

April 2018



Woman's Forum



ART EVENTS

Museum of North Texas History

April, Tuesday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

730 Indiana

940-322-7628

Price: Free

<https://www.museumofnorthtexashistory.org/exhibits-events.html>

“A Tribute to Ray Price and his Music”

The Museum of North Texas History

April 30, 6pm

Center Point Event Venue

900 Scott

Price: \$35, members \$30, reserved table of 8 - \$240

Point of Contact: 322-7628 or 704-1281

The museum will present a tribute to Ray Price and his music with Susan and Kenny Mayo and Post Oak. All proceeds benefit the Museum of North Texas History. Reservation must be made by April 25.

Upcoming Main Exhibit - *A View From Above: Aerial Photos of Wichita Falls*

Thanks to the Wichita County Archives, we have 42 aerial photos of Wichita Falls from the 1920s and 41 from the early-mid 1970s. To complete the timeline, RSP Drone Photography will provide present day views of the locations in the other photos. The exhibit will also feature then-and-now views of the Call Field area and views of the 2015 flood.

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Current featured exhibits

Sweeney Family

It is not just famous people that make history. Clarence Sweeney and his children illustrate this fact. Through their service and accomplishments, they proved that "regular" people and families often have a major impact on the world around us. Military service, supporting war efforts at home, service to the church, engineering excellence, and more constitute the history of the Sweeney family, and we have that all on display.

Emil Hermann exhibit

Emil Hermann was a successful artist who spent much of his life in Wichita Falls.

In one room we have 10 of his portraits, and there are three more portraits on display elsewhere in the Museum.

One of those portraits is of Larry Domino, who was not a person, but a prize-winning Hereford bull owned by J.S. Bridwell. We are in Texas, after all...

The Mad Medics - This Dixieland Jazz group formed in 1965 and is still playing today.

Some of the members were medical doctors, and that fact inspired the group's name.

Kemp Center for the Arts Exhibits

April

Kemp Center for the Arts

9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Price: Free

http://www.artscouncilwf.org/current_exhibits/

Whats Up Downstairs? – April 6 – June 10 - Vickie Robinson

Northlight Gallery – now – May 27 - RRPC- Counties of the Red River - *Counties of the Red River* is a year-long project by the members of the Red River Photography Club, documenting the visual aspects of over 20 counties bordering the Red River in Texas and Oklahoma. This extensive photo documentary will include multiple images and written description from the counties, as chosen by the individual photographers.

West End Studio – Mary Jane Roberts – now – June 3

Galleria at the Forum – now – May 12 – Sarah Swanson - Wichita Falls artist Sarah Swanson exhibits her lively acrylic and mixed media abstract paintings in the Galleria At The Forum.

Wichita Falls Museum of Art at MSU

April

Tuesday – Saturday 10:00am - 5:00pm

2 Eureka Circle

Price: Free

Point of Contact: (940) 397-8900

<http://www.wfmamsu.org/calendar/souls-black-folk/>

***Flatbed Proofs and Processes* Now – April**

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*Sculpture Garden After Dark
Kemp Center for the Arts*

April 5 - 5:00 pm -8:00 pm

Kemp Center for the Arts

Price: Free

Point of Contact: Christine Heidebrecht (940) 767-2787

<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/event/sculpture-garden-after-dark-4/2018-04-05/>

Sculpture Garden After Dark is a family-friendly, pet-friendly stop as part of the After Hours Artwalk of Downtown. Hop a trolley, take a stroll, or drive down to experience this art and ambiance for yourself. Bring your own blanket, bag chair, and buddy and come listen to live music amongst our artwork in the Sculpture Garden!

Occurs every first Thursday April through October. Live music starts at 6 pm.

BYOB (beer and wine only)—picnics welcomed!

*MSU Continuing Ed
Repurposed Yard & Garden Décor*

April 5 - 5:30pm -7:00pm

Sikes Lake Center

Price: \$25.00-\$45.00 **Price may vary slightly depending on project.

Point of Contact: Lorraine Parmer, 940-397-4307, lorraine.parmar@mwsu.edu

<https://mwsu.edu/conted/courses/Repurposed-Yard-Garden-Decor>

Bring your friends and join us in making repurposed yard, fence, or garden decor every month. You will create a one of a kind yard decoration to adorn your outside space or give as a gift to a special friend. All supplies are included. Feel free to bring your favorite beverage and/or snack.

