



FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY  
1963 - 2013



KINGSTON ARTS COUNCIL

## THE KINGSTON ARTS COUNCIL

*is devoted to serving the arts community  
in Kingston and the surrounding region.*

*The KAC staff, board and volunteers build  
productive relationships among artists,  
arts organizations, audiences, and  
government by the following means:*



ONTARIO ARTS COUNCIL  
CONSEIL DES ARTS DE L'ONTARIO



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For up to date information, including deadline changes, please check our website, or sign up for our [artsbuzz newsletter](http://artsbuzznewsletter.ca) at:  
[www.artskingston.ca/newsletter.cfm](http://www.artskingston.ca/newsletter.cfm)

or stop by the Kingston Arts Council office:  
253 ONTARIO ST., SUITE 203  
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[WWW.ARTSKINGSTON.CA](http://www.artskingston.ca)

To become a member and/or patron of the Kingston Arts Council, please visit:

### MEMBERSHIP & DONATIONS

### FUNDING

According to the Ontario Arts Council, every dollar invested in arts funding generates four dollars in the local economy. The KAC administers over **\$500,000** of annual arts funding for local arts organizations through the City of Kingston Arts Fund (CKAF). The KAC also administers the Nan Yeomans Grant for Artistic Development that helps promising young artists further their education and professional growth.

The KAC is also able to act as an intermediary for Kingston artists and arts groups who wish to apply to local foundations to support their arts activities.

For more information, please contact the **Kingston Arts Council Grants Department**  
613-546-2999 / [grants@artskingston.ca](mailto:grants@artskingston.ca)

DATE	EVENT
APR 19	PHOTOGRAPHY PORTFOLIO REVIEW
LATE APR	SHORT FICTION PRIZE - APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE
EARLY MAY	NATIONAL YOUTH ARTS WEEK
MAY 9 - 28	JURIED ART SALON
MAY 16	JURIED ART SALON OPENING RECEPTION
JUN 20 - JUL 1	SKELETON PARK ARTS FESTIVAL
JUL 19	SOUL SHAKEDOWN
AUG 15	PECHA KUCHA (KINGSTON PUPPETS)
MID SEP	MULTICULTURAL ARTS FESTIVAL
SEP 27-29	KINGSTON CULTURE DAYS
SEP 27-29	WRITERS FEST (SHORT FICTION PRIZE WINNER ANNOUNCED)
OCT 18	CULTURAL KALEIDOSCOPE
NOV 7	SOCIAL MEDIA WORKSHOP FOR ARTISTS
DEC 7	YEAR IN REVIEW

### 2013 (CONT'D)

### COMMUNICATION

Our **Arts Guide** helps to build audiences and raise awareness of professional artists and organizations in the Kingston area.

Our interactive arts portal at [artskingston.ca](http://artskingston.ca) acts as a valuable information hub keeping artists, patrons, and visitors to Kingston informed of a wide range of creative activity.

### PRESENTATION

KAC plays a lead role in the **Juried Art Salon**, the **Kingston Cultural Kaleidoscope**, the **Building Arts Communities** speaker series, and other high quality local events. KAC offers year round workshops, internships and professional development opportunities.

### DATES AT A GLANCE:

DATE	EVENT
NOV 12	GRAND THEATRE 50TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR IN REVIEW (NAN YEOMANS GRANT RECIPIENT ANNOUNCED)
DEC 1	
2012	
JAN 25	BREAKFAST & BRAG ARTS TALK
JAN 25 - FEB 10	ARTIGNITE
FEB 7	BUILDING ARTS COMMUNITIES
FEB 12	GRANT WRITING WORKSHOP
MID FEB	ARTS GUIDE APPLICATIONS DUE
MAR 16	MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS WORKSHOP
MAR 19	CKAF OPERATING GRANT INFO SESSION
MAR 21	CKAF PROJECT GRANT INFO SESSION
MAR 29	JURIED ART SALON APPLICATIONS DUE

### ADVOCACY

KAC regularly attends city council and arts advisory committee meetings on behalf of all members, and advocates for Kingston artists at the local, provincial, and federal levels.

