



HANSEN MUSEUM 3RD QUARTER NEWSLETTER

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2024

UPCOMING EVENTS, CLASSES, AND EXHIBITS:

Sonic Sensation – The Science of Sound Exhibit.....	May 31 - July 28
7 th Annual Kids Art Camp	July 10 - 12
Albin Floral Watercolor Workshop	July 16 - 17
Da Vinci The Exhibition	August 11 - November 10
9 th Annual 5K Run & 2 Mile Fun Walk	August 17
50 th Annual Arts & Crafts Fair	August 17
46 th Annual Labor Day Celebration	September 1
Sand Volleyball Tournament	September 1
Dane G. Bales Jr. Memorial Car Show	September 1
Sewing Machine Maintenance	September 17
Under Painting and Glazing with Jane Jones.....	September 18 - 21
Painting Without Brushes.....	September 28
Quilt Class.....	October 1 - November 12
Needle Felting	October 5
Wichita Children's Theatre	October 11



The Hansen Museum is a happy place - these smiles are proof.





JULY

LORIE NICOLAUS

Alma, NE
Embroidery

AUGUST

**KATE & KASHAYLA
ARMSTRONG**

Plainville, KS
Rustic Décor & Jewelry



SEPTEMBER

**DAVID & DONNA
KIRKENDALL**

Logan, KS
Woodworking

MUSEUM BOARD & STAFF

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Sue Schandler, Housekeeping



**CURRENT
EXHIBIT:**
on display
through
July 28

Listen up! Our current traveling exhibit, **SONIC SENSATION**, offers visitors the opportunity to see, feel, and hear sound. Visitors can experience our sonic world while exploring thirteen interactive learning stations. In an exciting hands-on manner, **SONIC SENSATION** presents a fun and informative opportunity to explore sound in our environment. Learn about the anatomy and physics of how we hear, find out about decibels, amplitude, frequency, pitch, and sound waves. Learn how you hear and discover how well you can listen.

So far, the Scream Chamber has been the favorite station with all ages. It is fun and easy to use. Visitors step into a semi-soundproof chamber, close the door, and let out a scream! A partner reads the decibel meter mounted on the outside of the chamber. Compare that to other sounds on a chart. Can you scream as loud as a howler monkey? The competition gets fierce and funny real fast!

Experience our sonic world and the sensation of being surrounded by everyday sounds at **SONIC SENSATION**. Make plans to come make some noise at the Hansen Museum this summer!





JULY 16TH & 17TH • COMMUNITY ROOM
9:30 AM - 4:00 PM • LAURIE ALBIN
\$120 PER PARTICIPANT

Join instructor Laurie Albin as she introduces basic watercolor techniques and presents step-by-step demonstrations to guide this two-day watercolor workshop. **CALL FOR SUPPLY LIST**

8.17.2024

ADULTS: \$20

15 & UNDER: \$10

ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT
PHILLIPS CO. HOSPICE

MEDALS & PRIZES

This race is held in conjunction with the **50TH ANNUAL HANSEN ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR** with funds from the Dane G. Hansen Foundation.

Family friendly event.
ALL PARTICIPANTS must have a signed waiver to compete.

Register before **AUGUST 5TH** to receive a **T-SHIRT!**

Call **785.689.4846** for more information.



MUSEUM NEWS

Dear friends,

Along with the usual summer rush, we can honestly say it has been a little noisy around the Museum ☺. After all, our current exhibit, **Sonic Sensation** is a hands-on interactive exhibition about sound. Seriously, it has been fun to see kids light up when they realize they can be loud AND touch everything in this exhibit.

So far this summer, we have hosted STEM Camp with Brad Schmolesky and an Exploration Place Travel Camp. At Brad's STEM Camp, campers learned to code and program micro:bits, and the Exploration Place Camp focused on STEM concepts related to agriculture. We look forward to seeing what these camps will introduce next year.

This month, the Museum will host its 7th annual Art Camp for children. Art Camp is designed to unleash your child's imagination, foster creativity, and give an outlet for self-expression. Spots in this camp are highly coveted and often reserved almost a year in advance. Although Art Camp is a newer tradition, it is very important and one we plan to nurture and grow.

Traditions are important, and this year we are celebrating a big milestone—the 50th anniversary of the Arts and Crafts Fair. Over the years the fair has morphed and changed, but the heart has always remained the same. To celebrate this momentous





occasion, the Hansen Museum Board will serve homemade ice cream and cookies in front of the Community Room. Be sure to stop by for a cool treat.

In keeping with our tradition of bringing quality exhibitions, we are thrilled to host ***Da Vinci The Exhibition*** which will open August 11th (see page 9). Traditionally, the Museum is known for quality exhibitions and learning opportunities, but do not let tradition lull you into thinking old. There is always something new at the Hansen Museum.

I hope to see and HEAR you at the Museum soon!

Shari



Matching sounds, learning painting techniques, celebrating, and coding micro:bits - come join the fun at the Hansen Museum.

