

PLAINS **ART**
MUSEUM

BIENNIAL REPORT

JULY 1, 2022 - JUNE 30, 2024



LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR

DEAR SUPPORTERS,



Change can be a catalyst- for new ideas, new connections, and new possibilities. Plains Art Museum has experienced a great deal of change over the course of the last two fiscal years, including my appointment

as your Director and CEO. We eagerly anticipate more change in the near future as we move forward with our capital campaign, Connections, with groundbreaking slated for fall of 2025. This period of intense growth is truly exciting; it doesn't come without its challenges, but Plains enjoys phenomenal support- from our staff, Board of Directors, committee members, donors, museum members, and volunteers. It is because of this support that we've been able to accomplish major feats, and it is because of this support that we will continue to grow, cementing Plains' position as the pre-eminent, nationally recognized art museum in the state of North Dakota. This biannual review serves as a means of celebration of our past and present accomplishments and as an invitation to join us in support of our future successes.

There are many highlights from the past year to acknowledge: we've enjoyed record high gallery attendance month after month; pulled off Plains' first ever monumental, site-specific installation in our Ruth and Seymour Landfield Atrium, courtesy of international, Minnesota based artist Anne Labovitz; our work with Indigenous communities and our K-12 Education programs were featured on the Empowered Program, hosted by actress Meg Ryan; and our capital campaign, Connections, continues to garner support and momentum as we prepare for upcoming construction. We've been busy!

All of our work is rooted in our mission to serve the Fargo/Moorhead community and beyond as the only American Alliance of Museums accredited art museum in the state of North Dakota. This is a distinction we're proud of and a responsibility we take seriously. The benefits of the arts are immeasurable; they connect us, serve as a platform for dialogues and new ideas, allow for self-discovery, and also promote health and wellness.

As we move into our exhibitions and programming for 2025 and 2026, you'll notice us leaning into the health benefits of art. Through newly formed partnerships with Sanford, collaborations with grassroots community health organizations, and programming with socially conscious artists and educators, Plains seeks to serve as a model for community responsive museum engagement.

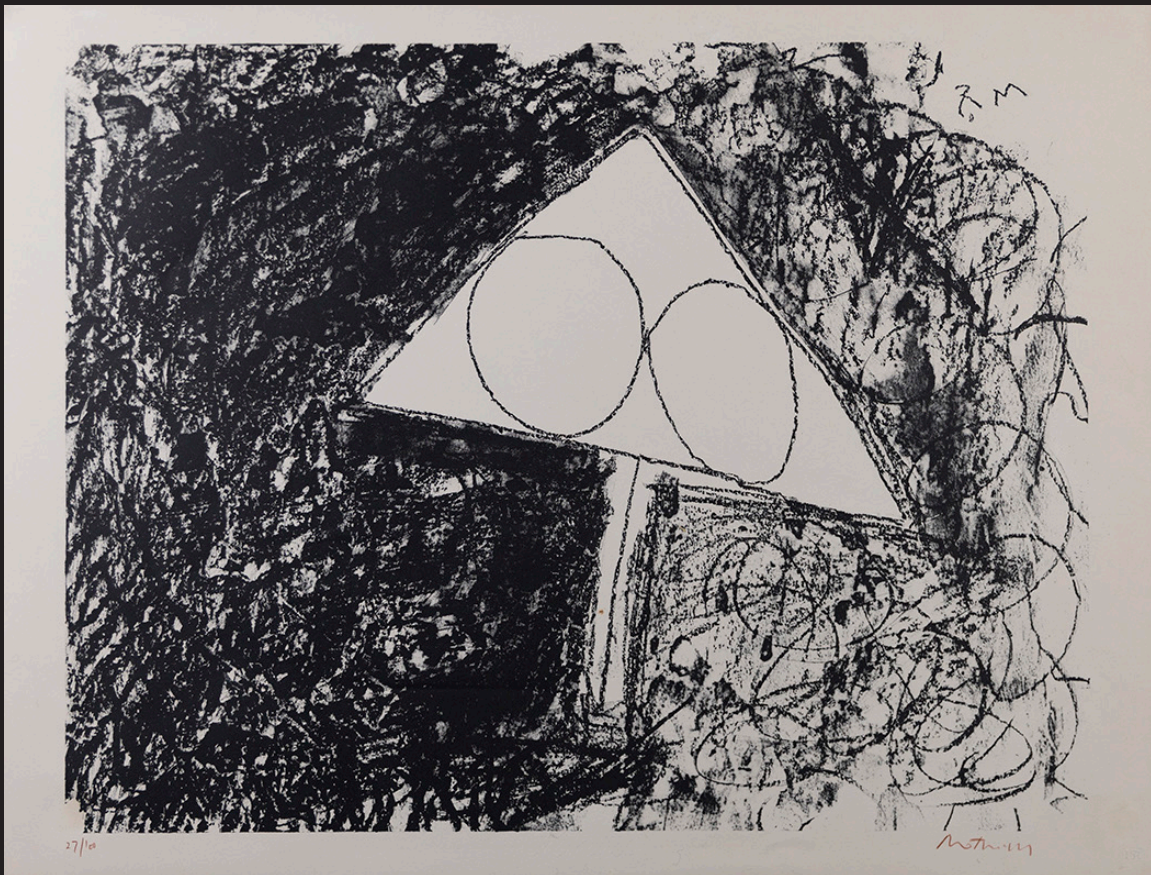
We're excited for this new chapter at Plains Art Museum, and I hope you are, too- because none of this work could be accomplished without your support. When we say we're a museum for the community, we mean it. We're open seven days a week and we're free admission each and every one of those days. Our exhibition programming? Free. Kid Quest? Free. Noon Holiday Concerts? Free. Classes? Those have a price tag- but if you're facing financial hardship, we have scholarships available.

