundson. All materials, including a disposable camera, supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration: (8); cost \$40 for all (2) sessions.  
**Long Lake Theater:** 7:30 pm "The TV Show Show" family game show [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 27 **Nemeth Art Center:** 4-6 pm Artist Reception: John Fleischer and Rosemary Holliday Hall  
**Long Lake Theater:** 7:30 pm "The TV Show Show" family game show [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 29 **Hubbard County Historical Museum:** 1-3 pm Memories of "Bud Mack," presented by Sharon Condiff at Northwoods Bank, PR

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# Summer Calendar July 2026

- 1** *Where's Waldo scavenger hunt in Park Rapids:* July 1-31  
*Park Rapids Area Library:* 10 am-noon all ages parking lot party  
*Jasper's Theater:* 2pm "Great American Variety Show"  
[jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 2** *Noon Hour Concert:* 12:15-12:45 pm Bemidji Brass: Kyle Riess, Trumpet; Alyssa Konecne, Trombone; Steve Radley, Bass Trombone; Eve Sumsy, Horn; Craig Swartz, Trumpet at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*Nemeth Art Center:* noon-2 pm HS & Adult creature water-color workshop, with visiting artist Rosemary Holliday Hall. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration: (10), cost: \$10  
*2nd Street Stage Concert:* 6-8 pm The Front Fenders; social hour begins at 5 pm
- 9** *Noon Hour Concert:* 12:15-12:45 pm Emily Kjenaas, Mezzo-Soprano at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*Community Ed:* Travel to Orpheum Theater to see Wicked  
*2nd Street Stage Concert:* 6-8 pm Absolute Gräv; social hour begins at 5 pm
- 10** *New York Mills Cultural Center:* 10 am-4 pm Annual Fish House Festival family event  
*Menahga Midsummer Celebration:* [menahga.com](http://menahga.com)  
*Nemeth Art Center:* noon-2 pm, Birch Bark Ornament workshop, HS & Adult in the gallery, with guest artist Bruce Engebretson. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration: (6). cost: \$10.
- 11** *Nevis Bands & BBQ Festival* [nevischamber.com](http://nevischamber.com)  
*Menahga Midsummer Celebration:* [menahga.com](http://menahga.com)  
*Park Rapids Area Library:* 11 am 2nd Saturday STEM  
*Long Lake Theater:* 7:30 pm Michael Monroe's Acoustic Legends all-ages concert [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 12** *Menahga Midsummer Celebration:* [menahga.com](http://menahga.com)
- 16** *Noon Hour Concert:* 12:15-12:45 pm The Hoot Owls: Dick Max, String Bass, Vocals; Dave Karem, Guitar, Vocals at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*Nemeth Art Center:* noon-2 pm Children's portrait painting workshop in the gallery, with local artist Suzanne Dinger. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration: (10), cost: \$10.  
*2nd Street Stage Concert:* 6-8 pm Tommy Bentz Band; social hour begins at 5 pm
- 17** *Nevis Muskie Days Music Festival:* [nevischamber.com/muskie-days](http://nevischamber.com/muskie-days)
- 18** *Nevis Muskie Days Music Festival:* [nevischamber.com/muskie-days](http://nevischamber.com/muskie-days)  
*Jasper's Theater:* 2 pm "Great American Variety Show"  
[jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)  
*Long Lake Theater:* 7:30 pm "Love Letters" play  
[longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 19** *Long Lake Theater:* 2 pm "Love Letters" play [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 20** *Park Rapids Area Library:* 10 am Pint Size Polkas
- 21** *Jasper's Theater:* 2 pm "Classic Country and Iconic Duets"  
[jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 23** *Park Rapids Area Library:* 8:30 am-6 pm Friends of the Library Book Sale  
*Nemeth Art Center:* Exhibition *The Crystal Chandeliers Light Up the Paintings on Your Walls*, Curated by Aaron Spangler, featuring: Matt Bollinger, Samantha Joy Groff, Frank Spidale, Jewelya Coffey, Pete Driessen July 23 through September 26  
*Nemeth Art Center:* 10 am-5 pm HS & Adult wood block print making workshop in the gallery, with guest artist Heidi Allen. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration: (6), cost \$25.  
*Nemeth Art Center:* noon- 2 pm Children's painting & mixed media collage workshop in the gallery, with visiting artist Matt Bollinger. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration (10),cost \$10.  
*Noon Hour Concert:* 12:15-12:45 pm North Wind Clarinets: Deane Johnson, Beth Hahn, Vickie Magnuson, Peg Rickert, Sarah Sundeen at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*2nd Street Stage Concert:* 6-8 pm Useful Jenkins; social hour begins at 5 pm  
*Menahga Midsummer Music Fest:* [midsummermusicfest.com](http://midsummermusicfest.com)
- 24** *Park Rapids Area Library:* 8:30 am-6 pm Friends of the Library Book Sale  
*Park Rapids Area Library sponsored:* 10:30 am Wonder Weavers Storytelling at Heartland Park  
*CREATE Studio:* Papermaking with Jill Odegaard, free and open to the public, Friday, July 24 (Time TBD)  
*Park Theater:* Lamp House Event  
*Long Lake Theater:* 7:30 pm "Love Letters" play  
[longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)  
*Menahga Midsummer Music Fest:* [midsummermusicfest.com](http://midsummermusicfest.com)
- 25** *Nemeth Art Center:* 4-6 pm Artist Reception for Group Exhibition  
*Long Lake Theater:* 7:30 pm "Love Letters" play  
[longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)  
*Menahga Midsummer Music Fest:* [midsummermusicfest.com](http://midsummermusicfest.com)
- 26** *Long Lake Theater:* 2 pm "Love Letters" play [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 27** *Hubbard County Historical Museum:* 1-3 pm Don & Olive King History, presented by Neil King at Northwoods Bank, PR  
*Jasper's Theater:* 2 pm "Great American Variety Show"  
[jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 30** *Noon Hour Concert:* 12:15-12:45 pm Raegan Jarvi, Mezzo-Soprano at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*Nemeth Art Center:* noon-2 pm Children's life size painting workshop in the gallery, with local artist Carol Kral. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration (10), cost \$10.  
*Nemeth Art Center:* 2-4 pm HS & Adult life drawing workshop in the gallery, with visiting artist Samantha Joy Groff. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration (10), cost \$10.  
*2nd Street Stage Concert:* 6-8 pm Mae Simpson Music; social hour begins at 5 pm  
*Beagle & Wolf Books:* Where's Waldo party; scavenger hunt ends
- 31** *Park Rapids Area Library:* 10:30 am State Park Naturalist  
*Northern Light Opera Company:* 7:30 pm "Cabaret" musical at the Armory  
*Long Lake Theater:* 7:30 pm An Evening With Debbie Center all-ages concert

