

# YEAR IN REVIEW 2016



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# ACWR BOARD AND STAFF



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**Julie Tucker | Director of Public Programs & Advocacy**  
**Laura Service | Outreach Coordinator**  
**Jordan Worsell - Collins | Assistant to the Director**

# LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Locally (and internationally) I speak for many when I say the events of this past year have been a little more than challenging, though unlike so many I am extremely fortunate to relay happy news of change and progress. One such change you may have already noticed happened right in our offices.

On behalf of the Board of Directors I would like to officially welcome Julie Tucker as the new Director of Public Programs and Advocacy, a position that was previously titled Executive Director. Julie comes to us from Ottawa, though she is not a stranger to our Region, as she holds an MFA from the University of Windsor. She brings great wealth of experience to our organization as she has worked in the cultural sector for over seven years in the National Capital Region. We are ridiculously excited to make her part of the ACWR team and know that when you meet her you will be too. Please do not hesitate to visit our offices and introduce yourself.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank our outgoing Director Michelle (née Le Chien) Staadegaard who resigned this past summer. On behalf of the ACWR I wish her the best in her new position at the City of Windsor's Cultural Affairs Department, where we look forward to continuing a relationship of mutual beneficial initiatives. Additionally, we would like to thank Laura Service who served as Interim Executive Director during our brief transitioning period. Laura is a valued member of our staff whose dedication does not go unnoticed. She served as our Outreach Coordinator prior to stepping into the Interim role, and will continue to work with us in a new role as our Gallery Manager and Membership Coordinator.

In the name of progress and as outlined in our Strategic Plan, we have dedicated this past year to developing and implementing fundraising initiatives and strategies. On November 29th, we participated in #GivingTuesdayCA, a new Canadian movement for giving and volunteering that takes place every year on the Tuesday after Cyber Monday. Dubbed the "Opening day of the giving season", Giving Tuesday serves as a great reminder to also think about donating our money (or time) to charities and causes, while we're busy shopping. 2016 marks the first year that we will be participating. In the coming year we look towards building a civic movement, as we have already garnered support from many members of the arts community across Windsor & Essex County.

In addition to fundraising, I am proud to report that we remain financially stable and that our volunteer base has grown, and continues to grow daily. The momentum and success of our outreach activities are proof positive, and so we remain committed to these tasks in service to our membership base and the community. We have some great things planned that I cannot announce just yet, but know that we will continue to provide transparent communication via ArtsNotes and our online arts calendar, as well as by good ol' fashion word of mouth --we've always been involved in our community, but you can expect to see us out and about in the coming months. One thing I am able to divulge is a small change in our programming. Some of you may be familiar with our annual January takeover of Artspeak Gallery with 'Back to the Drawing Board'. Well, in January of 2017 we will begin offering a self-directed residency called, Free Space. We hope to better serve our membership base by providing offerings of increased value and revamping our yearly programming is just the ticket. This new program will offer a workspace to an artist from the Windsor Essex region, and will take place in the ArtSpeak Gallery.

I'm almost done, but would be remiss without thanking two very important people. To our outgoing President, Olivia Lori. It was truly an honor to have been your Vice President. Our brief partnership at the Executive Board level was more valuable than I can put into words. I would also like to thank Nadja Pelkey. Her unending assistance to myself and our organization is beyond measure. Finally to the rest of the Board: talented, competent, and so capable. You stepped up when you were needed the most and you continue to do astounding work for our organization. Together we make a great team and any challenge that 2017 may throw our way, will be a trial I gladly welcome. I cannot thank you enough.

The Arts Council Windsor & Region is proud to serve our community. We will continue our mission of strengthening the arts through leadership, education, advocacy, and promotion. The ACWR will continue to strive for excellence in order to serve Windsor/Essex, a truly diverse, vibrant and creative community. At the conclusion of this tumultuous year, I wish everyone success in the coming days, and toast to a new year of productivity, fundraising, advocacy and inclusivity for the Arts Council Windsor Region.

Jolie Inthavong  
Board President

# STRATEGIC PLAN OVERVIEW

The Arts Council of Windsor & Region operates under the structure of a three -year strategic plan which was established in 2015. Now in year two of our strategic plan, the ACWR continues to focus on the following mission, vision and values.