Plains Art Museum was founded by Fargo/Moorhead community members 60 years ago and has grown into a nationally recognized museum with supporters worldwide- that is incredible. A heartfelt thank you to all of you, our supporters, for shaping the past, present, and future of Plains Art Museum. Together, we're crafting Plains Art Museum's legacy as a leader in the arts in the Upper Midwest.

With Gratitude,

A handwritten signature of Erin Shapiro in red ink. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Erin Shapiro
Director & CEO



Robert Motherwell, *Untitled from the Madrid Suite*, Lithograph, 20 x 30 in., Gift of Sallie A. Manley, 2024.001.0001

Robert Motherwell
Untitled from the Madrid Suite
 Lithograph, 20 x 30 in.
 Gift of Sallie A. Manley
 2024.001.0001

Steven M. Andersen
Dalinian Dichotomy
 Lithograph, 41 x 30 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0001

Steven M. Andersen
Vertebrae II
 Lithograph
 42.5 x 29.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0002

Steven M. Andersen
Second Blueprint for Vertebrae II
 Lithograph
 41.25 x 29.75 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0003

Steven M. Andersen
Blueprint for Vertebrae II
 Lithograph
 35.5 x 26.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0004

Steven M. Andersen
 Untitled
 Graphite, Acrylic
 40 x 25.25 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0005

Steven M. Andersen
Hinged Brush
 Lithograph
 35.5 x 25 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0006

Steven M. Andersen
Hinged Brush
 Lithograph
 35.5 x 25 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0007

Steven M. Andersen
Blue Screw
 Silkscreen
 34 x 35 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0008

Steven M. Andersen
American Ice Cream
 Lithograph, Silkscreen, debossing
 31.5 x 24 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0009

Steven M. Andersen
Ostrich
 Lithograph
 22.25 x 29.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0010

Steven M. Andersen
Dogtoys II
 Lithograph, silkscreen, collage
 30 x 22.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0011

Steven M. Andersen
Dogtoys II
 Lithograph, silkscreen, collage
 30 x 22.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0012

Steven M. Andersen
Mr. and Mrs. Dali
 Lithograph
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0013

Steven M. Andersen
The Flying Scot
 Lithograph
 30 x 22.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0014

Steven M. Andersen
The Flying Scot
 Lithograph
 30 x 22.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0015

Steven M. Andersen
The Flying Scot
 Lithograph
 30 x 22.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0016

Steven M. Andersen
The Flying Scot
 Lithograph
 30 x 22.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0017

Steven M. Andersen
The Flying Scot
 Lithograph
 30 x 22.5 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0018

Steven M. Andersen
 Untitled (*silent death knell*)
 Acrylic, collage
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0019

Steven M. Andersen
Washer
 Acrylic, collage, graphite
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0020

Steven M. Andersen
 Untitled (*silent death knell*)
 Acrylic on mylar, collage
 26.5 x 22.25 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0021

Steven M. Andersen
Dogtoys III Projection
 Graphite, collage
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0022

Steven M. Andersen
 Untitled (crucifixion)
 Graphite, watercolor
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0023

Steven M. Andersen
Self Portrait
 Conte
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0024

Steven M. Andersen
An w/ Incorrect Lips (Pouting)
 Graphite
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0025

Steven M. Andersen
Rectangular Poet
 Graphite
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0026

Steven M. Andersen
Two Artists
 Graphite
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0027

Steven M. Andersen
Army Navy
 Graphite
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0028

Steven M. Andersen
80' Flathead
 Graphite
 20.75 x 28 ¾ in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0029

Steven M. Andersen
The Hunters ca. 1900
 Graphite, collage on mylar
 30 x 22 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0030

Steven M. Andersen
Study for Vertebrae I (frontal)
 Graphite
 18 x 24 in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0031

Steven M. Andersen
Vertebrae III
 Graphite
 20 ¾ x 29 ½ in.
 Gift of the Artist
 2024.002.0032

Steven M. Andersen

Study for Vertebrae I
Graphite
25 x 20 ¼ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0033

Steven M. Andersen

Four Studies for Vertebrae I
Graphite
18 x 24 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0034