# Summer Calendar August 2026

- 1** *Northern Light Opera Company*: 7:30 pm "Cabaret" musical at the Armory
- 2** *Northern Light Opera Company*: 3 pm "Cabaret" musical at the Armory
- 5** *Jasper's Theater*: 2 pm "Great American Variety Show" [jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)  
*Northern Light Opera Company*: 7:30 pm "Cabaret" musical at the Armory
- 6** *Nemeth Art Center*: 10 am-5 pm HS & Adult Color Woodcut with stencils printing workshop at the Nemeth small gallery (1 of 3 consecutive sessions) with guest artist Heidi Allen. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration (5), cost \$45 for all (3) sessions.  
*Noon Hour Concert*: 12:15-12:45 pm Hannah Lewis, Soprano at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*Nemeth Art Center*: 1-3 pm HS & Adult still life drawing workshop in the gallery, (1 of 4 consecutive sessions) with local artist Liz Quaday. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration (10), cost \$50 for all (4) sessions.  
*2nd Street Stage Concert*: 7 pm (after Water Wars) Joyann Parker Band; social hour begins at 5 pm  
*Northern Light Opera Company*: 7:30 pm "Cabaret" musical at the Armory
- 7** *Park Rapids American Legion*: Backyard Bash  
*Northern Light Opera Company*: 7:30 pm "Cabaret" musical at the Armory
- 8** *Studio 176*: 11 am-4 pm 7 Year Anniversary celebration  
*Park Rapids Area Library*: 11:00 am 2nd Saturday STEM  
*Northern Light Opera Company*: 3 pm "Cabaret" musical at the Armory  
*Long Lake Theater*: 7 pm "Hansel & Gretel" all-ages musical theater [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 9** *Long Lake Theater*: 2 pm "Hansel & Gretel" all-ages musical theater [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 11** *Northern Light Opera Company*: 7-11 pm Filmmakers Workbench runs August 11-15 with screening at the Armory
- 12** *Jasper's Theater*: 2 pm "Great American Variety Show" [www.jasperstheater.com](http://www.jasperstheater.com)
- 13** *Nemeth Art Center*: 10 am-5 pm HS & Adult Color Woodcut with stencils printing workshop at the Nemeth small gallery (2 of 3 consecutive sessions) with guest artist Heidi Allen. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration: (5).  
*Nemeth Art Center*: Noon-2 pm Children's Photography workshop in the gallery, (2 of 2 sessions) with guest artist Wayne Gudmundson. All materials, including a disposable camera, supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration (10).  
*Noon Hour Concert*: 12:15-12:45 pm Wyatt Parthun, Voice/Piano at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*Nemeth Art Center*: 1-3 pm HS & Adult Still life drawing workshop in the gallery, (2 of 4 consecutive sessions) with local artist Liz Quaday. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration (10).  
*2nd Street Stage Concert*: 6-8 pm Saltydog; social hour begins at 5 pm
- 14** *Community Ed*: 5 pm Lion King KIDS youth theater show, at Park Rapids HS Auditorium  
*Park Theater*: Lamp House Event  
*Long Lake Theater*: 7 pm "Hansel & Gretel" all-ages musical theater [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 15** *Forestedge Winery*: 10 am-5:30 pm Art Fair at the Winery [forestedgewinery.com/events](http://forestedgewinery.com/events)  
*Northern Light Opera Company*: 7-11 pm Filmmakers Workbench screening at the Armory  
*Long Lake Theater*: 7 pm "Hansel & Gretel" all-ages musical theater [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 16** *Forestedge Winery*: 10 am-4:30 pm Art Fair at the Winery [forestedgewinery.com/events](http://forestedgewinery.com/events)  
*Long Lake Theater*: 2 pm "Hansel & Gretel" all-ages musical theater [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 19** *Jasper's Theater*: 2 pm "Johnny Cash & Neil Diamond Tribute" [jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 20** *Nemeth Art Center*: 10 am-5 pm HS & Adult Color Woodcut with stencils printing workshop at the Nemeth small gallery (3 of 3 consecutive sessions) with guest artist Heidi Allen. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration: (5).  
*Noon Hour Concert*: 12:15-12:45 pm Sarah Hamrin, Violin at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*Nemeth Art Center*: 1-3 pm HS & Adult still life drawing workshop in the gallery, (3 of 4 consecutive sessions) with local artist Liz Quaday. All materials will be supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration (10).  
*Mississippi Headwaters Music Fest*: Open Jam
- 21** *Park Rapids Area Library sponsored*: 10:30 am Deane Park Adventures at Deane Park  
*New York Mills Cultural Center sponsored*: 7-7:30 pm Kalevala Puppet Pageant Performance at New York Mills VFW Post 3289 [kulcher.org/2022-kalevala-puppet-pageant](http://kulcher.org/2022-kalevala-puppet-pageant)  
*Mississippi Headwaters Music Fest*: "Forge North"
- 22** *New York Mills Cultural Center sponsored*: Noon-12:30 pm Kalevala Puppet Pageant Performance at New York Mills Finn Creek Festival [kulcher.org/2022-kalevala-puppet-pageant](http://kulcher.org/2022-kalevala-puppet-pageant)  
*Mississippi Headwaters Music Fest*: "Corey Medina & Brothers"  
*Long Lake Theater*: 2 pm Mitchell Hall: an Acoustic Tribute to Johnny Cash all-ages country concert [longlaketheater.com](http://longlaketheater.com)
- 26** *Jasper's Theater*: 2 pm "Rockin' 50's Show" [jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 27** *Noon Hour Concert*: 12:15-12:45 pm Matthew Lorenz, Concert Piano at Calvary Lutheran Church, PR  
*Nemeth Art Center*: 1-3 pm HS & Adult life drawing workshop in the gallery, (4 of 4 consecutive sessions) with local artist Liz Quaday. All materials supplied by the Nemeth Art Center. Max registration (10).
- 28** *Nemeth Art Center*: 2-4 pm Celebration end of workshop season show. Children, HS & Adult works will be featured at the Nemeth Art Center.
- 31** *Hubbard County Historical Museum*: 1-3 pm David R. Konshok Sr. Businessman & Aviation Hero, presented by David W. Konshok Jr. at Northwoods Bank, PR.

