

## 1- AH-NAB-AWEN PARK

Amanda Leigh Burnham: Ink drawings reflecting the town, often using found objects

## 2- GERALD R FORD PRES MUSEUM

X O X: 5' tall bunny sculptures wearing nightgowns. #safari

Triple Play: Paintings of tigers. #safari

Troll Bridge: Metal structure made out of found items, inspired by the Mackinaw Bridge and the Billy Goats Gruff story. #safari

Unbridled: Life-size sculpture of a stallion and his rider. #safari

Northwood Awakening: Fabrics and textiles make this photo of Benzie County come to life. #puremichigan

Enveloped: Swan wings, embellished with fiber optic lights, open and close. #safari

American Icons: Large painting of bear, wolves, and bison. #safari

Michigan Benches - Trout

Series: Michigan-shaped benches painted in trout theme. #puremichigan

Sensi: Large, intricately woven "bowls" made from paper are hung on a wall. Light is used to create shadows and patterns of illumination.

Full Circle: Viewers watch changes as images change on rotating cylinders. #interactive

## 3- HOLIDAY INN DOWNTOWN

Putting the Rapids Back Into the Grand River: Large painting explores bringing the Grand River back to its original state. #puremichigan

Framed Storybook Mural: Very large ceramic storybook mural. #safari

Queen: Typo--puzzle! It's a single sentence, starting in the upper left corner. Find the pattern read it. It could be a clockwise spiral, counter-clockwise, or in vertical lines. #interactive

ArtSurprise Happy Garden: A Happy Garden using glass and aluminum wire. Over 1000 flowers.

Home: Large mosaic in shape of Michigan made from treated paint chip samples. #puremichigan

## 4- PEARL STREET BURGER KING

BARBALLOON: 28' tall balloon earth replica. GR, MI is marked with red pin. Solar system inside with a 90 second galaxy light show. #interactive

## 5- FRONT AVE UNDER US-131

In Our Element: A 21' metallic-paint mural painted under US-131. The painting technique creates the illusion of fish swimming between the columns of the tunnel. #safari

## 6- GR PUBLIC MUSEUM

#WhatLiftsYou: Stand in front of these giant wings, take a pic and post to social media with the #whatliftsyou hashtag. #interactive #talkaboutit

- How does it feel to have wings?

- In your life, what lifts you up?

Auralwood: An interactive audio-visual experience. Watch as a forest grows- and see how you can be a part of the exhibit. #interactive

Movement: Glowing latex glove "hands" rhythmically move and float in water.

## 7- GRAND RIVER- UNDER PEARL ST BRIDGE

Brumaire is the color: CANCELLED

## 8- JW MARRIOTT

Grand Canyon T Rex: Find the T-Rex! Giant photograph of the Grand Canyon taken from a helicopter. Shadows make a T-Rex shape. #safari

Survivor: Recycled metal sculpture of bald eagle making its catch. #safari

The Gemstone of Michigan: Exhibit showing how the Isle Royale Greenstone (the state gem) goes from raw material to a gemstone. #puremichigan

Mara Eye Contact: Painting shows a woman and young boy on safari. The woman watches three lions approach the vehicle while the boy is preoccupied with his screen. #talkaboutit #safari

- What is happening in this painting? Why do you think the artist painted it?

- Have you ever missed something cool because your attention was on an electronic device?

## 9- PANERA BREAD

A Pier for All Seasons: Four seasonal photographs of the Grand Haven Pier. #puremichigan

## 10- 99 MONROE (NEXT TO #9)

Rejected Michigan Tourism Posters: Fictional and funny "didn't make it" tourism posters for Michigan. #puremichigan

The End of the Road: A 15' life-size floating sculpture of broken highway pieces.

## 11- COURTYARD MARRIOTT

Tales of Wordishure Collection: Whimsical animal paintings. #safari

Tea Time in the North Woods: Whimsical tea settings/tea party inspired by Alice in Wonderland and Michigan's North Woods. #puremichigan

Robbin's Bay, Gun Lake: Landscape paintings of Robbin's Bay on Gun Lake. #puremichigan

Origami Lighthouse: 5 foot tall lighthouse made from folded recycled paper.

