

#### 56th Annual Solution Sol









The Fort Malden Guild of Arts and Crafts wishes to extend a heartfelt thank you to our dedicated Volunteers, the staff of Fort Malden NHSC, Friends of the Fort, The Town of Amherstburg Tourism and Public Works Departments for their help and our generous sponsors.



#### For your safety

In the event of an environmental occurrence, such as a severe thunderstorm, the Art by the River Committee may make the call to evacuate the grounds. They will inform the public and vendors by megaphones and direct them to the nearest exit, as indicated in the program map. If this occurs, please STAY CALM, as you exit the grounds and please DRIVE CAREFULLY on your way home.

#### Welcome to Art by the River 2023!



The Fort Malden Guild of Arts & Crafts/The Gibson Gallery welcomes you to our 56th annual Art by the River, an end of summer tradition. Started as a centennial project, Art by the River has grown, bringing over 160 artists and artisans, family entertainment and food vendors, to the grounds of Fort Malden Historical site the in beautiful town of Amherstburg. Our talented artists and crafters work in a variety of mediums to bring you their unique creations to Art by the River. Funds raised this weekend at Art by the River help operate, maintain and restore Amherstburg's former railway station as an arts and crafts center with free admission.

Thank you for your support and please enjoy a beautiful summer day with the ARTS!

#### Entertainment

#### **BARRACKS WAY**

#### SATURDAY Aug 26:

- 10:30 11:30 Foxy Doe
- 12:00 1:00 Nikki Knight Music
- 1:30 2:30 Magic Spectacular– Craig Hinds
- 3:00 4:00 Adam Butcher

#### SUNDAY AUG 27:

- 10:30 11:30 Lauren Baillargeon/Grady Caplin
- 12:00 1:00 Magic Spectacular Craig Hinds
- 1:30 2:30 Justin Latam
- 3:00 4:00 Sara & Ryan Fontaine









**Childrens Entertainment** 

SATURDAY AUG 26th:

F.A.B. Parties & Events

SATURDAY & SUNDAY AUG 26th, 27th:

**Magic Spectacular** 



At the Pensioner's Cottage, look for Fort Malden interpreters presenting some heritage activities including the making/painting of toy pewter soldiers.

#### L'il Artist Workshop



Kids, be creative then take a picture and share it on our Facebook page.

Draw a picture in the "L'il Artist Workshop"

Artist Alley each day from 10:00am-4:00pm

Free!

#### Sponsored by a generous donation From the Amherstburg TD Bank



#### **Live Art Competition**





Students will be Painting and Competing, Saturday August 26th at Barracks Way! Come cheer them on!

#### For your Eating Pleasure

Friends of the Fort- hamburgers, hotdogs, sausages, chips, pop Located in Artist Alley

**Cottam Candy**– cotton candy, caramel apples, mini donuts, lemonade Located in Artist Alley

Parrothead Poppers – popcorn Located in Barracks Way

Bubble Tea Express – tea based drinks Located in Barracks Way

Sizzler's Snack Shack– nachos, taco in a bag, fries, poutine Located in Barracks Way

Nuccelli's Frozen Yogurt – frozen yogurt and smoothies Located between Barracks Way and Cannon Ridge