## OUR MISSION

- The Arts Council Windsor & Region (ACWR) will strive to enhance the economic and social well-being of the community by:
- Strengthening the arts through leadership, education, advocacy and promotion;
- Creating and expanding opportunities for diverse activities that connect the community through participation in the arts
- Enrich the quality of life in our region by increasing awareness of the arts and its value.

### We will achieve this Mission through:

- Education and programming focusing on professional development;
- Advocacy for arts and arts organizations;
- Building mutually beneficial partnerships;
- Facilitation of communication and awareness of arts and arts related activities;
- Increased accessibility and relevance of the arts and arts-related activities for/ within our region

## OUR VISION

The Vision of the ACWR is to create a community which:

- there is an enhanced awareness and recognition of the value and contribution of the arts in our region's overall growth and wellbeing;
- there are strong linkages between artists and the broader public, and these linkages serve as a bond within the community and foster the development of intra-regional and inter-regional partnerships between the arts and other sectors;
- there is an environment in which various artistic discipline thrive and contribute to the economic and cultural growth of the region

# STRATEGIC PLAN OVERVIEW

## OUR VALUES

The core values which guide and support the ACWR include:

**LEADERSHIP:** We believe it is important for the ACWR to provide advocacy, support, and constructive input on behalf of our region's arts community

**COMMITMENT:** We are driven to enhance and add to the opportunities for artists and arts organizations throughout our region

**INNOVATION:** We seek new and alternative approaches to develop and capitalize on opportunities within the creative sector

**INCLUSIVITY:** We build audiences and embrace creative community diversity

**INTEGRITY:** We operate with transparency and adopt high ethical and professional standards in our conduct

**INDUSTRIOUSNESS:** We work to help advance the arts as an economic driver in the region



# STAFF

## **DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC PROGRAMS & ADVOCACY - Julie Tucker**

I am happy to introduce myself as the new Director of Public Programs and Advocacy, a position that was previously titled Executive Director at the Arts Council Windsor & Region. I graduated from the University Windsor MFA program and remained in the community before moving to the National Capital Region where I have worked as an artist, curator and cultural worker for the last seven years.

I'm very excited to contribute to ACWR's strong legacy of arts support and programming. I would like to thank the staff, board, partners and volunteers for being so welcoming and for their contributions to the cultural landscape of our region.

My primary aim for the past two months has been to engage public and private sectors in partnerships to create, maintain and deliver meaningful programs and services to engage our community. Our continued goal is to be an effective resource for this region. I look forward to working with all of you on mutually beneficial initiatives.



Julie Tucker  
Director of Public Programs & Advocacy

# STAFF

## OUTREACH COORDINATOR | ACTING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR (JULY OCT)

### Laura Service

In 2016 the Arts Council of Windsor & Region continued to serve all disciplines of individual artists, arts organizations and non-arts partners in promoting, developing and realizing creative activity. Our energies continue to be focused on providing our community with valuable services like Artspeak Gallery, Art.Work workshops, Individual grant consultation, an in-office resource library, and our website.

The ACWR hosted numerous workshops, exhibitions, info sessions, meetings and consultations over the past year. Some of which lead to projects and partnerships with local organizations such as Bookfest Windsor, Capitol Theatre, the City of Windsor, the Can-Am Indian Friendship Centre, Walkerville Artists Co-op, Windsor Poetry Slam, Sho: Art, Spirit & Performance, Dance Ontario, Ontario Arts Council to name a few. We are fortunate to share such strong partnerships with local and regional organizations bringing opportunities and programming to artists living in Windsor Essex.

As we move forward into 2017 the members of the ACWR can expect a reinvigorated membership program with more benefits and new smART Card partner deals & discounts. Renters of ArtSpeak Gallery can expect improvements to the space which will create a more uniform and professional showing space. And our volunteers can expect opportunities to share their skills and assets with the community in a variety of ways.

We look forward to the new year and thank all of our members, volunteers, and partners for showing their support of the arts in Windsor Essex this past year!



Laura Service  
Outreach Coordinator

## ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR - Jordan Worsell-Collins

Curating the Arts Notes for another year has been a rewarding and fascinating experience. We've grown our subscription base to over 800 readers! This year saw the introduction of sponsors for the Arts Notes. For a small fee, arts organizations can have their event information displayed prominently in the Arts Notes. ACWR would like to thank the following organizations for sponsoring the Arts Notes in 2016: Windsor Jewish Film Festival, Windsor-Essex Open Studio Tour, Art by the River, the Windsor-Essex Economic Development Corporation, and the City of Windsor.



