

Even if you walk exactly the same route each time as with a sonnet - the events along the route cannot be imagined to be the same from day to day, as the poet's health, sight, his anticipations, moods, fears, thoughts cannot be the same. A. R. Ammons

If You Could Live Forever in a Day

If you could live forever in a day what good would it do you or those you love for death would come and take them all away and down they would look sadly from above.

The immortality of love is death or endlessly it would go on in vain the world would end up holding its breath with sadness for the dear departed slain.

But rest reader for your life will end too you will not live to watch the light go out the moon will greet with smi'ling face to you and sun will laugh to know what you're about. If wing'd angels come we do not yet know but loving we'll be, and ready to go.

**Doria Gedraitis** 

### 2015 CMHS Art & Literary Magazine

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Thank you to all the students who submitted such great work this year! Your talent shines brightly...

"Sonnet is about movement in a form."

Seamus Heaney



Hannah Anderson

# The true self seeks release, not constraint. It doesn't want to be corseted in a sonnet or made to learn a system of musical notations. It wants liberation, which is why very often it fastens on the novel, for the novel seems spacious, undefined, free.

Rachel Cusk

# Pop Art Portraits



**Natalie Marshall** 





Leah Gould

Chris Fitzpatrick

### Trapped Inside My Broken Mind

Tears stream, thoughts fall o'ver to insanity.

The voices trapped in my head are screaming.

Please come save me from what I cannot see,
I can't find the bright sun and it's gleaming.

Like Hercules, I spiral to madness,
My reason for sanity has now dis'ppeared
My whole mind is wailing in pain'd sadness.

Alone and scared, to the darkness I peered.

But light, it shines in the distance and calls.

Is it my savior? I reach for it.

And as I stretch, my body dissolves.

What is left of me but an empty pit?

Madness surrounds, no one tried to come
Insanity has call'd and made me numb.

Jess Doll

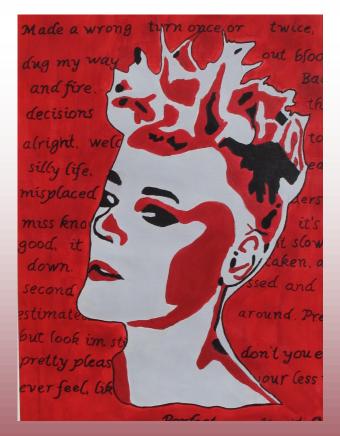
The aim of every artist is to arrest motion, which is life, by artificial means and hold it fixed so that a hundred years later, when a stranger looks at it, it moves again since it is life. ~William Faulkner



**Nicole Fortier** 



Tyler Ragazinni



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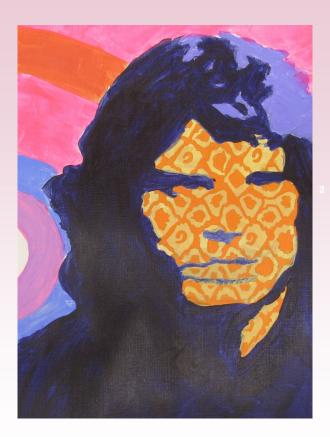


Jayden Bernier



Micayla Consentino





Mike Ellis



Charlenna Capozzi

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### afraid of something different

the thoughts of being perfect fill my mind
i'm lost in a world of misconception
no one cares if you're sweet or if you're kind
my only want is to have perfection.
i've always known that i could ne'r fit in
sometimes i ask myself, what is wrong with me?
i realize as i wipe tears from my chin
i want to try and think more pos'tively
the only person i can be is me
i can finally say i love myself
i won't be told by others who i should be.
i'm different than everyone else i see
but being unique is fin'lly okay with me.

morgan nice

If you have so earth-creeping a mind that it cannot lift itself up to look to the sky of poetry... thus much curse I must send you, in the behalf of all poets, that while you live, you live in love, and never get favour for lacking skill of a sonnet; and, when you die, your memory die from the earth for want of an epitaph.

**Philip Sidney** 

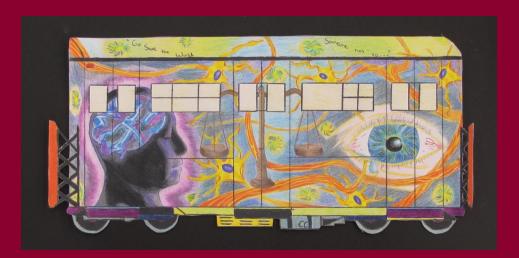


Elba Cambraia

"Imagine you saw a color in your dream, which you have never seen before. It doesn't consist of any colors or shades that you know. Trying to describe that color would be as difficult as trying to believe that there is enough love & compassion in the world so every human can feel happiness."