Little Foot Foods- pierogi Located in River Walk

Kona Ice – shaved ice treats Located in River Walk

Elza's Gourmet – fried halloumi (fries and taco version) Located in River Walk



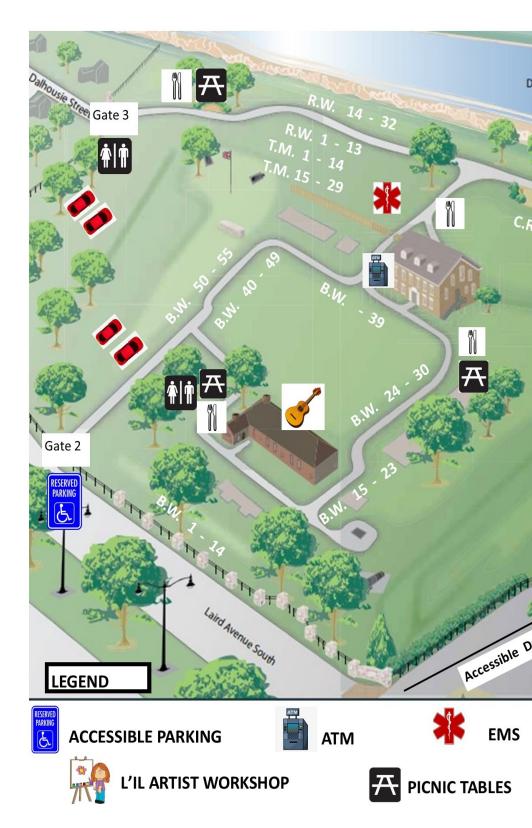
### Artists and Artisans (by area)

#### **Artist Alley**

Sunflower Face & Body Painting	Children	AA1
Coaster Creations	Ceramics	AA2
Doggie Delights	Pet Products	AA3
The Crafty Bee	Children Clothing/Access.	AA4
Baylis Girl Curls	Soaps/Lotions	AA5
Brettoni.com	Jewellery	AA6
The Open Door	Home Décor	AA7
JamWorks	Gourmet Food	AA8
Art by Madison PJ Young	Fine Art	AA9
Permanent Pallets	Wood	AA10
Super-Chi Studios	Literary Art/Fine Art	AA11
Four Eleven Pottery	Pottery	AA12
Colleen Melody	Fine Art	AA13
Wingit by William	Wood	AA14
Lunaris Art Studio	Fine Art/Jewellery	AA15
Wheat & Thistle	Garden Décor/Home Décor	AA16
The Littlest Pinecone	Children	AA17
Vincent & Jules	Home Décor	AA18
Christine's Bake Shop	Gourmet Food	AA19
The Pillow Pals	Home Décor	AA20
The Melt Market	Children	AA21
Amy Farkas Small Batch Ceramics	Ceramics	AA22
Andreas Nature Dot Mandalas	Home Décor/Fine Art	AA23
L'il Artist Workshop		AA

Barracks Way		
Original Blend Pottery	Pottery	BW1
Grannies Memory Bears	Fibre Art	BW2
R.W. Studios	Jewellery	BW3
Nathan Rode Workshop	Leather/Metal/Wood	BW4
R & S Design	Clothing/Home Decor	BW5
William Norman Collection	Home Décor	BW6
Trevor Pallisco Artworks	Fine Art	BW 8
Hazel In Pink Handmade Creations	Jewellery	BW 9
Soda Pop Brothers	Gourmet Food	BW 10
Ocean Wood Creations	Home Décor	BW11
Elites Art– Teresita Flores	Fine Art	BW12
Inner Soul Art	Fine Art	BW13
ollo/Shhh_Woww	Jewellery	BW14
Baked By Rita	Gourmet Food	BW15
Lydia Joy Palmer Art & Design	Fine Art	BW16
Emma's Dog Treats	Pet Products	BW17
LA Ceramics	Ceramics	BW18
That's Sew Sarah	Clothing/Accessories	BW19
Footpath Pottery	Pottery	BW20
Pink Posies Bowtique	Children	BW21
Canadian Heritage Candles	Candles	BW22
Whimsy Glitter	Fine Art/Garden	BW23
Feminine Wiles Jewellery	Jewellery	BW24
Alice Welsh Pawttery	Pottery	BW25
You're Sew Sweet	Children/Fibre Art	BW26
Tiwil Naturals	Soaps/Lotions	BW27
Something Special Crochet	Home Décor/Access.	BW28