Jordan Worsell-Collins  
Assistant to the Director

# 2016 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

## **VANGUARD**

Funded through a grant from the Windsor Essex Community Foundation, VANGUARD is ACWR's Youth Arts Collective. The fourteen youth chosen to participate have spent the year learning and developing skills in cultural administration and programming. VANGUARD members work alongside ACWR staff to work on programs and initiatives that highlight the potential of our youth to take an active role in shaping their arts community.

## **WORK STUDY PROGRAMS AT THE ACWR**

We continue to have the privilege to work with a number of bright, talented students through Co-op programs. Students contribute over 500 hours annually to ACWR, a significant portion of our volunteer program.

This year we also worked with two students over the summer as part of the Human Resources Skills Development Canada (HRSDC) program. Jordan Worsell-Collins was hired for a third summer as the Assistant Outreach Coordinator where she concentrated her efforts on administrative support and development while support important ACWR programs like community outreach events, arts notes, and [www.acwr.net](http://www.acwr.net).

Katie Huckson was hired as Assistant Programs Coordinator and her main focus was to develop ACWR's season of professional development workshops. Katie developed a call for requests for proposals, scheduled facilitators, workshop event schedule, and all promo material for the workshop series.

## **#ACWR10**

As a way of getting know our community better, we continued producing the #ACWR10 questionnaire. Participants are asked to respond to an eccentric set of ten questions, and the responses are posted to a special section on our website. Most notably this year, we interviewed Windsor native director Nina Ljeti as one of her films was featured in the 2016 Windsor International Film Festival.

## **MFA SHOW**

This year, once again, we invited students from the School of Creative Arts studio and film MFA programs to engage with the ArtSpeak Gallery space. The students put together an exhibition, and held a critique in the space with Dr. Michael Darroch. On November 4th, a special reception was held to introduce students to members of the arts community. Attracting and retaining artists in our area is an important part of sustaining a vibrant arts community.

## **ACWR smART Card**

This past year, the ACWR continued its innovative smART Card initiative - a partnership with locally owned businesses and organizations to offer ACWR members enhanced benefits and for our local businesses to reach a wider audience and gain increased traffic. This initiative launched in late 2013 highlights the many ways the arts and cultural community and our regional businesses partner together to create a dynamic and supportive community.

## **ARTSPEAK GALLERY**

ArtSpeak Gallery is one of the ACWR's most well-known resources. Our public rental gallery accommodates both emerging and established artists, as well as providing a space for community meetings, workshops, seminars and spoken-word performances. The space is un-juried, enabling emerging artists to learn and grow while allowing professional artists to exhibit new work in a timely fashion in a professional gallery setting. Other groups make use of the space for meetings, book launches, dance workshops, theatre rehearsals and more.

## **WORKING WITH THE ENVIRONMENT STUDENT ART SHOW**

As a collaborative partnership with UNIFOR local 200, The Windsor Essex Catholic District School Board, The Greater Essex Public School Board, Conseil scolaire catholique Providence and the Arts Council Windsor & Region again hosted the annual "Working with the Environment" high school art show at ArtSpeak Gallery. Local High Schools throughout Windsor Essex were invited to submit up to three works of art that reflected on the theme of "environment", "working (labour)" or a combination of both. The ACWR congratulates the following student winners of Working with the Environment 2016 exhibition...

- 1st Place: Jasmine Blanchard
- 2nd Place: Ola Soszynski, Olivia Musselwhite, Emma Schincariol
- 3rd Place: Jacob Maxwell Schwab
- Troy Brian People's Choice: Emma Ricci

## **CREATIVE LEARNING / PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

The Arts Council of Windsor & Region partners with artists, organizations and businesses to provide special programs including; professional development, creative learning, and networking opportunities for artists of all ages and disciplines. All our programs aim to infuse arts and culture into everyday life while giving artists and community organizations the opportunity to come together to facilitate discussions, create connections and grow as professionals.

