

Mission

River Arts Alliance supports and celebrates regional arts and culture by organizing educational programs, community events, and public art projects while promoting opportunities for artists and facilitating collaborations between organizations in the Winona region.

Vision

To enhance and promote the Winona region as a center of arts and culture.

Member Benefits

- ▶ Artist page with photo gallery on RAA website
- ▶ Newsletter/blog/calendar/links to arts and artists' websites
- ▶ Networking
- ▶ Collaboration with other artists and organizations
- ▶ Promotion of arts events and projects
- ▶ Advocacy: community art spaces, studios, events
- ▶ Promotion for emerging artists
- ▶ Resources: available grants; tech support: who to contact for photography, website set-up, etc.
- ▶ Annual Member Exhibit
- ▶ Vote at RAA Annual Meeting



Photo: Anna VanDemark

The River Arts Alliance generates creative, financial and intellectual resources in order to strengthen communications among all entities, elevate the quality of art for all, and enrich lives through the arts.

Annual* Membership Dues

Organizations – \$125

Household – \$60

Individuals – \$45

Students – \$15

** Membership is active from join date through the end of join month the following year.*

Financial support in addition to membership fees enables RAA to continue to grow to serve the ever expanding needs of the arts community in Winona, MN and the surrounding region.

Please visit our website to [JOIN](#) or [SUPPORT](#) RAA.

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Family Art Day
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River Arts Alliance promotes the visual arts, music, theatre, dance, film, and the literary arts. We look forward to continuing to grow to serve the ever expanding needs of the arts community in Winona, MN and the surrounding region.

We invite you to become a member today at: **riverartsalliance.org/JOIN**

Family Art Day



Photo: Anna VanDemark

HBC Fence Project



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Photo: Joy Davis Ripley



Photo: Mary Farrell

RAA Member Exhibit

Winona Art Walk & Tour

The River Arts Alliance . . .

- ▶ Develops **web pages** for members.
- ▶ Promotes member news, projects, and events via our website, Facebook, and **Weekly Update**.
- ▶ Coordinates bi-monthly **Art Schmoozes** at regional locations to highlight our members and provide educational programming for the public.
- ▶ Coordinates the **Annual Member Exhibit** for visual artists.
- ▶ Completed **Fence Project: A History of Communication**, with HBC and the City of Winona.
- ▶ Offers the annual **Family Art Day** in partnership with the City of Winona Park & Rec Department, community sponsors, local artists, and volunteers.
- ▶ **Partners** with the City of Winona, Winona State University, Visit Winona, and the Bluff Country Studio Art Tour.
- ▶ Oversees the **Maria W. Faust Sonnet Contest** in partnership with the Great River Shakespeare Festival.
- ▶ Provides fiscal sponsorship for **Bluff Country Studio Art Tour** and others.
- ▶ Organizes the annual **Winona Art Walk**.
- ▶ Coordinates **Great River Writes** with Winona Public Library, La Crosse Public Library, and La Crosse Writers associations.