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1. Fredericton Arts Alliance Summer Residencies present Jean-Michel Cliche from Aug. 15 to 21

Jean-Michel Cliche is writing a new play about Palamedes, King Arthur's only Arabic Knight of the Round Table. He says that it will likely be a one-act play, and may be staged by theatre companies upon its completion. Cliche will explore his own Arabic heritage by researching the stories of Palamedes and his role as a knight. The playwright will also explore the concept of *third culture*: the culture in which an individual lives that is distinct from the two primary cultures of their heritage (for example, Cliche's parents are French and Lebanese, making him a "Third Culture Kid")

The artist will host a free stage fighting workshop, teaching a choreographed fight as well as the basics of safe combat in theatre. The workshop will take place at Odell Park on Saturday, August 21, at 2pm. The fight choreography will be based on a scene from Cliche's play, giving theatre fans an opportunity to engage with the project.

The Fredericton Arts Alliance social media links are: www.frederictonartsalliance.ca, <https://www.facebook.com/fredericton.arts.alliance>, <https://www.instagram.com/fredartsalliance/>, and <https://twitter.com/frederictonarts>. The Fredericton Arts Alliance gratefully acknowledges support from the City of Fredericton and Downtown Fredericton for this project. For more information, please contact Katie FitzRandolph at kfitzr@icloud.ca, or Shannon Harvey at shannon@frederictonartsalliance.ca. [Back to top.](#)

2. Gallery on Queen hosts 2021 NBCCD Ceramics Studio Graduates Exhibition, Aug. 6 - 26

This show features works from Maia Cochrane, Sarah Hamelin and Veronica Koo. For more information, visit: https://www.facebook.com/events/1458306647866804?mc_cid=bd0e61ade8&mc_eid=88c099640e. [Back to top.](#)

3. City of Fredericton Summer Artist in Residence present Angela Beek & Laura Forrester - Aug. 9 – 20

Find multidisciplinary artists Angela Beek at Killarney Lake Park and Laura Forrester in the Fredericton Botanic Garden at Odell Park. Visitors can see artists in person while abiding by public health guidelines.

Angela Beek is a multimedia artist from Sitsansik First Nation in Fredericton. She is a graduate from the New Brunswick College of Craft and Design with a diploma in Fashion Design and an honours certificate in Wabanaki Visual Arts. Angela's work can be found in the permanent collection of the New Brunswick Arts Bank, and her work continues to grow through the Equinox Grant. Facebook: www.facebook.com/AngelaBeekCreations

Laura Forrester is a multimedia artist based in Fredericton. She works with oils, acrylics, and other media such as sculpture, photography, and pastel. Florals and botanicals are a recurring subject matter in Laura's art, mirroring the vivid colors and motifs found in nature. During the residency, Laura will study the nature of the gardens and create art with oil, acrylic, watercolour, and pastel. Website: www.laurapaints.ca; Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/pg/laurforr/posts/>; Instagram: www.instagram.com/laurforr/?hl=en.

For more information on how to follow artists, please visit our website: <https://www.fredericton.ca/en/community/art-culture/summer-artist-in-residence-program-2021>. If you have any questions, please email culture@fredericton.ca. [Back to top.](#)

4. Pop-up Event: *Weathergrams for Good* at Charlotte Street Arts Centre on Aug. 12 at 4pm

Artist Katrina Slade is hosting a pop-up event at the Charlotte Street Arts Centre. Visitors will be invited to interact with her installation by writing messages of kindness on *weathergrams* that she will incorporate into her future *Weathergrams for Good* installations. Visitors are also welcome to view the current exhibitions in the galleries, including the Connexion-ARC members' show.

This pop-up event is the final element of her virtual artist residency with the Fredericton Arts Alliance as part of their summer residency program. [Back to top.](#)

5. Three Downtown Bars Announce Tannery Series Line-Up on Thursdays from Aug. 12-Sept. 2 at 7pm

The CAP, Dolan's Pub, and Klub Khrome have jointly announced plans to host a series of Thursday evening summer concerts on the outdoor Tannery Stage. These concerts are accessible to standing and seated audiences. The ticketed series will program a host of Atlantic Canadian artists each week

- **August 12:** The Magnificent Sanctuary Band: A Tribute to Jerry Garcia
- **August 19:** The Hypochondriacs, Kill Chicago & chillteens
- **August 26:** Neon Dreams & Guests
- **September 2:** Les Hôtesse D'Hilaire, Motherhood & Century Egg

Tickets are on sale now for \$10 per show via thecaplive.com. [Back to top.](#)

6. Free Noontime Concerts: Musica Al Fresco in Phoenix Square from Aug. 12 – Sept. 3 at 12:30pm

Here's our summer line up:

- **August 12:** Kylie Fox (Indie/Folk)
- **August 13:** Sebastian Boudreau (Francophone)
- **August 19:** Matthew Sears (Blues/Rock)
- **August 20:** Sean Hutchins (Blues/Rock)
- **August 26:** ALi Johnson (violin)
- **August 27:** Connor Fox (Rock)
- **September 2:** Wally MacKinnon (Folk/Classical)
- **September 3:** Don Bosse Trio (Jazz/Blues)

For more information, visit <https://www.tourismfredericton.ca/en/events/musica-al-fresco>. [Back to top.](#)

7. Upcoming Summer Recital Series Concerts at Christ Church Cathedral Fridays from 12:10-12:50pm

Music at the Cathedral is back! The Summer Recital Series returns with nine noon-time concerts, held each Friday from July 2 to August 27. Join us inside historic Christ Church Cathedral as we present a series of concerts featuring cello, viola, bassoon, organ, guitar and vocalists.

Upcoming concerts include:

- **August 13** - The New Brunswick Summer Music Festival Special
- **August 20** - Natalia Lubimova (viola)

Due to pandemic safety protocols, seating is limited, so reserve your ticket now to secure your space. Tickets are free, but contributions to the Organ Renovation Fund will be gratefully accepted. Learn more and reserve tickets at <https://cccath.ca/2021/06/23/2021-summer-recital-series/>. [Back to top.](#)

8. Branch Out Productions' Arts & Craft Market on Aug. 14 from 9am-1pm

Join us for a summer Arts and Craft Market at Branch Out's studio, located at 800 Saint Mary's Street. Come and support local artists and small businesses. Admission by donation. [Back to top.](#)

9. Pride Maker's Market at Garrison Night Market on Aug. 14 from 12-4pm

There will be a variety of fabulous 2SLGBTQ+ artists, crafters, and other vendors; come check out their work and support local creators! Free entry! Water cart, shade tent, Pride merchandise, and paid refreshments will be available. For more information, visit: <https://bit.ly/3ivKhbt>. [Back to top.](#)

10. Run the River & Kalyna Rakel at Grimross Brewing Co. on Aug. 14 at 8pm

Run the river has been turning heads locally and are excited to make their Grimross debut. And we are very thrilled to welcome back Kalyna Rakel from Ontario. Tickets are \$10 advanced and \$15 at the door and are on sale now at <https://etixnow.com/.../aug-14-2021/grimross-brewing-co>. For more information, visit <https://bit.ly/3IKsZJx>. [Back to top.](#)

11. Summertime Jazz at Gallery 78 on Aug. 15 from 2-4pm

Gallery 78 is pleased to present: Bronwyn & The Boys' Summertime Jazz. Come for an afternoon of music, complimentary refreshments, and art, while supporting art classes for children through the Estey Art Initiative. Hosted in the beautiful, historical building, Gallery 78 will welcome guests to enjoy jazz and vocals by Chad Ball (bass), Jorian Hapeman (piano), and Bronwyn Robichaud (vocals). 20% of all ticket sales will be donated to the Estey Art Initiative, a children's charity that offers art programs for children all over New Brunswick.

Tickets may be purchased in advance online at: <https://checkout.eventcreate.com/summertimejazz/select-buy> or at the door. Advanced ticket purchase is encouraged as seating is limited. General admission is \$16, student and senior admission is \$13.50, and admission for those 15 and under is \$11. Cleaning protocols are in place. Hand sanitizer is available. Masks are not mandatory but encouraged. For further information please contact Gallery 78 at 454-5192. [Back to top.](#)

12. Live Celtic & Blues Concert at Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Aug. 15 at 7pm

A live Celtic and Blues concert will be held, featuring well-known local musicians in an eclectic mix of traditional Celtic and Standard Blues repertoire. The line-up includes local blues legend, Frank Davis. National and international award-winning singer-songwriter, Nelson Milley, brings his musical force on rhythm guitar. Talented musician, Andrew Somerville, takes songs to another level with his unique interpretations, while the renowned and versatile John Farkas adds delight to the Blues segment on harmonica. Ron Bagnell brings Celtic ballads to life with his wonderfully mellow voice, while Helen McKinnon-Bagnell and Ardith Kerr lend their intriguing voices and harmonies from the ancient and modern Celtic world.

