



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 6TH 5-9 PM
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 7TH 4-9 PM

•2023•



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ROCKFORD AREA ARTS COUNCIL

WELCOME TO FALL ARTSCENE, ROCKFORD RESIDENTS AND VALUED VISITORS!

*ARTSCENE IS A BIENNIAL GALLERY WALK, HOSTED BY THE
ROCKFORD AREA ARTS COUNCIL, FEATURING NEW AND
ESTABLISHED ARTISTS OF THE ROCKFORD REGION. VISITORS TO
ARTSCENE ARE WELCOME AT ANY OF THE VENUES LISTED IN THIS
BOOKLET—THERE IS NO ADMISSION FEE, AND ALL ARE WELCOME.*

*FALL ARTSCENE 2023 IS OCTOBER 6TH AND 7TH, 5-9 PM ON
FRIDAY NIGHT AND 4-9 PM ON SATURDAY NIGHT. ALL VENUES
HAVE ARTSCENE BOOKLETS THAT CONTAIN VENUE LOCATIONS +
ARTIST INFORMATION; ADDITIONALLY, ALL BOOKLET INFORMATION
IS HOSTED ON OUR WEBSITE: [ARTSCENEFOREVERYONE.COM/ARTSCENE](https://artsforeveryone.com/artscene)
(QR CODE BELOW).*

*ARTSCENE OFFERS A WIDE VARIETY OF ART FOR PURCHASE
INCLUDING PAINTINGS, SCULPTURE, PRINTS, PHOTOGRAPHY,
JEWELRY, QUILTS + FIBER ART, AND MORE! ARTISTS ARE
AVAILABLE FOR CONVERSATION—SHARING THEIR UNIQUE APPROACH
AND INSPIRATION FOR THEIR WORK. SURROUNDING RESTAURANTS
AND SHOPS ARE OPEN FOR YOUR RETAIL ENJOYMENT AND HUNGER
SOLUTIONS!*

ARTSCENE HAS BEEN A ROCKFORD TRADITION SINCE 1987.



ARTSCENE WEBSITE

MIDTOWN

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ERNIE'S MIDTOWN PUB
OFF DEWALL ART
1025 5TH AVE.

SARAH HALLBERG



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INSCAPE COLLECTIVE
ART HEALS
201 7TH ST.

*WREN MEDINA, OLIVIA GAUMOND, KINSEY
WHITE, DANIELLE ANGILERI, KRISTIN
COTTRELL, DONNA ADDISON, TRACY MEINERT,
ALEX POMERING, ANNIE HOSE-RYAN, LINCOLN
HALVERSON, BRAD ARGYLE, SEAN SMITH,
BONNIE HOLETON, AMY OTTS, TAMIKA BROWN,
MEGAN DWYER, LUCAS DWYER, TOM DAVIS,
BONNIE GILMORE, STACY R., BARBARA BERNEY,
CRISTI HOPP KNISS, KAREN GINES, NANCY
O'NEILL, AND 360 GRACE WOODWORKS LLC,
AND MORE*



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THREE RAVENS POTTERY
POTTERY FOR THE PEOPLE
1009 5TH AVE.

THREE RAVENS POTTERY



EAST DOWNTOWN

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317 ART COLLABORATIVE BLACK MAGIC

317 MARKET ST.

*SYA RYN, KELVIN CANDIE, DANESH KOTHARI,
SHANIQWA PORTER, BRANDY SMITH, NATHAN J.
TAYLOR, LYRIC ELLIS, JAHBAR HYLES, THOMAS
STANFORD, KING MOOSA, AND MORE*



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ABREO RESTAURANT

HELLO, MR. BLUE

515 E. STATE ST.

KELVIN CANDIE



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BENNIE'S CLEANERS

**THIS IS A BAD IDEA,
RIGHT?**

126 N. 1ST ST.

*JOSE SENTE, RUDY GALINDO, MARSHA
GOODHEART, NORM KNOTT, KARLA LOMBARDO,
MANNY TANG, MIC STEEDE, TOM LINDEN, KARL
JAHNKE, SCOTT MOUNT, SUE MOUNT, RICO
ALVARADO, SUSAN BERRY, JEFF WARD, GREG
LAMONT, JAYMES FEDOR, KURT SCHABELL,
HELLEN LINDEN, KELVIN CANDIE, INGRID
HYDE, AND JESSE P*



