



 **PAPILLION**
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SUMMER ARTS **GUIDE 2026**





LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

As the warm days of summer approach, I'm thrilled to share with you our *Summer Arts Guide 2026*—a collection of the wide variety of arts-orientated events we have in our community this season. At PAF we know first-hand how dynamic Papillion's artistic community is, and we're excited to offer a guide that helps residents and visitors better connect to those experiences.

This guide highlights the arts-orientated events from our component organizations (PAC Band, PAC Singers, PAC Theatre, and PAC Artists), as well as offerings from other local arts nonprofits and the City of Papillion. In each month, you'll find opportunities to take in everything from open-air concerts and art unveilings to theater performances, competitions, and workshops featuring both emerging and established local artists. You'll also find write-ups that look at what is in process now for our Creative District, and what we have to look forward to!

The Papillion Arts Foundation operates on the belief that the arts have the power to bring people together, spark important conversations, and inspire us all to see our world through a more creative lens. We invite you to use this guide as your passport to the cultural heartbeat of Papillion. Share it with friends and family, explore something unexpected, and, above all, join us in celebrating the imagination and talent that makes our community so special.

If you'd like to learn more about the Papillion Arts Foundation and how you can get involved, visit www.papillionarts.org. Thank you for being a vital part of our mission to support and sustain a vibrant arts community in Papillion!

Georgie Scurfield, PAF President



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Before you dive into all the art adventures on offer this summer, we want to remind you to check event pages for all the latest. Event details can be subject to change, especially if an event is outdoors, so be sure to look up an organization's website or social media platforms for any rescheduling that may occur.

PAF will also do our best to keep you updated with the most recent information on our Facebook page. You can follow us at facebook.com/PapillionArtsFoundation.

This is a collection of arts-orientated events in the Papillion area over the summer. Papillion Arts Foundation has put them together in one place for easy reference for anyone looking for arts opportunities in the area. Highlighted events with a ** indicate the event is hosted by a PAF Component Organization.

PAF COMPONENT ORGANIZATIONS



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June 6

***Rainbow Crafters at the Art Room in
Papillion Landing***

Make your own jewelry and celebrate Pride with us! You'll have the choice of making pompom earrings, macrame rainbow earrings, or a beaded bracelet. Come find community, express yourself, and make something uniquely you! Adult (19+) event from 2:00pm-3:00pm at the Art Room in Papillion Landing

Please register at
www.papillion.libcal.com/event/16712493

June 5

***Music & Memories Concert Series
- Radio Eclectic***

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The June 5th concert features Radio Eclectic from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

June 6

***Free Family Concert & Movie Night at
SumTur***

Enjoy FREE popular family movies under the stars in June. Gates and concessions open at 7:30 pm. This season bands from the Omaha Blues Society Blues Education Program will provide preshow music. June 6th movie is Zootopia 2 with the opening band Blue Sunday. Movies and dates are subject to change, visit Sumtur.org

June 7

Papillion Sidewalk Chalk Festival

Free community event from 9:30am to Noon at Papillion Landing. Get your artist vibes going for the "Sidewalk Chalk" contest on June 7th



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from 9:30am-12 noon at Papillion Landing. This free event will have the chalk, the sidewalk and the prizes! All ages welcome. Sponsored by The Papillion Mayor's Youth Leadership Council.

June 7

Parent & Me Pottery Wheel Class at The Rosy Clay Co.

The Rosy Clay Co. will guide you and your child through throwing on the wheel from 12:00pm-1:00pm. You will be able to make 2 masterpieces to keep! Ages: 3-8, with parent. \$50 a pair Register at www.therosyclayco.com/workshops

June 7

Local Author Meet and Greet at The Book Nook

Local Author Meet & Greet! Sunday, June 7th | 12:00–2:00 PM. Meet Book Nook author Sue Ray- Smolik. Sue has been an elementary teacher for three and a half decades. She enjoys singing, writing, and drawing. Whether it is working in her yard or riding her bike at the lake, the outdoors is her happy place. Her daughter, Stephanie, was born and raised in Nebraska. She, her husband, and adorable grandson Liam inspired her book, "The Evening Walk" which is dedicated to sticky little ice cream hands clutched tightly in yours, to sweet snuggles and familiar routines, and the innocent awe in all of it that only a young child can possess.

