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May 19-21, 2022

As the Mayor of Rapid City, I am thrilled to welcome you to the South Dakota Arts Conference!

It is very exciting to have this event in-person again in Rapid City. There is widespread support for arts in this area and this is a great opportunity for our creative community to come together to learn, educate, and share experiences with fellow lovers of the arts.

The 2022 Arts Conference will surely have something for everyone to appreciate. Thank you for being a part of this experience and supporting our creative minds and outlets!

Steve Allender, Mayor
Rapid City, South Dakota

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2022 SOUTH DAKOTA STATE ARTS CONFERENCE
PROGRAM & EVENT DIRECTOR Shari Kosel, Arts South Dakota
COMMUNICATIONS COORDINATOR Sarah Larson, Arts South Dakota
CREATIVE DIRECTOR Danielle Osloond, GreenInk Designs
CONFERENCE TECH Pinnacle Productions

frequently asked questions

how do I get online?

.....*[IHGConnect use code Perfect10](#)*

where do I sign up for "The Doc Is In"?

.....*[sign up sheets at registration table](#)*

what is the hashtag for this event?

.....*[#SDArtsCon](#) [#StateOfCreate](#)*

who is the accessibility coordinator?

.....*[Shari Kosel](#)
shari@artssouthdakota.org*

Please wear your I.D. badge at all times.

We highly encourage those attending to be vaccinated and welcome wearing a mask.

But most importantly... [enjoy the event!](#)

PRE-CONFERENCE SESSIONS COMMUNITY DRIVEN PUBLIC ART

Thursday, May 19th & Friday, May 20th



**JUN-LI
WANG**



**RICARDO
BEARD**

THURSDAY, MAY 19
2:00pm - 5:00pm
BLACK HILLS BALLROOM

ART-TRAIN AGENCY/ORGANIZATION TRAINING

Jun-Li Wang and Ricardo Beard
sessions by Springboard for the Arts



**AMBER
HANSEN**



**SANDRA KERN-
MOLLMAN**



**REYNA
HERNANDEZ**

FRIDAY, MAY 20 • 8:30am - 10:00am
BLACK HILLS BALLROOM

IMAGINING, CONNECTING AND CREATING

Amber Hansen, Sandra Kern Mollman, Reyna Hernandez



DR. CRAIG HOWE

AlterNATIVE WALKING NATIVE ART TOUR

FRIDAY, MAY 20 • 9:00am - 10:30am
DAKOTA DRUM COMPANY • 603 MAIN STREET, RAPID CITY

SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE

THURSDAY 05.19

● BLACK HILLS BALLROOM

● DAKOTA BALLROOM

● LACROIX HALL A, B, C, D AT THE MONUMENT

2:00pm

2:00pm - 5:00pm: PRECONFERENCE SESSION
 • ART-TRAIN AGENCY/ORGANIZATION TRAINING WITH **JUN-LI WANG & RICARDO BEAIRD**
 Sessions by Springboard for the Arts

FRIDAY 05.20

PRIVATE DINING ROOM: 9:00am-5:00pm "THE CHAIR IS NOT ME" ART SHOW with Suzie Cappa Arts Center

8:00am

PRECONFERENCE SESSION
 8:00am - 8:30am: CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

9:00am

8:30am - 10:00am: IMAGINING, CONNECTING & CREATING WITH **AMBER HANSEN, SANDRA KERN MOLLMAN AND REYNA HERNANDEZ**

10:00am

PRECONFERENCE SESSION
 10:15am - 11:30am: JOINT Q&A PANEL DISCUSSION WITH ALL PRE-CONFERENCE PRESENTERS

11:00am

9:00am - 10:30am: PRECONFERENCE TRACK
 DAKOTA DRUM COMPANY
 603 MAIN STREET, DOWNTOWN RAPID CITY
 • ALTERNATIVE WALKING NATIVE ART TOUR WITH **DR. CRAIG HOWE**

11:00am - 12:00pm:
 South Dakota Public Broadcasting "In The Moment"
 LIVE from the conference atrium