— Egor Kraft

## **Street Art**



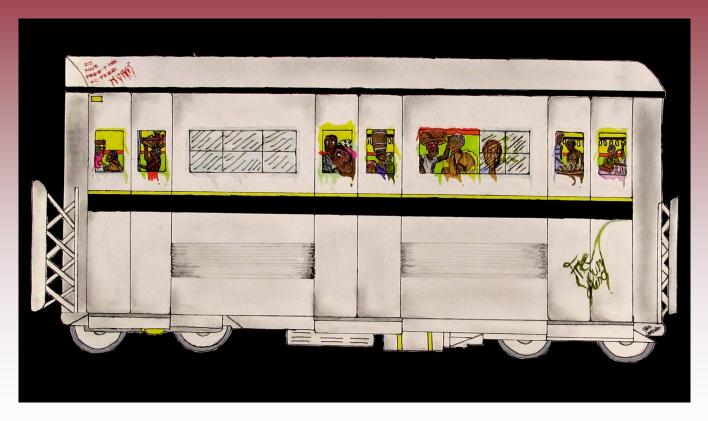
**Casey Comeau** 



Mike Ellis



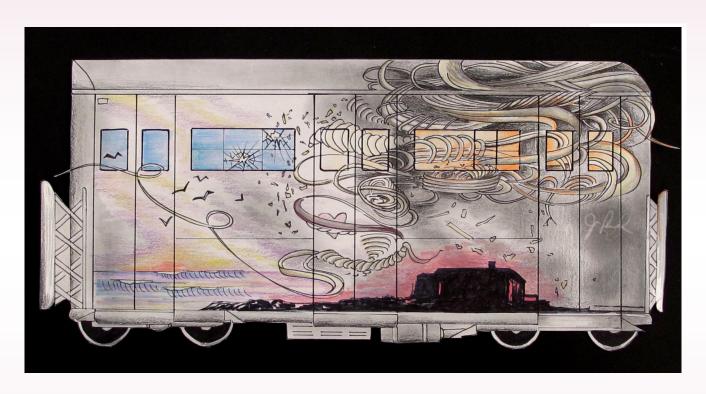
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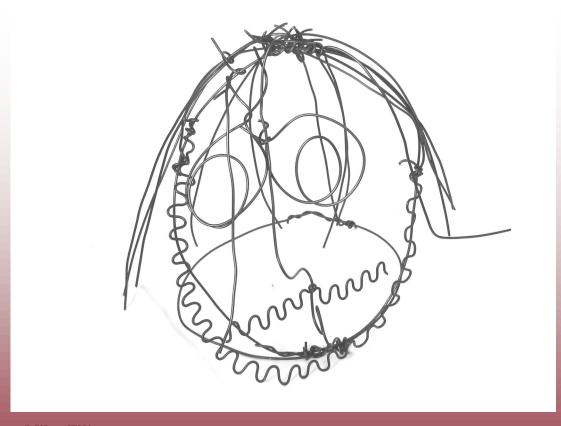
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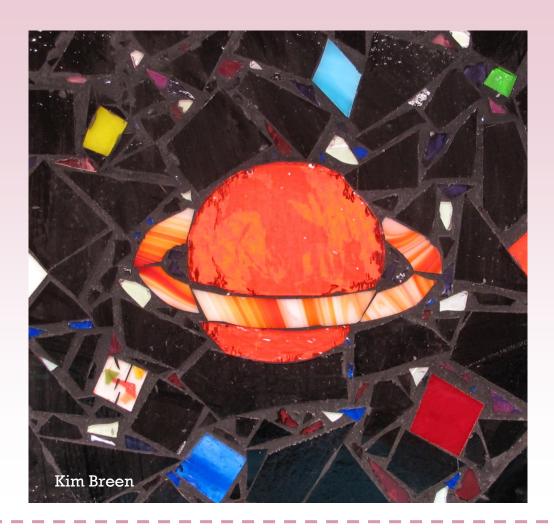
Jake Folsom



Nick Brighton



Mike Ellis



### Why Sonnets?

I can't do English for the life of me.

I don't understand the logic in it.

It is like I am going to break a knee.

I always feel like I am a misfit.

Why do we write sonnets? It is no fun.

Did Shakespeare actually enjoy this?

I cannot fathom why this has begun.

I would much rather get coal for Christmas.

It is very important they insist,

Just like drawing the best circle in math.

I cannot do it without assist.