June 9-12

Summer Kid's Workshops at The Rosy Clay Co. - Monsters

A fun 4 day hand-building class where kids will create their own clay monsters! They'll build for three days and finish by painting their creations

on the final day. Perfect for creative kids who love to sculpt, imagine, and get a little messy! Ages 5-12 Register at www.therosyclaco.com/summer-kids

June 11

K-Pop Krafters for Teens

Join fellow K-Pop stans for a night of decorating friendship bracelets and bias buttons featuring your ult groups and biases! This event is for teens age 13-18. Registration is required and can be completed at www.papillion.libcal.com/event/16820553

June 12

Music & Memories Concert - Red Delicious

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The June 12th concert features Red Delicious from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

June 12

Painting Picassos presented by the Papillion Landing 55+ Club

Gather a group of friends of all talents and enjoy an evening of painting fun, drinks, and snacks! From 5:00pm-7:00pm participants will work on 'Farmhouse in Spring' at Papillion Landing. The fee is \$10 per session and includes all supplies, snacks, and drinks. Anyone 21 and over may participate. Spots are limited to 21 people. Register at papillionlanding.org or at the Papillion Landing front desk.



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June 13

Free Family Concert & Movie Night at SumTur

Enjoy FREE popular family movies under the stars in June. Gates and concessions open at 7:30 pm. This season bands from the Omaha Blues Society Blues Education Program will provide preshow music. June 13th movie is How to Train Your Dragon (2025) with the opening band The Redwoods. Movies and dates are subject to change, visit Sumtur.org

June 14

Free Youth Talent Show at SumTur

This free event is open to music, bands, dancing, singing, drama, musical theater, poetry, spoken word, opera, illusion and more! Part of the Omaha Mobile Stage Youth Talent Show Series, an outdoor amateur talent competition for ages 3 through graduating high school seniors. Sign Up and view competition rules at www.omahamobilestage.org/youthtalentshow

June 16

United States Navy Band at SumTur

For the first time since 2014, the Navy will bring more than 50 Sailors to Omaha from June 15-21 to engage in a week-long series of performances, educational events and service projects in celebration of the Navy and Nation's 250th anniversary. One of these performances will be a free concert at SumTur Amphitheater on June 16th at 7:00pm.

June 15-18

Kalina Art Studio Summer Labs - Paris Fashion Week

Summer Labs at Kalina Art studio offer themed art education programming for students grade 1-7. June 15-18 is Paris Fashion Week from 10am-12pm. From designing couture-inspired

looks in the Fashion Sketchbook Collage, to creating functional art with the Paris Design Studio: Stenciled Bag and customizable Charm Bar, artists explore fashion, pattern, and personal style in hands-on, confidence-building ways. Register at www.kalinaartstudio.com/summer-art-labs

June 16-19

Summer Kid's Workshops at The Rosy Clay Co. - Paint Palette

A fun 4 day hand-building class where kids will create their own clay animals! Students will spend three days building and adding details, then finish by painting their creations on the final day. Ages 5-12. Register at www.therosyclaco.com/summer-kids

June 17

SumTur Senior Concert Series - Luigi, Inc.

Join us for the FREE 2026 Senior Concert Series at SumTur Amphitheater! From jazz to Broadway favorites, there's something for everyone. The June Concert features the jazz group, Luigi, Inc. 10AM SumTur Amphitheater

June 19

Music & Memories Concert - Rhythmic Rewind

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The June 19th concert features Rhythmic Rewind from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

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June 20

Tween Creators at the Art Room in Papillion Landing - Planter Painting & Seed Planting

Get crafty and show off your art skills in this program for 9-12 year-olds.

