

# OAC

OCONOMOWOC ARTS CENTER



2026-2027



# On-Sale Dates

Our July and August Community Partner Events are  
**On Sale Now**

Our OAC Main Stage Events, OASD Events,  
and some Community Partner Events will go on sale

## Monday, July 20, 2026

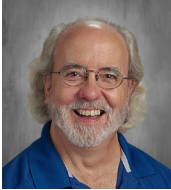
Our OAC Special Events and  
the rest of the Community Partner Events  
will go on sale on dates TBA.  
Contact the box office for more information.





641 East Forest Street  
Oconomowoc, WI 53066  
Box Office **262-560-3172**

[www.TheOAC.net](http://www.TheOAC.net)  
[info@TheOAC.net](mailto:info@TheOAC.net)



Can you believe this is my ninth season as the OAC director? Time really flies when you're having a blast!

Whether your interests lie in our Main Stage series, impactful Special Events, exciting Community Partner events, or the talents featured in the Oconomowoc Area School District shows and concerts, the OAC's 19th season has something sure to pique your curiosity. Plus, you can immerse yourself in art all year long with professional visual art exhibits in the OAC Lobby Art Gallery and student displays in the Imagine A Day Art Gallery.

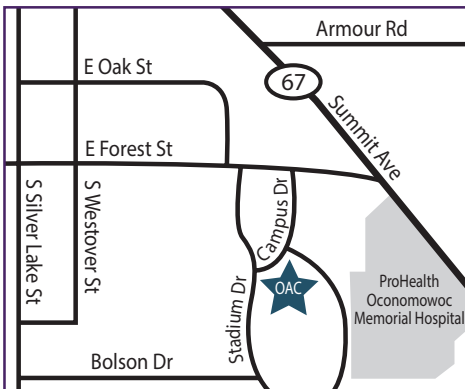
A heartfelt thank you to all the performers, artists, patrons, donors, students, volunteers, teachers, and staff. Your hard work, passion, and commitment are what allow us to provide high-quality programming for this remarkable and vibrant community!

John Cramer  
Director, Oconomowoc Arts Center



## MISSION STATEMENT

The Oconomowoc Arts Center mission is to provide patrons and artists of all ages, a professional, cultural, and educational experience with the highest quality programming opportunities possible.



The OAC is located at 641 East Forest Street and is part of the Oconomowoc High School campus. It is located in the south central part of Oconomowoc immediately west of ProHealth Oconomowoc Memorial Hospital, one block west of Summit Avenue (Hwy 67) which is the main north/south artery into the city.

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Alex Vrba  
as Dracula

Lauren Thompson  
as Mina Murray



# The Nutcracker

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the OAC box office

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[www.TheOAC.net](http://www.TheOAC.net)

**Tickets  
On Sale**  
*July 20th!*



Performance Dates:  
*December 4, 5, & 6, 2026*

BASED ON THE NOVEL "NUTCRACKER AND THE MOUSE KING"  
WRITTEN BY E.T.A. HOFFMANN ORIGINAL CHOREOGRAPHY BY EDDY BRAY AFTER MARIUS PETIPA

# OAC Info

No Food is permitted in the theaters except for beverages sold at the OAC concession stand, with the cap or cover on, or where allowed in the lobby area.

## Where Can I Sit?

All 759 seats in the Neudecker Main Stage Theater offer excellent views and acoustics. Our box office can be of service with any questions you may have.



The OAC Main Stage and Little Theater are ADA compliant, with accessibility available to everyone.

A limited number of wheelchair accessible seats and two oversized seats are available. Patrons should call the box office at 262-560-3172 and specify the need for accessible seating at the time of purchase. The number of accessible seats in the Little Theater may vary by event due to modular seating configurations.

The OAC features a convenient circle driveway for easy drop-off and parking near the main entrance. Access is safe and simple throughout the venue with wheelchair-accessible doors, step-free entry, and a gradual theater slope.

Hearing impaired patrons have FREE access to the OAC's FM assisted listening system. Call the box office ahead of time to reserve a device. Sign language interpretation and audio descriptive services may be arranged free of charge for eligible performances. To arrange these services, patrons must contact the box office at least four weeks before the performance, as availability depends on the provider.

The box office can answer any questions or aid with accessibility concerns.

## When To Arrive

It is recommended that patrons arrive approximately 20 minutes prior to the start of a performance. This allows for time to

park, check your coat (a free service at the OAC), use the restroom, and find your seat without feeling rushed.

## Late Arrivals

To be respectful of both the performers and other audience members, anyone arriving after the performance has begun will be seated only at a suitable break in the show, as determined by house management. Initially, latecomers may be seated at the back of the theater and may not be allowed to move to their assigned seats until intermission.

Seat selection may not be available for patrons purchasing tickets ½ hour prior to performances, and is at the discretion of the box office.

## Bringing Children

Patrons are discouraged from bringing any child younger than the age of 6 to performances, unless that particular performance is geared toward or appropriate for younger audiences.

Parents are encouraged to contact the box office for information about the appropriateness of a given performance for younger children.

Booster seats are available. Check with an usher for assistance, first come, first served.

**IF YOUR CHILDREN ATTEND A PERFORMANCE WITH YOU, A TICKET WILL NEED TO BE PURCHASED FOR THEM.**

This includes children of all ages, including infants and toddlers. PLEASE NOTE: Parents are responsible to supervise their children when in the theater and lobby. If your child is being disruptive or causing a distraction, please take them to the lobby and continue to enjoy the performance on the lobby monitor.

# Box Office

The Box Office is located in the lobby of the Oconomowoc Arts Center at 641 East Forest Street, Oconomowoc, WI 53066. The OAC is adjacent to Oconomowoc High School and is just west of ProHealth Oconomowoc Memorial Hospital.

## To Purchase Tickets

- In person during regular business hours and 90 minutes prior to curtain through intermission.
- Over the phone by calling 262-560-3172 during regular business hours and 90 minutes prior to curtain through intermission.
- Online at [www.TheOAC.net](http://www.TheOAC.net), 24/7 (online sales close 90 minutes prior to curtain).

## Payment/Processing

- In person at the box office: Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, Google Pay, Apple Pay, cash, and local checks accepted.
- Over the phone and online: Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and American Express accepted.
- All service fees and taxes are included in the price of the ticket.
- Mailing your order requires an additional postage and handling fee of \$2.50. Place your tickets at will call or have an e-ticket emailed to you for FREE. The box office will not mail tickets less than one week prior to the event.
- Full payment is required on all orders. **ALL SALES FINAL.** Sorry, no refunds.
- Exchanges are permitted 48 hours prior to event time subject to availability. Exchange must be for a ticket for the current season, or converted to a gift certificate, or added as a credit on your account.
- The OAC rarely cancels events due to weather related conditions.

## Putting Group Tickets On Hold

A group is defined by 10 or more patrons attending the same performance. If you are ordering tickets for a group and would like to have us hold your reservation for a later date, you may place the order with a **20% nonrefundable deposit** or a **nonrefundable order of 10 tickets** (whichever is greater) based on the group rate ticket price and the total number of tickets you would like to put on hold. When finalizing your group order you may do so over the phone or in person no later than six weeks prior to the date of the event. This offer is not available online and applies to group sales only.

