The MACKINAC ARTS COUNCIL, now in its 18th year, works in partnership with Michigan Council for the Arts and Cultural Affairs, Mackinac Island Community Foundation, Mackinac State Historic Parks, Richard and Jane Manoogian Mackinac Art Museum, the City of Mackinac Island, Mackinac Island Tourism Bureau, Mackinac Island Public Schools, plus many community groups and businesses to meet the arts and cultural needs of Mackinac Island through a diversity of initiatives, services and cultural programming. We thank you for joining us in our endeavor to provide quality arts programming on beautiful Mackinac Island.

Audiences of all ages enjoy music of the Cummings String Quartet at the Summer 2020 Classical Music recital series. Recitals were held outdoors at the new Promenade Deck at Mission Point Resort.
Dear Friends,

Since 2003, Mackinac Arts Council has remained committed to providing access to arts and culture for all island residents, employees, and visitors. In 2020, despite many difficult decisions and complex mitigation strategies during COVID-19, we continued to fulfill our mission. With outdoor events, social distancing, and online programs, we celebrated the creativity of all who encountered Mackinac Island.

With generous support from our many community partners, we utilized new outdoor venues for Classical Music, Workshops at the Museum, produced socially distanced Music in the Park, Movies, and Exhibits, and began new online programs for music, art education, and theatre. With the help and support of partner organizations and individuals, we produced 76 events in 2020, all with robust COVID precautions in place.

Thanks to the backing of members, donors, businesses, foundations, and government, our financial situation remained stable and continued to support all our core arts and culture programs. It is because of your patronage that we maintain service to the community of Mackinac Island and are moving into 2021 confident that our mission will endure for many years to come.

Thank you for your unwavering support of Mackinac Island arts and culture, in 2020 especially. We are thrilled to be moving into the upcoming season with many more exciting and enriching programs, and we look forward to seeing you at events in 2021 as we advance celebrations of creativity for all on Mackinac Island.

With gratitude,

MARK WARE
Board President
Despite a challenging year of delays and cancellations due to COVID-19, Mackinac Arts Council was able to host a wide variety of high quality events during 2020 thanks to a variety of outdoor venues on Mackinac Island. With the support of Mackinac State Historic Parks, Mission Point Resort, and many more local organizations, Mackinac Arts Council continued to assist thriving local and regional artists, musicians, and other creators, while providing much-needed arts and culture access to residents, employees, and visitors on Mackinac Island.

76 events
ACROSS
10 programs

CLASSICAL MUSIC
FOUR WEEKS OF CONCERTS

WORKSHOPS
at the Museum
NINE WEEKS OF CLASSES

Karen Beacom with Glenn Allen and friends of the Soo Opera after a performance in 2020

Maeve Croghan teaches plein air painting at the Richard and Jane Manoogian Mackinac Art Museum in 2020
Despite the postponement of the annual spring musical, MACKINAC ISLAND COMMUNITY THEATRE hosted online “Readers’ Theatre” events in the summer, and a virtual Christmas Pageant in December that drew an audience of over 10,000 online from around the world.
THANKS TO GENEROUS awards through the Mackinac Island Community Foundation, Mackinac Arts Council created a new program for students at Mackinac Island Public School. The project, done in collaboration with Crooked Tree Arts Center Petoskey, brought specialized, virtual art instruction to all grade levels directly in the classroom and to students at home. Their art teacher Liz Erlewine taught students essential art concepts such as color, value, form, and composition with special projects designed to fit the unique need of each student.

The new program has helped students unlock their creativity in ways that they hadn’t explored before. Sean Burt, a tenth grade student at Mackinac Island Public School, said of the project “I’ve enjoyed learning new things about how to make my art better. I enjoyed making art with positive/negative space using black and white cutout designs. It was fun although complicated at first when I couldn’t think of how to do it.” Mia St. Onge, a kindergarten student, said “I liked the lines art we made. I like that we get to draw pictures and people.”

The program has had a significant impact on students’ personal wellbeing, a goal set recently by the island community to better address students’ needs. Jack Dehring, former teacher and superintendent at the school said, “I was particularly impressed with the Youth Creative Arts Project. This program has done wonders for Arts Education at MIPS.”

The project was made possible through the Wendy L. Young Fund for Mackinac, the Judge Glenn S. Allen Family, Sandra L. and Debra A. Orr, Marlee Brown Community Arts and Music and the Youth Funds.

A LASTING Legacy

Lance Stephen Lawlor, a dear friend and volunteer for Mackinac Arts Council, left a generous legacy gift when he passed away in 2020. Lance enjoyed a variety of artistic pursuits, including floral design, furniture restoration, and decorative painting. In his career he used his unerring eye for color, fabric, and proportions on diverse projects, including as interior designer for Hotel Iroquois as well as several summer cottages on Mackinac Island.

Thanks to Lance’s amazing gift, Mackinac Arts Council has continued to grow an endowment to invest in the long-term future of arts and culture on Mackinac Island. Starting in 2020, the council has committed to contributing 10% of liquid assets to our endowment annually.

We are also very grateful to Tim Timmons who through his legacy gift with the Mackinac Island Community Foundation remembered the Mackinac Arts Council for our endowment fund.

To learn more about the endowment, legacy gifts, and to find out how you can make a difference for the long-term future of the arts on Mackinac Island, we encourage you to visit MACKINACARTSCOUNCIL.ORG and click GIVE or contact Marsha Orr at marsha@mackinacartscouncil.org
In 2020 dozens of artists from the American Impressionist Society (AIS) gathered on Mackinac Island for their first ever artists’ retreat. Mackinac Arts Council partnered with AIS to bring the artists, their new paintings, and the Mackinac Island community together at several special events.