This month: Planter Painting & Seed Planting. Registration is required and can be completed at <https://papillion.libcal.com/event/16820425>

June 20

Free Family Concert & Movie Night at SumTur

Enjoy FREE popular family movies under the stars in June. Gates and concessions open at 7:30 pm. This season bands from the Omaha Blues Society Blues Education Program will provide preshow music. June 20th movie is A Minecraft Movie with the opening band True Blues. Movies and dates are subject to change, visit Sumtur.org

June 21

*****PAC Band presents "Saluting 250" concert at SumTur Amphitheater***

Be sure to make the Papillion Area Concert (PAC) Band a part of your Papillion Days weekend! They'll be performing at SumTur Amphitheater on Sunday, June 21st. Hosted by Rob McCartney and co-directed by Ken Molzer and Lindsey Bogatz, this concert will celebrate the USA's 250th birthday with a big concert band sound, so mark your calendars! 7:30pm

June 22-25

Kalina Art Studio Summer Labs - Sweet Shop

Summer Labs at Kalina Art studio offer themed art education programming for students grade 1-7. June 22-25 is Sweet Shop from 10am-12pm. From a three-dimensional cake crafted from a functional box to a larger-than-life painting of a dessert place setting to a donut-

themed canvas with a fun and funky cardboard frame, this art lab is full of ways to celebrate the sweet things in life with abundant opportunities for personalization. Register at www.kalinaartstudio.com/summer-art-labs

June 23-26

Summer Kid's Workshops at The Rosy Clay Co. - Pottery Wheel

A fun and hands-on 4 day pottery wheel class designed just for kids ages 8-12! Students will learn to throw on the wheel, trim their pieces, and finish by painting their creations. This condensed version of our adult wheel class teaches real techniques in a creative, supportive environment. Register at www.therosyclaco.com/summer-kids

June 26

Illustration Workshop with Bruce Arant at Papillion Public Library

Join author and illustrator Bruce Arant, creator of Simpson's Sheep Won't Go to Sleep! and Simpson's Sheep Just Want to Sleep! In this Illustration Workshop, Bruce will be guiding kids and tweens through how picture books are made and teaching them how to make 20 different facial expressions. 2:00PM - 3:00PM in the Large Meeting Room at Sump Memorial Library

June 26

Music & Memories Concert - 2 Drink Limit

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The June 26th concert features 2 Drink Limit from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

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June 28

Matcha Set Workshop at The Rosy Clay Co.

The Rosy Clay Co. is offering a special hand-building workshop with Matcha by Aydah. In this class, you'll learn how to create your own matcha bowl & whisk holder. They provide everything you need — clay, tools, and your choice of glaze — plus you'll enjoy a matcha drink while working. June 28th, 12pm-2pm. \$78 per person, spots are limited! Register at www.therosyclayco.com/workshops

June 29-July 2

Kalina Art Studio Summer Labs

- Black Light Jungle

Summer Labs at Kalina Art studio offer themed art education programming for students grade 1-7. June 29-July 2 is Black Light Jungle from 10am-12pm. Explore the otherworldly, moonlit jungle using neon paint and materials that glow under a blacklight to create lush, glowing jungle scenes and creatures. Register at www.kalinaartstudio.com/summer-art-labs

June 30-July 3

Summer Kid's Workshops at The Rosy Clay Co. - Animals

A fun 4 day hand-building class where kids will create their own clay animals! Students will spend three days building and adding details, then finish by painting their creations on the final day. Ages 5-12. Register at www.therosyclaco.com/summer-kids





CREATIVE DISTRICT SITE VISIT

The Papillion Arts Foundation, in collaboration with the City of Papillion, has been at work to obtain a Creative District certification within the city. We're excited to share we recently took an exciting next step in the process and welcomed representatives from the Nebraska Arts Council and the Nebraska Department of Economic Development for a site visit. During this visit we had the opportunity to take our guests on a tour of the proposed Creative District within the city's downtown and surrounding area. This tour included community spaces like Papillion Landing and Halleck Park, as well as local businesses like Kalina Art Studio, Rosy Clay Co. and Twisted Vine.