# Summer Calendar September 2026

- 1 *Jasper's Theater*: 2 pm "Rockin' 50's Show" [jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 13 *Jasper's Theater*: 2 pm "Classic Country and Iconic Duets" [jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 8 *Headwaters Center for Lifelong Learning*: 1-2:30 pm first fall session at PR American Legion Post 212
- 12 *Park Rapids Area Library*: 11 am Saturday STEM  
*Jasper's Theater*: 2 pm "Great American Variety Show" [jasperstheater.com](http://jasperstheater.com)
- 15 *Headwaters Center for Lifelong Learning*: 1-2:30 pm at PR American Legion Post 212
- 16 *Tin Ceiling Gallery*: Painting exhibition by Lindsay Gooch from CREATE Gallery; Opening Reception: Wednesday, September 16, 1-3 pm
- 19 *Jackpine Writers' Bloc*: 1 pm Book Release event for Talking Stick 35 at Jack Pines Resort in Osage, [jackpinesresort.com](http://jackpinesresort.com)
- 21 *Heartland Concert Association*: 7:00 pm "It Takes Two; Legendary Duo's" in the PRHS Auditorium
- 22 *Headwaters Center for Lifelong Learning*: 1-2:30 pm at PR American Legion Post 212
- 26 *Art Leap 2026*: 10 am-5 pm  
*Carter's Fall Festival*: 10 am-5 pm [cartersfarm.org](http://cartersfarm.org)
- 27 *Art Leap 2026*: 11 am-4 pm  
*Carter's Fall Festival*: 1 pm-5 pm [cartersfarm.org](http://cartersfarm.org)
- 28 *Hubbard County Historical Museum*: 1-3 pm Remembering Ed De La Hunt, presented by Butch De La Hunt at Northwoods Bank, PR.

- 29 *Headwaters Center for Lifelong Learning*: 1-2:30 pm at PR American Legion Post 212
- 30 *Hubbard County Historical Museum*: closing for the year

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**Art Leap** is an annual fall 2-day driving tour of Heartland Lakes artists' studios since 2006.



Many studios and sites host guest artists and offer demonstrations. Detailed Event Guides are available in early August. [www.heartlandarts.org](http://www.heartlandarts.org)

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**Headwaters Center for Lifelong Learning (HCLL)** is a nonprofit organization that presents educational programs free of charge on a variety of topics generally focused on the Humanities. We offer 8 programs each fall and 8 each spring, with topics suggested by our audiences and voted on by the 9 member board of directors. Programs are on Tuesdays, 1:00-2:30 pm at the American Legion Post 212, 900 1st St E (Hwy 34), Park Rapids. [www.facebook.com/headwaterscenterforlifelonglearningparkrapidsmn](http://www.facebook.com/headwaterscenterforlifelonglearningparkrapidsmn)



**The Heartland Concert Association** was founded in 1981 with the goal of bringing quality entertainment to our area at a reasonable price. The concert series provides four or more performances each Sept-May concert season, encompassing many varied artistic styles. Concerts are performed in the Park Rapids HS Auditorium. [www.heartlandconcertassociation.org](http://www.heartlandconcertassociation.org)

**The Jackpine Writers' Bloc** started in northern Minnesota in 1993. We are a 501(c)3 nonprofit writing group as well as a publishing company. Our annual literary journal, The Talking Stick, has become a state-wide publishing ground for amateur and experienced writers alike. We publish to encourage solid writing that shows promise, creativity and brilliance. [www.jackpinewriters.com](http://www.jackpinewriters.com), [www.thetalkingstick.com](http://www.thetalkingstick.com)

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**The Hubbard County Historical Museum's** mission is to provide an historical setting to educate the public and display our county's heritage through generous donations from the community and its residents, past and present. The building was built as a courthouse in 1900, designed by famous architect Milton Earl Beebe, and was placed on the National Register of Historic Places in 1984. It is open seasonally from May-Sept. 301 Court Ave., Park Rapids. [www.hubbardcountymuseum.org](http://www.hubbardcountymuseum.org)

**The Park Rapids Arts & Culture Advisory Commission** aims to enhance quality of life, support local businesses, enrich education, and celebrate our community through art. They shape projects based on goals in an Arts and Culture Plan. Their current projects include the Sculpture Trail, Snow Sculpture event, and History Trail. [www.ci.park-rapids.mn.us/departments/commissions\\_committees\\_and\\_boards/art\\_culture.php#outer-55](http://www.ci.park-rapids.mn.us/departments/commissions_committees_and_boards/art_culture.php#outer-55)