50TH ANNUAL HANSEN MUSEUM **ARTS & CRAFTS** FAIR

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 2024

ACTIVITIES

5K Run/2mi Fun Walk
(8 am)

Chain Saw Artist
Demonstrations with 2
Sculpture Give-Aways

Drawings for "Hansen Bucks" (10:45 am & 1:45 pm)

Quilt of Honor Presentation (9:30 am)

Quilter Janie Lowry Presents "All About Borders"
(10:30 am & 12:30 pm)
Logan Library

For the Kids: Inflatables
& Face Painting

QUESTIONS? CALL
THE MUSEUM
785.689.4846

ALL DAY

Crafters & Artisan Demonstrations

Full Block of Vendors
Selling Hand-Crafted Items

Food Booths:
Burgers & Brats,
Turkey & Noodles,
BBQ, & Walking Tacos

LIVE MUSIC

80 Proof Alice
(11 am & 1 pm)

Formerly Three
(10 am, 12 pm, & 2 pm)

FREE ADMISSION
The Arts & Crafts Fair is sponsored by the Hansen Museum with funds from the Dane G. Hansen Foundation.



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AROUND THE HANSEN MUSEUM - 110 W. MAIN ST.,
LOGAN, KS 67646 FROM 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

UPCOMING: DA VINCI THE EXHIBITION

THE HANSEN MUSEUM is excited to announce *Da Vinci The Exhibition* will be on view from August 11 through November 10, 2024. The exhibit follows the Renaissance master, Leonardo da Vinci, on a journey of innovation, creativity, science, and wonder.

Developed by Aurea Exhibitions and produced by Imagine Exhibitions, Inc., *Da Vinci The Exhibition* is a hands-on examination of da Vinci's life, research, and art. Featuring fully built, life-size inventions, fine art studies, and dozens of stunning displays, guests will learn the complex beginnings and lifetime achievements of da Vinci through his discoveries in art, engineering, flight, hydraulics, music, light, science, and more.

Each invention featured in *Da Vinci The Exhibition* was handcrafted utilizing a modern translation of da Vinci's unique mirrored writing style in an ancient Florentine dialect. Trained artisans used these translations to construct full-scale models and bring the master's two-dimensional plans to life.

In addition to da Vinci's role as an inventor, the exhibition investigates a collection of da Vinci's most renowned paintings, including some controversial works traditionally attributed to him but not yet authenticated. Guests will have the opportunity to thoroughly study the artistic mastery behind such works as "Mona Lisa," "The Last Supper," "Portrait of a Young Man," "Virgin of the Rocks," "St. John the Baptist," and more.

The Hansen Museum is thrilled to host *Da Vinci The Exhibition*. Leonardo da Vinci was an interdisciplinary genius whose contributions to science weren't recognized until long

after his death, and yet they still influence current understandings in many disciplines.





DOUBLE-ELIMINATION

SAND VOLLEYBALL Tournament

Held at the Logan Golf Course located on HWY 9 in conjunction with the 46th Annual Hansen Museum Labor Day Celebration on 9/1/24. **\$30/team** to register. Each team must consist of **3 men & 3 women (16 or older)**. Teams can register until September 1st at 10:30 am. **First match starts at 11:00 am.** 1st place wins **50% of purse** and t-shirts. 2nd place wins **meal tickets** and t-shirts. 3rd place team receives **t-shirts**.

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2024

DANE G. BALES JR. MEMORIAL

CAR SHOW

'24 Feature Car:
Ray Mace's
1961 CHEVY




Smith Center,
Kansas

SEPTMBER 1

10AM - 4PM

at the Logan Golf Course



PRIZES:

People's Choice Top 10
 Carol's Choice
 Entrant's Choice
 Longest Distance
 Dane Jr. Traveling Trophy
 Feature Car

Free to Enter, Free T-Shirt, & Free Dash Plaque! For more information, contact Carol Bales at (785) 689-8020.

In conjunction with the 46th Annual Hansen Museum Labor Day Celebration.

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46TH ANNUAL
HANSEN MUSEUM

★ LABOR DAY ★ *Celebration*

September 1, 2024

LOGAN GOLF COURSE
HWY 9
LOGAN, KS

10 AM - 4 PM - Dane G. Bales Jr. Memorial Car Show

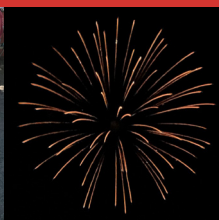
11 AM - Sand Volleyball Tournament Starts, Face Painting,
Food Booth, Buck's Snow Shack, & The Corn Kettle Open

1 PM - Kids' Pedal Tractor Pull Registration **2 PM** - Tractor Pull Starts

5:45 PM - Cowboy Poets

7 PM - 9 PM - Jimmy Dee - Live Music & Mijom's Ice Cream Truck

Kids Activities **THROUGHOUT THE DAY:** Inflatables & Obstacle
Course • Fabulous **FIREWORKS** at **DARK**



THIS EVENT IS SPONSORED BY THE HANSEN MUSEUM WITH FUNDS FROM
THE DANE G. HANSEN FOUNDATION. NO LASERS OR DRONES!