Steven M. Andersen

Vertebrae I Study
Graphite
24 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0035

Steven M. Andersen

Study for Vertebrae I (oblique)
Graphite
18 x 24 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0036

Steven M. Andersen

Vertebrae I (interstellar)
Lithograph
28 x 19 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0037

Steven M. Andersen

Vertebrae III
Lithograph
17 ½ x 25 ¾ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0038

Steven M. Andersen

Vertebrae III
Lithograph
8.75 x 22 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0039

Steven M. Andersen

Steichen-Dozen Dirty Photographers
Portrait
Graphite
22 x 30 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0040

Steven M. Andersen

E. Weston-Dozen Dirty Photographers
Portrait
Graphite
22 x 30 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0041

Steven M. Andersen

Man Ray-Dozen Dirty Photographers
Portrait
Graphite
22 x 30 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0042

Steven M. Andersen

Walker Evans-Dozen Dirty Photographers Portrait
Graphite
22 x 30 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0043

Steven M. Andersen

Downtown Street
Graphite
22 x 30 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0044

Steven M. Andersen

Study for The Snake River Wrench
Graphite, enamel
30 x 22 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0045

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled Figure Study
Graphite
23 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0046

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled Figure Study
Graphite
23 ½ x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0047

Steven M. Andersen

Life Drawing Sketch (early)
Black conte
24 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0048

Steven M. Andersen

Study for Dogtoy I
Graphite
18 x 24 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0049

Steven M. Andersen

Jackbone
Graphite
18 x 24 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0050

Steven M. Andersen

Vertebrae I (composition)
Graphite
24 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0051

Steven M. Andersen

Refraction I
Graphite
18 x 30 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0052

Steven M. Andersen

Refraction II
Graphite
18 x 30 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0053

Steven M. Andersen

Refraction III
Ink
17 ¼ x 30 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0054

Steven M. Andersen

Refraction IV
Ink
16 x 23 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0055

Steven M. Andersen

Mechanical Doggie
Graphite, collage
22 ½ x 30 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0056

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Lithograph, collage
23 x 19 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0057

Steven M. Andersen

Allen Ca. 1980
Graphite, enamel on mylar
22 x 18.5 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0058

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Graphite
23 ½ x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0059

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Graphite
23 ½ x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0060

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Graphite
23 ½ x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0061

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Graphite
23 ½ x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0062

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Graphite
23 ½ x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0063

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Graphite
18 x 22 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0064

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Graphite
21 ½ x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0065

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Graphite
21 ¼ x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0066

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Graphite
18 x 22 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0067

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Charcoal, conte
24 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0068

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Charcoal, conte
24 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0069

Steven M. Andersen

Museum Study
Conté
24 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0070

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled (*life drawing*)
Conté
24 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0071

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled (*life drawing*)
Graphite
16 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0072

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled (*life drawing*)
Graphite
16 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0073

Steven M. Andersen

Elephants Have the Right of Way
Collage
18 x 15 ¾ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0074

Steven M. Andersen

Life Drawing Study
Graphite, conte
20 ¾ x 14 ¼ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0075

Steven M. Andersen

Life Drawing Study
Ink
14 ½ x 20 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0076

Steven M. Andersen

Self Portrait
Graphite
20 x 10.75
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0077

Steven M. Andersen

Self Portrait (ca. 1965)
Graphite
17 x 13 ¾ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0078

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled-1968
Graphite
17 x 13 ¾ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0079

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled-1968
Charcoal
17 x 13 ¾ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0080

Steven M. Andersen

Maharishi Mahesh Yogi
Ink, watercolor
17 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0081

Steven M. Andersen

Homage to Andy
Ink, watercolor, collage
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0082

Steven M. Andersen

Rhino Study
Graphite
12 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0083

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Graphite
12 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0084

Steven M. Andersen

Portrait of Hank Rowan Teaching
Graphite
18 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0085

Steven M. Andersen

Automatic Drawing
Graphite
18 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0086

Steven M. Andersen

Elephant Study
Graphite
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0087

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Graphite
11 x 14 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0088

Steven M. Andersen

Study for a Giraffe
Graphite
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0089

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Ink
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0090

Steven M. Andersen

Mechanical Women
Felt Pen
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0091

Steven M. Andersen

Man with Invisible Lips
Colored Pencil
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0092

Steven M. Andersen

An
Graphite
11 x 13 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0093

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Graphite
9 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0094



Steven M. Andersen, *Grace*, Lithograph, digital color, 40.5 x 34 in., Gift of the Artist, 2024.002.0136

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Graphite
11 ½ x 9 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0095

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Ink
11 ½ x 9 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0096

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Ink, graphite
11 ½ x 9 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0097

Steven M. Andersen

Logo Design for IOIC
Ink, graphite
11 ½ x 9 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0098

Steven M. Andersen

Self Portrait
Ink, watercolor
12 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0099

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Ink, watercolor
12 x 15 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0100