*Holds do not apply to special events or any shows in the Little Theater.*

Occasionally there may be a misprint within this program guide. We will make every effort to correct the error as soon as possible. We reserve the right to change program schedules as needed to accommodate demand or building use conflicts.

## Ways To Save

The OAC offers discounted tickets for seniors ages 60 and older, military personnel, and youth ages 19 and younger (including infants and toddlers) attending age-appropriate performances. We also offer group rates for groups of 10 or more patrons attending the same performance.

These savings apply to OAC professional series shows and may not apply to district or community shows.

For more information call the box office at 262-560-3172 or visit [www.TheOAC.net](http://www.TheOAC.net)

## Box Office Hours

Monday - 9am to 2pm

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday -  
12pm to 5pm

Thursday - 4pm to 7pm

*In addition, the box office is open 90 minutes prior to an event through intermission.*

*Box office hours are subject to the OASD schedule and additional open and closed hours may occur.*

## Summer Hours:

Box office will be open Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from July 13 through Sunday, August 30.

The box office will be closed June 29 through Sunday, July 12 for maintenance.

## Contact The OAC:

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www.TheOAC.net

**Spotlight On The Arts**  
Sign up for our monthly ENewsletter, **Spotlight On The Arts**, and find out what's happening. Special offers and up to the minute details of events are just a few of the highlights. Contact the box office to be added to our distribution list.

## Rent the OAC!

The Oconomowoc Arts Center is a perfect setting for business meetings, conferences, seminars as well as performances such as recitals, theatrical events, and guest speakers. Please call John Cramer at 262-560-2130 for more information and scheduling a tour.

## Volunteer Opportunities

Support the OAC by giving your time and talents. Become an usher, join a committee (gala, art gallery, garden, or programming), or help us with a special project. Contact Event Staff Coordinator Sharon Milway, milways@oasd.org, or call the box office for more information or to join our team.

**TICKET DISCLAIMER** Tickets for all events at the OAC must be purchased exclusively through the official OAC website. The OAC does not partner with, sell through, or honor tickets obtained from any third-party vendors, resellers, or unauthorized websites. Purchases made outside the official OAC ticketing platform are not valid, and the OAC is not responsible for denied entry, additional charges, or fraudulent tickets resulting from third-party transactions

## Oconomowoc Arts Center Ticket Pricing Structure

Series	Regular	Groups (10 or more)	Seniors (60 and older) & Military Personnel	Youth (19 and younger)
Main Stage	\$39.00	\$33.00	\$34.00	\$18.00
A Man For All Seasons	\$49.00	\$43.00	\$44.00	\$25.00
Dinosaur Dimensions	\$21.00	\$18.00	\$18.00	\$15.00
Oconomowoc High School	\$21.00	\$18.00	\$21.00	\$18.00
Nature Hill Intermediate	\$14.00	\$12.00	\$14.00	\$12.00
Silver Lake Intermediate	\$14.00	\$12.00	\$14.00	\$12.00

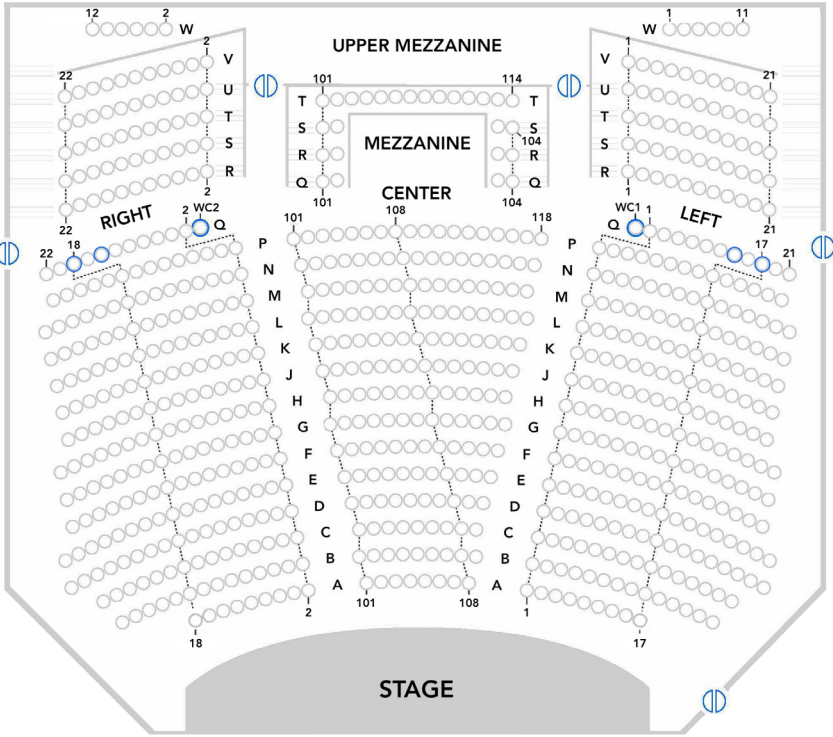
\*Patrons are discouraged from bringing any child younger than the age of 6. All patrons, including infants and toddlers, need a ticket.

For Community Partner Events and OAC Special Events ticket price information not listed above, visit [www.TheOAC.net](http://www.TheOAC.net) or call 262-560-3172.

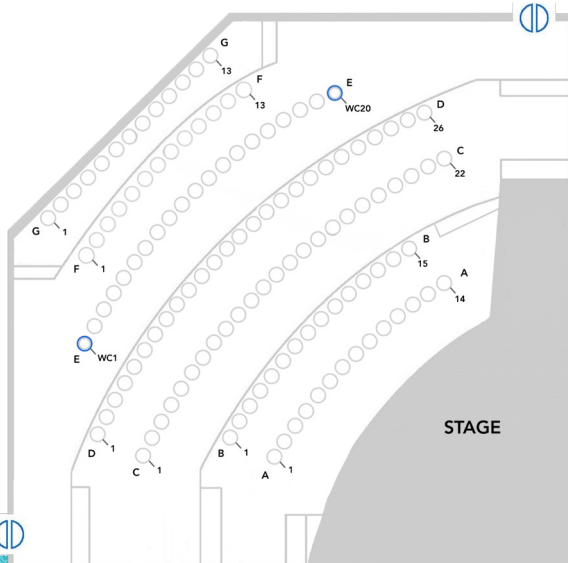
All OASD concerts are free to the public and begin at 7pm (subject to change).

# Seating

NEUDECKER MAIN STAGE SEATING



LITTLE THEATER



**SeatMap Key**

-  Exit/Entry
-  Accessible Seating



# Welcome to the Oconomowoc Area School District

In the Oconomowoc Area School District, the arts play a significant role in building and maintaining our vibrant schools and community. Investing in strong arts programs for our students and extending that investment into the community through the Oconomowoc Arts Center is just one of the ways we are working to become an unrivaled school district.

Through participation in the arts, our students learn about problem solving, effective communication in a group, creative and critical thinking skills, and develop a sense of belonging and connection. Knowing that the arts bring added value to learning and community, our district offers a wide range of opportunities to learn about and be involved in performance and visual arts.

Our curriculum includes art and music experiences beginning in 4K and continuing through grade 12. At our intermediate schools and Oconomowoc High School, students can select classes or clubs in the performing arts, a variety of bands, choirs, orchestras, and a wide range of visual and design arts. Musicals and theatrical productions are annual mainstays at our intermediate schools and high school and our students at these levels hold their performances at the Oconomowoc Arts Center. We're proud that the exploration of the arts available to our OASD students can pave a path to lifetime participation in community arts or the pursuit of excellence in professional work.