Cassidy Brown

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It grants you wings so you're able to soar:

Flying so peacefully like a white dove,

It opens those doors that were locked before.

Just planting a seed right into the ground,

Expecting a plant to grow out dirt.

A new flow's birth, what a beautiful sound,

If the seed doesn't grow then you get hurt.

Hope keeps you alive and fills you with joy,

Without it you would not have anything

People without hope just want to destroy, T

he don't know what happiness it can bring.

Hope's like an angel, it helps you survive,

The wings it grants you, they keep you alive.

"To catch the reader's attention, place an interesting sentence or quote from the story here."





Nick Brighton



Zach MacMillan



Chelsea Dionne

### We Live in Mostly Mediocrity

We live in mostly mediocrity,

And we hum to elevator rhymes.

While dancing to partial alacrity

Yearning for something fulfilling that shines.

Decomposed and feeling despondent

Faces filled with perfect complexion.

The pat of least resistance may be bent,

Crystalline couldn't be the direction.

You're a losing heart with steady smiles,

Masked yet you're still somewhat simple

While constantly deleting data files

Of broken bones and highlighted dimples.

Figuring life is a demanding hole
But living it is what lights up the soul.

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# Mixed Media

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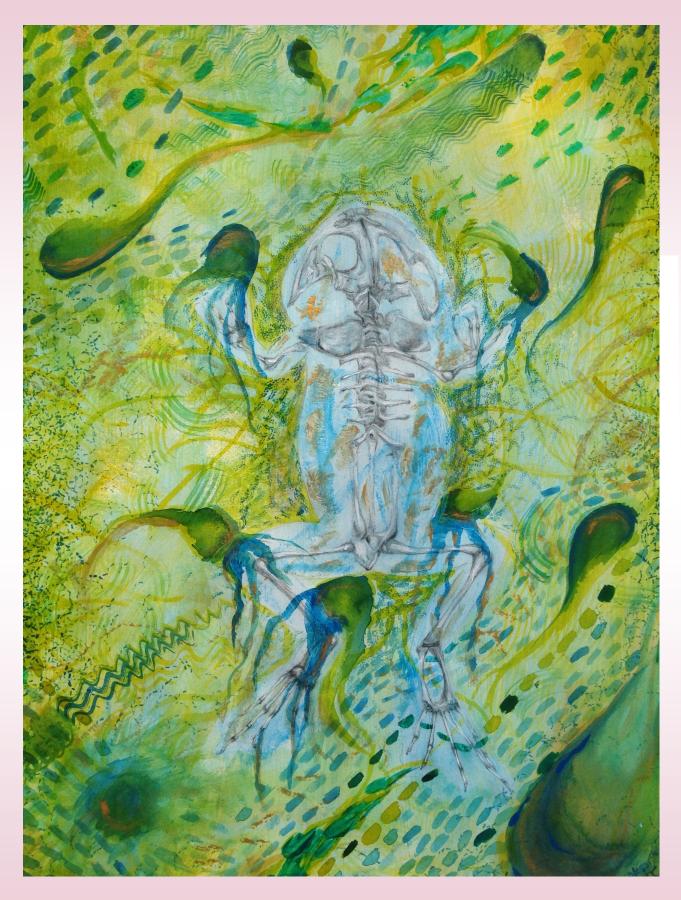
# Mixed Media



Sam Podielsky



Kim Breen



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# Sculpture



Mike Ellis



Allison Brown



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# An artist is a dreamer consenting to dream of the actual world.

