



**Alex Walters**  
**Title: "Shifting Shape"**  
 I enjoy exposing myself through my art. I hope you like shifting shapes.



**Mary Armbruster**  
**Title: "Irises"**  
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 I generally use oils. Many of my subjects are landscapes, horses, dogs and a few peacocks. I enjoy doing custom work also. I am a wife, mother of 4 adult children and a nurse. I also taught high school art as a volunteer.



**Steve Gerhartz**  
**Title: "Lake"**  
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 Many of the local lakes and streams are sources of inspiration for me to paint. They are timeless treasures for all to enjoy.



**K.E. Schaffer**  
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 I am integrally interested in the window that art provides and the framing that it allows. I am also fascinated with the juxtaposition of the organic alongside the structural, the relationship of differing textures or media, and the interaction of complementary color or of contrasting values. Through these contradictions, I explore the human experience of failure and success, faith and proof, good and evil, simple and complex.



**Camille Walters**  
**Title: "Itsy Bitsy Teenie Weenie Yellow Polka Dot Bikini", "The Mermaid"**  
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 I love to paint. I feel paintings should make people joyful and leave impressions on the viewer. I feel that every cat should have its portrait painted.



**Deborah Bast-Prahl**  
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**Vicki Gierach**  
**Title: "Buds & Blooms"**  
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 Vibrant color and movement were my inspiration for my latest. Tapping visually within my creative space, moved me toward unearthing native beauty of our Wisconsin debut of buds and blooms.



**Jim Selle**  
**Title: "Icon of the Arts"**  
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 This year presents us with a new icon a West Bend history: The Museum of Wisconsin Art. Keeping the focus on art for our community, as well as, the state of Wisconsin.



**Michiah Wolf**  
**Title: "West Bend"**



**Diane M. Carlson**  
**Title: "Venezia"**  
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 I believe everyone is born with gifts given to them by God and measured within their soul. Through prayerful listening and careful attention to all that is placed on your heart, these gifts will be revealed. I have been painting for about 10 years and I love to "Go Big." My subject matter is usually "Larger than Life" Bowers and landscape/vacation scenes. This is truly a gift from God and all the glory is His.



**Susan Hale**  
**Title: "Wisconsin Farmland"**  
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 I have always loved to draw and paint. Living, vacationing and traveling in the Wisconsin countryside is a constant inspiration to me. It seems everywhere I look I see a painting - sunrise on Lake Michigan, golden hay bales scattered in the farm fields, popcorn clouds dancing in pink skies. Color and pattern are important to me. I interpret onto the canvas the energy and connection to nature I feel as I paint. As Van Gogh said "... real artist paint not as they are in a dry analytic way, but as they feel them". I work in oil and like to use a lot of paint. "Let the paint talk", I often say. It is so much fun!... and so many colors to use... and it's not farming!



**Daniel Stauff**  
**Title: "Birds Afield"**  
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 The artistic vocabulary originated within the realm of large, abstract paintings calls as well as multi-media constructions. With a core of study in figure drawing, sculpture and oil painting, I moved into several different areas of study. These range from small very detailed paintings of birds, to large street murals. I paint portraits and animals, and work from history, black & white photographs from Europe, The Milwaukee River and Maritime photographs fulfill my desire to experience history. For me, painting is an ever present desire and I continue to explore different techniques and subject matter.



**Jack Freiheit**  
**Title: "Emanation"**  
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 "Emanation" is a visual expression of divine power. It illustrates God's ordering of chaotic elements, the centering of our souls, and the radiant power which delivers "the peace which passes all understanding."



**Nicole Hammonds**  
**Title: "Making The World A Better Place One Child At A Time", "Beauty Revolution"**  
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 Being a self-taught artist I have learned that the canvas has become an extension of who I am. It is a part of my being, it is my style, it is my freedom, the calm through my storm. The idea of adopting to the range of prevailing notions that are smothered by the noise of consumerism, vague generalization is far so perplexing for me to interpret with words... therefore I paint. Devoid of scholastic cliché expression, I have an innate discerning passion for art.



**Gloria D. Strickland**  
**Title: "It's All About The Birds", "It's A Party"**  
 Art is the highest state of man and should reform, uplift. I hope others enjoy viewing my art as much as I enjoyed producing it. That is a lot of smiles.



The ArtWalk will be on display through the summer of 2013 ending September 8, 2013. Enjoy and share the experience.



**Ann Powell**  
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**Dave & Nicole Hammonds**  
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 "Divine Refuge"



**IsaiahMalnory-Brown & Hannah Nelson**  
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We wanted to show the beauty and depth that spring gives to the world while having a fun time working together.



**Hannah Nelson**  
 Title: "Eye Candy"

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 I wanted this to be fun! I wanted it to be colorful and for children to look at it and try to pick out what they see.



**Everett W. Powell**  
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 Picasso said "all children are artists. The problem is how to remain an artist once he grows up." The banner is my attempt to return to that child. Simple shapes, colors and bold. I hope you like it.



**Claudette Lee-Roseland**  
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 I am a self-taught/acoustic painter, metal smith and instructor of beginner patterns. For me, the fun is in the process. Enjoyment comes from creating something new and then having others also relate to the work. I like the idea of leaving a little bit of me for the world to enjoy. My current work ranges from abstract acrylics, encaustic (wax) to miniature oil landscapes. I prefer to work in abstract because the end result is always a surprise and something totally new. I make art because it provides me a place for my creative busy mind to play. I love to draw and have taken the art of coloring to a new level in my life.



**Maggie Moran & Emma Ponath**  
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**Bridget Lyle Wolf**  
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 The panel is an interpretation of Wisconsin Architect Frank Lloyd Wright "Tree of Life" stained glass window. When I was a little girl my dad explained "You're lucky, you know what you're to be when you grow up. Artists just know". He was right. A pencil in my hand always provides a sketch, design or a bright idea. I have explored ceramics, fibers, clay, metals yet I always come back to painting. For me painting wraps its arms around the place and the light. I paint with my husband, Dan. That way I can always borrow some of his perfect, sky vision!



**Taylor Morrison**  
 Title: "Inside the box"  
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 I have to give credit to the British for an outside-of-the-box idea as the T.A.R.D.I.S. Anything can be behind the doors..... but help is never to far away.



**Sandra Pape**  
 Title: "Summertime"  
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 I feel very fortunate to live my life as an artist. I am a mixed media artist and an expressive painter. I paint with acrylic, usually on black background. Images of women are a recurring theme for me. I often work on more than one painting at a time, creating a series. I work without restrictions and often without a preconceived idea. Chance is a positive force for me. My work has many layers and meanings, often the visual elements are unexpected, with the element of surprise and mystery.



**Elvia Savage**  
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 Painting for me is a way to express the beauty of life! Through my studies and traveling the world I have been inspired to embrace color and texture as a powerful means of artistic expression. Traveling has given me a broad view of art and culture that I express in my work. Married to an artist, he encourages me to keep painting and inspires me to express love and passion in all the work I do whether it is watercolor, acrylic or other media.



**Amanda MacDonald**  
 Title: "Color Treatment"  
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 I wanted to experiment putting different colors and textures together to see how the pieces would explore.



**Molly Micik**  
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**Christine Porter**  
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 I have been an art teacher, a commercial designer and an artist. I usually work with oil crayons balancing abstract shapes and design. I love creating both colorful and neutral pieces inspired by architecture, nature and any natural design that has been created by the placement of objects in our everyday life. Art is an outlet for creative expression that just makes me feel good.



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