**The Park Rapids Lakes Area Chamber of Commerce** is a non-profit organization committed to serving, connecting, and promoting its members and the business community of the Heartland Lakes area. The Chamber strives to make our community an excellent place to visit, live, and work through destination marketing and events; to connect visitors and residents to our members; and to serve as an effective catalyst for economic growth and prosperity in the region by uniting the business community. 1204 Park Ave. S., Park Rapids. [www.parkrapids.com/chamber](http://www.parkrapids.com/chamber)

**The Park Rapids Downtown Business Association's** mission is to promote the long-term strength and economic viability of business in the downtown area. One way the DBA fulfills our mission is to create memorable experiences through arts, entertainment and cultural education and enhancing our small-town charm. The DBA will sponsor the 14th season of the 10-week concert series 2nd Street Stage starting June 11. [www.parkrapidsdowntown.com](http://www.parkrapidsdowntown.com)

**The Park Rapids History Trail** is a self-guided exploration of Park Rapids to discover the stories hidden in plain sight. Each stop highlights either "What brought people to Park Rapids" or "What people have brought to Park Rapids." [www.prhistrail.org](http://www.prhistrail.org)

**The Park Rapids Sculpture Trail** began in 2018 with six sculptures in Red Bridge Park and expanded Downtown in 2019. Each year, sculptures are selected through a juried process, and visitors can vote for their favorite in the People's Choice Award. [www.heartlandarts.org/pages/sculpture-trail/sculpture-trail.php](http://www.heartlandarts.org/pages/sculpture-trail/sculpture-trail.php)

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

**The Nemeth Art Center** is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit contemporary art space in rural northern Minnesota, open seasonally beginning May 1. It presents exhibitions by emerging and established artists, with a focus on connecting local and non-local practices through thoughtful programming, and serves as a public space for visual art, music,

literary events, and youth education. In 2025, NAC received a \$60,000 multi-year grant from the Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts. Located at 301 Court Ave., Park Rapids. Learn more at [www.nemethartcenter.org](http://www.nemethartcenter.org) or register for workshops at [www.parkrapidscomed.com](http://www.parkrapidscomed.com).

**The Park Theater** has been showing feature films under its classic Art Deco neon marquee since it was built in 1939. The theater has 3 screens, and a diverse movie schedule suitable for all ages. 107 Main Ave. S., Park Rapids.

[www.parktheater.mn](http://www.parktheater.mn)

**Park Rapids Community Education** links school and community to provide lifelong learning and success for all. Year-round programming offers a wide variety of activities for all ages and interests. 301 Huntsinger Ave., Park Rapids, [www.parkrapidscomed.com](http://www.parkrapidscomed.com). Please visit the Community Education online catalog to register for a workshop, or call 218-237-6600.



*Youth art workshop at Nemeth, 2025.*

2026 Season

**John Fleischer**  
**Rosemary Holliday Hall**

May 1 - July 19

Artist reception: June 27, 4 - 6 p.m.

**Matt Bollinger**  
**Samantha Joy Groff**  
**Frank Spidale**  
**Jewelya Coffey**  
**Pete Driessen**

July 23 - September 26

Artist reception: July 25, 4 - 6 p.m.

**Nemeth**  
**Art**  
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**2026 Noon Hour Concerts**

HEARTLAND Arts

Thursdays 12:15-12:45  
Calvary Lutheran Church

June 4	Jenn Ellis, Nap/Piano
June 11	Melanie Hanson, Piano/Vocal; Michael Hanson, Soprano Saxophone
June 18	Jennie Anderson, Flute; Rebekah Sundrud, Piano
June 25	Timothy Pinkerton, Vocal; Sarah Carlson, Piano
July 2	Benedi Brass Quintet: Kyle Heasa, Trumpet; Alyssa Konecny, Trombone; Steve Radley, Bass Trombone; Eva Surnsky, Horn; Craig Swartz, Trumpet
July 9	Emily Kjanias, Mezzo-Soprano
July 16	The Hood Owls: Dick Max, Sing Bass; Vlado; Dave Karem, Guitar; Vocals
July 23	North Wind Cannata: Deane Johnson, Beth Hahn, Vibeke Magnuson, Paj Rickert, Sarah Sundeen
July 30	Raeagan Jarvi, Mezzo-Soprano
August 6	Hannah Lewis, Soprano
August 13	Wyatt Parthun, Vocal/Piano
August 20	Sarah Hamrin, Vocal
August 27	Matthew Lorenz, Concert Piano

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**Noon Hour Concerts** are held each Thursday afternoon in June, July, and August from 12:15-12:45 at Calvary Lutheran Church, 112 Park Ave., Park Rapids. They feature local and visiting artists with a range of instrumental and vocal selections. The concerts are free, sponsored in part by Heartland Arts Council.