The visit ended with an exciting conversation about what the future holds by having our Creative District officially designated as such by the state. The Nebraska Creative District Program utilizes the arts as an economic driver to support communities in Nebraska by telling their stories and elevating the value of the arts.

Having a certified Creative District in the city opens up a variety of opportunities for grants and resources to support the arts. Your feedback as the public has been vital to our work and has made this exciting development possible. Stay tuned for dates for meetings where the public and community stakeholders will be invited to meet with PAF on these next steps in Papillion's Creative District.

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July 1

USAF Heartland of America Band Concert at SumTur

The U.S. Air Force Heartland of America Band will perform a free concert at SumTur Amphitheater as part of their summer concert series. The concert starts at 7:00pm

July 3

Mayor's Summer Concert Series - Jimmy Weber Band

Jimmy Weber has shared the stage with country music royalty including Kenny Rogers, Tim McGraw, Keith Urban, and more. A former member of the US Air Force Band, he deployed 5 times, bringing comfort and hope to service members abroad. He'll be playing SumTur Amphitheater at 7:30pm on July 3rd as part of the Mayor's Summer Concert Series. This is a ticketed event and tickets will go on sale in June. Check www.sumtur.org for the latest.

July 3

Music & Memories Concert - Rustic Rebels

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The July 3rd concert features Rustic Rebels from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

July 5

Local Author Meet and Greet at The Book Nook

Local Author Meet & Greet with Matthew Roundo on Sunday, June 5th from 12:00pm to 2:00pm. Matthew gravitated early toward science fiction, fantasy, and horror. In 2002, he won a Phobos Award for "Hitting the Skids in Pixeltown," and in 2008, he was a winner in



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the Writers of the Future Contest. He has since published in various magazines. Matt lives in Nebraska and will share about his book, *Petra*, which is the first book in The Prison World Revolt series.

July 6-9

Kalina Art Studio Summer Labs - All That Sparkles

Summer Labs at Kalina Art studio offer themed art education programming for students grade 1-7. July 6-9 is All That Sparkles from 10am-12pm. Get ready to be dazzled with the All that Sparkles Art Lab - a glimmering trio of projects that celebrate shimmer, shine and creativity! From reflective disco ball mobiles to magical glitter collages, this art lab is bursting with bright, eye-catching fun that your artists will love. Register at www.kalinaartstudio.com/summer-art-labs

July 7-10

Summer Kid's Workshops at The Rosy Clay Co. - Pottery Wheel

A fun and hands-on 4 day pottery wheel class designed just for kids ages 8-12! Students will learn to throw on the wheel, trim their pieces, and finish by painting their creations. This condensed version of our adult wheel class teaches real techniques in a creative, supportive environment. Register at www.therosyclaco.com/summer-kids

July 10

Music & Memories Concert - Southland

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The July 10th concert features Southland from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

July 10-12 & 16-18

****PAC Theatre presents Disney's "The Hunchback of Notre Dame" at SumTur**

Based on the Victor Hugo novel and songs from the Disney animated feature, "The Hunchback of Notre Dame" showcases the film's Academy Award-nominated score, as well as new songs by Alan Menken and Stephen Schwartz. Enjoy this lushly scored retelling of Hugo's epic story of love, acceptance and what it means to be a hero. Tickets go on sale in June at www.pactheatre.org. Tickets range from \$10 to \$20 with options for stadium seating and lawn seating in the General Admission area. Gates open at 7:00pm and the show starts at 8:00pm. Follow PAC Theatre on Facebook and Instagram for all the latest!