We thank each participant, patron, and supporter of the Oconomowoc Arts Center for embracing the arts and the vibrancy and enrichment they bring to our community.



# Joseph And The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat

● Community Partner Event | July 17-19, 2026

Believe in dreams with this popular, explosive, technicolor reimagining of the classic biblical tale presented by Oconomowoc Community Theatre.

When Joseph - the ultimate dreamer - is sold into slavery by his jealous brothers, he embarks on an epic journey of resilience that takes him from the depths of a dungeon to the glitz of Pharaoh's palace. Bursting with high-octane energy, this sung-through spectacular features a world-class score that jumps from country and calypso to bubblegum pop and Elvis-inspired rock 'n' roll. It's a kaleidoscopic celebration of forgiveness, family, and the courage it takes to follow your dreams.



Don't miss the chance to experience this legendary musical masterpiece—grab your tickets now and see why any dream will do!

### Tickets:

\$30 Regular | \$25 Senior (60 and older) | \$25 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$20 Teen (13 to 19) | \$15 Child (12 and younger)

**TICKETS ARE ON SALE NOW!**

## Did You Know?

The OAC sells gift certificates in any denomination and that they don't expire.



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# JULY

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>BOX OFFICE SUMMER HOURS</b> July 13-31 9AM-2PM Mondays 12PM-5PM Tuesdays 4PM-7PM Thursdays Closed July 1-12			1	2	3	4  <i>Independence Day</i>
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 <i>Imagine A Day</i> Art Gallery ArtLinks Exhibit Opening	14 OAC Emerging Artists Exhibit Opening	15	16	17 Joseph And The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat 7pm	18 Joseph And The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat 2pm & 7pm
19 Joseph And The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat 2pm	20 Tickets Go On Sale	21	22	23	24	25
OHS Marching Band Camp		OHS Drumline Camp and Jazz Band Camp		OHS Drumline Camp		
26	27	28	29	30	31	
OHS Marching Band Camp		OHS Marching Band Camp and Pit Orchestra Camp		OHS Marching Band Camp		

## Calendar Event Color Key

OAC Main Stage Series	OASD / OHS
OAC Special Events	NHI
Community Partner Events	SLI
Holidays	OAC Art Gallery
	Imagine A Day Art Gallery

# Kids From Wisconsin: America's Soundtrack - The Pulse Of A Nation

● Community Partner Event | August 16, 2026

Our country's fabric is interwoven with the sounds and rhythms of our unique music genres that continue to shape our identity and unite generations. Join Kids From Wisconsin in their 58th season as we honor the 250th anniversary of this great nation with America's great composers, songwriters, musicians, and instrumentalists.




Our show will salute their creativity, innovation, and unforgettable contributions to the world of music. From the smoky pulse of rhythm and blues to the soaring spirit of jazz, from the electric fire of rock and roll to the raw power of soul, and from chart-topping pop to timeless folk, country and classic Broadway, this live show - brought to life by Wisconsin's finest young performers - ignites the very heartbeat of American music. The show features singer/dancer Theo Gall of Oconomowoc, and woodwinds instrumentalist Ryan Keller of Delafield.

### Tickets:


\$20 Regular | \$15 Seniors (ages 60 and older) |  
\$10 OASD Staff and Students

**TICKETS ARE ON SALE NOW!**



## Wisconsin Philharmonic

*Waukesha County's Finest  
2026-2027 Season*



### *An Old World Christmas*

Sunday, December 13, 2026 at 3:00 pm  
featuring the choirs of Catholic Memorial High School, Brookfield Academy and Oconomowoc High School

Celebrate the Holidays in the charm of the Old World style, with a new trio of Waukesha County high school choirs and a garland of European season classics.

Waltzes and polkas of the Johann Strauss Family: *Thunder and Lightning, Dragonfly Polka, Morning Papers Waltzes, On the Beautiful Blue Danube*  
Lucas Richmann: *Hanukkah Festival Overture*  
Humperdinck: *Evening Prayer* and *Pantomime from Hansel and Gretel*  
John Finnegan: *A Christmas Sing-Along*  
Beethoven: "Hallelujah" Chorus  
Haydn: *The Heavens are Telling from The Creation*  
Franck: *Panis Angelicus; Psalm 150* ("Hallelujah")  
Handel: "Hallelujah" Chorus from *Messiah*

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### *Intrigue and Grandeur*

Sunday, April 25, 2027 at 3:00 pm

We bring our season to a rousing close with the world premiere of the *Concerto for Orchestra* by American Composer Russell Platt. We surround this arresting new *Concerto* with two other concertos, featuring two young American pianists. To begin, the dramatic first movement of Mendelssohn's sparkling *G-Minor Piano Concerto* with this year's winner of our Chapman Memorial Competition; and to finish, the grandeur of Rachmaninov's lush and romantic *Second Piano Concerto*, with a soloist who can truly make it sing—the young Russian-American Anthony Ratinov.



Anthony Ratinov



Maki Kojima

Mendelssohn: *Piano Concerto in G Minor*  
Russell Platt: *Concerto for Orchestra*  
Rachmaninov: *Piano Concerto No. 2*



# August

Sunday      Monday      Tuesday      Wednesday      Thursday      Friday      Saturday

<b>BOX OFFICE SUMMER HOURS</b> August 1-31 9am-2pm Mondays 12pm-5pm Tuesdays 4pm-7pm Thursdays						<b>1</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>
OHS Musical Theater Camp						
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>16</b> America's Soundtrack 2pm	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>
<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> OASD First Day Of School					



**August 15 and 16, 2026**  
10am to 5pm  
Outdoor in Beautiful Fowler Park  
Rain or Shine – Free Admission  
Shuttle buses to parking  
Over 100 juried Fine Artists  
Good Food & Music  
Three stages of family entertainment  
[www.oconomowocarts.org](http://www.oconomowocarts.org)

## Tribute To Celine Dion

● Main Stage Series | September 12, 2026

Hailed as the top live performing Celine tribute artist in the world, Elisa Furr explodes onto the stage with a passion and fervor unparalleled. With a magnetic stage presence and gorgeous, custom-made costumes, Elisa sails her way through an exciting set of Celine's greatest hits playing to the audience as if she were truly Celine up on that stage. Singing Celine's songs with intense passion, Elisa gets the crowds pumping with "Drove All Night," "Love Can Move Mountains," "I'm Alive," "The Power Of Love," "My Heart Will Go On," and so much more.



### Tickets:

\$39 Regular | \$34 Senior (60 and older) | \$34 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$33 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (19 and younger)

## The Imaginaries

● Main Stage Series | September 19, 2026

The Oklahoma-based, husband-and-wife duo blends Shane Henry's guitar-slinging blues-rock roots with vocalist/keyboardist Maggie McClure's boldly vulnerable singer-songwriter sensibility. The results are a pop-Americana aesthetic that evokes Tom Petty, Fleetwood Mac, The Civil Wars, and Bonnie Raitt. The Imaginaries have shared stages with Judy Collins, John Waite, The Gatlin Brothers, and Sixpence None the Richer. Their new album, *Fever*, is a blow-your-hair-back song collection, chock-full of gritty blues-rock riffs, mesmerizing vocal harmonies, driving pop-rock tunes, heartfelt singer-songwriter ballads, delicious guitar tones, and dazzling solos.