Luminous Joy: Portraits of joyful children.

Enchanted Forest: Images of owls and fairies hanging in a "tree." See if you can find the Forest Fairy. #interactive

Mighty: Oil painting of the Mackinaw Bridge at sunset. #puremichigan

Messages from Pictured Rocks: Paintings of Pictured Rocks National Lakeshore in Munising, Michigan. #puremichigan

## 12- PLAZA TOWERS APARTMENTS

Counting Sheep: Small painting of a flock of sheep being led by their shepherd. #safari

Quiet Determination: Small abstract painting of a horse. #safari

Swing' Machines: Large, hanging sculptures made from lightweight, stainless steel that move in the breeze.

## 13- THE BOB

MicroDoodle Calder: Many tiny doodles make up this 6' wide pen and ink drawing of the Calder sculpture.

King: Drawing of a lion whose mane is adorned with creatures of the land, sea, and air. #safari

Equus Ferus Caballus: Series of 5 pencil/charcoal horse drawings. #safari

"15": Very large and intricate origami art.

Lions, Tigers, and Bears (Oh my!): Large wood-burned pictures of lions, tigers, and bears inspired by John Ball Zoo.

War Dogs: Helicopter Rappelling: Large painting of soldier and dog rappelling from helicopter. #safari

The Dog Show: Multiple dogs sculpted out of wood. #safari

My Shoe Closet: visual collection of 23 pairs of shoes. #talkaboutit

- How many different pairs of shoes do you have?

- Do shoes have stories? What stories do you see here?

Great Lake Fire: Large, tiered display of Lake Michigan sunset pictures. #puremichigan

doYOUdle: Large, intricate doodle art with a list of things for people to find

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in the drawing. [#interactive Wednesdays in the Mitten](#): Large, high-definition photographs of Michigan. [#puremichigan](#)

[Hugs and Kisses](#): 16' x 10' tall tic-tac-toe game filled with X's and O's.

[The Snow Monster](#): Short animated film about a fluffy snow monster trying to make friends.

[Hollywood in Crayola](#): Lifelike statues of Tom Cruise and Angelina Jolie made from over 60,000 crayons.

[Face The Wall](#): A large-scale wooden cityscape inhabited by cartoon characters. Includes a mini mural that will be painted/assembled live during Art Prize.

[Sign Language](#): Alternative street signs with inspirational messages. [#talkaboutit](#)

- What was your first impression when you saw/read these signs?
- What signs would you like to add?

*\*Parents should be advised that some exhibits at this venue contain nudity.*

#### 14- 25 OTTAWA

[Fountain](#): Here, volcano-inspired art hangs from a ceiling. Step into the art and be surrounded. [#interactive](#)

#### 15- VAN ANDEL ARENA

[The Self Project](#): **CANCELLED**

#### 16- HOPCAT

[Nursing in Nature](#): Large painting of a mom nursing a baby in nature while reading to older child - outdoors. [#talkaboutit](#)

- What was your initial reaction to the painting?
- Why do you think the artist painted this painting?

#### 17- LAMBERT EDWARDS & ASSOC

[Chalk About It](#): An interactive piece that melds sidewalk chalk art with an invitation to passersby to take up their own instrument and 'chalk about it' through words, illustrations and story. [#interactive](#)

#### 18- OAKES STREET PARK

[FREEDOM](#): a little free library, decorated on all four sides, one side depicting readers of all kinds enjoying

books in Grand Rapids. [#puremichigan](#) [#interactive](#)

#### 19- TAVERN ON THE SQUARE

[Baby Elephant](#): Metal panels with photograph of mom and baby elephant in Thailand. [#safari](#)

[Joe Girandola](#): Vibrant pictures and 'paintings' made entirely of duct tape.

[Some Gave All](#): An oil painting of 21 stones under a red, white and blue sky. [#talkaboutit](#)

- What do you notice about the people in this painting?
- What do you think is significant about the colors of the sky? The leaves on the ground? The number of stones?