*Lend Me a Tenor
Backdoor Theater*

Apr. 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14 - 7:30 pm

Backdoor Theater

Dinner Stage

501 Indiana Avenue

Price: \$21, Senior (55+) – \$19, Student – \$15, Active Military – \$15, Child (Ages 6-12) – \$12 BYOB

Dinner – \$16 *Please Note: Dinner is optional and is an additional charge to the price of your ticket.

Point of Contact: 322-5000

<https://www.backdoortheatre.org/lend-me-a-tenor.html>

This night in September of 1934 is the biggest in the history of the Cleveland Grand Opera Company. The world famous tenor Tito Morelli is to perform Othello, his greatest role, at the gala season opener... things do not go as planned. This door slamming comedy will have you laughing non-stop!

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*Painting with Kaye Franklin
Kemp Center for the Arts*

Apr. 6, 10:00am - 4:00pm

Kemp Center for the Arts

1300 Lamar

Price: \$66

Point of Contact: Christine Heidebrecht (940) 767-2787

<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/event/painting-with-kaye-franklin-3/2018-04-06/>

Join noted Graham artist **Kaye Franklin** for her instructional class for intermediate to advanced level oil /acrylic or pastel art. Kaye chooses a different subject matter for each of her workshops: landscape, still life, etc. The class will begin with a two-hour instruction intensive demonstration of the selected work for the class. Class will break for lunch (on your own) then return for an afternoon of student painting under Kaye's guidance. Students may elect to paint the morning project demonstrated by Kaye or to bring along a studio project in progress.

*Vicki Meek: Vulnerable
MSU Juanita Harvey Art Gallery*

Apr. 6, 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm Opening Reception

Fain Fine Arts Building

Price: Free

Point of Contact: (940) 397-4264 nicolette.daubert@mwsu.edu

<https://mwsu.edu/academics/finearts/art/gallery/>

Meek has more than 40 years of arts administrative experience that includes working as a senior program administrator for a state arts agency and running a non-profit visual arts center. Meek retired in 2016 as the manager of the South Dallas Cultural Center in Dallas a full-service African-centered agency that is a division of the City of Dallas Office of Cultural Affairs. She served on the board of National Performance Network from 2008-2015 and was chair from 2012-2014. Meek is now a full-time artist who splits her time between Dallas and Costa Rica, where she is COO of a creatives retreat.

*Hello Dolly
Wichita Theater*

April 6, 7, 13, 14, 20, 21, 27, 28 – 7:30 pm

April 14, 21, 28 – 2:00 pm

Wichita Theatre

925 Indiana St.

Price: \$24 adults, \$10 child, Military and student discounts available

Point of Contact: 729-9037

<http://www.wichitatheatre.com/main-stage>

The 1964 musical follows the story of Dolly Gallagher Levi (a strong-willed matchmaker), as she travels to Yonkers, New York, to find a match for the miserly "well-known

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unmarried half-a-millionaire" Horace Vandergelder. In doing so she convinces his niece, his niece's intended, and Horace's two clerks to travel to New York City.

*Tejas Brothers
Royal Theater*

Apr. 6 - 7:30 doors open, show at 8:30

The Royal Theater

113 E. Main St.

Archer City

Price: \$20

Point of Contact: (940) 574-2489

<http://www.royaltheater.org/now-playing.html>

BYOB Tex-Mex Honky Tonk. First Come First Serve Tables. Due to the ticket demand and input from the Tejas Brothers, we are adding more tables and no dance floor. Doors open at 7:30 Show at 8:30 Archer City's Murn's Café is open on this Friday Night until 9:00 pm serving some of the best fried fish around, come enjoy a nice meal then a night of music and dancing. They can't put you in jail for combining Tex-Mex music with Honky Tonk music, or an accordion with a steel guitar ...so why not do it?" "Mama loves George Jones and daddy loves Freddy Fender", says Dave Perez, accordionist for the band. With influences from all different styles of music, the audience might find it difficult to describe a live show. Most of them say, "I don't know what to call it. I just know it's GOOD!" The closest description that the band has been able to come up with is: Tex-Mex Honky Tonk. Doesn't that just sound FUN? A typical trip through a Tejas Brothers medley might start out as a jumpin' tejano polka, hop into steam-engine country train song, and then drop you off into a twisting blues rocker! If you are one of those people who has all but given up on the music of today, don't worry... there are still some bands putting out the good stuff! If you come to a show, just make sure you can see the stage!

