Emergence:
art work during
the pandemic

Spring Arts
Celebration
May 17 - 31, 2021
Video & Exhibits

Nantucket Arts Council
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In the darkness of the 2020 pandemic...

...many artists in our community continued their creative work inside their homes making sense of their daily experiences. With all public presentations of the arts not accessible, our vibrant innovative arts communities moved online. We saw individual artists emerge online on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and TikTok. We saw our local cultural institutions promote talks, classes, workshops, productions, art shows and concerts online. This provided us the assurance that our gifted arts community was still at work. It also provided us with the hope that comes with hearing a beautiful piece of music; viewing a profound work of visual art; reading words that reaffirm our spirit; and watching the unfailing willpower of artists encouraging us to look inward and outward as we needed. How much we have needed them to help us through this time is immeasurable.

Barbara Elder, President

Photos: Beth Morris

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2020 Individual Artist Grants

- Mark Carapezza ~ Actor, Visual Artist
- Elizabeth Congdon ~ Visual Artist, Painter
- Tracy Ann Daily ~ Ceramic Artist, Potter
- Nick Davies ~ Musician, Clarinetist
- Sarah Ditmars ~ Visual Artist, Mixed Media
- Kelly Emery ~ Musician, Trumpeter
- Greta Feeney ~ Musician, Vocalist
- Kevin Flynn ~ Actor, Comedian
- Mollie Glazer ~ Musician, Cellist
- Louis Guarnaccia ~ Visual Artist, Painter
- Bill Hoenk ~ Visual Artist, Photographer
- Matt Hutchinson ~ Musician, Pianist
- Leah Jensen-Marshall ~ Visual Artist, Mixed Media
- Floyd Kellogg ~ Musician, Recording Engineer
- Marianne Kelley ~ Photography, Graphic Arts
- Charles Manghis ~ Marine Artist, Scrimshander
- Zoe Markham ~ Visual Artist, Painter, Mixed Media
- Jennifer Maxwell ~ Musician, Pianist
- Rebecca Nimerfroh ~ Literary Artist, Writer
- Lizza Obremski ~ Puppeteer, Musician, Actor
- Cate Raphael ~ Visual Artist, Painter
- Ivy Ringel ~ Musician, Double Reeds
- Karen Russell ~ Visual Arts, Painter
- Tom Stoddart ~ Musician, Visual Artist

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View the Pandemic Work of Nantucket artists at these businesses:

- Corner Table Cafe
- TouJours Midi Nantucket
- Nantucket Clothing Company
- Fisher Real Estate
- William Raveis Real Estate
- Vis A Vis
- Southern Tide
- Mitchell’s Book Corner
- The Beet
- Born & Bread
- Stephanie’s of Nantucket
- Cape Cod Five
- Congdon & Coleman Insurance
- Hanover Bank
- It’s a Shore Thing

Videos featuring Nantucket artists, “Emergence: at work during the pandemic” will be premiered on NCTV Channel 18, NCTV YouTube and Nantucket Arts Council YouTube. They will be viewable May 17 - 31, 2021.

Nantucket Public School Concerts viewable online at Nantucket Arts Council YouTube:

Concert #1: The Nantucket Cobbletones
Concert #2: Bruce Abbott, saxophone & flute, and Fabiano de Castro, keyboards