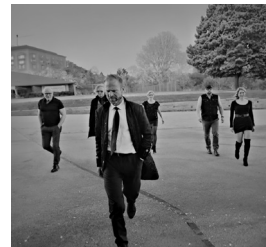
### Tickets:

\$39 Regular | \$34 Senior (60 and older) | \$34 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$33 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (19 and younger)

## JOE 2.0

● Main Stage Series | September 27, 2026

Founded in Milwaukee in 2011 by violinist Joseph Ketchum, JOE 2.0 uses intricately crafted analogue effects on the strings to emulate the sounds of electric guitar, keyboards, bass, horns, and more. It's like a rock band and orchestra had a baby, and they called it "JOE 2.0." Comprised of an electrified string quartet (two violins, a viola, and cello), plus drums and the inimitable vocals of original Cheap Trick lead singer, Xeno – this "Rocestra" creates a rock/pop sound with a symphonic power to it. JOE 2.0 performs original music and a wide variety of time-tested cover songs from many genres and eras, including The Beatles, The White Stripes, Gary Puckett, Antonio Vivaldi, Elvis, The Who, The Rolling Stones, David Bowie, Green Day, James Brown, and more.




### Tickets:

\$39 Regular | \$34 Senior (60 and older) | \$34 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$33 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (19 and younger)



# September

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1</b> Imagine A Day Art Gallery Donna Lexa Exhibit Opening	<b>2</b> OAC Art Gallery David Miller Exhibit Opening	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Labor Day 	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> Tribute To Celine Dion 7pm
<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> The Imaginaires 7pm
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> OHS Homecoming	<b>26</b> OHS Homecoming Dance
<b>27</b> JOE 2.0 2pm	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>BOX OFFICE HOURS</b> 9am-2pm Mondays 12pm-5pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays 4pm-7pm Thursdays 90 minutes prior to curtain through intermission Closed September 7		



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## Mutts Gone Nuts

● Main Stage Series | October 2, 2026

The Mutts Gone Nuts canine cabaret is a hilarious comedy show featuring world class stunt dogs and their humans. See several of the world's most talented four-legged performers, in an uproariously funny, comedy dog spectacular that is leaving audiences of all ages howling for more! The all-star lineup includes a Guinness World Record holder, and an America's Got Talent fan favorite, and a host of amazing rescue dogs that will dance, prance, flip, and skip their way right into your heart.



### Tickets:

\$39 Regular | \$34 Senior (60 and older) | \$34 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$33 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (19 and younger)

## Dracula The Ballet

● Community Partner Event | October 9-11, 2026

Darkness rises this fall as *Dracula The Ballet* returns to the Oconomowoc Arts Center for three thrilling performances. Presented by BrayBallet Co. in collaboration with MainStage Academy of Dance | School of Classical Ballet, this hauntingly beautiful production brings Bram Stoker's legendary tale to life through powerful choreography, dramatic storytelling, and breathtaking artistry. Featuring choreography by Artistic Director Eddy Bray and music by Philip Feeney and Jiri Skorplik, the production will also showcase special guest artists from the Madison Ballet Company alongside the dancers of MainStage Academy of Dance. Experience passion, mystery, and the supernatural in a theatrical ballet event perfect for the Halloween season.



### Tickets:

\$32 Regular | \$28 Youth (ages 5 to 19) | \$18 Child (4 and younger)

## TEDx Oconomowoc 2026

● Community Partner Event | October 17, 2026

Thirteen world class leaders with a variety of backgrounds from around the country have been assembled to provide you with a once in a lifetime journey of thought-provoking inspiration. An intimate setting of 100 guests will put you front and center to hear what each speaker has to share. This one-day event will begin with a morning session, break for lunch, and conclude with the afternoon session. Tickets provide each guest with the full day experience. Topics will vary by speaker and their interpretation of what freedom means to them and how it's applied in their professional and personal life. Attending the 2026 TedX Oconomowoc conference will provide you with the freedom of choice as you are exposed to a wide variety of topics, ideas, and meaning.

### Tickets:

Call the box office for information.



# October

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<b>BOX OFFICE HOURS</b> 9am-2pm Mondays 12pm-5pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays 4pm-7pm Thursdays 90 minutes prior to curtain through intermission				1	2 Mutts Gone Nuts 7pm	3
4	5	6	7	8	9 Dracula 7pm	10 Dracula 2pm & 7pm
11 Dracula 2pm	12	13	14	15	16	17 TEDx Oconomowoc 2026 10am-4pm
18	19 Imagine A Day Art Gallery OHS Art Student Exhibit Opening	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 OHS / NHI / SLI Band Concert*	27 OHS Choir Concert *	28 NHI / SLI Choir Concert *	29	30	31  Halloween

\*All OASD concerts are free to the public and begin at 7pm (subject to change)



# Grease

● OASD | Oconomowoc High School | November 13-21, 2026

Grease is the word! It's 1959, and Rydell High's senior class is ready to rule the school. Bad-boy Danny Zuko and sweet new-girl-in-town Sandy Dumbrowski just shared a summer romance. Now they return to the halls of the high school for their senior year. Along with his friends, Danny is stealing hubcaps and racing cars, while Sandy is adopted into the Pink Ladies. Together, they must navigate friendships, romance, and peer pressure. Find your saddle shoes, put on your poodle skirt, and dance in the aisles to "Greased Lightnin'," "We Go Together," "Hopelessly Devoted To You," and "Sandy."



### Tickets:

\$21 Regular (ages 20 and over) |

\$18 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (ages 19 and younger)

## Did You Know?

The OAC is now in its 19th season. The first show was OHS Players' production of *A Christmas Carol* in December 2008. In 18 seasons the OAC has been home to 250 professional series shows, 15 film showings, 150 community partner shows, 56 OHS shows, 13 NHI shows, 13 SLI shows, 250 OASD concerts, and 270 visual art exhibits. More than 300,000 people have enjoyed the arts at the OAC as directors, designers, performers, stagehands, volunteers, visual artists, educators, students, and audience members.



Oconomowoc Public Education Foundation



Since 2007, OPEF has provided funding for new technology, innovative curriculum, and improved student programming in the Oconomowoc schools. Donate today to be a part of the legacy of giving to our schools!



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# November

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8	9 OAC Art Gallery WCAL Exhibit Opening	10	11	12	13 Grease 7pm	14 Grease 7pm
15 Grease 2pm	16	17	18	19	20 Grease 7pm	21 Grease 7pm
22	23	24	25	26  Thanksgiving Day	27	28
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Thanksgiving Break						



## The Nutcracker

● Community Partner Event | December 4-6, 2026

Celebrate the magic of the holiday season as The Nutcracker returns to the OAC for its 17th spectacular year! Follow Clara on a breathtaking Christmas Eve adventure filled with dazzling dances, an epic battle between soldiers and mice, the sparkling Land of Snow, and the enchanting Kingdom of Sweets featuring the Sugar Plum Fairy and a colorful cast of dancers from around the world. With unforgettable music by Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky, stunning choreography by Eddy Bray after Marius Petipa and Lev Ivanov, and timeless holiday magic, The Nutcracker is a cherished tradition for audiences of all ages. Reserve your seats today and make The Nutcracker part of your holiday tradition!