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KITH & KIN

MISCHIEF

510 E. STATE ST.

***DREW HELGE, JESSICA QUAM, DREW EUREK,
CARRIE JOHNSON, PABLO KORONA, AND BRETT
WHITACRE***



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LIMAMAR RESTAURANT

221 E. STATE ST.

***ROB MULKINS, BRAD CAHILL, RUDY
GALINDO, AND MORE***



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MAZE BOOKS

SEEING BEAT

406 E. STATE ST.

***DON HENEGHAN, BEAT MOVEMENT AND
LITERATURE SCHOLAR***



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ROCKFORD CITY HALL

**MAPPING ROCKFORD THROUGH
HISTORY FRIDAY ONLY**

425 E. STATE ST.

***ARIN WHITMORE, CARLY ROSE, DREW EUREK,
DUSTIN DAMIANI, JAYMES FEDOR, JENNY
MATHEWS, MARGARET MCGRAW, MARSHA
GOODHEART, NATHAN J. TAYLOR, NICK
CASHMERE, PETER J. SWANSON, AND NEIL
BLOOM***



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ROCKFORD UNITED LABOR

LABOR ARTS: WORKERS'
RIGHTS NOW AND FOREVER

221 S. 1ST ST.



*BRYAN CONERY, DREW EUREK, CORTNEY
FRICKE, KATHE GORZEK, MATT HERBIG,
JAVIER JIMENEZ, JOHN MCNAMARA, AUDREY
GILFFILLAN, BRIA CASEY, LISA JIMENEZ, AND
MORE*

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SOMNIUM

ARTSCENIUM: SOMNIUM
MEETS ARTSCENE
PERFORMANCE AT 8 PM

702 N. MADISON ST.



*EDDAVIEL MONTERO, EMILY KLONICKI, JENNY
MATHEWS, ZACH STEPHENS, ALIZE JIREH,
VALENTINA FEDOSEYVA, MELINDA COOK,
GRETCHEN STARK, RUBY BEHMER, LUCA
MATHEWS, JUPITER KLONICKI, JULIANNA
CHOU, MICHAELA FOREMAN, AND FRIENDS*

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SRM PRINTS

COMMUNITY PRINT,
HAPPY HAUS ART +
ELECTRIC LUSTER

330 E. STATE ST.



*SARAH REED MCNAMARA, ELECTRIC LUSTER,
AND NADJA SCHUTT*

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TEST SITE ECLECTIC ENERGY

213 3RD ST.



*RAEVENNE ZACKARY, JAS MORA, LESLIE
BAKER, SHANNON MACKEY HEATHER HAYNES,
JESSE LEACHY, MARIO DUARTA, ANDY RAMIREZ,
MESSENAH NOU LA, CHRISTIAN BURGOS, JOSH
BOURMPHONGSA, TYLER ZACKERY, WAVEY, DOC
HEREF, KORDREY, JORDAN KING, ERICK
PATTERSON, HEATHER HAYNES, YASH MASABJI,
TYRONE GARRET, KASUL'DAWIZ, SCÉE, MARRISA
PEREZ, RACHEL BECK, DAVID MURPHY, WAVII
JONSON, ERICK PATTERSON, XEN KINGSLEY,
TIMOTHY GRIFFITH, AND JUNGLE GENIUSES*