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Ink, pastels
12 x 17 ¼ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0101

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled (*rushing elephant*)
Intaglio
14 x 11 ¼ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0102

Steven M. Andersen

Rhino Study
Graphite
12 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0103

Steven M. Andersen

Motorcycle
Digital carbon print
13 x 19 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0104

Steven M. Andersen

Automatic Drawing
Felt pen marker
13 x 10 ¾ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0105

Steven M. Andersen

Study for "The Hunters"
Graphite, collage
14 ¼ x 14 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0106

Steven M. Andersen

Golda
Ink, watercolor
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0107

Steven M. Andersen

Illustration study for: "The Journal of Albion Moonlight" Series
Graphite
15 x 23 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0108

Steven M. Andersen

Illustration study for: "The Journal of Albion Moonlight" Series
Ink
23 x 15 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0109

Steven M. Andersen

Illustration study for: "The Journal of Albion Moonlight" Series
Graphite
23 x 15 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0110

Steven M. Andersen

Illustration study for: "The Journal of Albion Moonlight" Series
Graphite
23 x 15 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0111

Steven M. Andersen

Illustration study for: "The Journal of Albion Moonlight" Series
Graphite
23 x 15 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0112

Steven M. Andersen

Illustration study for: "The Journal of Albion Moonlight" Series
Graphite
23 x 15 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0113

Steven M. Andersen

Illustration study for: "The Journal of Albion Moonlight" Series
Graphite
17 x 11 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0114

Steven M. Andersen

Illustration study for: "The Journal of Albion Moonlight" Series
Graphite
14 x 15 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0115

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled
Graphite
12 x 14 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0116

Steven M. Andersen

Study for "Crystal"
Graphite
18 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0117

Steven M. Andersen

For Duchamp
Graphite
12 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0118

Steven M. Andersen

Life Wheel
Graphite
12 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0119

Steven M. Andersen

Study for the Journal of Albion Moonlight series
Graphite
11 x 10 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0120

Steven M. Andersen

Evel Violince
Graphite
41 x 28 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0121

Steven M. Andersen

Evel Digger
Graphite
40 x 2 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0122

Steven M. Andersen

Evel Racket
Graphite
31 x 22
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0123

Steven M. Andersen

1978 Woody
Oil pastel, colored pencil
13 ¾ x 10
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0124

Steven M. Andersen

Bananas
Oil pastel
16 x 21.25 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0125

Steven M. Andersen

Ostrich
Lithograph
22.5 x 29.25 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0126

Steven M. Andersen

Woody
Oil pastel, collage
13 x 17.75 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0127

Steven M. Andersen

Evel Painter
Graphite, colored pencil
23 x 16.25 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0128

Steven M. Andersen

Evel Chopper
Graphite
30 x 22 ¼ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0129

Steven M. Andersen

Snake River Wrench
Graphite
29 ½ x 21 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0130

Steven M. Andersen

Breast
Graphite
8 ¼ x 6 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0131

Steven M. Andersen

Blueprint for "The Doctor and his Son"
Graphite, collage
23 x 18 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0132

Steven M. Andersen

#35
Graphite
22 x 29 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0133

Steven M. Andersen

The Day the Music Died
Graphite, digital, colored pencil
31 x 42 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0134

Steven M. Andersen

Hoover in a MAX Tie
Mixed Media
15 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0135

Steven M. Andersen

Grace
Lithograph, digital color
40.5 x 34 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0136

Steven M. Andersen

Grace
Lithograph
40 ½ x 34 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0137

Steven M. Andersen

Shaftway I
Graphite
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0138

Steven M. Andersen

Shaftway II
Graphite
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0139

Steven M. Andersen

Shaftway III
Graphite
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0140

Steven M. Andersen

Shaftway IV
Graphite
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0141

Steven M. Andersen

Shaftway V
Graphite
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0142

Steven M. Andersen

Shaftway VI
Graphite
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0143

Steven M. Andersen

Shaftway VII
Graphite
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0144

Steven M. Andersen

Shaftway VIII
Graphite
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0145

Steven M. Andersen

Shaftway IX
Graphite
16 x 12 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0146

Steven M. Andersen

Evel Digger
Mixed Media
6 ½ x 24 x 10 ¼ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0147

Steven M. Andersen

Evel Chopper
Mixed Media
5 ½ x 14 x 6 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0148

Steven M. Andersen

Evel Racket
Mixed Media
10 x 13 x 4 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0149

Steven M. Andersen

Snake River Wrench
Mixed Media
24 x 12 x 4 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0150

Steven M. Andersen

Artist Hair Brush
Mixed Media
4 x 7 x 6 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0151

Steven M. Andersen

Monkey Toys
Mixed Media
12 ½ x 9 x 3 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0152

Steven M. Andersen

A Dozen Dirty Photographers Portrait
Mixed Media
Gift of the Artist
22 x 30 in.
2024.002.0153

Steven M. Andersen

Dogtoy I
Mixed Media
14 x 10 x 3 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0154