12:00pm

12:00pm - 2:00pm LUNCH: WELCOME & OPENING KEYNOTE
 12:05pm - 12:15pm **STAMPEDE SINGERS**
 12:15pm WELCOME BY **PAM BREAUX**
 1:15pm MUSIC BY **SOPHIA BEATTY**
 1:30pm CREATIVE PEOPLE POWER WITH **LAURA ZABEL**

1:00pm

2:00pm

3:00pm

2:30pm-3:45pm - **LACROIX A**
 • HOW WE MADE A LITTLE MONEY MAKING ART WE CARE A LOT ABOUT WITH **BRIAN BIEBER & BRIENNE MANER**

2:30pm-3:45pm - **LACROIX B**
 • SHAPING THE ARTS IN SOUTH DAKOTA WITH **AMBER HANSEN & SANDRA KERN MOLLMAN**

2:30pm-3:45pm - **LACROIX C**
 • WATERING THE SEEDS OF CREATIVITY WITH **PETER STRONG & CANDI BRINGS PLENTY**

2:30pm-3:45pm - **LACROIX D**
 • BRANDING CAN BE A PICNIC: A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON BRANDING WITH **TED HEEREN AND HEIDI MARSH**

4:00pm

3:35pm - 4:15pm: *Networking break in The Monument Hallway*

5:00pm

4:15pm-5:30pm - **LACROIX A**
 • NAVIGATING NARRATIVES: EDUCATIONAL ART EXHIBIT WITH **DR. CRAIG HOWE**

4:15pm-5:30pm - **LACROIX B**
 • GRANT WRITING BASICS WITH **PEGGY SCHLECHTER**

4:15pm-5:30pm - **LACROIX C**
 • SO, WE ARE A NON-PROFIT WITH **JULIE M. JOHNSON**

6:00pm

7:00pm

8:00pm

9:00pm

6:30pm-8:30pm
 DAHL ARTS CENTER • 713 7TH STREET, DOWNTOWN RAPID CITY
OPENING RECEPTION
 A fun, informal, networking mixer with food and drink, along with exciting arts activities. These include a performance by the Sophia Beatty Band, author signings, and all of the exhibits at the Dahl open for viewing.
 * MUST HAVE BADGE OR GUEST TICKET TO ENTER



SCHEDULE AT A GLANCE



SATURDAY 05.21

PRIVATE DINING ROOM: 9:00am-5:00pm "THE CHAIR IS NOT ME" ART SHOW with Suzie Cappa Arts Center

8:00am

9:00am

9:00am - 9:30am CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST WITH DEDICATED TOPIC TABLES
 9:45am - 10:00am PERFORMANCE BY **TYLER BRINK & "JJ" JAMES JANIS - FLUTTER PRODUCTIONS**
 10:00am - 10:30am GOOD MORNING BY ARTS SD EXEC. DIRECTOR **JIM SPEIRS &**
 SD ARTS COUNCIL DIRECTOR **PATRICK BAKER**

10:00am

11:00am

11:00am-12:15pm - **LACROIX A**
 • ARTS MIDWEST GRANT OPPORTUNITIES WITH **JOSHUA FEIST**

11:00am-12:15pm - **LACROIX B**
 • USING THE BRAIN TO ADVOCATE FOR THE BENEFITS OF CREATIVITY AND ARTS PROGRAMMING WITH **JESSIE PARK & COURTNEY ANDERSON**

11:00am-12:15pm - **LACROIX C**
 • COMMUNITY TAPESTRY: CELEBRATING DIVERSITY WITH **DALE LAMPHERE & ELLE LARSEN**

11:00am-12:15pm - **LACROIX D**
 • THE CAVE COLLECTIVE, AND THE VALUE OF DIY ARTS SPACES WITH **DEXTER CARMAN**

12:00pm

1:00pm

12:30pm - 2:00pm LUNCH & FEATURED KEYNOTE • DAKOTA BALLROOM
 1:15pm PERFORMANCE BY **TASHINA RED HAWK, SICANGU LAKOTA OYATE, MISS TEEN ROSEBUD**
 1:30pm-2:30pm KEYNOTE BY **SECRETARY JIM HAGEN**