[www.heartlandarts.org/pages/events/events.php](http://www.heartlandarts.org/pages/events/events.php)



Special Thanks to Sarah Carlson who has helped in finding musicians for our concerts.

**The Park Rapids Classic Chorale** is a choir of dedicated singers. Concerts are performed in December and spring each year. Rehearsals are on Monday evenings at 6:30 p.m. at Calvary Lutheran Church in Park Rapids. The Chorale welcomes singers of all backgrounds. For more information about the Classic Chorale, contact Dave Keller at 218-732-9458.

[www.facebook.com/PRClassicChorale/directory\\_contact\\_info](http://www.facebook.com/PRClassicChorale/directory_contact_info)

**2nd Street Stage** free concerts are a gathering place for the community on ten Thursday evenings every summer since 2012. The audience includes infants to 90-plus-year-olds. Some people come for the music and to dance, while others find friends and enjoy a cold beverage and warm conversation. The concerts are 6-8 pm, with social hour beginning at 5 pm.

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

**The Northern Light Opera Company (NLOC)** has become part of the "summer experience" of many in the Park Rapids community for 25 years, whether performing on stage, building sets, creating costumes or attending a production. Accomplished professionals teach participants how to sing, dance, write, film and have fun. Other NLOC projects include:

**NLOKids**, a month-long theater camp for kids 8-13 years old, from the Indigenous Community of Pine Point and Park Rapids area, in which kids create an original Musical to perform in both communities.

**Workbench:** PlayWriters and Filmmakers in which participants write a play or create a short movie with the guidance of professionals from NYC or LA, and present their original work in the space of 5-7 days to a live audience in the Armory.

**This Summer's Musical will be "CABARET"**, presented at the Armory Arts & Events Center on July 31 through August 8. Advance tickets will be available at Beagle and Wolf Books, or on-line at Ticket Tailor. Check out NLOC's website, [www.northernlightopera.org](http://www.northernlightopera.org) for more information.

**The Park Rapids Area Community Band** is an adult community band drawing musicians from various counties in northern Minnesota. We perform a spring and fall concert each year in the Park Rapids HS Auditorium. Check out our website to view our rehearsal schedule and archived recordings.

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

**Your Park Rapids Area Library** is a welcoming space with engaging activities, programs, and resources for people of all ages; items available for checkout, meeting rooms available by reservation, public computers, printers, and copiers available for public use. 210 1st St. W., Park Rapids.

[www.krls.org/park-rapids-area-library](http://www.krls.org/park-rapids-area-library)

**CABARET**

JULY 31 THROUGH AUG. 8

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**Studio 176** is a salon-style art gallery featuring original paintings, photography, mosaics, stained glass, prints & gifts created by area artists. 176 Third Street W., Park Rapids.

[www.sites.google.com/studio-176.com/studio-176](http://www.sites.google.com/studio-176.com/studio-176)

**Giiwednong** (pronounced Ghee Way Den Nong) means “in the North,” and also means homecoming. The vision of the **Giiwednong Treaty Rights and Culture Museum** is following the path of Mino-bimaadiziwin (to live “the good life”) for all Indigenous peoples as given by the Creator and as carried by generations both behind and ahead. Our cultural knowledge is grounded in our relationship to Akiing, the land to which we belong. Our mission is to honor, empower, and inspire Anishinaabe and Dakóta through immersive exhibitions, dynamic public programs, and transformative education. We will ignite awareness, foster respect, and drive meaningful change. 101 2nd St. W., Park Rapids. [www.giiwednong.org](http://www.giiwednong.org)



**Region 2 Arts** strengthens the presence of the arts by supporting opportunities for arts creation, promotion and education for the people of Beltrami, Clearwater, Hubbard, Lake of the

Woods and Mahnommen counties. One way the Region 2 Arts Council supports opportunities is through grant programs, including Minnesota Arts and Cultural Heritage Funds. These grants make it possible for Heartland Arts and several of our member organizations to sponsor our events.

[www.r2arts.org](http://www.r2arts.org)

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