Steven M. Andersen

Dogtoy II
Mixed Media
16 ¼ x 11 ½ x 3 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0155

Steven M. Andersen

Dogtoy III
Mixed Media
14 x 12 x 3 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0156

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled (silent death knell)-I
Oil on canvas
18 x 15 ½ x 1 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0157

Steven M. Andersen

Untitled (silent death knell)-II
Oil on canvas, carborundum
40 x 32 x 1 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0158

Steven M. Andersen

Part of the Royal Family of Pookerville
Graphite, colored pencil
25 x 32 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0159

Steven M. Andersen

The Children of King Abum Babum
Graphite, colored pencil
29 x 22 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0160

Steven M. Andersen

Drawing tablet A
Mixed media
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0161

Steven M. Andersen

Drawing tablet B
Mixed media
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0162

Steven M. Andersen

Drawing tablet C
Mixed media
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0163

Steven M. Andersen

Drawing tablet: Automatic drawings
Mixed media
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0164

Steven M. Andersen

Drawing tablet
Mixed media
8.5 x 6.5 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0165

Steven M. Andersen

Black journal
Mixed media
14 x 11 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0166

Steven M. Andersen

Black journal
Mixed media
11 x 8 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0167

Steven M. Andersen

Black journal
Mixed media
8 ½ x 5 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0168

Steven M. Andersen

Three Ring binder containing slides and photos
Mixed media
11 ½ x 10 in.
Gift of the Artist
2024.002.0169

Steven M. Andersen

Orange photo envelope
Mixed media
14 ½ x 11 ½ in.
Gift of the Artist
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Various artists

Set of study prints
Mixed media
Gift of Steven M. Andersen
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N/A

Set of didactic panels (*The Day the Music Died*)
Mixed media
Gift of Steven M. Andersen
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Jasper Johns

Bent Blue
Lithograph
26 x 30 in.
Gift of Steven M. Andersen
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Edward Lentsch

Untitled
Mixed media
26 x 30 in.
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Matthew McConville

Figure Painting
Oil on panel
48 x 40 in.
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Figure Painting
Oil on Panel
12 x 10 in.
Gift of Steven M. Andersen
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Ed Moses

WHA-T
Oil on canvas
60 x 48 in.
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Ed Ruscha

Mysteries
Lithograph
30 ¾ x 30 in.
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T. L. Solien

Pelican
Mixed Media
48 x 40 in.
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Tree of Life
Drawing, collage
54 ½ x 50 ½ in.
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2024.002.0180

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Untitled (frog collage)
Drawing, collage
51 ½ x 52 in.
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2024.002.0181

Artist once known

Abraham Lincoln Portrait
Lithograph
20 x 16 in.
Gift of Steven M. Andersen
2024.002.0182

John Walker

Untitled
Charcoal
30 x 22 ¼ in.
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Charcoal
30 x 22 ¼ in.
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Charcoal
30 x 22 ¼ in.
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John Walker

Untitled
Charcoal
44 x 60 in.
Gift of Steven M. Andersen
2024.002.0186

John Walker

Untitled
Charcoal
38 ¾ x 58 in.
Gift of Steven M. Andersen
2024.002.0187

John Walker

Study for KEEPSAKE I
60 x 4 in.
Gift of Steven M. Andersen
2024.002.0188



Ed Ruscha, *Mysteries*, Lithograph, 30 3/4 x 30 in., Gift of Steven M. Andersen, 2024.002.0178

EXHIBITIONS



La Línea: 22 Years of Grupo Soap del Corazón
February 28, 2022 - August 13, 2022

Red River Watercolor Society: National Juried Watermedia Exhibition
June 16 - August 20, 2022

Northern Plains Summer Art Institute 2022 Staff and Student Exhibition
June 24 - September 22, 2022

Wag̓na niš niyepi: Continuity of Culture
July 28, 2022 - February 26, 2023

FMVA Studio Crawl Preview
September 3, 2022 - November 26, 2022

Hazel Belvo: Heart and Soul
September 10, 2022 - July 28, 2023

Unseen Traces in the Work of Ann Johnson
September 15, 2022 - March 11, 2023

Below the Surface
September 17, 2022 - March 26, 2023

FMVA Constraint: Encounters/Spirituality with Nature
September 24, 2022 - January 14, 2023

Recourse: Scapes by Britta Anderson
December 1, 2022 - June 4, 2023

North Dakota Human Rights Arts Exhibition
January 9 - January 30, 2023

2023 Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Exhibition
February 6 - March 4, 2023

2023 School Spirit: Celebrating Youth Art Month
March 4 - March 31, 2023

Gerald Cournoyer: Sending A Voice
March 18 - September 30, 2023

Spring Gala: Wonderland Art Auction Exhibition
April 7 - May 6, 2023

Architecture for the Birds
March 23 - May 5, 2023

Across the Lake: Recent Works by John Nellerroe
March 25 - May 30, 2023

Zoetic Spaces
June 3 - August 27, 2023

This is Not Black and White
June 24, 2023 - June 10, 2024

Installation view of *Hazel Belvo: Heart and Soul*, September 10, 2022 - July 28, 2023