July 13-16

Kalina Art Studio Summer Labs - Adopt a Pet

Summer Labs at Kalina Art studio offer themed art education programming for students grade 1-7. July 13-16 is Adopt a Pet from 10am-12pm. Calling all animal lovers - these paws-itively perfect projects are all about our favorite furry, feathered and scaly friends. From whimsical felted portraits to 3D, stuffed paper animals and custom accessories to pair with the adopted pet of your choice, this Art Lab is the perfect way to celebrate the bond between us and our beloved best friends. Register at www.kalinaartstudio.com/summer-art-labs

July 14-17

Summer Kid's Workshops at The Rosy Clay Co. - Pottery Wheel

A fun and hands-on 4 day pottery wheel class designed just for kids ages 8-12! Students will learn to throw on the wheel, trim their pieces, and finish by painting their creations. This condensed version of our adult wheel class teaches real techniques in a creative,



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supportive environment. Register at www.therosyclaco.com/summer-kids

July 15

SumTur Senior Concert Series

- Polka Police

Join us for the FREE 2026 Senior Concert Series at SumTur Amphitheater! From jazz to Broadway favorites, there's something for everyone. The July Concert features the Polka Police at 10:00am at SumTur Amphitheater.

July 17

Music & Memories Concert - Blues Ed

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The July 17th concert features Blues Ed from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

July 18

Tween Creators at the Art Room in Papillion Landing - Planter Painting & Seed Planting

Get crafty and show off your art skills in this program for 9-12 year-olds.

This month: Planter Painting & Seed Planting. Registration is required and can be completed at www.papillion.libcal.com/event/16820428

July 19

Local Author Meet and Greet at The Book Nook

Sunday, July 19th | 12:00–2:00 PM. Meet Book Nook author Jackie Reinig. An afternoon with her granddaughter in the Enchanted Forest on her Iowa farm sparked the idea to write magical fantasy adventure books for all ages. Retired after forty years in healthcare, she lives on her farm with her herd of four cats and her husband, of course! Jackie will share about her book, Faery Academy of QuillSnap—a

new kind of faery tale for all ages where the enchanting Faery Realm exists in a world invisible to human eyes!

July 20-23

Kalina Art Studio Summer Labs

- In My Artist Era

Summer Labs at Kalina Art studio offer themed art education programming for students grade 1-7. July 20-23 is In My Artist Era from 10am-12pm. We'll make their rooms shimmer with a sparkly mixed-media collage door hanger, perfectly paired best friend acrylic canvases and bejeweled cowboy boot painting fit for their favorite pop singer. Artists will personalize each project with their own special details and sprinkles of glitter. Register at www.kalinaartstudio.com/summer-art-labs

July 21-24

Summer Kid's Workshops at The Rosy Clay Co. - Fish Hanger

A creative 4 day hand-building class where kids will make their own clay fish hanger! Students will build and add details to their fish during the first three days, then paint and glaze their finished piece on the final day. Ages 5-12.

Register at www.therosyclaco.com/summer-kids

July 23 & 30

Rave On Productions presents Don't Stop Me Now: A Celebration of Rock Musicals at SumTur

Don't Stop Me Now is a high-voltage tribute to the greatest rock musicals of all time - where Broadway meets rock 'n' roll! Tickets are \$29.51 (including taxes & fees) for lawn or stadium seating. Lawn seating requires you to bring your own chairs or blankets. All seats are general admission. Find tickets at www.sumtur.org. Gates open 1 hour prior to show time. All ages, family friendly concert. Kids ages 5 and

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under get in for free!

July 24

Music & Memories Concert - The Fishheads

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The July 24th concert features The Fishheads from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

July 23 & 24

PLAN Arts Camp presents "Creating Hailey's World: a tween sci-fi comedy"

Registration for kids to attend the camp is closed, but you can watch their performance of "Creating Hailey's World" at 7:00pm at Trinity Church on July 23rd or 24th! Visit www.planartsnetwork.org for all the latest.