NEW EMPLOYEE ANNOUNCEMENT:



We are excited to announce an addition to the Hansen Museum staff—Dave Schneider. Dave started as our Grounds and Maintenance Supervisor on April 17th. Dave has extensive experience with landscaping as well as building maintenance, and we are pleased to have him on the team. Please join us in welcoming Dave to the Museum.

Under Anna Schremmer and Linda Imm's tutelage, participants will give their machines a thorough cleaning, lubricate moving parts, and address other basic maintenance issues. After preparing their sewing machines, participants will be instructed on sewing machine use fundamentals such as threading needles, loading bobbins, adjusting tension, and more. Participants will need to bring their sewing machines; thread; bobbins; machine attachments; scrap material; and a small flashlight.

\$20

Sewing Machine Basics Maintenance & Use

Tuesday, September 17th at 7:00 p.m.
Logan Christian Church



Underpainting
— and —
Glazing with

jane jones

Sept. 18 – 21

10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Luminous color! As artists we are so quickly attracted and entertained by color. It's the focus of our lives! In this workshop Jane will teach you how to use layers of transparent color over an underpainting to create color that is jewel-like and looks like it is lit from within. **\$375.00** (discounts for Patron & Sustaining Members)

PAINTING WITHOUT BRUSHES

Enjoy complete uninhibited creative energy at Painting without Brushes. Leveling up your techniques, instructor Rebel Mahieu, will show participants clever ways to paint without using a brush. Participants will be challenged to redefine their definition of completion and free themselves from the idea of perfection. Using acrylic paint and unconventional painting utensils, creatives will embark on a journey to rediscover the joy of creating.

Cost \$50 per participant. All supplies included.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28

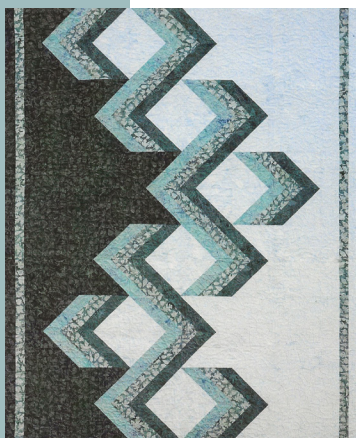
LOGAN YOUTH CENTER

1:00 PM TO 2:00 PM

Quilt Class Orientation
will be held Tuesday,
October 1. Classes will
then be held every
Tuesday, October 8 -
November 12 from 6:30
p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at the
Logan Christian Church.

Students supply all
materials and necessary
sewing equipment.

Instructor Janie Lowry
from Stockton, KS
can assist all levels of
quilters with this pattern
(Leading Edge) or any
quilting project.



TUESDAYS
OCT 01
- NOV 12

QUILTING CLASS

Needle Felting

Needle Felting — a dry felting
technique that allows you to turn wool
roving into 3D objects or beautiful
landscapes suitable for framing.

In this class you will learn the basics of needle felting
by making some simple shapes to get started and then
progressing to a landscape. Instructor: Marsha Jensen,
Manhattan, KS

10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. with an hour lunch



OCT 5

\$65/person
(includes
tools and
materials)

WICHITA CHILDREN'S THEATRE

**ELEPHANT
& PIGGIE:
WE'RE IN A
PLAY**



**SCHOOL DAZE
OR TEACHER'S
GOT A
BOYFRIEND**

9:30 A.M.

(recommended for pre-K - 2nd grade)

1:30 P.M.

(recommended for 3rd - 5th grade)

OCTOBER 11 - LOGAN AUDITORIUM

Get ready for a musical experience, ripped from the pages of Mo Willems' beloved, award-winning, best-selling children's books, *Elephant & Piggie!* An elephant named Gerald and a pig named Piggie are the "bestus" (a word Gerald and Piggie made up that means "very best") friends, but Gerald worries that something could go wrong that would end their friendship. Piggie is not worried at all. She's even happier and more excited than usual. That's because she and Gerald are invited to a party hosted by the Squirrelles, singing squirrels who love to have a good time. And so, begins a day when anything is possible.

A fast-paced hilarious audience participation melodrama, written by Tom Frye, that will have your young audiences cheering the Hero and booing the Villain for sure! Our sweet new school teacher is perplexed by the children of Smartypants, Kansas. She's never dealt with children like Rocky Boulder and the Tinselteena twins. Education will be turned upside down until she wins over her students with good old-fashioned teaching techniques...outsmarting the kids. To make things worse, her home will be foreclosed on unless she can pay the mortgage and it looks like Banker Q Nellyninny is not to be reckoned with. What can happen with this tale of two plus two, maybe it will be a four-gone conclusion. You can't miss this great story of good over evil....always a lesson to be learned at school if you pay attention.



Whether learning something new or enjoying a reception, the Hansen Museum is the place to be.



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