Admission is by free will offering at the door. Please come along for an outstanding evening of musical entertainment. This venue offers lots of room to spread out, and hand sanitizer will be available. Attendees are free to choose whether to wear face masks or not. [Back to top.](#)

13. Matt Comeau Live in Officer's Square on Aug. 17 at 7pm

Matt Comeau is an outstanding guitarist with a warm soulful voice, paired with a luminous and powerful stage presence as he shares songs that inspire unity and empowerment. Matt is known for edgy pop music that is refreshingly unique; influenced by the blues and inspired by powerful songwriters such as Buffy St. Marie, Matt Mays, and Johnny Cash. Professionally, Matt has been recording and performing since 2017 and is one Atlantic Canada's most in demand Indigenous acts.

For more information, visit <https://bit.ly/3As65Lp>. [Back to top.](#)

14. **Best of BOP streaming online starting Aug. 20 to Aug. 27**

Join us for our *Best of Branch Out Productions* cabaret! Featuring BOP alumni performing songs from the past 10 years of BOP! This event will be streamed on our website, www.branchoutproductions.ca, all week with viewing by donation. All donations will be going toward getting professional dance mirrors for our studio.

For more information, visit <https://www.facebook.com/events/3030577683847602/>. [Back to top.](#)

15. **2021 Fredericton Pride Festival on Aug. 21 from 3-7:30pm at the Garrison Night Market**

We invite you to join us for our 12th Annual Pride Festival, following the Pride Parade! Join us for an afternoon of local vendors, information tables, tasty treats, and entertainment! We will have numerous musical acts and drag performances, followed by our headliner, Joce Reyome! The schedule of events is as follows:

- **3pm:** Festival Opening
- **4pm:** Entertainment (TBA)
- **5pm:** Drag Performances
- **6pm:** Headliner - Joce Reyome

Our low-stimulus Pride Sensory Space will be nearby at Monarch Drop-In. An area will be cordoned off for folx who wish to remain socially distanced. [Back to top.](#)

16. **Shared Spaces Program at the Beaverbrook Art Gallery**

At the Beaverbrook Art Gallery we are committed to working with our Indigenous partners to develop new opportunities for learning, sharing and showcasing their culture and their resilience. We are excited to present a new Gallery program, *Shared Spaces*, highlighting indigenous art and artists of the region. This is made possible through a challenge grant of \$50,000 offered to us by the J.T. Clark Foundation.

In order to receive the grant, the Gallery must meet the J.T. Clark Foundation's challenge by raising matching funds of \$50,000 by the end of September 2021. This additional funding will expand our Indigenous programming over the next three years. Please help us meet the J.T. Clark Family Foundation's challenge of \$50,000 by donating at <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/beaverbrook-art-gallery/campaign/shared-spaces/>. [Back to top.](#)

17. **Fredericton Playhouse Re-Opening Survey**

Please take our short, 2-minute survey about reopening policies. With the Province of New Brunswick moving to the "green phase" of recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic, the Fredericton Playhouse will reopen at full capacity in September with a full season of events. And we're pumped! As we plan for our reopening, we're looking for your opinions on measures such as vaccination requirements and masks – measures that Playhouse could implement to provide a healthier and safer environment for our audience.

To take part in this survey, visit: <https://bit.ly/3zZ1wb6>. To thank you for taking part in our survey, you may provide your email address at the end to be entered into one of three draws for a \$100 Playhouse gift certificate. [Back to top.](#)

Workshops | Classes | Art Camps

1. Dramatic Clouds Painting Workshop at Gallery on Queen Aug. 29 at 1pm

Each participant will create an underdrawing, an underpainting, and complete a colour study of a dramatic sky in oil paints. All levels of experience are welcome. The course fee is \$120 and all supplies are included. To register, the fee must be paid up-front and is non-refundable. E-Transfers are preferred. For more information, contact Marie Fox at theshapeshifter.m@gmail.com or visit <https://bit.ly/3zymLAd>. The course runs for 3 hours, with a 30-minute break. [Back to top.](#)

2. UNB & Artslink NB New Online Certificate in Contemporary Management in Arts & Culture

The UNB College of Extended Learning, in association with ArtsLink NB and the Government of New Brunswick, is proud to offer our brand-new online certificate in Contemporary Management in Arts & Culture (CMAC). The first of its kind in Atlantic Canada, the CMAC certificate is a one-of-a-kind program built specifically for developing the skills and knowledge of people that aspire to be arts leaders in Atlantic Canada and across the country.

The CMAC certificate is fully online and spans only one year with only one course per academic semester. Courses include Governance & Leadership, Arts Operations, and Relationship Management. Students will also complete a Capstone Project in which they will complete a business plan for an organization.

Thanks to generous support from the Government of New Brunswick, students are able to take the entire certificate for only \$250. Limited spots are available. Learn more at <https://www.unb.ca/cel/enrichment/music/music-conservatory/cmac/index.html>. [Back to top.](#)

3. Fall Music Workshops open for Registration at UNB Art Centre

UNB's music conservatory has opened its line-up of fall workshops. Students can participate in a variety of workshops for different ages and interests. After a year of virtual workshops, we are excited to be returning to in-person music-making and exploration.

