

2020 Annual Report



Our Mission:

to engage, educate, and inspire our community by preserving and contributing to the area's arts, culture, and heritage.



2019/2020 by the Numbers



Membership

339



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Art Classes & Camps

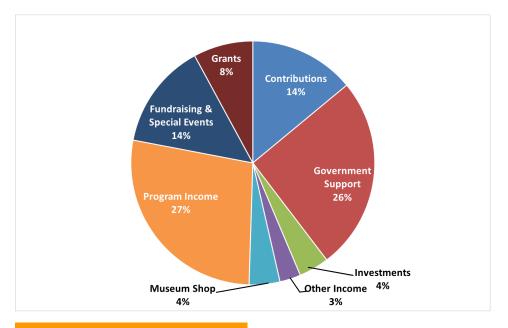


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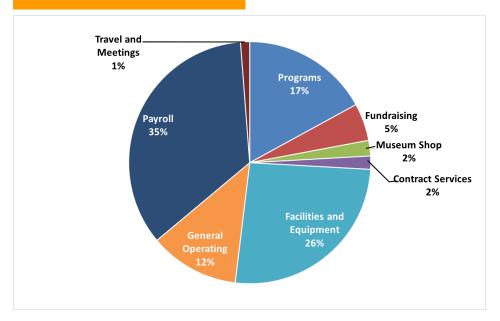


Events & Programs

2019/2020 Revenue \$120,129.17



2019/2020 Expenses \$138.321.77



engaging L educating our community



Our partnership with Northeastern Arts Network brings five high quality and high energy performances to the region. This past year was cut short due to COVID-19 and NAN will not be having a season this coming year. Watch for the new season that will start Fall 2021.

The art shows that we have brought to the community in the last year have showcased local artists as well as traveling exhibits through Montana Art Gallery Directors Association and North Dakota Art Gallery Association. We would love to hear from you on what you are interested in seeing.

Our annual events in 2019-2020 remained popular and brought MDHC increased revenue and visitors thanks to the support of dedicated volunteers, staff, and community partners. Several of the annual events were put on hold for this year, but we hope to host these events next year.



Seffarine - Celebrating Chocolate 2019



2019 - Quilt Show - 1st place winner

The MonDak Heritage Center continues to **safeguard artifacts and tell the unique stories** of the MonDak region for the local community. In 2019-2020, MDHC assisted the Richland County Fair & Rodeo to compile their history and published a book celebrating their 100th anniversary. The book is available in our gift shop along with other RCF&R Centennial items.

Behind the scenes, MDHC started a large-scale collections and exhibits update and organization project. We have started this new project of sorting through all of the artifacts in the lower level, and entering each item into the Past Perfect Collections Management Software. If you are interested in assisting with this project please talk to Leann. This is a long term goal as there are possibly 500,000+ items in the collection.

The photograph project is an ongoing project of taking each of the photographs in the collection, scanning at a high resolution and entering into Past Perfect.

Our *art classes* and camps continued to inspire artists young and old and provide a source of enrichment and creative relaxation for area residents. Due to Covid-19, Jess has been busy preparing To Go Kits for every age and price range. Bring your child in and pick out a kit or two.

Open Studio Saturday continues to be a crowd pleaser. It is held the 1st and 3rd Saturday of every month. Come in a choose a project from the examples available and sit down and enjoy a day of art. Space is limited, so call ahead to reserve your spot.

Shakespeare in the Park

The MonDak Heritage Center for the first year in over 25 years did not host Shakespeare, as it was cancelled due to Covid-19. Check out the MonDak's facebook page for Greeting from the road reverse tour put together by the Shakespeare staff and Board President, Joe Bradley.



2019 - Shakespeare in the Park

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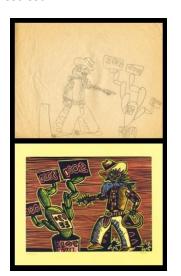
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Highlights

2019-2020



Harvestfest



James Todd Looney Toones MAGDA traveling exhibit



Miniature Art Show



MonDak Christmas



Youth Art Show

Looking Forward

2020/2021 Art Shows, Events & Classes

September I - October 3

September 19

September 25

September 29 - December 26

October 6 - January 2

October 6 - November 14

October 6 - November 14

November 14

November 17 - January 2

November 18 - January 16

December 13

2021

January 5 - February 27

January 19 - March 13, 2021

February 13

March I - May 29

March 16 - April 24

May 4 - June 5

June I - August I4

June 9 - August 14

August 2 - September 4

September I - October 2

October 5 - January 1, 2022

October 5 - October 30

November 2 - December 4

November 16 - January 15

December 12

39th Annual Quilt Show

Sewing Guild Community Work Day 10 am-4pm

"Better Together" Handprint Plate 10am-5pm Lower Yellowstone Irrigation Project Exhibit

Ruth Kendig Photography Show

Williston Area Visual Artist Show (WAVA)

Dawson Community College Art Show

WAVA closing reception 6:30pm

Gordon McConnell's When The West Was Won

MAGDA sponsored

30th Annual Miniature Art Show

MonDak Christmas 1:30pm - 3pm (tentative)

Jodi Lightner Straight There & Back

MAGDA Sponsored

Joseph Garcia Photography

Celebrating Chocolate 7pm (tentative)

Cataclysm MAGDA Sponsored

Youth Art Show

Dawson College Art Show

Walter Piehl: Retrospective: 1962 - 2018

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Mack Schroer Pop Cars NDAGA Sponsored

40th Annual Quilt Show

Kathleen Herlihy-Paoli: Act Three

MAGDA Sponsored

Deana Novak Photography Show

Dawson Community College

31st Annual Miniature Art Show

MonDak Christmas (tentative)

This schedule does not include some of our special fundraisers. Keep up to date on what is happening at the MonDak by asking to be added to our weekly e-newsletter.

Northeastern Arts Network

MDHC continues to partner with NAN for the Big Sky Concert Series at the MonDak!

Art Classes & Camps

Look for more art opportunities in the future, Watch the website and Facebook for classes.

Exhibits & Collections

Our outside space is moving forward. The old fence is down, and trees removed. The new fence and landscaping will start soon.



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