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THE 214 PROJECT

214 E. STATE ST.

*TIM WOOLSLEY SR., SHI ENDRESS,
AND RON SEYMOUR*



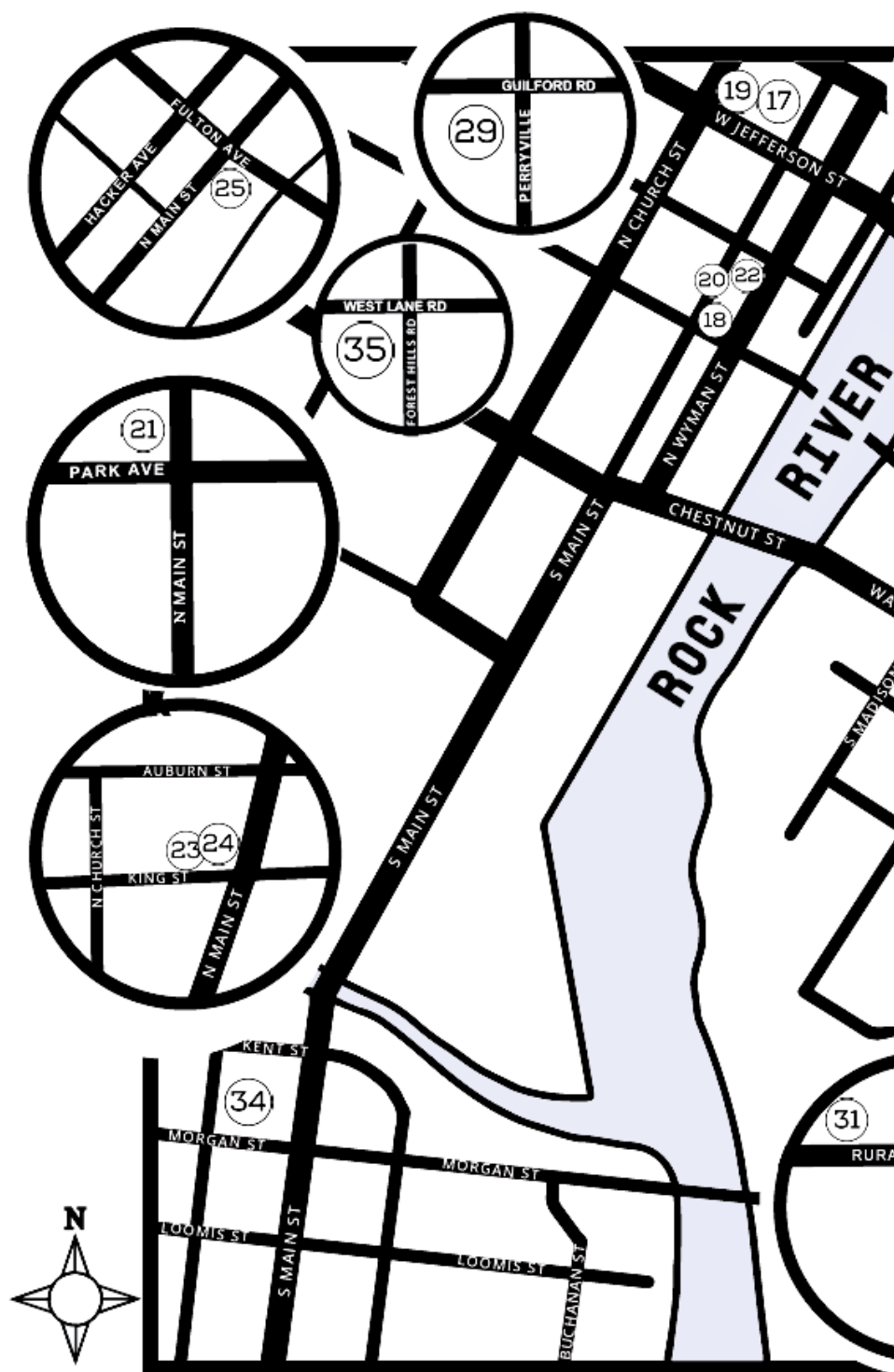
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THE UNDERGROUND THE COLOR OF LIFE

418 E. STATE ST.

RONI GOLAN





WEST DOWNTOWN

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304 MAIN

**OUTWARD APPEARANCES/
INWARD SIGNIFICANCES**

304 N. MAIN ST.

*JEAN APGAR, THE ANNEALING ONE, DENNIS
DARGEL, MARGI FORSS, JILL MARTIN-
GOLDEN, CHUCK GREGORY, KATHY JUSTIS,
CORA MCFADDEN, PAULA MARSH, JOHN
NARETTA, SANDY REAVIS, JANUS ROSE,
LESLIE THORNSBURY (MAGGIO), DAVID VAN
DELINDER, DAWN VICH, BETH WEMMER,
JOHN WEMMER*