### SOCIAL MEDIA

We'll help promote your events and spread the word about arts in Kingston!

- FACEBOOK.COM/KINGSTONARTSCOUNCIL
- TWITTER.COM/ARTSKING
- YOUTUBE.COM/KINGSTONARTSCOUNCIL

[WWW.ARTSKINGSTON.CA](http://www.artskingston.ca)



# 2012

## NOVEMBER 12 GRAND THEATRE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY 7:30PM @ THE GRAND THEATRE (218 PRINCESS ST.)

Join us for a celebration of 50 years for both The Grand Theatre and the KAC, including live entertainment, a video documentary, special exhibitions, a "speakers corner" and birthday cake!

## DECEMBER 1 A YEAR IN REVIEW 7PM @ KINGSTON YACHT CLUB (1 MAITLAND ST.)

Highlighting success stories in 2012 Kingston arts & culture, this event is an opportunity to network with the many different people in your arts community, while becoming more informed about each others' arts activities and events. The KAC will also be announcing the recipient of the 2012 Nan Yeomans Grant for Artistic Development. Evening includes live entertainment and local art exhibits.

### ADDITIONAL DATES & INFORMATION

For further information and extra goodies, including the KAC SPOTLIGHT videos on local artists and arts organizations, visit us online at:

 [WWW.ARTSKINGSTON.CA](http://WWW.ARTSKINGSTON.CA)

And keep in touch with us via social media:

 [FACEBOOK.COM/KINGSTONARTSCOUNCIL](https://www.facebook.com/KINGSTONARTSCOUNCIL)  
 [TWITTER.COM/ARTSKING](https://twitter.com/ARTSKING)  
 [YOUTUBE.COM/KINGSTONARTSCOUNCIL](https://www.youtube.com/KINGSTONARTSCOUNCIL)

# 2013

## JANUARY 25 BREAKFAST & BRAG ARTS TALK @ KINGSTON YACHT CLUB (1 MAITLAND ST.)

The Kingston Arts Council Staff and Board of Directors meet over breakfast, while sharing our past successes and vision for the future, with special guests.

## JANUARY 25 - FEBRUARY 10 ARTIGNITE @ VENUES THROUGHOUT KINGSTON

A festival of the dynamic, energetic, and vibrant students and community artists who invigorate the Queen's campus and the City of Kingston, who inspire us and contribute to cultural life in our community.

## FEBRUARY 7 BUILDING ARTS COMMUNITIES SPEAKER SERIES 7PM @ KINGSTON YACHT CLUB (1 MAITLAND ST.)

Following last year's successful event, which featured Simon Brault, (author of No Culture, No Future) this year we will feature keynote speaker Jorn Weisbrodt, Artistic Director of the Luminato Festival.

## FEBRUARY 12 GRANT WRITING WORKSHOP 6:30PM @ DELAHAYE ROOM, CENTRAL BRANCH OF THE KINGSTON FRONTENAC PUBLIC LIBRARY (130 JOHNSON ST.)

Applying for funding this year? This session will provide strategies and best-practices for writing strong grant applications, preparing budgets & stats and reporting.

## MID-FEBRUARY ARTS GUIDE APPLICATIONS DUE

## MARCH 16 MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS WORKSHOP & CONCERT (CO-PRESENTED BY JOE'S M.I.L.L.) 1PM @ BOYS & GIRLS CLUB (559 BAGOT ST.)

Check out the wealth of lending library instruments at Joe's M.I.L.L., with hands-on workshops, featuring local musicians in this great north end arts venue. All ages will be encouraged to participate.