Workshops include:

- Group Guitar
- Group Piano
- Group Piano for Kids
- Jazz Improv
- Movement for Musicians
- Song writing
- Synthesizers

To learn more and to register: <https://www.unb.ca/cel/enrichment/music/music-conservatory/workshops-classes.html>. [Back to top.](#)

4. UNB Ensembles open for Registration at UNB Art Centre

After a year of alternative delivery methods, the UNB Music Conservatory is excited to host its ensembles in Memorial Hall again this fall. They are thrilled to introduce two new options for string students: Little String Orchestra is for students aged five to seven who are new to the violin; and Junior String Orchestra is for violinists aged eight to 10 who have one- or two-years' experience. They are also hosting string orchestras for older students and the Band and Chorale this fall.

- Little String Orchestra (ages five to seven)
- Junior String Orchestra (ages eight to 10)
- Intermediate String Orchestra (ages six to 13)
- Senior String Orchestra (ages 13 to 18)
- UNB Concert Band (ages 16 and up)
- UNB Chorale (ages 16 and up)

Ensembles will be starting in mid-September. Sign up now to start or continue your journey! The UNB Concert Band and UNB Chorale is free for UNB students and faculty. All ensembles are open to the general public. To learn more: <https://www.unb.ca/cel/enrichment/music/music-conservatory/ensembles.html>, call 458-7259 or email conserv@unb.ca. [Back to top.](#)

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1. Fredericton Arts Alliance seeks Guest Editor for *ARTSnews* for 2-weeks in October 2021

Deadline: Sunday, August 15, 2021

The Fredericton Arts Alliance is seeking an individual to act as a Guest Editor of the *ARTSnews* while the primary Editor is out of office in October 2021. Requirements include:

- Must have access to a computer with document editing software (Microsoft Windows is currently used, but other programs such as Google Docs, LibreOffice, Open Office, etc. could be used as well)
- Must be able to edit PDFs and add links using editors such as Adobe Acrobat, PDFescape, etc.
- Some familiarity with Gmail and Mail Chimp would be considered an asset, though these can be taught.
- Will be required to upload the final document using FTP program such as FileZilla.
- **Must be available for training with current Editor to understand process and timelines/deadlines during August or September 2021.**

The take-over would happen on October 7, 2021 and would conclude once the weekly newsletter has been sent to subscribers on October 21, 2021. The primary editor will then return to her duties. This absence covers the two weeks, and includes issues on October 14 and 21.

This job can be done from home with training occurring either over Zoom or, if preferred, in person with the current editor. In terms of a time-commitment, the time it takes to edit, create, and release the weekly newsletter can vary depending upon the number of notices received, but typically averages 7-10 hours per week.

If you are interested, please reach out to Bridget Spence at frederictonartsnews@gmail.com with a resume and/or any questions you have. [Back to top.](#)

2. Connexion ARC announces Fall Members' Residency Program: Constellation Collective

The residency program is for documentation, experimenting with practice, or exhibiting finished or in-progress works. Residencies will be self-directed and 1-3 weeks in length depending on preference. Participants will have free use of our space, office resources, meetings with the Connexion's director, and our social media (Facebook, Instagram, Tumblr, and Twitter). Spaces will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis.

Available time slots are between the following dates:

- September 27 – October 11, 2021
- October 18 – November 8, 2021
- November 15 – December 6, 2021

Email info@connexionarc.org to book your space, specifying your desired length of the residency. [Back to top.](#)

3. Vacancy Notice for Fall 2021: Individual Course Appointments at NBCCD

The New Brunswick College of Craft and Design is seeking part-time instructors to fill course vacancies for the Fall 2021 and Winter 2022 semesters. Individuals who feel they are equipped to teach post-secondary courses in art, craft, and design are encouraged to submit an application to jared.peters@gnb.ca. Applicants should include a current curriculum vitae, letter of intent, and sample of a minimum of 10 portfolio images. Precedence will be given to Regular - Part Time faculty. Casual opportunities are available in:

- Foundation Visual Arts
- Design
- Drawing
- Ceramics (raku, sculpture)
- Textile Design (machine knitting, weaving, dye methods)

Application Deadline: August 12, 2021; review of applications will begin immediately. Direct Applications to:

Jared Peters
Acting Assistant Dean – NBCCD
457 Queen Street
Fredericton, NB E3B 1B7

The New Brunswick College of Craft and Design (NBCCD) is a learner-centered cultural community, providing an excellent foundation for professional practice and personal development and fostering creative enterprise and applied learning in the art of Craft and Design. All qualified applicants are encouraged to apply. Hiring will be in accordance with NBCCD's policy on non-discrimination. For more information, please visit nbccd.ca. [Back to top.](#)

4. Join the Board of Fredericton Playhouse Inc.

Fredericton Playhouse Inc. is a charitable, non-profit company with a mandate to manage and develop a live performance venue in downtown Fredericton. The board of directors is comprised of individuals who share the values of the organization, contribute to the board's decision-making, and have a personal commitment to the organization's vision and mission. The board's primary role is to establish policies, undertake strategic planning, manage executive performance, develop resources and influence, and provide linkages to stakeholders and to the larger community.