### Tickets:

\$32 Regular | \$28 Youth (ages 5 to 19) | \$18 Child (4 and younger)

## The Wisconsin Philharmonic – An Old World Christmas

● Community Partner Event | December 13, 2026

In their annual holiday tradition, the Wisconsin Philharmonic invites the choirs of Catholic Memorial High School, Brookfield Academy, and Oconomowoc High School to celebrate the Holidays in the charm of the Old World style, with a garland of European season classics by Strauss, Richmann, Beethoven, Haydn, Franck, and Handel.



### Tickets:

\$46 Regular | \$41 Senior (60 and older) | \$41 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$40 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (ages 19 and younger)

## Christmas With Lorie Line

● Community Partner Event | December 18, 2026

The Queen of the Piano returns, bringing good news and joy with her concert grand piano. Ms. Line just released her 67th album, has been touring for 37 years, and shares all the favorite hits of her Christmas career and delightful sentimental stories. Most known for her "mashup medley," be ready to shout out your favorite song request as she spontaneously plays audience requests.



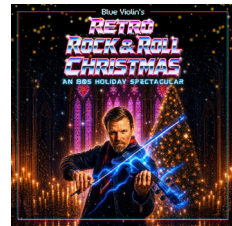
### Tickets:

\$70 Regular | \$65 Group (10 or more)

## Blue Violin's Retro Rock & Roll Christmas

● Community Partner Event | December 19, 2026

After sold-out performances around the world violin sensation Blue Violin returns with the 4th Annual Retro Rock & Roll Christmas Tour — an electrifying holiday spectacular blending the energy of an 80s arena rock show with the magic of Christmas. Featuring a live rock band, soaring choir, and unforgettable violin performances, this cinematic production reimagines Christmas classics alongside the music of legendary artists like Michael Jackson, Bon Jovi, Van Halen, Bruce Springsteen, Kate Bush, Wham!, Tears for Fears, and more.




### Tickets:

\$57 VIP Experience | \$42 Premium Experience | \$32 Standard Experience  
\$15 Youth (ages 6 to 18) | FREE Children (ages 5 and younger)

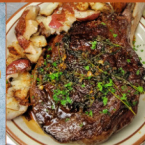


# December

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		1	2	3	4 The Nutcracker 7pm	5 The Nutcracker 2pm & 7pm
6 The Nutcracker 2pm	7	8	9 OHS Band Concert *	10 OHS Orchestra Concert *	11	12
13 WI Philharmonic 3pm	14	15	16 OHS Choir Concert *	17	18 Lorie Line 7pm	19 Blue Violin 7pm
20	21	22	23	24	25  Christmas Day	26
Winter Break						
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# Bringing the magic of live performing arts to young people and their families

By Rebecca Seymour

What do crazy talented canine companions and gigantic, pre-historic animatronic dinosaurs have in common? They are just a taste of the magic to be discovered through the imaginative, family-friendly shows offered at the Oconomowoc Arts Center this season!

The OAC was built nearly 20 years ago to celebrate the arts and provide a state-of-the-art venue for the students of the Oconomowoc Area School District, and the communities of greater Oconomowoc and Lake Country area. Our exceptional performing and visual arts programming introduces and connects kids and their families with the wonders of the stage through live music, dance, theater, and engaging artistry.



## Mutts Gone Nuts – Unleashed!

Who let the dogs out? We did! Get ready for a doggone hilarious comedy show as *Mutts Gone Nuts* featuring world-class stunt dogs and their humans raise the woof and take over the OAC's Main Stage at 7pm Friday, October 2, 2026.

See eight of the world's most talented four-legged performers, in an uproariously funny, comedy dog spectacular that is leaving audiences of all ages howling for more! From shelters to showbiz, these pawisitively amazing mutts unleash havoc and hilarity in a breathtaking, action-packed show.

The all-star lineup includes an America's Got Talent fan favorite, and a host of amazing rescue dogs that will dance, prance, flip, and skip their way right into your heart.

Comedy duo Scott and Joan Houghton have been bringing their unique blend of physical comedy and circus arts to audiences from Las Vegas to Tokyo for more than 40 years. In 2005, the duo turned their attention to creating a comedy dog act. Their amazing canine partners are all adopted from animal shelters and rescues. *Mutts Gone Nuts* is sure to unleash havoc and hilarity as the Houghtons attempt to match wits with their mischievous mutts in a family-friendly performance that surely deserves a round of a-paws!

October is dedicated as Adopt a Shelter Dog Month, a nationwide initiative to encourage the rescue of the millions of dogs in shelters needing loving homes. Stay tuned for more information about how you can help our local animal shelter!

For more information visit [www.muttsgonenuts.com](http://www.muttsgonenuts.com) and [www.facebook.com/MuttsGoneNuts](https://www.facebook.com/MuttsGoneNuts).





### Dinosaur Dimensions: Expedition!

Imagine the excitement of getting to meet realistic dinosaurs up close and personal! The Dinosaur Dimensions: Expedition! show will roar to life on the Oconomowoc Arts Center's Main Stage at 7pm Friday, January 8, 2027.

Get ready for a roaring, jaw-dropping adventure that brings dinosaurs to life like never before! Dinosaur Dimensions: Expedition! is a state-of-the-art, immersive live performance that combines cutting-edge animatronics, dazzling visuals, and high-energy storytelling for the ultimate family-friendly experience.

Watch in awe as an eight-foot-tall Dilophosaurus roams freely through the stage area, while a massive 24-foot-long Brachiosaurus neck dramatically emerges from backstage. The Jurassic-sized adventure continues with five additional dinosaur animatronics, including puppets, over-the-shoulder dinos, and walking creatures that place the audience right in the middle of the action.

Set inside a vibrant, elaborate "Jungle Laboratory," the show features colorful scenery packed with props, foliage, multimedia elements, and special effects paired with thrilling science experiments. Professor Curt Courteous and his crew will lead audiences through a fast-paced, high-energy storyline, complete with a robotic dinosaur that moves on its own and interactive moments that keep everyone on the edge of their seats.

Perfect for dino-lovers of all ages - this is one expedition you won't want to miss!

For more information visit [www.dinosaurdimensions.com](http://www.dinosaurdimensions.com) and [www.facebook.com/DinosaurDimensions](https://www.facebook.com/DinosaurDimensions).

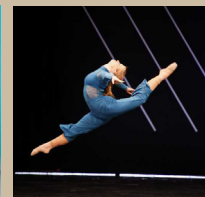
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# John McGivern returns to the OAC's Main Stage in *A Man For All Seasons*

By Rebecca Seymour



It has been four seasons since popular Milwaukee TV and radio personality, prolific actor on stage and screen, and all-around nice guy, John McGivern has graced the Oconomowoc Arts Center's Main Stage and we're just so happy he's back with his hilarious, new show – *A Man For All Seasons* at 7pm Saturday, May 15, 2027.

Best known for his Emmy Award-winning work on PBS, as well as his personal and funny one-man theatrical productions, McGivern is back with a collection of stories that humorously examine Spring, Summer, Fall and Winter, but also the seasons of our lives. Spring, the season of birth and new life and anticipation. Summer, the season of sun and long days and rapid growth. Fall, the season of sepia-colored moments that turn into lifetime memories. Winter, the season of retrospect and quiet shades of white with long, cold, dark nights. And throughout the whole year? Laughter and humor that make time fly!

