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Cocktails for a Cause

## Picture Day



CLIX Portrait Studios will be at UAA on **September 20th** for fall pictures! They will be set up in Room 213 from **9:30 to noon**.

All children who are scheduled Tuesday mornings will be photographed, families who do not usually attend Tuesday AM classes are encouraged to stop by to be photographed. CLIX will photograph siblings both together and individually (even siblings not in our program!). Proofs will be available online that night, and as always there is **no obligation to purchase!**

**If your child is scheduled to attend that morning**

and you would not like them to be photographed,  
please contact Elizabeth.

## Reminder: Keep Toys at Home!



Toys that are brought to school can be lost or broken, and cause a disruption in the classroom. **Please keep all toys at home.** If a toy is accidentally brought to school, we ask that the toy stay in your child's cubby until the end of the day.

Full day students are encouraged to bring a quiet time blanket or stuffed animal, which will remain in your child's cubby when it is not resting with your child.

Please contact Elizabeth or your child's teachers with any questions!

## Happy September Birthday to our friends!

**Mae M. -- 9/11**

## Artist of the Month



### **Niki de Saint Phalle**

(29 October 1930 - 21 May 2002) was a French sculptor, painter, and filmmaker.

While her husband studied music at Harvard University in the 1950's, Saint Phalle began to teach herself to paint and experiment with different media and styles.

Saint Phalle rejected the staid, conservative values of her family, which dictated domestic positions for wives and particular rules of conduct. She began to use her artwork to consider archetypal female figures in relation to her thinking on the position of women in society. Her artistic expressions of the

**Wayland S. -- 9/24**

**Pablo M. -- 9/24**

**Ruby R. -- 9/29**



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## Recall Information

Your family's safety is important to Urban Arts. In an effort to bring awareness to the latest safety hazards, information on products your family may use will be provided in each newsletter.

Infant Products:

[Dorel Juvenile Safety 1st Strollers](#)

Toys:

[McDonald's Activity Wristbands](#)

[Infant Building Play Sets](#)  
[Egg Laying Chicken Toys](#)

Furniture:

[Sauder Woodworking Drawers](#)

Clothes/Jewelry:

[M&M's Brand Jewelry](#)

proverbial everywoman were named 'Nanas', after a French slang word that is roughly equivalent to "broad". The first of these freely posed forms-made of papier-mâché, yarn, and cloth-were exhibited in Paris in September 1965. After the exhibition, she started a highly productive output of graphic work that accompanied exhibitions that included posters, books, and writings.

Saint Phalle was deeply inspired by the work of Antoni Gaudí. Gaudí's influence opened many previously unimagined possibilities for Saint Phalle, especially with regard to the use of unusual materials and objets-trouvés as structural elements in sculpture and architecture. Saint Phalle was particularly struck by Gaudí's "Park Güell" which persuaded her to create one day her own garden-based artwork that would combine both artistic and natural elements.

Saint Phalle moved to California in 1994. Upon becoming an honorary citizen of Germany in 2000, she donated 300 pieces of her artwork to the Sprengel Museum. She was awarded with the Praemium Imperiale award for Sculpture by the Japan Art Society in 2000, and in 2001, she made another donation of 170 pieces to the Musée d'art moderne et d'art contemporain of Nice. Saint Phalle died of emphysema in San Diego, California, on 21 May 2002.



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You are invited to join us on **Thursday, September**

Appliances:

### Whirlpool Microwaves

For more information about specific recalls, please select the highlighted links above.

For a complete list of product recalls, please follow [this link](#).

For information about food recalls, please follow [this link](#).

## Don't Forget!



Don't forget to sign your student in and out of their classroom, Early Care or After Care each day! Sign in sheets are located in each classroom by the door.



### Scholastic Book Club

Urban Arts participates in Scholastic Book Club! When you order books, we earn

15th from 3:30-6:00pm for the Urban Arts Fall Festival!

Try a variety of art activities from preschool and after school classrooms while engaging with our UAA community! Refreshments will be provided.

**Afternoon classes and after care will be held as usual this day.**

We hope to see you there!

If you have any questions, please [contact Elizabeth](#).

## Referral Bonus!



We have afternoon schedule options available!

Are your friends or family looking for a quality preschool? Recommend Urban Arts and receive a **\$50 referral credit** on your tuition for each enrolled family!

Availability is first come, first served. Children may join Urban Arts at 33 months.

[Register online](#) or [download a registration form](#)

Interested families may [contact Elizabeth](#) or call 612-

points that we can spend on books and resources for our classrooms.

To order, visit:  
[scholastic.com/readingclub](http://scholastic.com/readingclub)

Please use the code  
**GWVP9**  
when ordering so that Scholastic will know that you are an Urban Arts parent.

The deadline to place an order is **Thursday, September 29th.**

Please see Elizabeth with questions!

## UAA is Nut Free!

We are a nut-free facility! Please do not send peanut or tree nut products with your child for snacks and lunches. Sunflower butter is a great alternative to peanut butter!



827-1641 with any questions or to arrange a tour.

## Sundance Event



SUPPORT UAA WHILE PURCHASING BEAUTIFUL SUNDANCE ARTIST'S JEWELRY!

Come and Celebrate! Join Sundance Catalog at Galleria Edina for a trunk show featuring Jes MaHarry Saturday, September 17th 11am to 3pm. In support of local arts, Sundance will be donating a portion of the proceeds from their trunk show to the Urban Arts Academy. For store details click here: <http://bit.ly/2bRnO3Y>



If you could donate any of these items, we would appreciate it!

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drawing/scrap paper  
pants for 3-5 y.o.

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paint brushes  
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