Moringo's Gifts	Accessories	BW29
Walkerville Candles	Candles	BW30
Beach Therapy Art	Home Décor	BW31
Bluebird Cork Co.	Fibre Art/Accessories	BW32
Strudel Ladies	Gourmet Food	BW33
Bishop's Artwork Wonders	Fine Art	BW34
Mill Pond Loft	Home Decor	BW35.5
Iris & Marnie	Jewellery	BW36
Boutique Gabanique	Children/Clothing	BW37
J&J Temple Photography	Photography	BW38
Creative Signs by Lany	Home Decor	BW39
Maribeads	Jewellery	BW40
Madd Resin	Home Decor	BW41
Forest to Finish	Wood	BW42
D'Vinyl Designs	Home Décor	BW43
Anthony Sheardown Photography	Photography	BW44
Brand Dead	Clothing	BW45
B's Goods	Metal	BW46.5
Katia Scandale Artworks	Fine Art	BW48
Katlin Kreations	Clothing/Accessories	BW50
Paul Dunn Fine Art	Fine Art	BW51
Kitchen Cat Textiles	Home Décor	BW52
Higher Vibes	Clothing/Accessories	BW53
CG Atelier	Jewellery	BW54
Dave's Woodworking	Wood	BW55







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Cannon Ridge		
Designed 4 a Market of One	Wood	CR1
Earth and Fire	Pottery	CR2
Vermeiren Art	Fine Art	CR3
SouthWestern Leather	Leather	CR4
Carnival of Kitsch	Clothing/Accessories	CR5
The Rooted Begonia	Glass	CR6
Eyes to the Skies	Décor/Jewellery	CR7
WoodWorks! Functional Art	Wood	CR8
Karma Calm	Candles/Jewellery	CR9
Kevin & Sheryl Photography	Photography	CR10
Alana Kinsey Art	Fine Art	CR11
Beke Jewellery Design Inc.	Jewellery	CR12
Edmond Gagnon Author	Literary Arts	CR13
The Soap Diva	Soaps/Lotions	CR14
Cary's Cutting Boards	Wood	CR15
Jan's Ceramic Designs	Ceramics	CR16
A Seguin Studio	Fine Art	CR17
Smashpaw	Jewellery/Pet	CR18
River Rock Pottery	Pottery/Ceramics	CR19
Miracle Magnets	Jewellery	CR20
Author, The Medicine Bag	Literary Arts	CR21
Glass by Jo	Glass	CR22
Jay Puhr Art	Fine Art	CR23
Jewellery by Christine	Jewellery	CR24

Riverwalk		
Rustic Flame Metalworks	Metal	RW1-2
Wood Alchemy	Wood	RW3
HeLi Designs Co.	Home Décor/Glass	RW4
Akuku	Fibre Art/Candles	RW5
Sprucewood Handmade Cookie Co.	Gourmet Food	RW6
Amberela	Jewellery	RW7
Wood and Vine Windsor	Wood	RW8
Otters & Acorns	Fibre Art/Home Décor	RW9
Designs by Sav	Clothing/Accessories	RW10
Tracy's Creative Candles	Candles	RW11
Artistically Inclined	Fine Art	RW12
Paula's Handcrafted Jewellery	Jewellery	RW13
Crafty Chicks	Fibre Art	RW14-2
Scatterbrain Creations	Fibre Art	RW16-2
Port Bruce Glass	Glass	RW18
John Schlarbaum	Literary Arts	RW19
Arts by Ash	Home Décor	RW20
Art Designs by Susan	Fine Art	RW21
My Choice Natural	Soaps/Lotion	RW22
Sun Sweet The Greek Chef	Gourmet Food	RW23
Jennie B Designs	Clothing/Accessories	RW24
Elaine Craddock	Pottery/Ceramics	RW25
Weaver's Cabin	Fibre Art	RW26
Lake Bottom Art	Fine Art	RW27
Silver N Such	Jewellery	RW28-2
K&K Classic Trends	Home Décor/Jewellery	RW30-3