#### 20- PEPPINO'S PIZZA

[Dedicated To My Muse](#): Hanging kinetic sculpture made from found objects.

[Grand Rapids, View from the Wealthy Street Overpass](#): Painting - view of Grand Rapids from the Wealthy Street Overpass. [#puremichigan](#)

#### 21- WMU

[Scroll Down \(Terms of Use\)](#): Long pages of documentation hanging from the ceiling that encourages the audience to think about online contracts and their consequences. [#talkaboutit](#)

- What are Terms of Use (TOM)?
- Why do you think people sign TOM without reading them?
- What could go wrong if you sign a TOM without understanding it?

#### 22- MAYAN BUZZ CAFÉ

[Down From Tahquamenon](#): a large oil painting of the famous U.P. falls. 60"x48" [#puremichigan](#)

[Beneath The Surface](#): A large-scale, themed collection of unique ocean abstract art made from birch wood. [#safari](#)

#### 23- DOWNTOWN MARKET

[Reflecting on Perspectives](#): A large 3D illusion using the chalk sticks AS the art. It is built out of thousands of

colored Chalk sticks bundled on end. Think of each stick of chalk as a pixel.

[Connectivities](#): Walk among over 7,000 colorful yarn wrappings. [#studentart](#)

[The Mind of An Artist](#): Intricately rolled, colored paper crafted into a sprawling tree with goggle-eyed goldfish and an octopus. [#safari](#)

[Path of Wisdom](#): A mural of an elderly man walking with a young boy down a path. Discover words of wisdom tucked into the mural from members of a retirement community in Holland. [#talkaboutit](#)

- Why do you think the members of the retirement village were eager to share their words of wisdom?
- Which words of wisdom do you like? Why?
- Are there any words of wisdom that you don't like? Why don't you like them?

[All of a Sudden](#): A giant mural - described by the artist as an optical playground.

#### 24- HARRIS BUILDING

[Resonance](#): A 17'x7' stained glass coral reef mural. [#safari](#)

[Eclipse](#): Oscillating black and white light give life to the encaustic wax painting.

#### 25- UICA

[The Great Race](#): Enjoy a rainbow of ducks cast from crayons and wax in the shape of bath time rubber duckies. [#safari](#)

#### 26- TOWER-PINKSTER ARCHITECTS

[The Grand Rapid Tape Drawing](#): A spontaneous, live Tape Art drawing that will transform the side of building over the course of over a week. Opportunities for audience participation. [#interactive](#)

[Cloud Violet](#): Very large watercolor painting that looks like a mosaic.

#### 27- GR POLICE DEPARTMENT

[Wild and Free](#): Large painting of wild horses running through water. [#safari](#)

[Beacon](#): Fluorescent tubes, plastic films, and plywood were used to create this 3-D light-up American flag.

#### 28- GR CHILDREN'S MUSEUM

[Blue Giraffe](#): 10' tall blue giraffe covered in a mosaic of blue tile. [#safari](#)

[Casey's Castle](#): A 3-D bench made out of wood and painted with a castle theme.

#### 29- COTTAGE BAR

[Timeless](#): Huge mural of families sending out luminaries. Painted on the exterior south and west corners of The Cottage Bar.

#### 30- PALLATE COFFEE & ART

[Night Life](#): This mural-sized painting on canvas takes you on a fantasy walk through the woods at night. [#safari](#)

#### 31- WOMEN'S CITY CLUB

[Call Me Crazy.....](#): Cat portraits and collages. [#safari](#)

[#grandrapids](#): A 6-artist collage of Grand Rapids photos. [#puremichigan](#)

#### 32- FIRST PARK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

[The Land of the Peacocks](#): A gigantic canvas showing a vivid peacock scene - created from yarn felt, peacock feathers, broken mirror glass and more. [#safari](#)

[It Takes a Family to Raze a Village](#): 3-D mosaic dragon family sculpture at the moment of hatching. [#safari](#)

[Sittin in the Mitten](#): Giant 14' tall Michigan Shaped Chair will include the mitten shape in the form an Adirondack chair and the U.P. will hover above it. [#puremichigan](#)

[Dino-Zar](#): The Dino-Zar is an eclectic rideable piece of artwork. Includes LED lights, gadgets, artificial fruit and more.