This is the eighth time the Oconomowoc Arts Center has welcomed McGivern to its Main Stage as sold-out audiences can't seem to get enough of his personal anecdotes and quirky reflections on bygone days and relatable experiences growing up in Wisconsin.

McGivern's other one-man shows *The Early Years Of John McGivern*, *A Midsummer Night McGivern*, and *Home For The Holidays* tell stories of being the third born of six kids in a working-class Irish Catholic family in Milwaukee. And of course, his other well-known shows, *A Kodachrome Christmas* and *The Wonder Bread Years* are always a delight.

For the last five seasons *John McGivern's Main Streets* destination travel show takes his unique style of storytelling throughout the Midwest. Through lively interviews with local residents and civic leaders, McGivern and his team uncover the uniqueness and charm of each community they visit.

Of course, the residents of Oconomowoc will never forget when their own main street and community were featured in an episode of his Emmy Award-winning work *Around The Corner With John McGivern* in March 2014.

"I'm excited to come back to the Oconomowoc Arts Center," said McGivern. "Part of my excitement is based on my history in the building and how great the total experience has always been. The staff is always helpful, welcoming, and professional and I feel taken care of. The best thing about Oconomowoc is the audience. They always show up and are always so generous. I look forward to returning – it's going to be a great show!"

For more information visit [www.johnmcgivern.com](http://www.johnmcgivern.com) and [www.mainstreets.tv](http://www.mainstreets.tv).



## Dinosaur Dimensions

● Main Stage Series | January 8, 2027

Imagine the excitement of getting to meet realistic dinosaurs up close and personal! The show features exclusive and BIG dinosaurs that can only be seen in this massive production. Dinosaur Dimensions offers an amazing collection of realistic puppets and full-sized gigantic dinosaur animatronics, immersive live visuals, spectacular special effects, and high-energy storytelling to create the ultimate, family-friendly, pre-historic experience like no other. Meet the eight-foot-tall Dilophosaurus who runs loose across the stage, a 24-foot-long Brachiosaurus that emerges from backstage, and other animatronic puppet dinosaurs, all in an elaborate “Jungle Laboratory” full of color and foliage. Perfect for dino-loving fans of all ages!



### Tickets:

\$21 Regular | \$18 Senior (ages 60 and older)  
\$18 Group (10 or more) | \$15 Youth (ages 19 and younger)

## DURAN DECADE

● Main Stage Series | January 9, 2027

DURAN DECADE was born from a shared obsession to recreate the Duran Duran concert experience with absolute fidelity. The Milwaukee-based tribute band brings the neon-soaked romance of the 1980s to modern stages. Whether it's the driving bass of John Taylor or the atmospheric synths of Nick Rhodes, every element is crafted to perfection. DURAN DECADE's artists are a who's who from award-winning bands like Bon Ton Society, Life Underground, London USA, Mirage, and Modern Art. Each member helps recreate the sound, visual polish, and musical atmosphere that fans expect from a premium 1980s concert experience.



### Tickets:

\$39 Regular | \$34 Senior (60 and older) | \$34 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$33 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (19 and younger)

## Studio One Dance Company Winter Showcase

● Community Partner Event | January 10, 2027

Studio One Dance Company presents a fun show for their students to share all they have learned during the fall classes. Ticket prices and on-sale date will be announced in late 2026.



## OHS Student Directed Play

● OASD | Oconomowoc High School | January 28-30, 2027

Two OHS Players take over the directorial reigns to select, cast, design, publicize, and ultimately direct their own theatrical production! Over the course of the summer, fall, and winter of 2026 – these two talented seniors prepare by pouring over hundreds of plays in order to find the title that is a perfect fit for this traditional mid-winter favorite!



### Tickets:

\$21 Regular (ages 20 and older) | \$18 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (ages 19 and younger)



# January

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<b>BOX OFFICE HOURS</b> 9am-2pm Mondays 12pm-5pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays 4pm-7pm Thursdays 90 minutes prior to curtain through intermission Closed January 1					1 <b>New Year's Day</b> 	2
					Winter Break	
3	4	5	6	7	8 Dinosaur Dimensions 7pm	9 DURAN DECADE 7pm
Winter Break						
10 Studio One Winter Showcase 12pm	11	12	13	14 Imagine A Day Art Gallery SLI Art Exhibit Opening	15	16
17	18 OAC Art Gallery Reflection And Projection Exhibit Opening	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28 OHS Student Directed 7 pm	29 OHS Student Directed Staff & Student Show 3:30pm OHS Student Directed 7pm	30 OHS Student Directed 2pm and 7pm
31						



## Disney's Beauty And The Beast JR.

● OASD | Silver Lake Intermediate School | February 11-13, 2027

A tale as old as time, *Disney's Beauty And The Beast JR.* tells the story of Belle, a courageous young woman from a provincial town, and the Beast, a young prince trapped under the spell of an enchantress. The Beast must learn to love and be loved in return, otherwise he and his household will be doomed for all eternity. *Disney's Beauty And The Beast JR.* is based on the Academy Award-winning motion picture and the Broadway production that ran for over 13 years and was nominated for nine Tony Awards. The musical features the most memorable songs from the film, including "Gaston," "Be Our Guest," and "Beauty And The Beast," and additional songs written for the Broadway show, including "Home" and "Human Again." Come be our guest for this story of tolerance, redemption, and the transformative power of love.



### Tickets:

\$14 Regular (20+) | \$12 Group (10+) | \$12 Youth (19 and younger)

## Disney's Mary Poppins JR.

● OASD | Nature Hill Intermediate School | February 25-27, 2027

NHI is ready to "Step In Time" as they take the stage to perform Disney and Cameron Mackintosh's *Mary Poppins JR.* The production combines the classic story by P. L. Travers, Disney's beloved music from the movie, and the thrill of the Broadway stage version to take our audience to new heights. The show combines the classic songs "Let's Go Fly A Kite," "Feed The Birds," and "A Spoonful Of Sugar" with new ones like "Practically Perfect." We hope you will join us as NHI students sing, dance, and act through the streets and skies of London. It is sure to be a performance that audiences will believe is Supercalifragilisticexpialidocious!



### Tickets:

\$14 Regular (20+) | \$12 Group (10+) | \$12 Youth (19 and younger)





# February

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 Beauty And The Beast JR. School Shows	11 SLI Beauty And The Beast JR. 7pm	12 SLI Beauty And The Beast JR. 7pm	13 SLI Beauty And The Beast JR. 2pm and 7pm
14 Valentine's Day 	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22 Imagine A Day Art Gallery NHI Art Exhibit Opening	23	24 NHI Mary Poppins JR. School Shows	25 NHI Mary Poppins JR. 7pm	26 NHI Mary Poppins JR. 7pm	27 NHI Mary Poppins JR. 2pm and 7pm
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\* All OASD concerts are free to the public and begin at 7 pm (subject to change)



Past SLI and NHI Shows



## Six Appeal

● Main Stage Series | March 5, 2027

Six Appeal is a world-class vocal ensemble with vibrant energy and dynamic blend. They are two-time global champions of the genre after competing against nearly 200 groups from 26 different countries! Six Appeal has collaborated with Andy Grammer, Michael McDonald, Kenny Loggins, and Thundercat, and they continue to redefine what it means to create music using only the human voice. Get ready to groove when Six Appeal's vocal harmonies take center stage.