www.tejasbrothers.com

*MSU Continuing Ed
Mosaic Glass*

Apr. 7 – 10:00am – 3:00 pm *or* 3:00pm - 6:00pm

Sikes Lake Center

Price: \$100 for 3 sessions (This is the third session)

Point of Contact: Lorraine Parmer, 940-397-4307, lorraine.parmer@mwsu.edu

<https://mwsu.edu/contd/courses/stained-glass>

Create that one of a kind piece of art work you will enjoy for years and learn the techniques to complete many more. Beauty is not necessarily about something being perfect with the medium of mosaic. By taking individual fragments, we will combine them in such a way as to reveal a rich tapestry for the senses. Many patterns to choose from and all supplies provided.

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Painting with Prismacolor: Chickadee
Kemp Center for the Arts

Apr. 7 - 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Kemp Center for the Arts

Price: \$35 *There will be a \$5.00 supply fee (payable to instructor at start of class)*

Point of Contact: Christine Heidebrecht (940) 767-2787

<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/event/painting-with-prismacolor-chickadee/>

Chickadee: Who hasn't looked out their window at such a cutie and thought, "I wish I could see that cute, little fluff ball every day!" Well, now you can! Spend a Saturday with veteran Prismacolor artist Pat Wearth as she leads you through the "pencil painting" process. This is a wonderful class for the artist and non-artist alike, so don't let the "I-can't-draw-a-straight-line-syndrome" keep you from enjoying this class. Students need to bring their own prismacolor pencils, and there is a **\$5 supply fee payable to the teacher on the day of class** for the rest of the supplies, papers, and handouts provided.

Supplies: Prismacolor Pencils needed: Apple Green, Black, Blush Pink, Burnt Ochre, Dark Brown, Deco Pink, Indigo Blue, Jasmine, Process Red, Prussian Green, Sienna Brown, White, Warm Grey 10%, Warm Grey 70%, and Yellow Ochre. Hand held eraser.

***Please eat lunch before arriving for class!*

Rain: A Tribute to the Beatles
MPEC

Apr. 8 – 7:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Memorial Auditorium

Price: \$37.50 - \$49.50

Point of Contact: (800) 799-6732, kate_jenkins@comcastspectacor.com

<http://wfmpec.com/events/2018/04/08/rain--a-tribute-to-the-beatles/>

RAIN – A TRIBUTE TO THE BEATLES celebrates the 50th anniversary of the release of Sgt Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band! For the first time ever, RAIN will bring the historic album to life in its entirety for this psychedelic multimedia spectacular in addition to all your early favorites!

This mind blowing performance takes you back in time with the legendary foursome delivering a note-for-note theatrical event that is the next best thing to seeing the Beatles. Experience the worlds' most iconic band and come celebrate 50 years of Sgt Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band.

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*Exploring The World of Art Bus Tour: Dallas Art Fair
Kemp Center for the Arts*

Apr. 13, 8:30 am – 5:30 pm

Wichita Falls Museum of Art

Price: \$45

Point of Contact: Christine Heidebrecht (940) 767-2787

<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/event/exploring-the-world-of-art-bus-tour-dallas-art-fair/>

8:00 Museum opens for a continental breakfast.

8:30 MSU bus leaves **from the Wichita Falls Museum of Art**

10:45 Guided highlights of Dallas Art Fair in the Fashion Industry Gallery, a mid-century modern building with 74,000 sq. ft. of gallery spaces. Over 90 leading national and international galleries have curated a selection of modern and contemporary artworks in this exhibit space with innovative programming to engage the public.

12:00 Lunch on your own in the Dallas Art Fair or nearby Stephan Pyles restaurant

1:30 After lunch you are free to reenter the Dallas Art Fair to enjoy the art you previewed earlier

3:00 Board the bus for home with complimentary wine and snacks. Arrive home by 5:30 PM.

Seating very limited!

The price is \$45* for bus ride, docent tour and refreshments in the morning and on the way home.