[Frozen Frosted Fun](#): Photographs of bubbles with crystallizing patterns-taken in winter.

[Connections](#): a photographic triptych of a female Barred Owl nurturing her six-week-old hatchling at their nest site. [#safari](#)

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**Turtles in Trouble:** 333 ceramic replicas, representing all the species of turtles and tortoises in the world. #talkaboutit

- Why do you think the artist called this exhibit "Turtles in Trouble?"
- Given that there are 333 species of turtles and tortoises in this world, would it be a big deal if a few of those disappeared from earth? Why?

**Victorian Seasons in Miniature:** Three dollhouses crafted by local 84 year old artist with details from her own childhood memories.

**Illuminated Thoughts:** Seven tall LED columns of various changing colors.

**The Guardian:** Colorful octopus oil painting. #safari

**WATER JOURNEYS:** 3-panel Lake Michigan collage made of fabric. #puremichigan

**Fish Fusion:** Fused glass panels, layered three deep, give the effect of an aquarium filled with fish. #safari

**Back to Nature:** 3 large digital paintings depicting an animal carrying houses on its back. Meant to highlight how humans use natural resources and housing issues for a growing world. #safari

### 33- WEST COAST COFFEE

**Visiting Artprize 2013:** Large-scale watercolor, pen and ink picture of downtown Grand Rapids during ArtPrize 2013. #puremichigan

**The Owl:** Paintings of an owl and two owlets in a nest at night. #safari

**Born in the USA:** A musician sculpture made from musical instruments prominently displaying American flag colors.

**Black and Yellow:** Black horses running through a yellow aspen forest. #safari

**Big Lake:** Painting of Lake Michigan beach. #puremichigan

### 34- GEORGIO'S GOURMET PIZZA

**Dream Envy:** 6 fun goldfish sculptures made of Paper Mache and found objects. #safari

### 35- VAULT OF MIDNIGHT

**Monster Mania:** A fun collection of 50 unique monsters in watercolor.

### 36- GRCC COLLINS ART GALLERY

**See Through Solid:** Painted panels spaced to create the illusion of a solid painting when looked from one angle, but is see-through from another.

### 37- GRAM

**Blue Go-Go:** New images are created from vintage encyclopedias - hand-cut collages #safari

**Blue Ribbon:** Photo series of 4-H animals. #safari

**As Above:** Huge picture created with fingers dipped in charcoal, then directly applied to wall.

**PULSE:** Time-based color art.

**Anishinaabensag**

**Biiinskowebshkigewag (Native Kids Ride Bikes):** Set of bikes created in collaboration with Native American youth.

**The Explorer:** A chapter from an ongoing visual novel exploring the adventures of a hero as he makes his way through the Rainbow Forest. #safari

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### 38- BARNES & THORNBERG

**Meteor:** Large metal sculpture of a meteor falling to Earth.

### 39- KILWIN'S

**Expressions of Life:** Series of paintings of everyday people in everyday life.

**Built to work, show or play:** Hand-crafted toy trucks and construction vehicles. Die cast collectables.

**Bubbles and Snap:** Enjoy the adventures of the sea turtle Bubbles and his ward, Snap on this painting made from aluminum panels and automotive paint. #safari

**Cosmo Joe Wins Art Prize:** Live, fast painting with spray paint at ArtPrize.

### 40- MOJO'S DUELING PIANO BAR

**"EMOJI-NATION Celebration":** Five happy emoji filled paintings.

**Hootie and The Blowfish with Sam and Scarlet:** Wood and metal animal sculptures. #safari

### 41- FIFTH THIRD BANK

**Phenomena 117:** Tree made from shoes. Audience is invited to add more shoes to the piece if the desire. #interactive

**Car Quotes:** Funny and quaint sayings made with license plates.

**Insides Out:** Art made from the personal medical images.

**Tahquamenon in the Fall:** Painting of the Upper Peninsula's Tahquamenon Falls. #puremichigan

**The Allure of Paper Couture!:** 16 paper fashion sculptures created from recycled paper products.

**S.W.A.K. (Sealed With A Kiss):** 3-D art consisting of letters to servicemen sealed with a kiss - displayed inside of a metal lips sculpture.