## MARCH 19 CKAF OPERATING GRANT INFO SESSION MARCH 21 CKAF PROJECT GRANT INFO SESSION 6:30PM @ DELAHAYE ROOM, CENTRAL BRANCH OF THE KINGSTON FRONTENAC LIBRARY

## MARCH 29 JURIED ART SALON APPLICATION DEADLINE

## APRIL 19 PHOTOGRAPHY PORTFOLIO REVIEW & EXHIBIT 7PM @ CENTRAL BRANCH, KINGSTON FRONTENAC PUBLIC LIBRARY

Learn from some of Kingston finest photographers how to improve your portfolio, amidst the annual exhibition of the Kingston Photography Club.

## LATE APRIL APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE FOR THE 2013 ARTSKINGSTON JURIED SHORT FICTION PRIZE

## MAY 9 - 28 JURIED ART SALON @ WILSON ROOM, CENTRAL BRANCH OF THE KINGSTON FRONTENAC PUBLIC LIBRARY (OPENING RECEPTION MAY 16)

The Annual Juried Art Salon invites artists in all media to participate in this exhibition.

## JUNE 20 - JULY 1 SKELETON PARK ARTS FESTIVAL @ VENUES THROUGHOUT KINGSTON

An expansion of the popular Skeleton Park Music Festival, Kingston's first multi-arts festival will help to bring together artists and arts organizations from across the city, province and country.

## JULY 19 SOUL SHAKEDOWN - K.A.C. FUNDRAISER @ KINGSTON YACHT CLUB (1 MAITLAND ST.)

Aiming to bring the best in rare dance grooves from funk and soul to Latin, Brazilian, Pan-African, Arabic, Asian Dub, Bhangra Hip Hop and more. Soul Shakedown strives to construct a safe space where diverse peoples can shake it out with freedom and flair, while celebrating, welcoming and affirming community through music & dance.

## AUGUST 15 PECHA KUCHA - FEATURING KINGSTON PUPPETS @ UPPER CANADA ACADEMY FOR THE ARTS

Drawing its name from the Japanese term for the sound of "chit chat", Pecha Kucha, originally from Tokyo, rests on a presentation format that is based on a simple idea: 20 images x 20 seconds. Artists present 20 of their images for 20 seconds each. It's a format that makes presentations concise, and keeps things moving at a rapid pace.

## MID-SEPTEMBER KINGSTON MULTICULTURAL ARTS FESTIVAL

A celebration of our city's diverse communities, featuring music and dance performance representing cultures from around the world, as well as local artists and vendors, workshops, children's activities and more.

## SEPTEMBER 27 - 29 KINGSTON WRITERSFEST & ANNOUNCEMENT OF 2013 ARTSKINGSTON JURIED SHORT FICTION PRIZE WINNER

## SEPTEMBER 27 - 29 CULTURE DAYS @ VENUES THROUGHOUT KINGSTON

A collaborative pan-Canadian volunteer movement to raise the engagement of all Canadians in the arts and cultural life of their communities. Culture Days features free, hands-on activities that invite the public to participate "behind the scenes" in the world of artists, historians, architects, curators, & designers.

## OCTOBER 18 KINGSTON CULTURAL KALEIDOSCOPE @ KINGSTON YACHT CLUB (1 MAITLAND ST.)

A massive celebration of Kingston arts and culture, featuring a colourful spectrum of our finest artists and arts organizations, including: dance, music, theatre, film, new media, literary arts, fine arts and craft.

## NOVEMBER 7 SOCIAL MEDIA WORKSHOP FOR ARTISTS @ KINGSTON YACHT CLUB (1 MAITLAND ST.)

Learn how to better communicate your arts projects and events on line, with the help of local experts in social media.

## DECEMBER 7 YEAR IN REVIEW @ KINGSTON YACHT CLUB (1 MAITLAND ST.)

The Kingston Arts Council's Year-End Event, which includes 2013 programming highlights from the Kingston arts community, and the presentation of the Nan Yeomans Grant for Artistic Development.

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Bringing local arts to life.

