



August 2020 Newsletter



*"Our mission is to cultivate, nurture and grow the arts
in our community by supporting local artists."*



Wentzville Parks and Recreation is thrilled to announce the development of Wentzville's Connection Theatre Company (Wentzville's CTC). Wentzville's CTC is founded on the idea of connections and driven by the hope of connecting Wentzville's residents to the world of theatre. Wentzville's CTC will offer opportunities to connect through classes, camps and productions for all ages that teach and develop the valuable skills of performing arts. Be on the lookout for more exciting announcements from Wentzville's CTC! [#WeAreWentzville](#)

Want to be involved? Volunteers will be needed soon. [Click here](#) to volunteer!!!

TALENT NEEDED...

seamstress, photographers, costume designers, prop and stage designers & builders, artists



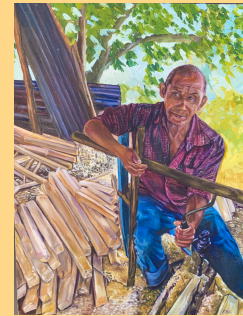
CAC Featured Artist of the month

Zaida Phillips-Mejia

Born and raised in the Dominican Republic, Zaida Mejia, later moved to the USA and today is a Saint Louis based artist.



Her love for art since early age, has created the artist that she is today. The pathways in her life have blended with her creativity and style.



Contact Zaida:

zmejia.painting.arts@gmail.com

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Zaida is now doing online classes for beginners and intermediate artists.

Interested in being a featured artist?

You must be a CAC member and send 4 images of your work with your contact information and short bio or artist statement to crossroadsartscouncil@gmail.com We will notify you when we will feature your artwork.



CAC Board News...

Have you checked out our new website yet????
www.crossroadsartscouncil.org

Volunteers are greatly needed for upcoming events - let's create some fun together....

Click [here](#) to volunteer

Our August 6th meeting was a great success with accommodations made for health concerns. We met new friends and made new community connections. Beautiful artwork was shared and new artists were encouraged to join upcoming

**CALL FOR ARTISTS
2ND ANNUAL ARTS & ALES
We have just**



a few artist spots left.

Click [here](#) for more information and application We will have tables, tent spaces, and interactive art demonstrations. This event is outdoors on the lawn of [Friendship Brewing Company](#) and offers plenty of space for social distancing.

Space is limited!! Application deadline Aug. 21st.

Stay tuned....a T-shirt Remix contest will begin soon!!!

Buy an Arts & Ales t-shirt and remix, recolor, bedazzle, batik, tie-dye, or just jazz it up. Details of contest and sample ideas will be coming your way soon.

Upcoming Events which will meet safety health concerns with enough spacing to allow for social distancing and use of masks:

- **Sept. 12th - Downtown Wentzville Scavenger Hunt**
- **Sept. 24 - 25th - "Arts and Ales" on the lawn of Friendship Brewing Company**
- **Oct. 1st - 3rd - "Pieces of the Heart" Quilt Show**
- **Oct. 10th - Linn Cemetery Tour**
- **Dec. 5th - Downtown Wentzville Holiday Home Tour**
- **Dec. 6th - Wentzville Christmas Parade**



Look for "**Wentzville Rocks**" table at Arts & Ales

Did you find a rock? Here's what to do: **Smile**

Join our city's kindness rocks project and help us spread kindness to unsuspecting recipients along the way.

To thank your rock's artist, post a picture of it to this page! We love hearing about our rocks being found. Feel free to hang onto the rock for a while, or re-hide it for someone else to find. It's fun to see the rock travel around. Would you like to get on the fun too? Everyone is welcome! You do not need to live in Wentzville to participate.



PIECES OF THE HEART 2020 QUILT SHOW

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Thursday, October 1st 11 am - 8 pm
Friday, October 2nd 11 am - 8 pm
Saturday, October 3rd 9 am - noon

WENTZVILLE COMMUNITY CLUB
500 West Main Street
Wentzville, MO 63385

www.crossroadsartscouncil.org
crossroadsartscouncil@gmail.com
[Facebook.com/CrossroadsArtsCouncil/](https://www.facebook.com/CrossroadsArtsCouncil/)

"Pieces of the Heart" Quilt show will again feature a **Quilt Challenge**

- \$5 for a fat quarter challenge quilt kit
- kits available at [Susie Q Quilting](#) - 119 w. Pierce St., Wentzville, MO 63385 -or -
- Contact Gigi at 636-497-5945 for kits and details

Mark your calendar for our upcoming quilt show **Oct. 1 - 3rd.**

click [here](#) for more information

**SAVE THE
DATE**

**Saturday
Sept. 12th**



Follow the clues to local businesses, historical sites, veterans' memorials and art murals. Bring the family to experience Wentzville in a new way. Special giveaways and discounts offered by participating businesses, along with a prize gift basket for the winner of the scavenger hunt!

PRESENTED BY:

**Crossroads Arts Council
Wentzville Community Historical Society
Wentzville Downtown Business Association**

Click [here](#) to view the Murals, Memorials & Historic Sites of Downtown Wentzville brochure and map

to fill a committee member vacancy.

This is a subcommittee to our Parks & Recreation Advisory Board and they are currently making selections for art hangings, looking for additional art in the city and creating policies and procedures for art in the community.

Click [here](#) to apply for this committee position.

Crossroads Arts Council | [Website](#)