**Wolf:** Wolf sculpture made from car hubcaps. #safari

### 42- CALDER PLAZA

**Bald Eagle (America Come Together)**

A bald eagle resting on a large metal globe, made from recycled materials. #safari

**Affliction:** A wheelchair made from children's toys stuck in 'sandbox' made from patient file folders. #talkaboutit

- Why do you think the artist painted the chair a dark color?

- How would your life be different if that was your wheelchair?

**Current Collections:** A gigantic swirling vortex sculpture made from recycled materials.

**Sun Boxes:** 20 sun-powered speaker boxes playing separate guitar notes in a looping fashion. #interactive

**Activi-Tree:** 40' classroom in a box also serves as a climb in - climb on

structure meant for audience participation. #interactive

**The Conversation - What Would They Say:** Great American leaders painted with the thumb/hand prints of students. #studentart

**I Used to Be an Octopus:** A large metal dragon sculpture. #safari

**Atlas Recycled:** Made from recycled materials, this sculpture doubles as a recycling bin for metal, plastic, paper, and glass. #interactive

**Mr. Jim's Fantabulous Art Making Machine:** A large 3-D sculpture inspired by Dr. Seuss and Rube Goldberg. #interactive

**Raising the Flag:** A large American Flag made from the dog tags of fallen soldiers. #talkaboutit

- What are dog tags? What purpose do they serve?

- What does the large number of dog tags on display here mean to you?

**Port of Entry:** A large lit sculpture made from stacked Jarritos sodas.

### 43- PROCESSING FIBER (3<sup>RD</sup> FLOOR OF CALDER BUILDING)

**Cave Rug:** Floss and tapestry thread woven to create a room-sized rainbow cave rug with hills and valleys.

**My Puffy Shag Rug:** A room covered - even the walls - by colorful rugs. Visitors enter through a small door and are invited to play. #interactive

**Linear Motion:** 30,000 yards of thread displayed in a 3-D weaving

### 44- SPECTRUM BUTTERWORTH

**Fall Snow:** Small photo taken on Halloween 2014 in Fruitport, highlighting how fickle Michigan weather is. #puremichigan

**Mirror Image:** Designs drawn by hospital patients are needle-crafted by the artist, using vivid colors.

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**45- ROCKY'S BAR AND GRILL**

**Surviving Michigan:** 4-section birch frame showing seasonal photos of Michigan. 48"x12" #puremichigan

**46- BOARDWALK CONDOMINIUMS**

**Lake Michigan's Colors, as I see it:** Collage, using hundreds of hand-painted papers and some fallen bark to create 2-D images of Lake Michigan. #puremichigan #safari

**47- INSPIRATIONS OF ART STUDIO**

**Smaug the Needle Felted Dragon:** 9-foot wide needle-felted dragon sculpture. #safari

**"Razor" The Silverback Gorilla:** Quilt showing a large silverback gorilla. #safari



**48- CROSSROADS BIBLE CHURCH**

**The Dogs' House:** Collection of three dog-themed quilts. #safari

**The Sands of Time:** Photo exhibit journaling the ever-changing landscape of the Lake Michigan shoreline. #puremichigan

**Creation:** Childlike images juxtaposed with more realistic images to depict the Biblical story of creation. #safari

**49- 6TH STREET BRIDGE PARK**

**The Steam of Life:** ground mural created by 7th & 8th graders focusing on bringing attention to the lower Grand Rapids watershed. #safari

**Kiss:** Huge spray paint mural along the river walk- an underwater theme including fish, etc. #safari

**50- DEVOS PLACE CONV CENTER**

**Tunnel Depot:** For train lovers! A very large painting of railroad depot.

**Americana:** 15'x15' painting of iconic American items, people and places.

**Empowerment through Emily's Story:** "My walker does not define me." Photo of woman in evening dress with a walker explaining her challenges. #talkaboutit

- What do you notice about the photo and the words?
- How does this photo make you feel?
- The next time you see a person with a walker will you act differently toward them? How so?