Some of the programs this past year include:

- Brainstorming Your Place in this Space - City of Windsor w.a.v.e.s Festival Brainstorming Session
- You Made A Film. Great! - Art.Work Workshop
- Writing About Art: A Critical View - Art.Work Workshop
- Websites for Artists - Art.Work Workshop
- OAC Mock Jury Workshop
- Arts Grants 101 - Art.Work Workshop
- Independent Music Primer - Art.Work Workshop
- ACWR Resource Library (onsite and online): The ACWR expanded its service to providing valuable resources to its community and its patrons through an accessible on site resource library and an expanding online resource library on ACWR.net

## **#GIVINGTUESDAY.CA**

Giving Tuesday is an internationally recognized day for giving and volunteering, taking place the day after Cyber Monday. We have spoken with many of our local arts organization and they are all in support of this initiative. We have participated and developed some of our own marketing material and goals. Next year, we want to build towards an arts and cultural civic campaign supported by the Mayor's office.

## **WALKERVILLE BUSKERFEST**

ACWR was charity partner on the inaugural Walkerville Buskerfest in August of 2016. We were very happy to host their volunteer headquarters for the week in our space and for their generous donation of the proceeds from the last performance of the festival. ACWR will continue to foster this mutual benefit partnership in future years.

## **SOCIAL MEDIA**

Facebook likes:1,517 Instagram followers: 447 Twitter Followers: 1,156

## **WWW.ACWR.NET**

The Arts Council Windsor & Region launched acwr.net in 2014. Since the launch our site has hosted thousands of events and consistently grows in audience. Features include; artist profile and blogs, searchable artist directory, community calendar, professional development resource area.

## **CULTURE DAYS 2016**

This year, the ACWR participated in Culture Days alongside Vanguard in their participation in the City of Windsor's W.A.V.E.S Festival. The ACWR also acted as a resource and central location for Culture Days information and branded materials.

## **LOOKING FORWARD**

The ACWR will develop new and innovative programs which encourage the efforts of Indigenous, Francophone, culturally diverse, new generation and regional artists, arts organizations and the general public. The ACWR will continue to offer support through the community through its resources by providing exhibition space, networking, educational and professional development opportunities in our region. We will strengthen advocacy by creating mutually beneficial partnerships to support artists and arts organization in Windsor and region. Additionally, our goal is improve the gallery space and improve our membership offerings.

# **THANK YOU**

The ACWR's successes are the result of support, commitment and enthusiasm of the community. We would like to thank the Ontario Arts Council, City of Windsor, HRSDC Canada Summer Jobs, along with our sponsors and donors. We would like to thank the board of directors, who have been very helpful in their leadership and guidance and our volunteers for their energy, creativity and for their caring and dedication. We further acknowledge and thank our smART card members, partners and the arts and cultural community for their continued support as stakeholders.

# TREASURER REPORT NARRATIVE

## **Staff**

During the year ending June 30 2016, ACWR benefited from having a part-time ED, a part-time Outreach Coordinator and a part-time Assistant Coordinator. ACWR also had two part-time summer student positions to assist with administration, projects and other activities. The summer student positions were paid for by the HRSDC (Human Resource Skills Development) grant.

## **Operations**

Due to the transition of staff over the summer, the accounting record system was not switched over to Sage. We will be attempting the transition in January to coincide with the New Year and payroll procedures.

## **Revenue**

Fundraising and workshop revenue has risen along with gallery rental revenue for the second year in a row. There was a decrease in memberships during the year. The increase outweighs the decrease by over \$800.

ACWR received less revenue in the year ending June 30 2016 but had less expenditure during the year. The biggest saving being a decrease in wage expenses as we had a part time ED for the beginning of that fiscal period. In all the ACWR has spent \$20000 less than was received through grants and other revenues keeping in mind that parts of those revenues were those accrued from a prior year's grant that was deferred. The ACWR ended this fiscal year with a surplus of \$20,071 compared to last years' \$30,209 deficit.

ACWR is on the right track with the increase in fundraising strategies as it realizes the importance of it in keeping a stable organization.