July 25

Mojo and the Bayou Gypsies concert at SumTur

Mojo and the Bayou Gypsies play a blend of zydeco, Cajun and their own particular style of Red Hot Mojo Music! Concert starts at 7:30pm. The event is ticketed. Visit www.sumtur.org for the latest.

July 27-30

Kalina Art Studio Summer Labs - Wizards and Wands

Summer Labs at Kalina Art studio offer themed art education programming for students grade 1-7. July 27-30 is Wizards and Wands from 10am-12pm. Step into the magic of the wizarding world with this enchanting collection of whimsical projects! Each project invites artists to become wandmakers and storytellers, sparking imagination and hands-on fun with plenty of room for personalization. It's a

spellbinding experience with art lessons all about magic! Register at www.kalinaartstudio.com/summer-art-labs

July 27

Family Canvas Paint Night

Grab your mom, dad, brother, sister, cousin, or friend for a fun night out for some canvas art! July session will be "Zany Zebra". Fee includes all supplies. Open to ages 5 & up. Class held in the 55+ Club Room at Papillion Landing. Children must be accompanied by an adult (18+). Register at www.papillion.gov

July 28-31

Summer Kid's Workshops at The Rosy Clay Co. - Pottery Wheel

A fun and hands-on 4 day pottery wheel class designed just for kids ages 8-12! Students will learn to throw on the wheel, trim their pieces, and finish by painting their creations. This condensed version of our adult wheel class teaches real techniques in a creative, supportive environment. Register at www.therosyclaco.com/summer-kids

July 31

Free Range Crafting at Papillion Public Library

Celebrate the end of summer by crafting to your hearts content. All leftover crafts from the prior year will be available. Located in the Youth Area from 10:00am to 11:00am.

July 31

Music & Memories Concert - Hometown

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The July 31st concert features Hometown from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

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August 6

The Shucks Brothers Concert at SumTur

This free concert featuring The Shucks Brothers starts at 7:00pm at Sumtur Amphitheater. The Shucks Brothers are an accomplished trio of musicians based in Nebraska, well-known in the Midwest for their bluegrass, country, and western swing covers.

August 7

Painting Picassos presented by the Papillion Landing 55+ Club

Gather a group of friends of all talents and enjoy an evening of painting fun, drinks, and snacks! From 5:00pm-7:00pm participants will work on "Sunflower Still Life" at Papillion Landing. The fee is \$10 per session and includes all supplies, snacks, and drinks. Anyone 21 and over may participate. Spots are limited to 21 people. Register at papillionlanding.org or at the Papillion Landing front desk.

August 7

Music & Memories Concert - Fountains of Dane

Summer nights sound better at Shadow Lake. Enjoy free live music and an outdoor concert experience for the whole community at Shadow Lake's Music & Memories Summer Concert Series. The August 7th concert features Fountains of Dane from 6:30pm to 8:30pm at the Texas Roadhouse Amphitheater.

August 9

*****PAC Band Concert at SumTur***

Listen to a collection of exciting repertoire from the Papillion Area Concert Band at the beautiful SumTur Amphitheater at 7:30pm. Under the co-directorship of Ken Molzer and Lindsey Bogatz, the band will present a free concert that expands on their celebration of America's 250th birthday. Don't miss this



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special program where you'll hear some favorites from earlier concerts and new pieces selected for this concert.

In addition to performing, the PAC Band promotes, encourages, and increases the knowledge, appreciation and practice of the art of instrumental music.

August 13-15

Billy McGuigan & the Family Band at SumTur

Billy McGuigan & The Family Band takes the audience on an electrifying journey through the greatest hits and forgotten gems of the 60s, 70s, and 80s, blending iconic British Invasion songs with timeless American Rock classics. Tickets are \$29.51 (includes all taxes and fees). Choose from Stadium or Lawn Seating. All seats are general admission. Kids ages 5 and under free. Visit www.billymcguigan.com/sumtur for tickets and full event details.