**Cost is transferable but non-refundable.*

*Cowboy True Friday Night
Kemp Center for the Arts*

Apr. 13, 6:30 am - 10:30 pm

J. S. Bridwell Ag Center

Price: \$30.00

Point of Contact: 766-3347

<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/event/cowboy-true-friday-night/>

Mingle with the artists and view their artwork for the first time. Hors D'oeuvres by the World Champion Chuckwagon. Live music and dancing with Jake Hooker and The Outsiders. Tickets for this event can be purchased directly through the MPEC website at www.wfmpec.com

For more information about Cowboy True check out our page: [Cowboy True Home Page](#).

*Cowboy True
Kemp Center for the Arts*

Apr. 14, 6:30 am - 10:30 pm

J. S. Bridwell Ag Center

Price: Free of charge

Point of Contact: 766-3347

<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/all-arts-events/cowboy-true/>

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The Mission of Cowboy True is to educate the region about the honor, art, and beauty of the cowboy's daily life. Cowboy True is a celebration to honor working cowboys and the artwork that comes from their daily lives. During the weekend of April 13 & 14, 2018, juried cowboy artists from around the nation will be featured at the J.S. Bridwell Ag Center to display their unique works derived from cowboy life.

Categories include: bits, spurs, buckles, jewelry, gun/knife engraving, saddles, boots, trappings/gear, photography, paintings, drawings, sculptures, carving, cowboy cartoons, and pottery. Events for Cowboy True include Friday night artists' reception and opening, Saturday daytime activities (and exhibit open to the public) and Saturday night dinner, live auction, and entertainment. All proceeds go to The Forum to assist with programming and mission fulfillment.



*Adam Carroll
Royal Theater*

Apr. 14 - 7:00 doors open, show at 7:30

The Royal Theater

113 E. Main St.

Archer City

Price: \$20

Point of Contact: michael_getts@yahoo.com

<http://www.royaltheater.org/buy-supperclub.html>



*Faculty Recital: Dr. Christopher Vivio, tuba; and Dr. Ruth Morrow, piano
MSU*

Apr. 17 – 7:30 pm

Akin Auditorium

Price: Not stated

Point of Contact: Michelle Chavez (940) 397-4267

<https://calendar.mwsu.edu/event/faculty-recital-dr-christopher-vivio-tuba-and-dr-ruth-morrow-piano/>



*All About Acrylics
Kemp Center for the Arts*

Apr. 19 - 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Kemp Center for the Arts

Price: \$45

Point of Contact: Christine Heidebrecht (940) 767-2787

<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/event/all-about-acrylics-april2018/>

Rachel will teach beginning to experienced students the basics of acrylic painting. Don't be intimidated: Rachel will do step-by-step instructions that everyone can follow and enjoy, from beginner to experienced painters.

This month's painting is TBD.

This class is BYOW, bring your own wine! All supplies are included.

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*Sounds of Speedway
Chicken on the Bone*

Apr. 19, doors open at 6:15, concert begins at 7:00

Kemp at the Forum

2120 Speedway Avenue

Price: \$20 in advance, \$25 at the door, \$250 table of 6, BYOB (beer and wine only)

Point of Contact: 766-3347

<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/event/sounds-of-speedway-chicken-on-the-bone/>

To celebrate our 5th season of Sounds of Speedway we're bringing back some of our most popular performers.

If you want to dance, if you want to have fun, if you want to sing out loud, or get up on stage with the band, this is the party band for everyone. Chicken on the Bone is from New Orleans, but has taken over the I-10 corridor and plays from Texas to Florida. *Seating is first come first serve, unless sponsor or table purchaser.*

This season's food truck will be The Gypsy Kit.

*2018 Festival of Student-Produced One-Act Plays
MSU Theatre Production*

April 19, 20, 21 - 7:30 p.m.

April 22 - 2:30 pm

Bea Woods Studio Theatre

Midwestern State University

Price: General Admission: \$10.00, Reduced (military personnel, senior citizens 55+, and pre-college students): \$8.00, Groups of 10 or more: \$7.00 per person, School Group: \$5.00 per person + a complimentary ticket for two teachers/chaperones, FREE for all MSU students.