2:00pm

3:00pm

2:30pm-3:45pm - **LACROIX A**
 • SD NATIVE TOURISM ALLIANCE WITH **SD NATIVE TOURISM ALLIANCE**

2:30pm-3:45pm - **LACROIX C**
 • SCRAPPY & IMPERFECT: EFFECTIVE DIGITAL MARKETING WITH **MIKE GUSSIAAS**

2:30pm-3:45pm - **LACROIX D**
 • START SMALL, DREAM BIG: EMPOWERING ARTISTS & ADVOCATES WITH **ELIZA BLUE**

4:00pm

4:00pm - 4:30pm: SEND OFF AND PASSPORT DRAWING FOR TALLY MONTEAU ART
**MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN*

5:00pm

6:00pm

7:00pm

8:00pm

9:00pm

FRIDAY KEYNOTE SPEAKERS



Friday, May 20
Welcome Keynote
Dakota Ballroom
12:15pm-12:30pm

PAM BREAUX

President & CEO
National Assembly of State Arts Agencies

Pam joined the National Assembly of State Arts Agencies (NASAA) in 2015. As president and CEO, she works with the association's board of directors and staff to advance NASAA's policy and programmatic mission to strengthen America's state and jurisdictional arts agencies. A native of Lafayette, Louisiana, Pam has held leadership positions at the local, state and national levels. While in Louisiana state government, she was secretary of the Louisiana Department of Culture, Recreation and Tourism (CRT), assistant secretary of CRT (overseeing its cultural development portfolio), and executive director of its state arts agency (the Louisiana Division of the Arts). During her time at CRT, Pam developed and led Louisiana's cultural economy initiative and spearheaded the successful UNESCO inscription of Poverty Point State Historic Site (an ancient Indian site) as a World Heritage site.

Before working in state government, Pam was executive director of the Arts and Humanities Council of Southwest Louisiana and managed southwest Louisiana's Decentralized Arts Funding Program. She has served on the boards of the U.S. Travel Association, NASAA, South Arts and the Louisiana Board of International Commerce. Pam is currently a member of the U.S. National Commission on UNESCO. She graduated from McNeese State University with a B.A. in English and earned an M.A. in English and folklore from the University of Louisiana at Lafayette.



Friday, May 20
Opening Keynote
Dakota Ballroom
1:30pm-2:00pm

LAURA ZABEL

Executive Director
Springboard for the Arts

Laura Zabel is the Executive Director of Springboard for the Arts, an economic and community development agency run by and for artists. Springboard provides programs that help artists make a living and a life, and programs that help communities connect to the creative power of artists. Springboard is a nationally recognized leader in artist-led community development, creative placemaking and cross-sector collaboration. Springboard's work has been featured by the New York Times, PBS, Wall Street Journal, Stanford Social Innovation Review and The Guardian and directly impacts over 25,000 artists each year. Through their free toolkits, training and resources Springboard's programs have been replicated in over 100 communities across the U.S. and internationally.

In the last year, Springboard scaled their artist emergency relief fund to support over 2,500 artists in their region and helped over 80 communities nationwide start their own locally-rooted emergency funds. Through their Artists Respond program, Springboard is supporting artists to respond directly to urgent community needs, including racial justice, social isolation, and rural-urban solidarity. In 2021, Springboard launched one of the nation's first guaranteed income programs focused on artists, inspired by the city of St. Paul and Mayors for Guaranteed Income.

Zabel has been honored with numerous awards, including the YBCA 100, Gard Foundation Award of Excellence, Common Future Local Economy Fellowship and the Bush Foundation Leadership Fellowship. Zabel chairs the board of directors of the Metropolitan Consortium of Community Developers and serves as an advisor to Dakota Resources, The Laundromat Project, Local Initiatives Support Corporation and the University of Kansas Department of Theater and Dance.

SATURDAY KEYNOTE SPEAKER



**Saturday, May 21
Lunch Keynote
Dakota Ballroom
1:30pm-2:00pm**

SEC. JIM HAGEN

Secretary
South Dakota Department of Tourism

Jim Hagen has served as South Dakota's Secretary of Tourism since 2011. After a decade of leading the department, he is as passionate as ever about seeing the tourism industry in our state attain new heights.