August 19

SumTur Senior Concert Series

- Heartland of America Band Offutt Brass

Join us for the FREE 2026 Senior Concert Series at SumTur Amphitheater! From jazz to Broadway favorites, there's something for everyone. The August Concert features the Heartland of America Band Offutt Brass. 10AM SumTur Amphitheater

August 20

The Pluckin' Nutz Concert at SumTur

The Pluckin' Nutz is a 3-person acoustic cover band that plays a variety of genres from oldies to current music. Their free concert at Sumtur starts at 7:00pm

COMING SOON!

Omaha Broadway Bar comes to SumTur on September 16 as part of the Senior Concert Series!

This free concert starts at 10AM SumTur Amphitheater, and while it's part of the Senior Concert Series, Broadway lovers of all ages will not want to miss this incredible show. This traveling piano bar has drawn crowds to a number of venues across Omaha like Jewell on Capitol, The Max, The Durham Museum, and many more. While their lineup of performers changes show to show, the incredible level of local talent remains consistent. The Papillion Area Community Theatre is proud to have many regular Omaha Broadway Bar performers as actor alumni. So, mark your calendars with the perfect way to close out the summer arts season!



SCULPTURE WALK

The Papillion Area Council of Artists (PACA) is taking an exciting step toward expanding public art in our community with plans for a sculpture walk around the pond at Halleck Park. The project is already underway, with the first sculpture installed and serving as a glimpse of what is to come.

PACA has secured most of the funding needed to bring seven additional sculptures to the park from artists across the country. Once completed, the sculpture walk will create a unique outdoor gallery where residents and visitors can experience art in a natural setting while enjoying one of Papillion's most beloved parks. To make the vision a reality, the organization is seeking sponsorships and community support to help raise the remaining funds needed for installation and long-term success.

Public art offers benefits far beyond beautification. It creates a sense of place, encourages community pride, sparks conversation, and makes art accessible to everyone. Sculpture walks also draw visitors, support local tourism, and provide opportunities for learning and inspiration for people of all ages.

As plans continue to take shape, PACA will be sharing opportunities for individuals, families, and businesses to become involved in supporting the sculpture walk. Community participation will play an important role in bringing this exciting cultural amenity to life.

Stay tuned for updates and ways you can help. To follow the project and learn more about PACA's work, visit facebook.com/groups/pacartists and join the conversation.



The Papillion Arts Foundation launched in 2023 with a mission to support, promote, and celebrate the arts in order to sustain a vibrant arts community and strengthen the cultural fabric of Papillion and the surrounding area. The organization acts as a hub where local arts nonprofits can build relationships with each other and partner with the city for unique arts experiences and opportunities.

PAF was created through the collaboration of existing arts nonprofits from a range of artistic disciplines. Representatives from the Papillion Area Community Singers, Papillion Area Concert Band, Papillion Area Council of Artists, and the Papillion Area Community Theatre met with officials from the City of Papillion and other area thought leaders in the nonprofit world to lay the groundwork for an organization with the power to uplift the entire arts community. These arts organizations each have a long history of working with the City of Papillion, and their experience was originally tapped to create a path for other arts organizations who may also be interested in partnering with the city.

The group's work resulted in the Papillion Arts Foundation, a partnership of local nonprofit arts organizations who have joined together for the purpose of growing opportunities for artistic and cultural enrichment in the Papillion area. The four arts nonprofits involved in the creation of PAF are now the founding members.

Member organizations pledge a percentage of their annual funds to the PAF and commit to attending regular meetings. These investments will help consolidate these organizations' strengths in the promotion of community arts and culture while maintaining their autonomy to focus on their individual arts programming. PAF membership is open to any local arts nonprofit interested in promoting creative collaboration and growing a vibrant arts community through their commitment to the foundation.

Those interested in learning more about PAF membership can reach out to contact@papillionarts.org to get started.

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