Frank Incitti  
Board Treasurer

# TREASURER REPORT

## FINANCIAL

	2016	2015	Variance
	\$	\$	\$
<b>Revenue:</b>			
Ontario Arts Council	29,050	37,667	(8,617)
Human Resource Development Canada	3,795	7,537	(3,742)
Windsor Essex Community Foundation	10,000	10,000	0
Ontario Trillium Foundation	35,007	79,691	(44,684)
City of Windsor	22,500	22,500	0
Fundraising/Workshops	42,162	40,163	1,999
Gallery Rental	4,887	4,350	537
Memberships	3,841	5,549	(1,708)
Investment Income	6,809	6,266	543
	<b>158,051</b>	<b>213,723</b>	<b>(55,672)</b>
Deducted - Deferred Revenues	(7,905)	(58,212)	50,307
	<b>150,146</b>	<b>155,511</b>	<b>(5,365)</b>
<b>Operating Expenses:</b>			
Advertising and Promotion	4,432	6,784	(2,352)
Amortization	930	1,633	(703)
Funding Disbursements	5,500	11,000	(5,500)
Insurance	3,907	4,214	(307)
Interest & Bank Charges	0	50	(50)
Office	5,162	5,403	(241)
Professional Fees	1,695	1,695	0
Web Design	0	452	(452)
Rent	10,848	10,848	0
Repairs & Maintenance	1,048	1,351	(303)
Fundraising	5,546	32,315	(26,769)
Utilities	1,405	1,139	266
Wages & Benefits	89,602	108,836	(19,234)
	<b>130,075</b>	<b>185,720</b>	<b>(55,645)</b>
<b>Total Surplus (Deficit)</b>	<b>20,071</b>	<b>(30,209)</b>	<b>50,280</b>

# VANGUARD REPORT



2016 has been an exciting and busy year for Vanguard Youth Arts Collective. In January we welcomed three new members to the collective. We participated in many events throughout the year including Afternoons in the Alley, Walkerville Art Walk & Rock, and the W.A.V.E.S. Festival. The collective also hosted a group exhibition in August at ArtSpeak Gallery titled Vanguard: We Are where Vanguard members were able to show off their talents and artwork. In September, Vanguard was thrilled to host the second annual Mess Fest Community Arts Week, a week-long celebration of youth arts. We hosted art workshops, an open mic night, a film festival and more!

Vanguard is looking forward to the upcoming year and growing the collective! We are excited to be working on our professional development as a group as well as bringing exciting youth arts programming to Windsor-Essex.

*Jordan Worsell Collins*

Jordan Worsell-Collins  
Vanguard President

# ARTSPEAK GALLERY 2016 EXHIBITIONS

January 10 - 24 Back to the Drawing Board | ACWR  
January 24 - 31 Intuitive | Walkerville Collegiate Institute  
January 31 - February 7 LeBran(d)'s Apparel Exhibition | Stephen Drouin  
February 7 - 14 What Remains Unseen| Melissa Marchant  
February 14 - 21 Native Youth Art Show | Can Am Indian Friendship Centre  
February 21 - 28 Perception of Life | Glen Donaldson  
February 28 - March 6 The Touchables | Eric Skelton  
March 6 - 13 Metamorphosis | InTune Music  
March 13 - 20 Antua Petrimoulx  
March 20 - 27 Photo Exhibition | Essex & Massey High Schools  
March 27 - April 3 Assumption High School  
April 3 - 10 Spring Show/ers | Sue Cole & Andrea Mercier  
April 10 - 17 How Great Thou ARTs | Jerry Lawhead  
April 17 - 24 Blue Tears | Pat Hoffman  
April 24 - May 1 Part One | Lauren Kotow  
May 1 - 8 Brennan High School  
May 9 - 15 Working with the Environment | ACWR, School Boards, Unifor Local 200  
May 15 - 22 Aspire | Walkerville Collegiate Institute  
May 22 - 29 Art Rats | Walkerville Collegiate Institute Senior Students  
June 13 - 18 Surprise Party in the Snow |Jodi Green and Levigator Press  
June 20 - 24 Art Show | Glen Donaldson  
July 5 - 15 Focus 144 | ACWR Member Show  
August 2 - 5 Cave Moon Mellotron (Preserve the Birotron) | Chris DaleA  
August 7 - 21 - Walkerville Buskerfest  
August 21 - 28 - John Larsh  
August 28 - September 4 - Robert Rupert  
September 4 - 10 The Routine | Katie Huckson  
September 11 - 18 - Windsor Essex Open Studio Tour Preview Exhibition  
September 27 - October 8 Fam Fest | Various participating Visual Artists  
October 9 - 15 Emerge | Creative Works of Victoria Strehlau  
October 16 - 22 Paint Love: Bold & Fearless | Denise Turner  
October 23 - 29 Up the Mesh Count | Michelle Soulliere & Levigator Press  
October 30 - November 6 Asphaltpuffin | MFA Student Exhibition  
November 7 - 12 The Little House Project: Iceland | Stephen Nillson  
November 13 - 19 13th Annual Exhibition | Rashmi Dadwal  
November 20 - 26 The Exhibitionists |Judy Chappus, Sandie Collins, Rebecca Draisey, Eugenia Catroppa, Melanie Janise Barlow  
November 27 - December 16 Member Show



# ART WORK WORKSHOPS 2016/17



ACWR Art.WORK professional development workshops support artists in building skill sets to further their creative careers.