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DISTRICT BAR & GRILL

ILLUMINATE

205 W. STATE ST.

*ALISON WEUST, BALTA RAMIREZ, EMMA
MCNABB, KELVIN CANDIE, LISTO, NANCY VILLA,
SLOPE, AND TEMPEST*



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FUTURE MEMORY MEDIA

ART ON DEMAND: SHE CREATES

317 W. JEFFERSON ST.

*ANGIE LOPTIEN, ANNA GOSCI, BRANDY SMITH,
HANNAH SLEGER, KATE MAYO, NIKKI
HOLLANDER, AND ROSE SALINAS*



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KORTMAN GALLERY

ODYSSEY - THE TEEN

107 N. MAIN ST.

DYSEN WHITE



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REAL BEAUTIFUL YOU

A REAL BEAUTIFUL AUTUMN

420 N. MAIN ST.



***JOY HODGES, RACHEL BAGNE, ARIN WHITMORE,
KRISTIN HASTINGS, RHIANNON YANDELL,
CAITLIN YARBRO, REBECCA BENEDITZ, CARLY
ROSE, JAYMES FEDOR, AND NICOLE LANDRETH***

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RPL NORDLOF CENTER

**STAND AND DELIVER
EKPHRASIS | SISARHPKE**

118 N. MAIN ST.



***GODDESS WARRIOR THE POET, HEATH
ALBERTS, KEVIN HAAS, MOON DOG THEATRE,
JENNA GOLDSMITH, AND RHIANNON YANDELL***

NORTH MAIN

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THE NORWEGIAN

1402 N. MAIN ST.

ANNA MARIA



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NORWEGIAN ARTIST LOFTS

1404 N. MAIN ST.

*ARLENE COFFEEN, KYLE KUFRIN, MEGAN
DEVINE, AMELIA SIMPSON, DAWN DIVENTI,
AND AIDA ROSEMORE*

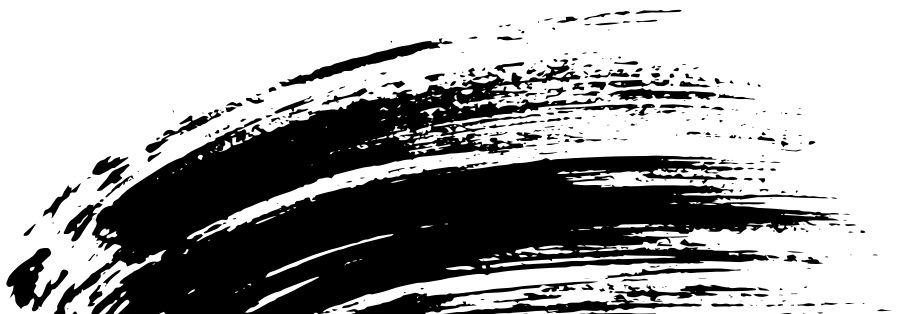


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THE OLYMPIC

2327 N. MAIN ST.

*RUDY GALINDO AND SCOTT
WENSTROM*



BROWN'S HILLS

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ART DE TRIUMPH

PAINTINGS OF ROCKFORD,
THE US, AND EUROPE

905 RIDGEWOOD RD.

NANCIE KING MERTZ



EAST ROCKFORD

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AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL

6780 ROTE RD. SUITE 102

*CARLY ROSE, DAVID BOCCIAGNONE,
DREW EUREK, DREW HELGE, JEAN APGAR,
JENNY MATHEWS, JEREMY KLONICKI, JIM
REGINER, JOHN LAMAR, JON FASSET, LAURA
GOMEL, MONA LINDVALL, NANCIE KING
MERTZ, NATHAN RUSS, PAUL PINZARONE,
SALEM BARKER, SUE ABARE, TABATHA
DOUGHERTY, AND THERESE ROWINSKI*



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BAKER STREET BURGERS

GRIMM

1603 N. ALPINE RD.

BRANDON CREMER



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**LZ PEACE MEMORIAL
VETERAN SERVICE
MEMORIAL COMMITTEE
SATURDAY ONLY**

6799 GUILFORD RD.

VIETNAM VETERANS



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**MT. OLIVE LUTHERAN
ARTAPALOOZA**