New board members begin their service on January 1, and serve a term of three years. If you are interested in contributing to the community as a volunteer board member, please provide a written submission, including your CV, **by August 15, 2021** to admin@theplayhouse.ca. For more information, visit https://fredplayhouse.wordpress.com/2021/07/09/fredericton-playhouse-inc-seeking-new-board-members/?mc_cid=fe4aa5d8d0&mc_eid=88c099640e. [Back to top.](#)

5. Audition Call: Branch Out Productions' *Songs for a New World* on Aug. 27 at 7pm

Songs for a New World is a theatrical song cycle about the moments that shape the world around us. It features songs that are united only by that theme, and transports us from a window ledge in Brooklyn to the deck of a Spanish sailing ship, to the North Pole, and home again. The show features little dialogue but still manages to tell unique and captivating stories.

Branch Out Productions will be presenting this show in a, one day only, special fundraiser for Capital Region Mental Health & Addictions Association on November 27, 2021. This show will feature a cast of 4 to 12 people who must be strong actors and singers. They must be able to carry their own harmony line. Actors of all races, abilities, genders and orientations are encouraged to audition.

Auditions are open to those aged 16 and over. There is nothing to prepare for the audition, during the audition you will be taught a piece from the show. An audition form must be completed prior to the audition, and can be found at <https://forms.gle/Y4pndLec9CSf1ViA9>. For more information, contact Ben@branchoutproductions.ca. [Back to top.](#)

6. Playhouse seeks Artists for InterMISSION Artist Residency Program

Deadline: August 31, 2021

The Fredericton Playhouse will continue to offer New Brunswick artists the opportunity to use its professional facilities and services in a series of creative artist residencies. Applications are now being accepted for available residency time during the summer of 2022 and winter of 2023. The artist residency program called InterMISSION, established during the pandemic, will continue to expand the capacity and activities in the theatre during otherwise quiet periods in the annual rental and programming cycle. Designed for local artists to nurture and support creativity and innovative practices in their craft, the InterMISSION residency program offers artists mentorship, space, and support.

Residencies are open to theatre artists, musicians, choreographers, composers, dancers, visual artists, designers, etc. Individual artists, artistic companies, collectives, or any combination thereof working collaboratively are eligible to apply. Artists must be professional artists as defined by ArtsNB and may be at any stage of their career. Priority will be given to applications that include artists residing in the greater Fredericton region.

For full eligibility and application details, please visit <https://bit.ly/3jPYdhs>, or contact Lesandra Dodson, Director of Programming, at lesandra@theplayhouse.ca. Playhouse technical staff, who are specializing in theatrical lighting, sound, and multi-media arts, are available to the artists to work on individually designed proposals of development and exploration. The Playhouse staff is also available to assist with designing proposals, grant writing, production tutorials or other educational components involved in an artist's creative project. [Back to top.](#)

7. Demonic Brilliance Film Festival

Deadline: August 31, 2021

Presented by Creeker Films and Steam Powered Studios, the Demonic Brilliance Film Festival (DBFF) is a three-day celebration of horror, showcasing some of the most sinister horror films from around the world and the people who make them.

We love all things horror, from splatter to slasher, especially films that challenge expectations. We want films that take no prisoners and go all in! If it's a splatter film, we want blood, guts and body fluids! If it's a supernatural story we want spooky atmosphere and amazing production value! Basically, we're looking for horror films that kick ass!

At DBFF we welcome filmmakers' who understand the importance of good acting, stellar lighting, cinematography and detailed production design. We'd love to see horror shorts that make you think and carry themselves with intelligence. Does your film have what it takes to be awarded the Best Film trophy at the Demonic Brilliance Film Festival?