The Talent Behind the Curtain:
Work by Plains Art Museum Staff
June 24 - August 25, 2023

Northern Plains Summer Art Institute 2023
Staff and Student Exhibition
June 30 - September 10, 2023

Carrying Things From Home
September 9, 2023 - May 7, 2024

FMVA Studio Crawl Preview
September 16 - December 3, 2023

FMVA Art Advocates' Exhibition
September 23 - December 17, 2023

The Practice is the Point
September 30, 2023 - March 16, 2024

Oscar Howe: Ikičiksapa
October 28, 2023 - August 17, 2024

A Lazy Love
December 16, 2023 - May 19, 2024

Art Camp
March 23 - April 15, 2024

2024 Spring Gala Art Auction Exhibition
April 20 - May 5, 2024

Full Disclosure: Selections from the
Thomas-Suwall Collection
April 20 - October 20, 2024

Emma Katka: Glimmers of Nostalgia for a Place
You've Never Been
May 31 - August 25, 2024

The Queer Ecology Hanky Project
June 17, 2024 - December 15, 2024

Inkpa Mani
June 17, 2024 - September 22, 2024

Installation view of *Oscar Howe: Ikičiksapa*, October 28, 2023 - August 17, 2024

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SELECT PROGRAMS, PROJECTS & INITIATIVES

PLAINS ART CASES

The Museum's Art Case program is designed to provide art education resources to classrooms in our region that have little or no formal art education in place. Each case is packed with a miniature exhibition of works by regional artists and comes with an education guide that encourages classroom participation. The cases are loaned for free and educators pay no shipping fees.

SCHOOL SPIRIT: YOUTH ART MONTH

In March, the Museum showcases the talents of Kindergarten through 12th grade art students from more than 40 schools to increase community awareness of regional arts programs and emphasize the value of the arts and self expression. The Museum also hosts an artists' reception for young area artists and their families, an exciting gathering of about 1,100 people that includes performances from the Fargo Moorhead Area Youth Symphonies and art-making activities.

KID QUEST

Kid Quest is a free, family program, held the first Saturday of the month from October through April. The event draws around 200 children and family members each month, offering them the opportunity to explore art in the galleries and then participate in creating an art project together at the Katherine Kilbourne Burgum Center for Creativity. Xcel Energy is the primary sponsor, with additional support from Minnesota Public Radio.

CREATIVITY AMONG NATIVE AMERICAN ARTISTS INITIATIVE

Creativity Among Native American Artists involves Native American artists in programs and exhibitions at Plains Art Museum. It provides a Native American artist in residence program, engaging exhibitions, and multiple learning opportunities through workshops, artist talks, and professional development.

5 PLAIN QUESTIONS

5 Plain Questions is a podcast that poses 5 general questions to Indigenous artists, creators, musicians, writers, movers and shakers, and culture bearers. 5 Plain Questions is produced by Plains Art Museum and edited by Eleven Warrior Arts LLC. Listen here or subscribe on your favorite podcast app.

STUDIO CLASSES

Art-making classes for youth and adults offer opportunities for inquisitive people of all ages. Classes are held at the Katherine Kilbourne Burgum Center for Creativity, a multipurpose arts facility that also offers studio and exhibition space for learning, discussion, and display of creative work. Plains Art Museum's studio programs focus on developing people's potential for deeper learning and problem solving through 21st-century skills: creativity, collaboration, critical thinking, and communication. The Bradley J. Burgum skybridge connects the original museum building with this 25,500 square foot expansion.

OPEN STUDIO

Members are invited to work on ceramic projects during Open Studio hours offered four days a week in the Katherine Kilbourne Burgum Center for Creativity, in an atmosphere where people can come together to work on projects—experimenting, collaborating, and encouraging fellow artists.

TUESDAYS FOR TODDLERS

A time for our youngest visitors and their grown-ups to foster creativity and imagination through stories, songs, and hands-on art activities. Each month we will offer a unique theme and a new art project for the child to create and take home. Recommended for children ages 2-5. Siblings, younger than two, can accompany the group for free.



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VOICES OF CREATIVE CHANGE INITIATIVE

The Voices of Creative Change Initiative | Fugitive Laboratory for Ideas and Creativity (VCCI | FLIC) emerges as an essential component in Plains Art Museum's educational, curatorial, and administrative teams. The purpose is to develop and manage dynamic and community-responsive programming at Plains Art Museum. VCCI-FLIC also generates an emerging set of experimental and conceptual artistic programs and projects that are designed to recognize, highlight, and elevate diverse artists' voices, build trust between the Museum and vulnerable communities, and advance the Museum's Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Accessibility (I.D.E.A.) motivations.