The Moat		
Erie Treasures Chainsaw Art	Wood	TM1
Ashley Hastings Art	Fine Art	TM2
The Craftsmen Guild	Clothing/Accessories	TM3
Rustic Path Studio	Pottery/Ceramics	TM4
Birk Boutique	Jewellery	TM5
Spring's Woodcraft & Gifts	Wood	TM6
Mary's Purses and Totes/Pink Room	Accessories	TM7
Mona Sullivan Designs	Jewellery	TM8
Rusty Relics	Metal	ТМ9
Dorothy's Doll Folks	Soft Sculpture	TM10
Vibrant Grainz Inc.	Home Décor/Wood	TM11-2
Makes Scents	Candles/Jewellery	TM13
Wood N Things	Wood	TM14
Messy Acrylics	Fine Art	TM15
Pawsitively a Dog Thing	Pet Items	TM16
Dip Dip Hooray	Gourmet Food	TM17
Sue B Designs	Jewellery	TM18
Naturally Infused	Soaps/Lotions	TM19
Apron Strings and Pretty Things	Children/Access.	TM20
Edge of the Woods Design	Wood	TM21
SM Photos	Photography	TM22
2 Petite Boutique	Home Décor/Access.	TM23
Calliope's Art	Fine Art	TM24
Bonzai Gifts by Pet Nanny	Pet Products	TM25
Everyday Pretties Co.	Jewellery	TM26
Speziale Fine Foods	Gourmet Food	TM27-2
Whispering Willow Designs	Garden Décor	TM29

#### **Gibson Gallery Offerings**



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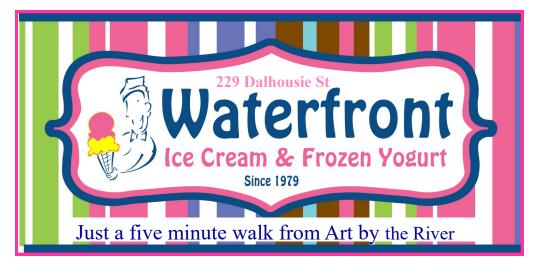
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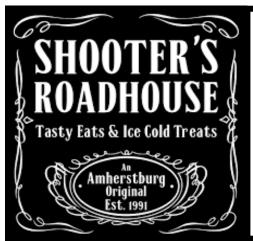
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**Dine-In**. Take Out



Who are the Fort Malden Guild of Arts and Crafts? The Fort Malden Guild of Arts and Crafts is a charitable organization operating as the Gibson Gallery, founded in 1945 "to encourage and foster cultural development in the field of fine arts and applied arts".

The Gibson Gallery building, located at 140 Richmond St, Amherstburg, is a former Michigan Central Railroad station built in 1896. The building has been renovated to its original Romanesque glory to house a public art and craft gallery, featuring towering ceilings, hardwood floors and bevelled fanlights. Our attached caboose serves as a museum of local railroad artifacts, memorabilia and history.

The Gallery offers a full season of exhibits by local artists and touring exhibits from Ontario galleries. Our unique Artisan Shoppe, art & craft lessons for children and adults, two needle guilds and two artist guilds make this heritage site a vital center for the visual arts in our community. Each year, the Gallery awards three \$500 scholarships to local students pursuing advanced education in visual arts. Visit the Gallery, become a member, join a guild or committee– get involved in the arts!

> Join us and discover your inner artist www.gibsonsgallery.org

#### **Gibson Gallery upcoming exhibits**

Brush Strokes: Association of Representational Artists August 7– September 3. Reception Sunday Aug 13, 1-3 pm

Sacred Spirals & Teardrops as Prisms: Denise Calzavara September 7– October 1. Reception Sunday Sept 10, 1-3 pm

Fibre Optix: October 5-November 5. Reception Sunday November 5, 2-4 pm. Submission details on website. Holiday Artisan Shoppe: November 17– December 10– Art by the River comes indoors, featuring gifts from 50 vendors.

Thank you to Royal Bank of Canada for being a Platinum Patron Sponsor of the Arts at Gibson Gallery!

**Gallery Guilds** 

Tuesday mornings– The Gibson Girls needle guild Wednesday afternoons– Wednesday needle guild Thursday afternoon– The Artist Station art guild Thursday evening– Thursday night art guild







Come to Gibson Gallery at 140 Richmond to shop inside a classic, historic former railway station to find unique gifts from one of our artisans

Hours- Thursday- Sunday 11- 5 pm June- Tuesday-Sunday 11- 5 pm July-August Everyday 11- 5 pm

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