For more information, or to submit your film, visit

<https://filmfreeway.com/DemonicBrillianceFilmFestival?fbclid=IwAR2f6RHxDHqDldPyBkG1M8k9SIC1gMWW7eaCC3neZfaetPulF5W1mtQ2hY0>. [Back to top.](#)

8. Upcoming New Brunswick Arts Board (artsnb) Deadlines

Career Development Program - **Deadline: September 1, 2021**

The Career Development program is designed to recognize and encourage arts professionals who have demonstrated exceptional artistic talent and potential, and who are pursuing a career in the arts. The program is divided in four components:

- **The Arts by Invitation** component is for assistance to present work by invitation in established arts events.
- **The Artist in Residence** component is for assistance for participation in residency opportunities of three (3) months and less. The artists in residence are to contribute to the promotion and understanding of the arts by means of the artists' contact with the clientele of the establishments.
- **The Professional Development** component is for assistance for professional development scholarships for studies and mentorships.
- **The Professionalization and Promotion** component is designed to assist artists to produce tools related to the promotion of the artist's work and career with a view to broadening the dissemination network for their work and diversifying their sources for funding.

For more information and to apply: <https://artsnb.ca/web/programs/career-development/>,

The Equinox Program for Indigenous Artists - **Deadline: September 15, 2021**

The Equinox program supports Indigenous artists, curators and groups to engage in artistic creation and professional development. Eligible projects can range from:

- Research and development for the creation of new works
- Creation and presentation of artistic work, or
- Activities that support and strengthen the Indigenous arts community

The Equinox program provides flexible, short-term support to individual Indigenous artists or collectives applying on behalf of small or large groups, arts groups, organizations, community groups, independent arts administrators, and artistic and cultural mediators. Grant funds may be used for organizational development and professional development that will have a positive impact on building the arts ecosystem in Indigenous communities.

For more information: <https://artsnb.ca/web/programs/equinox-program-for-indigenous-artists/>. [Back to top.](#)

9. Upcoming Jane LeBlanc Legacy Grant Deadlines

The Jane LeBlanc Legacy Fund was created in memory of Jane LeBlanc. The fund is in place to assist emerging New Brunswick resident filmmakers, writers, actors, visual artists, singers, and musicians. Jane was a multidisciplinary artist and adventurer who traveled the world at a young age. She was a writer, photographer, singer, musician, videographer, and visual artist.

Jane LeBlanc Filmmaker Award – **Deadline: September 1, 2021**

The sponsors for this award are: Cat LeBlanc Music, Maureen LeBlanc, Jan Thompson, Gretchen Kelbaugh, Lorna Kirk, Janet Crawford, Bob Paul, Mary Conlon, Kathy Eagan, and Sophie Lavoie

The NB Film Co-op proudly announces the Jane LeBlanc Filmmaker Award for 2021. In honour of a woman who lived life to the fullest and courageously took action in making her dreams a reality. A message that will hopefully inspire the winner of this award in realizing his/her dream of making films a reality. The Jane LeBlanc Filmmaker Award has increased for 2021. It is now valued at \$2,080.00 (for first or second time NB resident filmmakers), and is presented by the New Brunswick Filmmakers' Co-operative and the LeBlanc Family.

- \$200 in workshops/training from the NBFC (2022)
- \$800 cash from The LeBlanc Family and generous donations
- \$1,000 in equipment and post services from NBFC
- \$80 (full membership for two years) from the NBFC
- Workshopping of winning screenplay

Submit a 4-5 page script for video poem, experimental, drama, or comedy along with a short paragraph talking about your hopes and dreams, what the project means to you, and why the grant is essential for you. Apply at info@nbfilmcoop.com. [Back to top](#).

10. Choral Singers invited to Choral Fest 2021: Celebrating Music that We Can Make Together

Every year for almost 40 years, singers from New Brunswick, around the Maritimes, and beyond have gathered for the New Brunswick Choral Federation's Choral Fest to rehearse and perform a significant work of choral music under one of Canada's leading conductors.

Choral Fest 2020, like choral events everywhere, was cancelled due to necessary public health restrictions. Now, thanks to vaccinations and increasing knowledge of how to prevent transmission, the performing arts are coming back to life. Choral Fest 2021 will follow all public health guidelines, and will incorporate additional expert recommendations specific to choral events. Registrants' health and safety will be our priority.

- **Where:** Christ Church Cathedral
- **When:** October 15 to 17, 2021
- **Music:**
 - Requiem by John Rutter (selections)
 - Aesop's Fables by Bob Chilcott (selections)
 - Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above by Robin Bayley
 - Ambe by Andrew Balfour
- **Clinician:** Dr. Kiera Galway
- **Accompanist:** Thomas Gonder

Singers are asked to reserve their space by pre-registering via email or online form, available on our web site. Spaces are limited. A certain number of spaces are reserved for tenor and bass voices. We are not asking for payment at this time. We will invite registrants to confirm their attendance with payment beginning September, deadline **Tuesday, September 14, 2021**. For details and to pre-register, visit our web site <https://nbcfsite.wordpress.com/choral-fest/>, or email the New Brunswick Choral Federation at nbchoralfed@gmail.com. [Back to top.](#)

11. Registration Open for 2021 NB Cell Phone Film Challenge

The 2021 NB Cell Phone Film Challenge is a chance to do just that and create a movie with the amazing tool you carry all the time: your cell phone! You really don't need fancy equipment to make a film; you just need your cell phone and a story. This challenge puts everyone on a level playing field where no one has any of that fancy, expensive filmmaking stuff. It's just you, your phone and your wild creative spirit.