Before being appointed to oversee the Department of Tourism, Jim served four and a half years as the National Fundraising and Public Relations Director for the Crazy Horse Memorial Foundation. From 2004-2006, he served as South Dakota's Secretary of Tourism and State Development. From 1995-2002, he served as Chief of Staff and Special Advisor to Governor Bill Janklow.

Under his leadership, and in close partnership with the tourism industry, the state set new tourism economic impact records nine years in a row, including all-time spending and visitation records. Despite the challenges thrown at travel and tourism during the global COVID-19 pandemic, which saw average nationwide visitation and spending levels drop 50 percent or higher in other states, Secretary Hagen and his team were able to guide the tourism industry in South Dakota to much stronger numbers. In 2020, visitor spending was down only 18%, and visitation down only 13%. During the pandemic year of 2020, South Dakota was one of the three best-performing states in the nation in travel and tourism. It was the very first state tourism industry in the country to fully recover from the effects of the pandemic and return to pre-COVID spending and visitation levels.

Secretary Hagen has also been active on the national travel and tourism stage. In March 2014, he was appointed to the 32-member National Travel and Tourism Advisory Board (TTAB) by then-U.S. Secretary of Commerce Penny Pritzker. The board is charged with advising the United States Secretary of Commerce on travel and tourism issues affecting the United States. In March 2016, he was reappointed by Secretary Pritzker to an additional two-year term. U.S. Commerce Secretary Wilbur Ross reappointed Secretary Hagen to a third term in September 2018. Secretary Hagen also served five years on the Executive Board of the U.S. Travel Association, chaired the association's Membership Governance Committee, and also served a recent two-year term as Chairman of the National Council of State Tourism Directors.

During his tenure as secretary, the Department of Tourism has been the recipient of numerous state, regional and national marketing and public relations awards. Jim was named the National State Tourism Director of the Year in 2014. In January 2021, Governor Kristi Noem honored him with the South Dakota tourism industry's highest honor, the Ben Black Elk Award, for exceptional lifetime achievement and contributions to tourism in the state.

Secretary Hagen grew up in the northeast corner of the Mount Rushmore State. He is an honors graduate of the University of Southern California.

FRIDAY PRESENTERS



BRIAN BIEBER

Let's Really Get Into It:
How We Made A Little Money
Making Art We Care A Lot About

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room A
2:30pm-3:45pm



BRIENNE MANER

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Making Art We Care A Lot About

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2:30pm-3:45pm



AMBER HANSEN

Shaping the Arts in South Dakota

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room B
2:30pm-3:45pm



SANDRA KERN MOLLMAN

Shaping the Arts in South Dakota

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room B
2:30pm-3:45pm



CANDI BRINGS PLENTY

Watering the Seeds of Creativity

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room C
2:30pm-3:45pm



PETER STRONG

Watering the Seeds of Creativity

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room C
2:30pm-3:45pm

FRIDAY PRESENTERS



TED HEEREN

Branding Can Be A Picnic: A Fresh Perspective On Branding

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room D
2:30pm-3:45pm



HEIDI MARSH

Branding Can Be A Picnic: A Fresh Perspective On Branding

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room D
2:30pm-3:45pm



DR. CRAIG HOWE

Navigating Narratives:
An Educational Art Exhibition
featuring Creatives from all 66
South Dakota Counties

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room A
4:15pm-5:30pm



PEGGY SCHLECHTER

Grant Writing Basics

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room B
4:15pm-5:30pm



JULIE M. JOHNSON

So, We Are a Nonprofit:
What Else We Need to Know

Friday, May 20
The Monument
LaCroix Room C
4:15pm-5:30pm



SATURDAY PRESENTERS



JOSHUA FEIST

Arts Midwest Grant Opportunities

Saturday, May 21
LaCroix Room A
11:00am-12:15pm



JESSIE PARK

Using The Brain To Advocate For
The Benefits Of Creativity And Arts
Programming

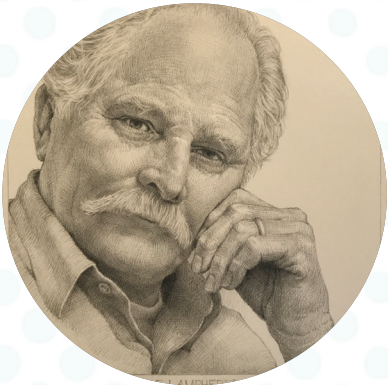
Saturday, May 21
LaCroix Room B
11:00am-12:15pm



