



February 2026

Mid - Missouri Artists
Embracing All Arts

MMA February Meeting

Open to the Public!
Only paid MMA members may display work.

When: February 26, Time: 6:30-8:00

Where: Café Du Burg, 211 N Holden St. Warrensburg, MO 64093

What: Share and display 2025 challenge theme (Season) pieces that you have been working on! If you neglected this year's theme, just bring something you've been working on and are willing to leave at the Café.
Or just come and be social!

Bring: One or two hangable art pieces--Paintings, Photographs, sculptures, fabric art, jewelry, etc (these 3D pieces will most likely need to be a photograph display to enable hanging). **Maximum size- 24"x36"**
Make sure your work has a hanging wire or appropriate sized saw-tooth hanger.

Hanging tags provided.
Selling via QR code? Please bring a printed copy to attach to your tag.

Refreshments: Baristas will be available for purchase of drinks, pastries, and sandwich or bowl options—chicken salad or roast beef. **Please support Café Du Burg as they have been generous in supporting MMA**

RSVP Needed by February 20
PM Jane on FB; email jblankford69@gmail.com

January Minutes, cont.

Continuing business

- Approval of the previous meeting minutes (12/25) was motioned, Karen and seconded, Lisa. Motion passed.
- Jane successfully recruited children's art works for display on the WCA wall. Many works have been tagged and displayed with more to come.
- Members were reminded about our next meeting to be held at Café du Burg. Members will bring art for hanging. Sandwiches and drinks will be available for purchase during the meeting. Karen asked about procedures for the purchase of art displayed. Jane and Karen will coordinate with the owner and send details before the next meeting.

New Business

- The board's project for updating the organization's bylaws, policies and procedures was announced. Terry Vair provided an overview of the process and necessity of the updates.
 - Daum vendors requested for February 14
 - Janet's family estate sale will be held March 13-14
- 7:22 Adjourn Motion to adjourn was proposed by Allena, 2nd by Teresa. Passed.

The regular meeting was followed by The Art of Arranging Flowers, presented by Lisa Dean.

Submitted by Angela (Angi) Lankford-

January 28, 2026, Minutes

Date: Jan 28, 2026 Meeting Called to Order:

6:31 PM, Janie Lankford, President

Warrensburg Community Center-Arts and Crafts Room Attendees: 15

Welcome and President's report-Janie Lankford

- Welcome and introduction of Lisa Dean, the presenter. We also welcomed 3 guests brought by Lisa Knisley
- Treasurer's report by Bill Wayne . Updated balances as of January 2026. Bill reported approximately 30 paid members representing about 40 individuals (family memberships). Jane noted that her email addresses for current members and 2025 members were higher than 40 individuals.

Opportunities and Events

DAUM _ Call for Entries. **Contemporary Visions of the West** August 21 - December 20, 2026 juried exhibition examining contemporary artistic responses to the idea, history, and mythology of the American West. This exhibition will feature artists living and working throughout the United States whose work engages Western themes through a contemporary lens.

[Call for Entries | Daum Museum of Contemporary Art](#)

Live Poetry Reading at the Daum Museum February 19, 2026, from 3:30-4:30 PM
Join us for a live reading of original poetry, prose, and reflections. Writers and readers alike are invited to share original works. To participate, send your submission to submissionsroadwriters@sfccmo.edu.

Join us on Monday, March 2, at 10 AM in the Stauffacher Theatre on the SFCC campus for an **artist's lecture by Lindsey Dunnagan**.

Lindsey Dunnagan is currently exhibiting artwork in her solo exhibition Temporal Terrain at the Daum Museum of Contemporary Art. This series of watercolor and oil paintings is inspired by her childhood in Anchorage, Alaska.

SVAA Spring Fling Art show: March 9 through April 30, 2026. See flyer for details—should be available at February MMA meeting.

Second Annual **Mayfair Arts Festival** happening May 9th in Sedalia, Missouri.

Mayfair is a growing, artist-focused event featuring juried fine artists and invited artisan crafters. There are no booth fees, and participating artists even receive a stipend for bringing their own tents. Our goal is to support working artists while creating a strong, engaging arts experience for the community.

NOTE: MMA owns a 10 x 10 EZ up tent available for use by members—it's in our storage building—see Jane Lankford to reserve use and access the storage unit.

<https://2026mayfair.artcall.org/>.

UCM Gallery of Art and Design—New Shows: Playing the Victim, a solo show by our own Andrea Shonna Simon, @andreashonna and Between Floorboards and Footprints, a solo show by Oklahoma based artist and educator, Cortney McConnell, @cortneymcconnell

Student Citation Awards Show coming up early March. Consider helping select recipients of the MMA Dorothy Hawksley Emerging Artist scholarship awards.

Blue Springs Fine Arts Show. March 21-22 - Entry forms available at [\(1\) blue springs art show - Search Results | Facebook](#)

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Susan Sanders Dillon Creek Studios on You Tube

Members—send your web site address to rlimback@iland.net to be listed here and on the web site.

Mid-Missouri Artists, Inc. Membership Application 2026

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RENEWAL

Name/s _____

Address: _____

E-mail _____

Telephone _____

Type of Membership (circle one)

Active Member \$20

Senior (age 62+) \$15

Active Member & Spouse \$25

Senior & spouse \$20

Family Membership \$30

Student (includes college) \$0

Send check along with this form to: Mid-Missouri Artists, P.O. Box 116, Warrensburg, MO 64093. Questions? Call Bill Wayne 660-624-4944.

Membership fees are due January 1. Members in good standing receive a monthly newsletter informing them of area art shows and results, MMA business, upcoming programs, workshops, and other activities. Members are also eligible to vote for executive **board** members and enter MMA art shows at a reduced rate. Members receive a 20% discount on art supplies at the UCM bookstore by showing a current membership card.

MMA Newsletters are available on the MMA website—you can always refer to them there!

**MMA Welcomes New Member
Ellen Sewell—Warrensburg**