2001 N. ALPINE RD.

ROCKFORD LUTHERAN FINE ARTS STUDENTS



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OUR SAVIORS LUTHERAN

3300 RURAL ST.

*MICHAELA TYSON, JESSICA
TRYGGESTAD, AND PETER GULATTO*



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SPIDER SUSHI BAR

641 S. PERRYVILLE RD.

DEANNA VILLAREAL



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**TAD MORE TAILORING
RECLAIMED THREAD: A
SUSTAINABLE ART ODYSSEY**

616 MULFORD VILLAGE DR. SUITE 15

*TAD MORE TAILORING TEAM, REBECCA BENEDITZ,
AND TAYYIBAH ASANI*



SOUTH MAIN

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CLETA'S STAY & SEW

1029 S. MAIN ST.

***COLLETIA BERRYHILL
AND NATHAN J. TAYLOR***



LOVES PARK

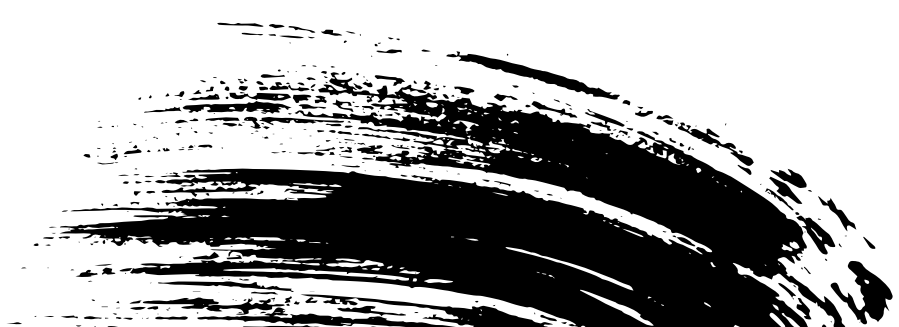
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CANINE TO 5

MIXED MEDIA COLLECTIVE

4967 CONTRACTORS DR.

***SHANNAH GRAY, BRINA WICKLUND,
AND ALLIEY THIELEN***





MISSION AND PURPOSE

THE ROCKFORD AREA ARTS COUNCIL SUPPORTS, PROMOTES, AND DEVELOPS ACCESS TO THE ARTS FOR EVERYONE. THE ARTS COUNCIL IS THE COLLECTIVE VOICE OF INDIVIDUAL ARTISTS AND REGIONAL ARTS ORGANIZATIONS; WE BELIEVE IN THE TRANSFORMATIVE POWER OF THE ARTS AND ITS ABILITY TO SET THE TONE FOR A REGION'S CREATIVE AND CULTURAL INFRASTRUCTURE.

ROCKFORD REGION CULTURAL PLAN

THE ROCKFORD AREA ARTS COUNCIL IS LAUNCHING A YEAR-LONG PROCESS TO CREATE THE ROCKFORD REGION CULTURAL PLAN, FOR ALL WHO LIVE, WORK, VISIT, AND PLAY IN THE ROCKFORD REGION. THE ROCKFORD REGION CULTURAL PLAN WILL HELP LAY THE FOUNDATION TO DEVELOP PRIORITIES TO SUPPORT ARTS AND CULTURE IN ROCKFORD, WHILE ENCOURAGING A SENSE OF COMMUNITY AMONG ALL WHO PARTICIPATE.

THE INSPIRATION TO CREATE A CULTURAL PLAN FOR ROCKFORD - THE FIRST CULTURAL PLAN EVER FOR ROCKFORD - IS DRIVEN BY AMPLE DATA ON THE BENEFITS OF ARTS AND CULTURE, AS DEMONSTRATED BY AMERICANS FOR THE ARTS SOCIAL IMPACT EXPLORER. CULTURAL PLANS HELP FOSTER A STRONGER ARTS & CULTURE SECTOR, AND BETTER CONNECT ARTS AND CULTURE TO OTHER SECTORS AND NEEDS - INCLUDING EDUCATION, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, HEALTH, WELLNESS, WORKFORCE TRAINING, AND MORE.



ARTS COUNCIL WEBSITE



CULTURAL PLAN WEBSITE