THE MUSEUM UNCRATED

Members of Plains Art Museum's Curatorial Department explore and investigate museums and some of their behind-the-scene aspects. From increasing general knowledge about collections processes, exhibition development from a curatorial perspective.

ART + AUTISM WORKSHOPS

All sessions are developed and instructed by Plains Art Museum Education Staff and Special Education professionals for families with children on the Autism Spectrum Disorder.

LOW-SENSORY MONDAYS

We embrace the unique qualities of all who walk through our doors and appreciate that many visitors need to explore the Museum in different ways. For individuals and families who prefer a quiet, less sensory-stimulating environment we offer Low-Sensory Mondays on the first Monday afternoon of every month. At each event, loud gallery sounds and bright lights are turned down and attendance is limited.

HANNAHER'S INC. PRINT STUDIO

This space is designed as a place to explore the art of printmaking in all its various forms. The Museum is one of only a handful in the nation with a fully functional print studio.

THE GOLDBERG ART LOUNGE

In this hands-on learning space for all ages, visitors have the opportunity to learn in a relaxed environment through art activities, games, books.

HERITAGE GARDEN & AMPHITHEATER

Designed by artists Su Legatt, Rob Fischer, and Kevin Johnson, the Heritage Garden & Amphitheater is located near the site of the decommissioned power plant along the Red River and adjacent to Woodlawn Park. The power plant provided power to Moorhead from 1896 until 2014, and was a central element to the Woodlawn Park neighborhood. The artists' plan has created an environment that serves as an homage to the power plant, the history of the neighborhood and its residents. Elements from the power plant are incorporated into landforms and garden beds, and serve as found sculptures. Residents from the neighborhood have contributed plants and their personal stories.

BUZZ LAB

Buzz Lab teen interns spent a week in June studying pollinators, tending to the Pollinator Garden at Plains Art Museum, and educating the community on the vital role pollinators play in our ecosystem.

ANNUAL SPRING GALA

Held annually on the first Saturday of May, the Museum's largest fundraiser raises money its education programs. It features live music, hors d'oeuvres, as well as the area's largest wine tasting and art auction.



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The dedicated support of individuals, businesses, and foundations makes possible the achievement of Plains Art Museum's mission: to connect art, artists, and audiences to foster creative, resilient, and welcoming communities. **We thank everyone who supported the Museum during fiscal years 2023 and 2024!**

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Plains Art Museum Statement of Financial Position: June 30, 2023

| Assets | |
|--|----------------------------|
| Cash & cash equivalents | \$2,107,198 |
| Accounts receivable | 11,988 |
| Other receivables | 22,500 |
| Unconditional contributions receivable | 80,129 |
| Inventories | 58,781 |
| Prepaid expenses | 31,977 |
| Total current assets | <u>2,312,573</u> |
| Unconditional contributions receivable, net of current portion | - |
| Contributions Receivable-Capital Campaign, Net | <u>2,065,546</u> |
| Investments | <u>4,309,785</u> |
| Art Collection - Note 14 | |
| Operating Lease Right-of-Use-Asset | <u>130,038</u> |
| Financing Lease Right-of-Use-Asset | <u>13,722</u> |
| Property & equipment | |
| Land | 651,628 |
| Building and improvements | 9,405,253 |
| Equipment | <u>1,026,488</u> |
| | <u>11,083,369</u> |
| Less accumulated depreciation | <u>(6,562,752)</u> |
| Net property and equipment | <u>4,520,644</u> |
| Total assets | <u>\$13,352,308</u> |
| Liabilities and Net Assets | |
| Current portions of operating lease liability | \$102,583 |
| Current portions of financing lease liability | 14,168 |
| Current maturities of long-term debt | 111,789 |
| Accounts payable | 223,241 |
| Accrued expenses | |
| Compensation | 137,472 |
| Payroll taxes | 5,286 |
| Real estate taxes | 17,828 |
| State gaming tax | 165,208 |
| Deferred revenue | <u>1,084</u> |
| Total liabilities | <u>778,659</u> |
| Long-term Debt, Less Current Maturities | |
| Operating lease liability, net of current portion | 32,504 |
| Long-term debt, net of current portion | <u>784,796</u> |
| Total liabilities | <u>1,595,959</u> |
| Net assets | |
| Without donor restrictions | |
| Undesignated | 1,593,476 |
| Designated by the Board for endowment | 1,103,845 |
| Net Investment in property and equipment | 3,624,059 |
| Total net assets with donor restrictions | <u>6,321,380</u> |
| With donor restrictions | |
| Unappropriated earnings on endowment | 845,861 |
| Endowment funds | 2,360,079 |
| Donor restricted donation | <u>2,229,029</u> |
| Total net assets with donor restrictions | <u>5,434,969</u> |
| Total net assets | <u>11,756,349</u> |
| Total liabilities and net assets | <u>\$13,352,308</u> |