Who can enter? All residents of NB of any age can participate, and it is free to enter. Is there a big red carpet event? No, but there is a \$100 prize for the best film as selected by our panel of judges. How does this work?

- Step 1: Put together a team of 1-3 NB residents.
- Step 2: **Register until September 20, 2021 at** <https://www.kenlarproductions.com/home#h.mtjpmwcl7kqe>
- Step 3: On Thursday September 23 at 6pm you will receive an inspiration package from which to create your film and the 72 hour countdown begins.
- Step 4: Write your script. Shoot it. Edit it. Upload it by Sunday, September 26 at 6pm.

Official Rules:

1. Participants must follow the Government of New Brunswick COVID guidelines.
2. All films must be family friendly. The judges reserve the right to disqualify submissions that include graphic violence or language, discrimination or phobia against a person or group, explicit sexuality, etc.
3. Only cell phones or tablets can be used to record video or sound. No other recording devices are permitted and this includes drones and other cameras such as DSLR, mirrorless, point-and-shoot, or GoPro/action.
4. Any software or app can be used to record video or sound on the cell phone or tablet. This includes Zoom, MS Teams and other web-conferencing software.
5. Do not use stock footage or images.
6. Do not use copyrighted music unless you have a license or permission to do so.
7. Organizers and judges of the competition are prohibited from participating in it.
8. Submissions will be scored by each judge on a scale of 1-5 stars (5 being best) in each of these categories:
 - a. Use of inspiration package
 - b. Story/Script
 - c. Acting
 - d. Directing
 - e. Cinematography
 - f. Sound
 - g. Editing / Effects

For more information, visit <https://www.kenlarproductions.com/home#h.mtjpmwcl7kqe>. [Back to top.](#)

Galleries at a Glance

The Abbey Café & Gallery: 546 Queen Street, Fredericton, E3B 1B9 | Phone: 455-6368 |
Email: abbeycafe546@gmail.com | Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/abbeycafegallery/> | Hours: Monday – Friday from 9am-9pm, Saturday 12-9pm | Twitter: @abbeycafe546

Acacia Gallery: 1948 Lakeview Road, Cambridge-Narrows, New Brunswick, E4C 1N2 | Phone: 488-1119 |
Website: www.flynnfineart.com | Hours: Saturday and Sunday. 12- 5pm, or by appointment.

Artful Persuasion: 80 York Street, Fredericton | Phone: 450-0464 |
Website: www.facebook.com/ArtfulPersuasion | Hours: Monday-Saturday, 10am-5pm, and Saturday 12am-5pm.

Bankside Cottage Gallery: 56 Front Street, Village of Gagetown, NB | Phone: 488-6000 |
Email: info@banksidecottagegallery.ca | Website: www.banksidecottagegallery.ca |
Hours: Tuesday to Sunday, 10am – 6pm

Beaverbrook Art Gallery: 703 Queen Street, Fredericton, E3B 5A6 | Phone: 458-2028 | Email:
emailbag@beaverbrookartgallery.org | Website: www.beaverbrookartgallery.org | Hours: **Due to the COVID-19 virus and construction, the Beaverbrook Art Gallery is closed to all visitors and other groups effective June 22, 2020 and until further notice.**

Botanicals Gift Shop Inc.: 610 Queen Street, Fredericton, N.B. E3B 1C2 | Phone: 454-6101 |
Email: botanicalsgiftshop@nb.aibn.com | Hours: Monday – Friday 10am-6pm, Saturday 10am-pm4 |
Website: www.botanicalsgiftshop.com. Like us on Facebook for all the latest updates and specials in the shop.

Charlotte Glencross Gallery, Charlotte Street Arts Centre: 732 Charlotte Street, Fredericton, E3B 5C8 |
Phone: 454-6952 | Email: info@charlottestreetarts.ca | Website: www.charlottestreetarts.ca. |
Hours: Monday to Friday 9am-8pm and Saturday 9am-6pm.

Connexion ARC: 732 Charlotte Street, Room 129 | Phone: 478-4484 | Email: info@connexionarc.org |
Website: www.connexionARC.org | Hours: Monday to Thursday, 12-6pm.