COURTNEY ANDERSON

Using The Brain To Advocate For
The Benefits Of Creativity And Arts
Programming

Saturday, May 21
LaCroix Room B
11:00am-12:15pm



DALE LAMPHERE

Community Tapestry:
Celebrating Diversity

Saturday, May 21
LaCroix Room C
11:00am-12:15pm



ELLE LARSEN

Community Tapestry:
Celebrating Diversity

Saturday, May 21
LaCroix Room C
11:00am-12:15pm



DEXTER CARMAN

The Cave Collective, and The Value
of DIY Arts Spaces in Community
and Individual Transformation

Saturday, May 21
LaCroix Room D
11:00am-12:15pm

SATURDAY PRESENTERS



**SOUTH DAKOTA
NATIVE TOURISM ALLIANCE**

SD NATIVE TOURISM ALLIANCE

Saturday, May 21
LaCroix Room A
2:30pm-3:45pm



MIKE GUSSIAAS
Scrappy and Imperfect: Effective
Digital Marketing

Saturday, May 21
LaCroix Room C
2:30pm-3:45pm



ELIZA BLUE
Start Small, Dream Big:
Empowering Artists & Advocates

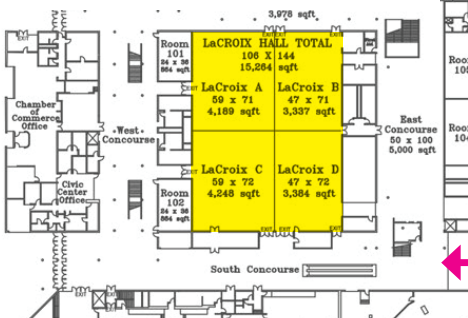
Saturday, May 21
LaCroix Room D
2:30pm-3:45pm

CONFERENCE MAPS



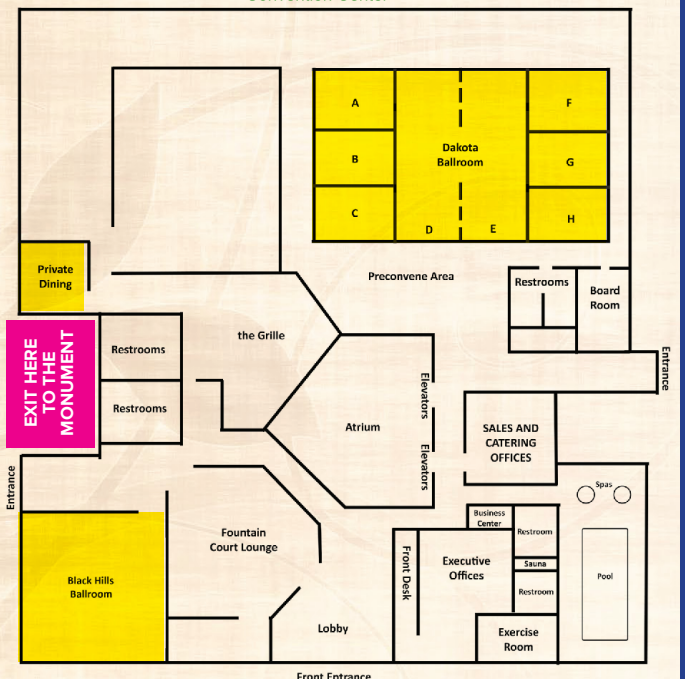
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ENTRANCE E
TO LACROIX
ROOMS

