



# 2026 Creative Power Award Winners

## Adult Creative Power Award Winners (ages 22+)

Artist Name	Art Title	Art Medium	City
Adina Simshona Keshet	Foodshare Supports Our Industries	Acrylic paint on wood	Madison
Matthew Gernandt	Cold Day	Cotton fiber threads, watercolors, colored pencils	Madison
Michael Ward	Music Man	Acrylic markers, paint, colored pencil, and pen	Madison
SS Holcomb	Singers and Lute Player	Gouache, graphite pencil on watercolor paper	Waunakee

## Adult Merit Award Winner (ages 22+)

Artist Name	Art Title	Art Medium	City
Mary L. Westring	Cosmic Cauliflower	Etching	Madison

## Young Adult Creative Power Award Winners (ages 16-21)

Artist Name	Art Title	Art Medium	City
Diana Suárez Jimenez	Oaxaca Ribbon Braids	Acrylic paint on canvas and ribbon	Janesville
George Bernards	The Weight We Carry	Linocut- ink on paper	Monona

## Young Adult Merit Award Winner (ages 16-21)

Artist Name	Art Title	Art Medium	City
Kess Supanich	Stripe in the Snow	Digital drawing	Madison

## Youth Creative Power Award Winners (ages 11-15)

Artist Name	Art Title	Art Medium	City
Avery Wautier	Red Spider Lilies	Acrylic paint and marker on canvas	East Troy
Paige Neuenschwander	Bubbles	Pastels, water color and marker	Cambridge

## Youth Merit Award Winner (ages 16-21)

Artist Name	Art Title	Art Medium	City
Neven Markovic	Process	Digital art	Brookfield

## Child Creative Power Award Winners (ages 5-10)

Artist Name	Art Title	Art Medium	City
Benjamin John Wayman	I am Happy	Acrylic paint on canvas	Madison
Elaine Cowell	The Deep Sea	Acrylic paint on canvas	Poplar

## Child Merit Award Winner (ages 5-10)

Artist Name	Art Title	Art Medium	City
Rosie Cibarich	Freaky Frog	Colored pencils on paper	Monona

## Community Creative Power Award Winners

Award Type	Art Title
Community Partner	Java Abilities
Educator	Sylvia Peine
Gratitude	Dandy Dancers Founding Families
Volunteer	Gail Sumi