~George Santayana



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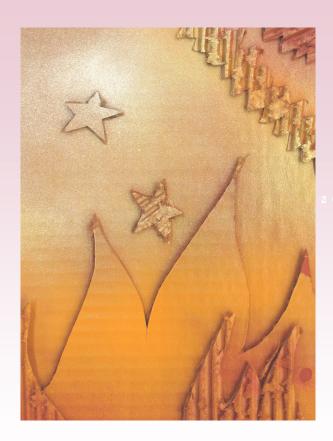
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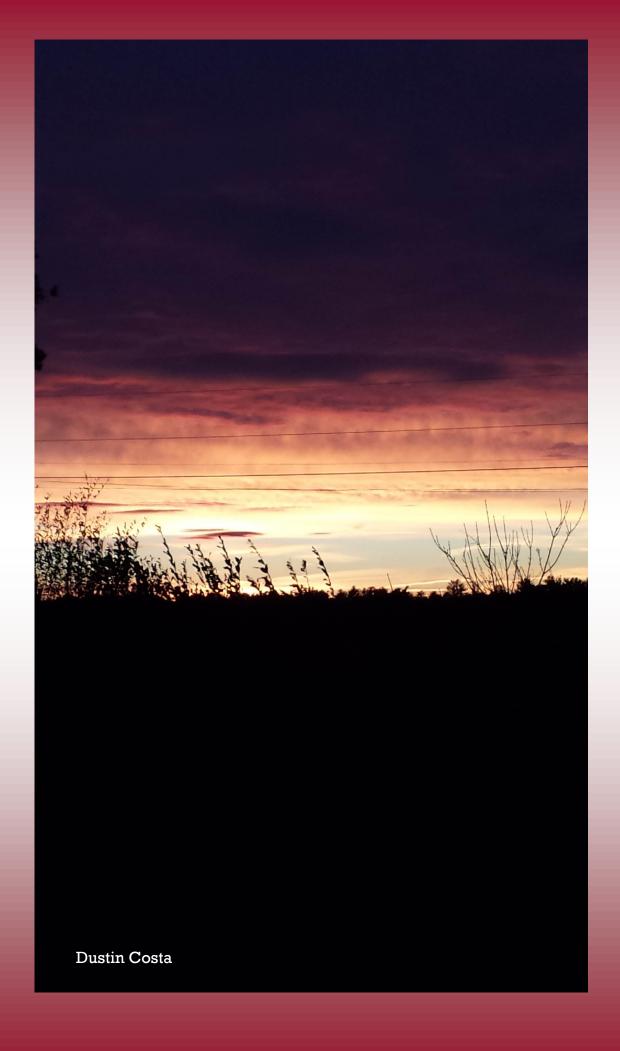
We all know that Art is not truth. Art is a lie that makes us realize truth, at least the truth that is given us to understand. The artist must know the manner whereby to convince others of the truthfulness of his lies. ~Pablo Picasso



**Katie Hurley** 



I found I
could say
things with
color and
shapes that
I couldn't
say any
other way —
things I had
no words
for.
~Georgia
O'Keeffe







Nicole Orlando

There is no abstract art. You must always start with something.
Afterward you can remove all traces of reality. ~Pablo Picasso



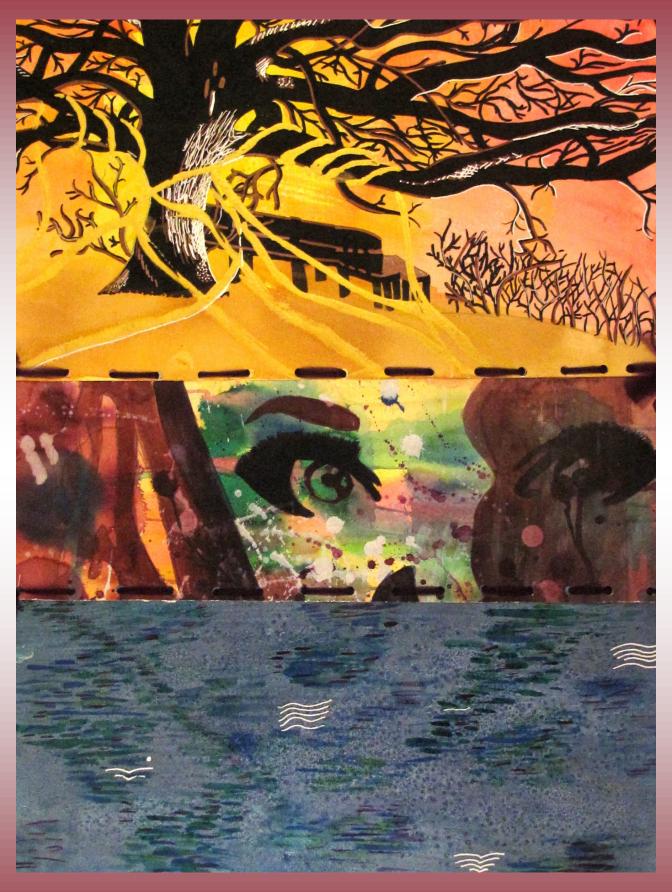
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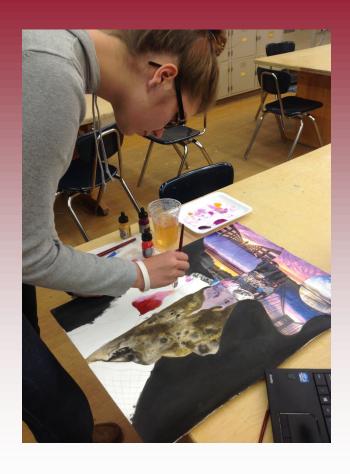
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