Point of contact: Jessica Hulett (940) 397-4670 jessica.hulett@mwsu.edu

<https://www.mwsu.edu/academics/finearts/theatre/currentproductionseason>

*Culinary Around the World
Brazilian*

Apr. 20, 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Vernon College Continuing Education

301 East 3rd Street, Burkburnett

Price: \$30 per person per class

Point of Contact: 696-8752, ext. 3295

<http://www.vernoncollege.edu/Resources/Continuing%20Education/Culinary%20Around%20the%20World%20Spring%202018.pdf>

Enjoy an evening cooking up tasty creations with one of our excellent chefs. Have a blast in the state-of-the-art restaurant style kitchen while preparing various appetizers, entrees and or desserts.

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This month Pao De Queijo (Brazilian Cheese Bread), Picanha Roast (beef) with charred tomatoes and onion, grilled hearts of palm and crab salad with mango, Brazilian style beans, rice and Brigadeiro (chocolate fudge flan cake)

*An Evening of Improv
Backdoor Theater*

Apr. 20, 7:00pm – 9:00pm

Backdoor Theater

Dinner Stage

501 Indiana Avenue

Price: \$12 (event is for ages 18 and up) BYOB

Point of Contact: 322-5000

<https://www.backdoortheatre.org/improv-night.html>

An Evening of Improv on the Dinner Stage at Backdoor Theatre! Ever seen Whose Line is it Anyway? Every show is different, and we have no idea what we'll do next! Bring a date, and come laugh with us, or at us? BYOB, show starts at 7 pm, and is **for ages 18** and up. Walk-ins are welcome, see you then!

*Floral Mosaic Class
Kemp Center for the Arts*

Apr. 21 - 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Kemp Center for the Arts

Price: \$30 *There will be a \$15.00 supply fee (payable to instructor at start of class)*

Point of Contact: Christine Heidebrecht (940) 767-2787

<http://www.artscouncilwf.org/event/floral-mosaic-class/>

Learn the art of Mosaics in this one-day class. In this class you will design a one of a kind floral design panel that will look like a stained glass window when completed. Project size is approximately 8 x 10 and is created using traditional stained glass on clear glass. Some class cutting or nipping used. Come have a day of fun and explore your creativeness!

*Midwestern Singers
MSU*

April 24 – 7:30 pm

Akin Auditorium

Price: Not stated

Point of Contact: Michelle Chavez (940) 397-4267

<https://calendar.mwsu.edu/event/midwestern-singers/>

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*University Wind Ensemble and University Orchestra
MSU*

Apr. 26 – 7:30 pm

Akin Auditorium

Price: Not stated

Point of Contact: Michelle Chavez (940) 397-4267

<https://calendar.mwsu.edu/event/celebration-of-scholarship-wind-ensemble-and-university-orchestra/>

*9 to 5 The Musical
Backdoor Theater*

Apr. 27, 28 - 7:30 pm

Also dates in May

Backdoor Theater

Main Stage

501 Indiana Avenue

Price: \$21, Senior (55+) – \$19, Student – \$15, Active Military – \$15, Child (Ages 6-12) – \$12 BYOB

Dinner – \$16 Point of Contact: 322-5000

<https://www.backdoortheatre.org/9-to-5.html>

Pushed to the boiling point, three female co-workers concoct a plan to get even with the sexist, egotistical, lying, hypocritical bigot they call their boss. In a hilarious turn of events, Violet, Judy, and Doralee live out their wildest fantasy – giving their boss the boot! This high energy musical comedy will have you clapping throughout. Hey, a girl can scheme, can't she?

*Fairy Fest
Kell House Museum*

Apr. 28 – 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Kell House

Price: \$15 children, adult \$5

<http://www.wichita-heritage.org/Fairy/index.html>

Enjoy a special display and silent auction of fairy gardens, gnome homes, and fairy doors; tour the Kell House in search of fairies; get your face painted; have your photo taken with the Queen of the Fairies; make your own fairy wings, gnome hats, and much, much more!

Tickets are \$15 for children, and includes 2 make & take craft tickets.

*University Choir and Oratorio Chorus
MSU*

Apr. 29 – 3:00 pm

Akin Auditorium

Price: Not stated

Point of Contact: Michelle Chavez (940) 397-4267

<https://calendar.mwsu.edu/event/university-choir-midwestern-singers-and-oratorio-chorus-1/>

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Percussion Ensemble
MSU

Apr. 30 – 7:30 pm

Akin Auditorium

Price: Not stated

Point of Contact: Michelle Chavez (940) 397-4267

<https://calendar.mwsu.edu/event/percussion-ensemble-2/>