

## Welcome to 2021

The Fort Erie Arts Council board members want to wish each of you good health, happiness and time for creative moments.

We are feeling optimistic that the Niagara Region Covid-19 Grey-Lockdown will be lifted shortly; therefore we have scheduled a couple of socially distanced [art classes](#) in the coming weeks at our Gallery & Hub. See below for more details.

**We truly hope that you are making ART part of your LIFE.** Join us as a [member](#) ; whether you are an artist, a creative family, a student, a patron, an arts supporter, or a benefactor.



*We are a group of local artists and community members who's vision is to encourage diverse artistic endeavors in the Fort Erie community to enrich the lives of its residents.*

## FEAC Membership Renewal for 2021



*Become a Member*

participate in our [Online Art Shop](#) , please find more details on our website.

**If you have not already taken the opportunity to join or renew, now's the time.**

Don't Miss OUT.

Membership LINK: [Become a Member](#)

As mentioned in our last newsletter, the FEAC board voted to change the membership to a yearly calendar, January through December, so that we can better plan and manage the year activities appropriately.

We are excited to offer you new membership levels; which include our [Premier membership](#) giving those members the ability to

Art Shop LINK: [Shop Online](#)

## Christmas Art Market

This past December, while respecting socially distance protocol, we held our 3rd annual Christmas Art Market at the Hub and Gallery resulting in \$1340 in sales!

Thank you to our community for Shopping Local this past holiday season. See the [photos of the ART](#) on our website.



*See the Christmas Art Market photos*

## Art Classes at the FEAC Hub and Gallery

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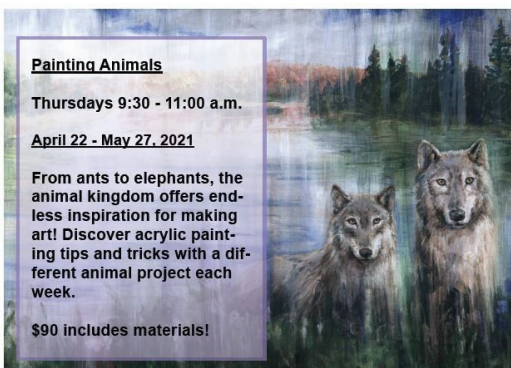
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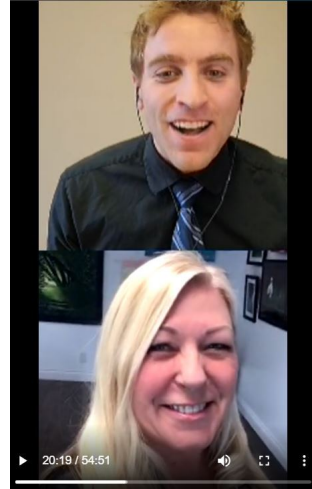
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## Town of Fort Erie's Virtual Pop-up Market

The Town of Fort Erie working in partnership with Niagara Digital Main Street hosted an Instagram Virtual Pop-Up Market on February 5th; in an effort to help showcase Fort Erie businesses during COVID-19.

The Virtual Pop-up Market exhibited 10 local businesses, allowing each a 5-minute time slot to join the live broadcast to feature their products; answer questions from the live broadcast participants; and provide important details such as how customers can purchase their products. Gift cards from each participating business was raffled off during the Instagram Live broadcast.



Our very own Donna MacLeod, Fort Erie Art Council President participated in this Pop-up Market. To view the recorded show, please follow this link. Donna shows off the FEAC Gallery and HUB at timeline 17:25. [Click here Town Of Fort Erie's Instagram Live](#)

**Continue to keep healthy and safe, MAKING ART,  
Your Fort Erie Arts Council board members**



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