Fibre Arts Studio and Gallery by Kathy Tidswell: 683 Route 104, Burtts Corner, NB. | Phone: 363-3560 |
Email: kathy@kathytidswell.com | Website: www.kathytidswell.com | Hours: by chance or appointment.

Fredericton Region Museum: 571 Queen Street, Fredericton | Phone: 455-6041 |
Email: frederictonregionmuseum@gmail.com | Website: www.frederictonregionmuseum.com |
Hours: April – June: Tuesday to Saturday: 1-4pm (by appointment or by chance); July – August: Sunday to Saturday: 10am-5pm; September – November: Tuesday to Saturday: 1-4pm (by appointment or by chance); December – March: By appointment* or by chance.

Fredericton Playhouse: Local visual arts exhibitions in the Playhouse Galleries, 686 Queen Street, Fredericton, E3B 1C2 | Phone: 453-8345 | Email: admin@theplayhouse.ca | Website: www.theplayhouse.ca |
Hours: Monday - Friday 10am-6pm.

Galerie des Bâtisseurs: Centre communautaire Sainte-Anne, 715 Priestman Street | Phone: 453-2731 |
Hours: Monday-Saturday from 8am-10pm, Sunday from 8am-9pm.

Gallery 78: 796 Queen Street, Fredericton | Phone: 454-5192 | Email: art@gallery78.com |
Website: www.gallery78.com | Hours: Tuesday-Friday 10am-5pm, Saturday 10am-3pm, Sunday 1-4pm.

The Gallery on Queen: 406 Queen Street, Fredericton | Phone: 206-1904 & 261-0655 |
Website: www.galleryonqueen.com | Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/galleryonqueen/> |
Hours: Tuesday to Saturday from 10am - 5:30pm.

Government House: 51 Woodstock Road, Fredericton | Phone: 453-2505 | Email: ltgov@gnb.ca. |
Hours: Monday – Friday, 10am-5pm.

Isaac's Way Restaurant Art Gallery: 649 Queen Street, Fredericton | Phone: 474-7222 |
Email: art@isaacsway.ca | Website: <http://isaacsway.ca> |
Hours: Monday-Friday 11:30am; Saturday and Sunday 10am (Closing Hours daily 9pm)

Loominations Studio and Gallery: 94 Grasse Circle, Fredericton, New Brunswick | Phone: 457-1443 |
Email: loomin_weaver@yahoo.ca | Website: www.loominations.ca | Hours: Saturday and Sunday from 1-5pm, or
by appointment.

New Brunswick Sports Hall of Fame: 503 Queen Street, Fredericton | Phone: 453-3747 |
Email: nbsportshalloffame@gnb.ca | Website: www.nbsportshalloffame.com | Hours: Open daily June through
August, Tuesday-Saturday 9:30am-5pm, and during Harvest Jazz and Blues Festival. Individual and group tours by
appointment during the fall, winter, and spring seasons.

Pedway Gallery: 35 Patience Lane, Fredericton | Phone: 460-8546 | Fax: 460-7275 | Mobile: 292-4025 |
Email: <mailto:ppacey@shannex.com> | Website: <http://www.experienceparkland.com> |
Hours: By appointment from 9am-4pm.

Queenstown Goldsmiths: 4476 Route 102 | Phone: 506-440-1469 | Email: goldsmith@ericastanley.com |
Website: www.queenstowngoldsmiths.blogspot.com | Hours: Tuesday to Friday from 9am-5pm, Saturday and
Sunday by appointment or by chance

Scandimodern: 61 Carleton Street, Fredericton | Phone: 455-7730 | Email: <mailto:info@scandimodern.ca> |
Website: <http://www.scandimodern.ca> | Hours: Monday to Thursday 11am – 6pm; Friday 11am – 8pm; Saturday
10am – 4pm.

Strata Art Studios: 66 Marigold Street, Fredericton | Mobile: 259-4850 | Email: StrataArtStudios@yahoo.com |
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/StrataArtStudios> | Website: <http://www.StrataArtStudios.com> |
Hours: By appointment only.

The George Fry Gallery: New Brunswick College of Craft and Design, 457 Queen Street, Fredericton | Phone:
453-2305 | Email: <mailto:karen.ruet@gnb.ca> | Website: <http://www.nbccd.ca> | Hours: Monday-Friday from
8:15am-4:30pm.

UNB Art Centre: Memorial Hall, 9 Bailey Drive, UNB Campus, Fredericton | Phone: 453-4623 | Website:
<http://www.unb.ca/cel/programs/creative/exhibition/index.html> | Hours: Monday-Friday from 9am-4pm.



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