**Sea of Gold:** Painting shows a big group of golden retrievers happily playing in Lake Michigan. #puremichigan

**Afternoon Incident:** Large painting - where three people step out of the painting, as they flee lions.

**Under Slottet Bron:** Huge oil painting of a sleeping troll under a castle bridge.

**Bath of Light:** A bathtub is lined with a stained glass mural. Puts a fun spin on bath time!

**Your Catfish Friend:** Enormous wood & painted carving of a catfish scene. #safari

**I Am You:** 22 paintings of women from different countries and backgrounds.

**The Race:** Three bicycles made completely out of wood. Some wood pieces were stained, carved, and shaped, while others were steamed and bent into tortured shapes.

**Field of Joy:** 16 feet of painted sunflowers!

**Spring Trees:** Massive 8ft. tall by 18 ft. wide sculpted tree/field painting on solid sheets of brass.

**Michigan Shores:** Large scene showing Big Sable Point at Ludington State Park- made out of recycled shoes from Wolverine Worldwide. #puremichigan

**250 Flamingos:** These 250 BIRDS OF A FEATHER in various shades of pink stand over 7' tall. #safari

**The Eagle Has Landed:** Sculpture created from cutlery (knives, forks, spoons) and other misc. scrap metal collected from local scrapyard and stands 10 feet tall. #safari

**51- 250 MONROE**

**Whisper:** Dining table sculpture activated by whispering into the microphone. #interactive

**Constructing on Deconstructing:** Piñatas hung from the ceiling, audience is invited to participate in pulling them apart. #interactive

**52- AMWAY GRAND PLAZA**

**Hometown Hero:** Audience is invited to write the name of their hometown hero on the art. #interactive

**TIME&AGAIN®:** Historic photos of GR were re-photographed as they appear today & printed on sheer fabric. The old photos hang in front of present day image, letting you look through the past into the present. #puremichigan

**The Curiosity of Privacy:** By looking into semi-private rooms, the viewer is

confronted with what privacy means and our curiosity about others.

**The Heart:** A 10'x10' hanging exhibit invites participants to move within the piece. #interactive

**Rolling Down:** 24' tall wooden waterfall sculpture inspired by Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

**Seasons:** 12'x12'x10' Tree lit from within - highlighting each season of the year.

**Hey, It's Raining Cats and Dogs!:** Series of 4 large painting showing cats and dogs falling from the sky in Grand Rapids. #puremichigan #safari

**Proud Parent:** Series of paintings showing animals of all kinds tending to their young. #safari

**53- GILLETT BRIDGE**

**Grand Rapids' Living Room:** A large mural featuring residents of Grand Rapids inside a tunnel leading into Ah-Nab-Awen Park.

**The Camper:** A working camper transformed into art, decorated inside with pictures and portraits of the artist's family. Stay & play games or join in a cup of coffee. #interactive

**54- SITELAB: RUMSEY ST.**

**Pony Show:** Gigantic hand-painted mural with mustang car logo on a former auto-body shop.

**Oculus:** Large hole is cut in the roof of a house. Larger holes are cut inside, letting light pass through the house. Welded angle irons, bolted to the first floor ceiling, support a ceiling fan motor that drives a spinning sculpture.

**Drawing of a House Triptych:** A vacant house is now a massive sculpture and 3-D drawing. It's encased by hand in graphite pencil drawings. Some windows double as screens, reflecting the historical memory of the space.

**Geometric Flood:** A 3-D pattern of triangles encases a house and spreads to the driveway and street.



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