



The United Arts Appeal of Chautauqua County has announced its Projects Pool Grants recipients for 2021. Citizens for a Better Cassadaga received support for their Cassadaga Lakes 2021 Summer Concert Series like they did in 2020, as pictured.

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United Arts Appeal Announces 2021 Grant Recipients

Jamestown, N.Y. – Four local organizations and an individual have been awarded grants from the Projects Pool Grants Program of the United Arts Appeal of Chautauqua County (UAA).

The 2021 Projects Pool award recipients and their projects are:

Organizations:

- Audubon Community Nature Center: Interactive Nature Sidewalk Art
- Citizens for a Better Cassadaga: Cassadaga Lakes 2021 Summer Concert Series
- Myers Memorial Library: Little Musicians in the Park
- Reg Lenna Center for the Arts/WRFA Radio: Arts on Fire LIVE

Individual Artist:

- Nick Weiser: What is Jazz?: A Concert for Children and Families at the Fredonia Opera House

In addition to providing operating support for six of the county's larger arts organizations, the UAA makes these annual awards for artistic projects. To apply, organizations must have nonprofit status; individuals must have been Chautauqua County residents for at least one year and can work in any artistic discipline.

After being screened for eligibility and fulfillment of requirements, applications are reviewed by an advisory panel composed of artists and community leaders. Their recommendations are then reviewed for approval by the United Arts Appeal board.

Because COVID-19 prevented some award winners in 2020 from being able to accomplish their projects, this year's application had a question specifically addressing that issue.

United Arts Appeal member organizations are the Chautauqua Regional Youth Ballet, Community Music Project, 1891 Fredonia Opera House Performing Arts Center, Infinity Visual and Performing Arts, Lucille Ball Little Theatre of Jamestown, and Western New York Chamber Orchestra.

The United Arts Appeal is supported by Chautauqua County, local foundations, corporations, businesses, and individuals throughout the county. For more information about the UAA, including programs offered by member organizations, visit UnitedArtsAppeal.org.

Tax-deductible contributions to support the United Arts Appeal of Chautauqua County can be made by a check made out to United Arts Appeal and mailed to P.O. Box 754, Jamestown, NY 14702.

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