LEVEL ONE
THE MONUMENT



PERFORMERS

FRIDAY

STAMPEDE SINGERS Wanáp̄heya Nažíča Okhá Opening Performance

Friday, May 20
Dakota Ballroom
12:05pm-12:15pm



SOPHIA BEATTY Opening Performance

Friday, May 20 • Dakota Ballroom
1:15pm-1:30pm

SOPHIA BEATTY BAND Opening Reception Featured Performance

Friday, May 20 • Dahl Arts Center
6:30pm-8:30pm

SATURDAY



TYLER BRINK & “JJ” JAMES JANIS Flutter Productions: a member of the Black Hills Works family

Morning Performance

Saturday, May 21 • Dakota Ballroom
9:45am-10:00am



TASHINA RED HAWK

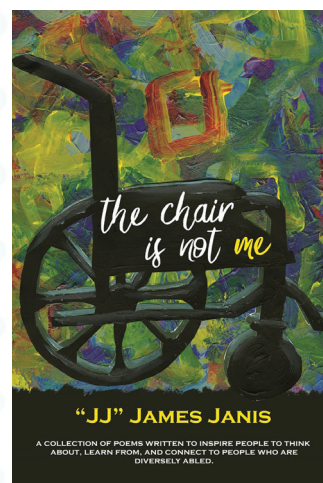
Sicangu Lakota Oyate,
Miss Teen Rosebud &
Miss Indian World 2022/2023
Lunch Performance

Saturday, May 21 • Dakota Ballroom
1:15pm-1:30pm

“THE CHAIR IS NOT ME” ART SHOW WITH SUZIE CAPPA ARTS CENTER

Friday & Saturday • 9:00AM-5:00PM
Private Dining Room

The Chair is Not Me is a collection of poems written, and illustrated by artists of diverse abilities, to inspire people to think about, learn from, and connect to people who are diversely abled. JJ realized the need to speak and teach about disabilities following an experience at a grocery store in the 1980s. A little boy shopping with his mother saw JJ and asked, “How come that man can’t walk?” When his mother replied, “Be quiet. Don’t bother him,” JJ approached them and offered to explain his disability. He reminded the mother, “If they don’t ask, they won’t learn.” He wanted the child to think it was okay to talk to someone with a disability. He also wants families that have children with disabilities to encourage children to find their voices, love themselves, and speak up and out about their disabilities.



FLUTTER PRODUCTIONS



Flutter Productions, part of the Black Hills Works family, creates opportunities for performers of all-abilities to soar, challenging the perception of people with disabilities and creating a new creative community in which performers - with or without disabilities - come together to create works that celebrate the human spirit.

flutterproductions.com.

SUZIE CAPPA ARTS CENTER

Suzie Cappa Art Center, part of the Black Hills Works family, is a non-profit art studio and gallery located in downtown Rapid City; where artists of all abilities create, exhibit, and sell their work. We believe that disability is not a boundary; that all people can be creative in a supportive environment. The artists receive proceeds from the sales of their work and contribute to the cultural and economic life of the Rapid City community.

suziecappaart.com



"ON YOUR OWN" CREATIVE EXCURSIONS

In your free time get out and explore a creative Rapid City!

APEX ART GALLERY

211, E St Joseph St
Classroom Building 200 Rapid City,
SD 57701

Thursday & Friday 10am-5pm

This gallery features contemporary works of artists and scientists, many of whom are nationally and internationally recognized. These exhibits are designed to reflect a cross section of cultural expressions and perspectives.

ART ALLEY

599 7th St
Rapid City, SD 57701
Saturday 12-4pm

Alley Way Evolution: An Urban Exhibition featuring live painting, live music, raffle tickets, refreshments, and more! Here in the heart of Rapid City, a unique place exists; a functioning alley that hums with the urban street sounds of delivery and garbage trucks and a backbeat of shaking spray paint cans.

BLACK HILLS COMMUNITY THEATRE

Rapid City Performing Arts Center
601 Columbus St
Rapid City, SD 57701

Friday & Saturday 7:30pm

Conference attendees will receive half-priced tickets to the Black Hills Community Theatre's production of 33 Variations by Moises Kaufman.

Book online at: www.performingartsrc.org or by phone at #605-394-1786.

Discount code: SDARTS

CANVAS 2 PAINT

632 Saint Joseph Street Rapid City,
SD 57701

Thursday & Friday 5:30-9:00pm,
Saturday 11:30am-9:00pm

Conference attendees will receive \$10 off classes including "Bird Houses," "Day Break," "Dino-Night," "Harry Potter," and "Teal Skies." Promo Code is ART. Discount offered the entirety of the conference with program!