### Tickets:

\$39 Regular | \$34 Senior (60 and older) | \$34 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$33 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (19 and younger)

## Uptown – A Celebration Of Motown And Soul

● Main Stage Series | March 14, 2027

Fusing Bruno Mars-caliber stage presence with top-tier vocals and wall-to-wall choreography, the men of Uptown combine smooth R&B with fresh hits. The group exudes unparalleled energy with their blend of contemporary radio hits and classic Motown music. Each member of Uptown is a world-class soloist, with frequent comparisons to the artistry of icons like Stevie Wonder, Marvin Gaye, Earth Wind & Fire, Prince, The Temptations, and more.



### Tickets:

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# March

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	1	2	3	4 OHS Band Concert *	5 Six Appeal 7pm	6
7	8	9	10 OHS / NHI / SLI Orchestras Concert *	11	12	13 WSMA District Festival
14 Uptown 2pm	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day	18	19	20 Spring Break
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Spring Break						

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## OAC Annual Gala

● OAC Special Event | April 3, 2027

Save The Date!

OAC's annual gala is not only a great opportunity to support the arts but it is also a super fine and excessively fun night! This year we will be celebrating at The Red Circle Inn in Nashotah.

### Tickets:

Contact the OAC for ticket information, including Early Bird discounts.



## OHS Players' Spring Show

● OASD | April 15-17, 2027

The OHS Players have not chosen a spring play yet, but it is sure to be spectacular so save the date!

### Tickets:

\$21 Regular (ages 20 and older) | \$18 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (ages 19 and younger)



## The Wisconsin Philharmonic – Intrigue And Grandeur

● Community Partner Event | April 25, 2027

Bringing their season to a rousing close with the world premiere of the "Concerto For Orchestra" by American composer Russell Platt, they surround this arresting new concerto with two other concertos, featuring two young American pianists. To begin, the dramatic first movement of Mendelssohn's sparkling "G-Minor Piano Concerto" with this year's winner of their Chapman Memorial Competition, Maki Kojima; and to finish, the grandeur of Rachmaninov's lush and romantic "Second Piano Concerto," with a soloist who can truly make it sing—the young Russian-American Anthony Ratnov.



### Tickets:

\$46 Regular | \$41 Senior (60 and older) | \$41 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$40 Group (10 or more) | \$18 Youth (ages 19 and younger)



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# April

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<b>BOX OFFICE HOURS</b> 9am-2pm Mondays 12pm-5pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays 4pm-7pm Thursdays 90 minutes prior to curtain through intermission				1	2	3 OAC Annual Gala
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 Imagine A Day Art Gallery OASD Elementary ARTRAGEOUS Exhibit Opening	13	14	15 OHS Spring Show 7pm	16 OHS Spring Show 3:30pm & 7pm	17 OHS Spring Show 2pm & 7pm
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25 Intrigue And Grandeur 3pm	26	27	28	29	30	



OHS PAST SHOWS

## TTP Academy

● Community Partner Event | May 1, 2027

A spectacular showcase of dances which includes classical ballet, pointe, jazz, tap, contemporary, hip hop and rhythms combo, all the way to our youngest Petite Feet ballet and tap combo classes. Ticket prices and on sale date will be announced in early 2026.



## Studio One Dance Company

● Community Partner Event | May 8, 2027

Studio One Dance Company presents their annual showcase and recital for students to share all they have learned over the year. Ticket prices and on sale date will be announced in early 2026.



## John McGivern's A Man For All Seasons

● Main Stage Series | May 15, 2027

To know John McGivern is to love him and we're just so happy he's once again gracing the OAC's Main Stage next spring in *A Man For All Seasons*. Best known for his Emmy Award-winning work on PBS, as well as his personal and funny one-man shows, McGivern is back with a collection of stories that humorously examine Spring, Summer, Fall, and Winter, but also the seasons of our lives. And throughout the whole year? Laughter and humor that make time fly!



### Tickets:

\$49 Regular | \$44 Senior (60 and older) | \$44 Military Personnel (with ID)  
\$43 Group (10 or more) | \$25 Youth (19 and younger)

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# May

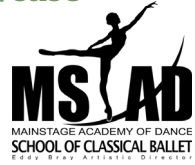
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<b>BOX OFFICE HOURS</b> 9am-2pm Mondays 12pm-5pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays 4pm-7pm Thursdays 90 minutes prior to curtain through intermission Closed May 29 through 31						<b>1</b> TTP Academy 11am & 4pm OHS Prom
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> OHS Choir Concert *	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> Studio One Dance Recital Times 1:30 pm and 6:00 pm
<b>9</b> Mother's Day 	<b>10</b> OAC Art Gallery Ordinary Legends Exhibit Opening	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> OHS Orchestra Concert *	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> OHS Band Concert *	<b>15</b> John McGivern's A Man For All Seasons 7pm
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> OHS Choir Senior Honors Night *	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> Imagine A Day Art Gallery OHS Student Exhibit Opening	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Holiday Break
<b>30</b>	<b>31</b> Memorial Day 	Holiday Break				

\* All OASD concerts are free to the public and begin at 7pm (subject to change)

## MainStage Academy Of Dance Spring Showcase

● Community Partner Event | June 13, 2027

An inspiring celebration of artistry, growth, and achievement as the students of MainStage Academy of Dance take the stage for their 2027 Spring Recital! Proudly celebrating over 20 years of impacting lives through the art of classical ballet, this special performance showcases the dedication, discipline, and progress of MSAD students trained in the renowned Vaganova Method. Audiences will enjoy an uplifting afternoon of dance featuring classical ballet, character work, and contemporary repertoire performed by dancers from beginning through advanced pre-professional levels.



### Tickets:

\$25 Regular (ages 20 and older) | \$22 Group (10 or more)

## 5678 Dance! Studio

● Community Partner Event | June 17-19, 2027

5678 Dance! Studio, located here in Oconomowoc, proudly presents their annual show, filled with dancers ages 3 and older. They will showcase all they have learned and perfected during the year. Ticket prices and on-sale date will be announced in early 2026.



## Elation Dance Center

● Community Partner Event | June 26-27, 2027

Enjoy music and dancing from Elation Dance Center's dancers ages 2.5 to 18 in ballet, pointe, jazz, tap, contemporary, and hip hop. Fun for the whole family! Ticket prices and on-sale date will be announced in early 2026.



## Did You Know?

The OAC has had nine gala fundraisers raising more than \$133,000. Funds have been used to repair, replace, or purchase items ranging from microphones to a digital light board, audio software to intelligent lighting instruments, theater seating to musician seating to toddler booster seats, and much, much more!



## Did You Know?

Oconomowoc is derived from a Potawatomi Native American term and translates to "Where the waters meet" or "gathering of the waters." Pretty fitting for Lake Country.