Plains Art Museum Statement of Activities: Year Ended June 30, 2023

| Support & Revenue | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Public support | \$320,175 |
| Public support, non-financial assets | 117,262 |
| Capital campaign | 2,065,546 |
| Charitable gaming revenue | 5,582,773 |
| Less charitable gaming expenses | <u>(3,360,513)</u> |
| Net charitable gaming | <u>2,222,260</u> |
| Auxiliary sales | 88,373 |
| Less auxiliary sales expenses | <u>(10,601)</u> |
| Net auxiliary sale | <u>77,772</u> |
| Food sales | 195,900 |
| Less auxiliary sales expenses | <u>(224,125)</u> |
| Net food sale | <u>(28,225)</u> |
| Museum merchandise sales | 25,368 |
| Less museum merchandise expenses | <u>(21,828)</u> |
| Net merchandise sales | <u>3,540</u> |
| Pay check protection program | - |
| Program service and administration | 304,711 |
| Rental revenue | 41,406 |
| Interest income | 3,132 |
| Contributions to endowment | 5,000 |
| Endowment income | 448,391 |
| Net assets released from restrictions | - |
| Total support and revenue | <u>5,580,970</u> |
| Operating expenses | |
| Marketing and community relations | 123,317 |
| Fundraising | 505,906 |
| Exhibitions | 371,944 |
| Education | 1,028,569 |
| Museum building | 674,322 |
| Administrative | <u>330,479</u> |
| Total operating expenses | <u>3,034,537</u> |
| Change in net assets | 2,546,433 |
| Net assets beginning of year | <u>9,209,916</u> |
| Net assets end of year | <u>\$11,756,349</u> |

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR END 6.30.24

Plains Art Museum

Statement of Financial Position: June 30, 2024

| Assets | |
|--|---------------------|
| Cash & cash equivalents | \$2,181,761 |
| Accounts receivable | 25,164 |
| Promises to give, net of current portion | 2,710,309 |
| Prepaid expenses | 30,554 |
| Inventory | 57,177 |
| Investments, at fair value | 5,158,206 |
| Property and equipment, net | 4,350,458 |
| Right-of-use-assets | 186,646 |
| Total assets | \$14,700,275 |
| Liabilities and Net Assets | |
| Liabilities | |
| Accounts payable | \$156,547 |
| Accrued expenses | 375,871 |
| Lease liabilities | 190,212 |
| Notes payable | 784,440 |
| Total liabilities | 1,507,070 |
| Net assets | |
| Without donor restrictions | |
| Undesignated | 5,064,160 |
| Board designated for endowment | 1,481,869 |
| With donor restrictions | 6,647,176 |
| Total net assets | 13,193,205 |
| Total liabilities and net assets | \$14,700,275 |

Plains Art Museum

Statement of Activities and Changes in Net Assets Year Ended June 30, 2024

| Support & Revenue | |
|---|---------------------|
| Public services | \$298,398 |
| Public support | 162,196 |
| Auxiliary gaming sales, net cost of sales | 45,864 |
| Events sales and rent, net cost of sales | 95,837 |
| Museum shop sales, net cost of sales | 10,846 |
| Capital campaign contributions, net of discount | 602,339 |
| Charitable gaming revenue, net cost of revenue | 2,207,667 |
| Endowment contributions | 223,060 |
| Grants | 329,000 |
| In-kind contributions | 120,663 |
| Net investment return | 630,434 |
| Other income | 36,042 |
| Rent revenue | 55,269 |
| Release from restrictions | - |
| Total support and revenue | 4,817,615 |
| Expenses | |
| Program | 2,176,845 |
| Management and general | 570,496 |
| Fundraising | 504,826 |
| Aux, food, and merchandise | 128,592 |
| Total expenses | 3,380,759 |
| Change in net assets | 1,436,856 |
| Total net assets, Beginning of year | 11,756,349 |
| Total net assets, Beginning of year | \$13,193,205 |

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FY23

ATTENDANCE

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Gallery Visits | 10,735 |
| Programs & Services | |
| Tours & Related Art Activities | 8,117 |
| Classes/Workshops | 8,348 |
| Living Artists Served | 95 |
| Public Programs | 3,745 |
| Outreach Attendance | 18,361 |
| Special Events | 2,449 |
| Other | 5,581 |
| Total Programs and Services: | 46,696 |
| TOTAL | 57,431 |

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FY24

ATTENDANCE

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Gallery Visits | 11,952 |
| Programs & Services | |
| Tours & Related Art Activities | 8,186 |
| Classes/Workshops | 3,623 |
| Living Artists Served | 310 |
| Public Programs | 2,979 |
| Outreach Attendance | 23,036 |
| Special Events | 2,921 |
| Other | 4,046 |
| Total Programs and Services: | 45,101 |
| TOTAL | 57,053 |

VOLUNTEER SERVICES

In FY23, 55 active volunteers put in a total of 142 hours. In FY24, 50 active volunteers put in a total of 165 hours. Performing such crucial tasks as service on the governing board; Spring Gala fundraising committee work; educational roles in the Museum visit program and during Kid Quest, classes and camps; and archiving.