CAVE COLLECTIVE

406 5th St
Rapid City, SD 57701
Thursday 8am-9pm

Friday & Saturday 8am -10pm

7pm Thursday - Writers Block: a collaboration between The Cave and Darla Drew Lerdal's Backroom Productions premiering local authors reading original work and workshops from published authors. Free, all ages.

7pm Friday - Acoustic songwriter showcase featuring local artists Nate Whartman and Bert Malcom as well as touring artist Tyler Elden. \$8, all ages.
6pm Saturday - Underground Native Music Showcase: featuring some of the best talents the region has to offer! \$15, all ages.

DAHL ARTS CENTER

713 7th St, Rapid City, SD 57701
Thursday, Friday & Saturday 10am-5pm

Enjoy the Shane Balkowitsch exhibition; Northern Plains Native Americans/ A Modern Wet Plate Perspective, Annual Rapid City High School's show: Best of the West (this includes the best of 4 of our local high schools) and Black Hills State University's Annual Fine Art Senior Exhibition (this show includes the work from 23 graduating students).

JOURNEY MUSEUM

222 New York Street
Rapid City, SD 57701
Thursday, Friday & Saturday 10am-5pm

New exhibit opening commemorating the 50th year since the 1972 Black Hills Flood! Also, in partnership with the Indian Arts and Crafts Board/Sioux Indian Museum, "Contemporary Threads, Traditional Notions" opens featuring Lorieen Pearson and an official reception on Saturday, May 21st from 3:00-5:00pm.

445 MARTINI LOUNGE

445 Mt Rushmore Rd
Rapid City, SD 57701
Friday 7pm

Modern Folklore will be playing with The Wake Singers. Free. This event is 21+ and has no cover charge.

PERFECT HANGING GALLERY

621 Main Street, Rapid City, SD 57701
Thursday & Friday 10am-5:30pm,
Saturday 10am-4pm

Conference attendees will receive 30% off the gallery excluding original art and custom framing. Discount offered the entirety of the conference!

PRAIRIE EDGE

606 Main St
Rapid City, SD 57701
Thursday, Friday & Saturday 9am-7pm

Conference attendees will receive 15% off total sale (some exceptions apply). Bring proof of program! Discount offered the entirety of the conference.

RACING MAGPIE

801 E St Andrew St
Rapid City, SD 57701
Phone: 605-646-3321

We have developed a space in Rapid City, South Dakota, that is a contemporary nexus and hub for creativity, congregation, sustainability, and learning, with a focus on Native and regional artists.

SUZIE CAPPA ART CENTER

722 St. Joseph Street
Rapid City, SD 57701
Thursday & Friday 9am-4pm

A non-profit art studio and gallery located in downtown Rapid City; where artists of all abilities create, exhibit, and sell their work. We believe that disability is not a boundary; that all people can be creative in a supportive environment. The artists receive proceeds from the sales of their work and contribute to the cultural and economic life of the Rapid City community.



south dakota arts council

Established in 1966 and funded by the State Legislature and the National Endowment for the Arts, the South Dakota Arts Council (SDAC) is a state agency serving South Dakotans and their communities through the arts. Recognizing the importance of creativity in the lives of all South Dakotans, the Council makes quality arts accessible throughout the state by providing grants, services and information to artists, arts organizations, schools and the public. The Council is the advisory board to the SDAC staff within the Department of Tourism. Council members are appointed by the Governor.

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arts south dakota

Arts South Dakota, a non-partisan and non-profit service organization, advances the arts for South Dakotans and our visitors by connecting, advocating, and educating.

Arts South Dakota is a unifying voice for the arts; our vision is for all artists and creative leaders to feel empowered and championed, advancing a flourishing arts ecosystem that fosters vibrant communities.

Arts South Dakota is a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization funded entirely by donor contributions and grants. South Dakota Arts Council support is provided with funds from the State of South Dakota, through the Department of Tourism, and the National Endowment for the Arts.

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