# June

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1</b> Girl Scouts Of Wisconsin Southeast Awards Ceremony	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b> OASD Last Day Of School	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> OHS Graduation
<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>13</b> MSAD Spring Showcase 2pm	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> 5678 Dance! Recital 6pm	<b>18</b> 5678 Dance! Recital 6pm	<b>19</b> 5678 Dance! Recital 10am, 2pm, and 6pm <b>Juneteenth</b>
<b>20</b>  Father's Day	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> Elation Dance Recital 1pm and 6pm
<b>27</b> Elation Dance Recital 1pm	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>BOX OFFICE HOURS</b> 9am-2pm Mondays 12pm-5pm Tuesdays, Wednesdays, & Fridays 4pm-7pm Thursdays 90 minutes prior to curtain through intermission Closed June 28 through 30	



# Keeping The Legends Alive

## *Experience the Magic of Celine Dion and Duran Duran Tribute Bands on the OAC Main Stage*

By Rebecca Seymour

Over the years, amazing tribute bands have performed in front of sold-out crowds, striking a chord in the hearts of Oconomowoc Arts Center audiences of all ages. These groups are passionate about offering fans nostalgic experiences that recreate the emotions connected to seeing their idols perform live on stage.

The popularity of tribute acts speaks to their ability to deeply resonate with audiences. They serve as conduits for reliving beloved musical memories, while introducing timeless hits to new generations – ultimately celebrating the timeless power of really great live music.

### **Elisa Furr as Celine Dion – Hearing is Believing**

Hailed as the top live performing Celine Dion tribute artist in the world, Elisa Furr explodes onto the OAC's Main Stage with a passion and fervor unparalleled at 7pm Saturday, September 12, 2026.



With a magnetic stage presence and gorgeous, custom-made costumes, Elisa channels the emotional depth and technical brilliance that transformed Celine Dion into an icon. Singing Celine's songs with intense passion, Elisa gets the crowds pumping with "Drove All Night," "Love Can Move Mountains," "I'm Alive," "The Power Of Love," "My Heart Will Go On," and so much more.

Elisa Furr was the winner of Powerhouse Vocals on the first season of Jimmy Fallon's Clash of the Cover Bands reality music competition series on the E! Network in 2021. Renowned as one of the most impressive Celine Dion tribute artists performing anywhere, Furr then took the stage in the "Legendary Divas" version of "Legends In Concert" at the Tropicana in Las Vegas.

The performer's other credits include cruise ship headliner, TV and film music composer, radio and TV voiceover, singer, voice coach, songwriter, Pro tools and Logic audio engineer, and MTV dancer. With over 30 years of professional stage experience, Elisa has mastered the tone, range, and emotion that define Celine's sound.

For more information visit [www.tributetocelinedion.com](http://www.tributetocelinedion.com) and [www.facebook.com/tributetocelinedion](https://www.facebook.com/tributetocelinedion).



## DURAN DECADE

*The ultimate tribute to Duran Duran -  
Relive the decade of decadence!*

DURAN DECADE was born from a shared obsession to recreate the Duran Duran concert experience with absolute fidelity. The Milwaukee-based tribute band brings the neon-soaked romance of the 1980s to the OAC's Main Stage at 7pm Saturday, January 9, 2027.

They don't just play the notes. Known for their meticulous attention to detail, this tribute act captures the tone, the gear, the fashion, and the swagger that made the Fab Five legends.

Whether it's the driving bass of John Taylor or the atmospheric synths of Nick Rhodes, every element is crafted to perfection. Covering their music catalog from the early days to recent hits, DURAN DECADE has faithfully re-created the songs you love, presenting an upbeat concert-style event you won't want to miss!

DURAN DECADE's artists are a who's who from Wisconsin's award-winning bands like Bon Ton Society, Sweet Tarts, Life Underground, London USA, Mirage and Modern Art. Each member helps recreate the sound, visual polish, and musical atmosphere that fans expect from a premium 1980s arena concert experience.

Get ready to dance and sing along to the iconic Duran Duran hits, like "Night Boat," "The Wild Boys," "Rio," "Hungry Like The Wolf," "Notorious," "A View To A Kill," "Come Undone," and "Girls On Film" mixed with later hits, aiming for a high-energy "best of" experience.

For more information visit [www.durantributeband.com](http://www.durantributeband.com), [www.facebook.com/DecadeBandMKE](https://www.facebook.com/DecadeBandMKE), and [www.youtube.com/DURANDECADEBAND](https://www.youtube.com/DURANDECADEBAND).



# Visual Arts

The OAC is proud to have a full season of visual arts programming. These events are open to the public, free of charge and available for viewing during regular box office hours, 90 minutes prior to show times, and while shows are in progress. Exhibits are located in the OAC lobby area, including both the north and south hallways. For more information, please call the box office at 262-560-3172.

## OAC Lobby Art Gallery

featuring local, regional, and national professional artists.

**Exhibit Dates Are Subject To Change.**

Call the box office to confirm dates and times.

### *Emerging Artists*

Artists: Recent OHS Art Student Graduates

July 14 to August 17, 2026



### *David Miller*

Artist: David Miller

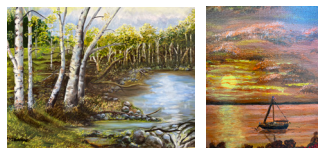
September 2 to October 26, 2026



### *Waukesha Creative Arts League*

Artists: Waukesha Creative Arts League members

November 9, 2026 to January 10, 2027



### *Celebrating 15 Years at the OAC: Reflection and Projection*

Artists: Heidi Hallett, John Hallett, Anne Raskopf

January 18 to March 14, 2027



### *Oconomowoc High School IB / AP Student Exhibit*

Artists: OHS IB / AP Art Students

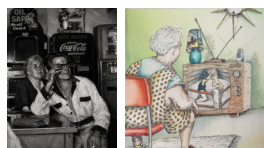
March 30 to April 24, 2027



### *Ordinary Legends*

Artist: Anjl Rodee

May 10 to June 28, 2027



# Imagine A Day

## Imagine A Day Art Gallery featuring local student artists.

*Exhibit Dates Are Subject To Change.*  
Call the box office to confirm dates and times.

### *ArtLinks*

Artists: ArtLinks / ACAP members  
July 13 to August 17, 2026



### *Donna Lexa*

Artists: Donna Lexa members  
September 1 to October 11, 2026



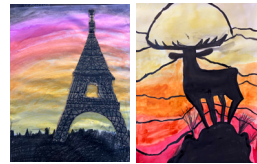
### *Oconomowoc High School Student Exhibit*

Artists: OHS Students  
October 19, 2026 to January 10, 2027



### *Silver Lake Intermediate Student Exhibit*

Artists: SLI Students  
January 14 to February 13, 2027



### *Nature Hill Intermediate Student Exhibit*

Artists: NHI Students  
February 22 to April 3, 2027



### *Artrageous Student Exhibit*

Artists: OASD Elementary School Students  
April 12 to May 17, 2027



### *Oconomowoc High School Student Exhibit*

Artists: OHS Students  
May 27 to June 27, 2027



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All of our partners are also featured on the OAC's website at [www.TheOAC.net](http://www.TheOAC.net) with links to their own website, enjoying higher visibility and exposure to their business.

If interested, contact John Cramer at [cramerj@oasd.org](mailto:cramerj@oasd.org) or 262-560-2130.

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[facebook.com/The Happy Place](http://facebook.com/TheHappyPlace)  
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**Johnny Pizzas And Pastaria:** 1288 North Summit Avenue Unit 101,  
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**Rocky Rococo Pizza & Pasta:** 1075 Summit Avenue, Oconomowoc |  
262-569-7500 | [rockyroco.com](http://rockyroco.com)  
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