Whether you are brand new or renewing your commitment, Membership is the perfect way to stay engaged with the arts all year long. Go to MACKINACARTSCOUNCIL.ORG and click GIVE to become a member today.
# FINANCES IN 2020

## PROFIT & LOSS

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These dollar amounts do not reflect the numerous in-kind contributions from Mackinac Island businesses and community members, to whom we express heartfelt gratitude.
THANK YOU TO OUR FOUNDATION & GOVERNMENT SUPPORT IN 2020

GREATER LOWELL COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
INFAITH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
MICHIGAN HUMANITIES COUNCIL

THANK YOU TO OUR CORPORATE DONORS IN 2020

AMERICAN IMPRESSIONIST SOCIETY
ARNOLD FREIGHT
BARNWELL LANDSCAPE & GARDEN
BELL’S BREWERY
BELVEDERE VODKA
CENTRAL SAVINGS BANK
CHIPPEWA HOTEL
CHUCKWAGON ON MACKINAC
CRAZY HORSE
DESTINATION MACKINAC
DODSON PAYMENT SOLUTIONS
DOUD’S MARKET
FLAGSHIP
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GREAT TURTLE TOYS
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MACKINAC’S LITTLE GALLERY
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ORIGINAL MURDICK’S FUDGE
PINE COTTAGE
PINK PONY
SEARS ARCHITECTS
SHEPLER’S INC
SOUTHERN GLAZER’S WINE AND SPIRITS
THE INN ON MACKINAC
URVANA’S

THANK YOU FOR GIFTS MADE IN MEMORY OF

BOB BENJAMIN
KITTEN HANNA BAS
BART HUTHWAITE
BILL KESSLER

LANCE LAWLOR
LILLIAN LEVY
DR. REX M. & MRS. BETTY ORR
MARIAN PETERSEN

THOMAS LEE SKIBA
CLAYTON TIMMONS
CLUNE WALSH
DANIEL WIGHTMAN

AND IN HONOR OF

ADAM BROWN
PHIL PORTER
CAROL RUDDLE
**THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS IN 2020**

### $1,000+

- Becki Barnwell
- David & Janet Bell
- Bobby Benser
- Jeff & Christi Dupre
- David & Kris Faulk
- John & Anne Gault
- Autumn Gillop
- Gary & Gwen Gilmer
- Earl & Donnalee Holton
- Lance Lawlor
- Nancy Porter
- Doug & Carol Rearick
- Kevin Sweet
- Christie Tarantino-Dean
- Dennert Ware
- Philip Husteede & Mark Ware

### $500 - $999

- Bill & Pat Anton
- Craig Bloomer
- Mr. Peter Pellerito & Ms. Lisa Brock
- Brad & Nancy Chambers
- Bill & Jennifer Chope
- Tim Murray & Melissa Croghan
- Bill & Jayne Emory
- John & Abby Kruse
- David & Ann Levy
- Margaret McIntire
- Marti McIntire
- Patti Ann Moskwa
- Marsha Orr
- William R. & Rosalie B. Roush
- Jim & Nancy Trivisonno
- Dan & Jennifer Wohletz
- Helen Wolfgang
- Glen & Jane Young

### $250 - $499

- Sam & Lisa Barnwell
- Mark Bearss & Mary Jane Barnwell
- R. Emory Barnwell & Jamie Wagner
- Duane Ordakowski & Betty Bedour
- Don Luciani & Leslie Benser-Luciani
- Harry & Barbara Bradbury
- Kyrsten Cazazos
- Dan & Kay Denardo
- Veronica Dobrowolski
- Brian & Christina Findley
- Bob Gale
- Jeff & Melissa Gembis
- Cheryl Jaquiss
- Jim & Susan Lenfestey
- C. T. & Francie Martin
- Matt & Anneke Myers
- Sandy Phillips
- Vic Radecki & Lauren Walsh
- Kathryn Rado
- Katie & Rachel Rearick
- Noel Skiba
- Sara Wright
There are many ways to support arts and culture on Mackinac Island. Whether you are an individual or an organization, you can support Mackinac Arts Council through donations, sponsorship, membership, legacy gifts, volunteering, and more.

Visit [MackinacArtscouncil.org](http://MackinacArtscouncil.org) and click Give or Get Involved

Yachts and Yachts of Art

Celebrate a Noveaux Year as we launch the 2021 season of arts and culture! Artwork of Maeve Croghan on the new Georges Duboeuf Beaujolais, plus live music by Owen James Trio.

Let's Party!

Building bridges to the arts and culture community! Live music by The Accidentals, cocktails, champagne, hors d'oeuvres, and fun for all!

The Art of the Garden

A view of Mackinac in Bloom. Jack Barnwell, guest speaker. Fundraiser luncheon and keynote from Jack Barnwell, plus a silent auction of unique Mackinac Island experiences.

Paint & Putt

A fundraiser to support art and music at Mackinac Island Public School. A costumed golf scramble, live music by Wixie Harrington, dinner, drinks, and art—fun for all!

Soo Opera Presents

La Traviata

Fully staged with orchestra.

Mackinac Keys

A recital to christen the new concert grand piano!

Ilya Shterenberg

Clarinet Trio

Chaojun Yang

Piano Soloist

Spend the Summer with Mackinac Arts Council

JUNE 12 · 5:00PM

Anne Cottage

JULY 28 · 5:00PM

Silver Birches

SEPTEMBER 22 · 11:00AM

The Village Club, Bloomfield Hills

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