## **2016 Art.Work Workshops**

January 20 2016 You Made a Film. Great!

February 10 2016 | Writing About Art

May 18 2016 | Websites for Artists

September 7 2016 | OAC Mock Jury Workshop

September 14 2016 | Arts Grants 101 Workshop

October 12 2016 | Publishing 101

November 16 2016 | Independant Music Primer

March 15 2017 | Taxes for Artists

April 19 2017 | Online Sales for Artists

# VOLUNTEER THANK YOU

During the course of 2016, the Arts Council of Windsor & Region has seen a great number of dedicated volunteers generously donate their time to support our programs, daily services, and events. Volunteers are an integral part of the ACWR, and much of the success we have had over the past year, could not have been achieved without the support of these generous community members.

The Arts Council of Windsor & Region would like to extend a big “thank-you” to the following individuals who donated their time to the organization in the year of 2016...

Libby  
Jenny  
Vivie  
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Lindsay Whalen  
Jordan Worsell-Collins

# DONORS AND SPONSORS

The Arts Council Windsor & Region is supported through grants, donations and support from our membership. Every contribution makes an impact on the services we offer the community. We extend our deepest thanks to those who have supported us this past year, and we encourage everyone to consider adding their names to the list of ACWR supporters.

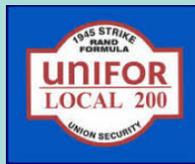
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The City of Windsor  
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Windsor Essex Economic Development Corporation  
Windsor Jewish Film Festival

Our Sponsors:



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Throughout the year ACWR staff writes grants to support projects and operations through several funding bodies. We are proud to have the support and confidence of our funders in our capacity to deliver important programs and services to our community. Thank you for your continued support.

## 2015/2016 Funders

The City of Windsor  
Ontario Arts Council  
Windsor Essex Community Foundation



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## **4th Wall Music**

121 University Drive West | Windsor, ON  
<http://4thwallmusic.org>  
\$2 off adult tickets to performances

## **Art Galia**

12055 Tecumseh Rd E | Tecumseh, ON  
<http://artgalia.com>  
15% off custom framing, 10% off art supplies and art classes

## **Crosstown Players**

<http://crosstownplayers.ca>  
A deal or discount based on performance

## **The Gibson Gallery**

140 Richmond Street | Amherstburg, ON  
<http://gibsonartgallery.com>  
10% off Artisan Shoppe sales

## **The Gallery at Visions of Canada**

1521 Riverside Dr W | Windsor ON  
<http://visionsofcanada.com/>  
Entered into a contest to win a \$50 gift card

## **InTune Music**

Ottawa St | Windsor, ON  
<http://intunewindsor.com/>  
10% off group classes and programs

## **Jewish Community Centre**

1641 Ouelette Ave. | Windsor, ON  
<http://jewishwindsor.org/>  
Member's Rates on all activities and rental

## **Levigator Press**

1984 Wyandotte St. E | Windsor, ON  
<http://levigatorpress.ca/>  
15% off all classes

## **Leamington Arts Centre**

72 Talbot St W, Leamington, ON  
SEAA/LAC Member's Rates on group show

## **Mirror World Publishing**

<http://www.mirrorworldpublishing.com/>  
15% off online sales with code: MWPARTS

## **Sho: Art, Spirit & Performance**

628 Monmouth Rd, Unit #6 | Windsor ON  
<http://www.sho-studios.com/> \$5 off events

## **Taloola Cafe**

390 Devonshire Rd | Windsor ON  
<http://www.taloolacafe.com/>  
Free select beverage with purchase over \$5

## **South Windsor School of Music**

2955 Dominion Blvd | Windsor, ON  
<http://www.southwindsorschoolofmusic.com>  
25% off first month's music lessons

## **Symchyshyn Photographic**

<http://www.symchyshyn.com/>  
15% off studio quotes  
(portraits, studio work etc.)

## **Community Partners (Businesses/Organizations with ACWR Memberships)**

Canadian Arts Productions  
Capricorn Pottery  
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Music Express  
Romanian Culture Society  
Studio M  
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