

Illuminating the Voices of Ann Arbor's Youth
Together Our LIGHTS Make Our CommUNITY SHINE!

Traditions like FoolMoon matter more than ever in 2021. There is an urgent need to be together and to imagine the power of light + hope + healing that we can create together.

Big things disconnect us + make us feel isolated. A pandemic. Racial injustice. Virtual everything. Online school. Zoom. Social distancing. Businesses struggling. Economic hardships. Uncertainty.

We invite you to join us + imagine new ways to celebrate our CommUNITY. Dust off those luminaries, make new FoolMoon creations, and create a new celebration that truly shines a light on the power of creativity all over Ann Arbor. Together, our lights will SHINE brighter than ever!

FoolMoon with Us!

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FoolMoon 2021. New Moon Rises!

FoolMoon magic will unfold in March with in-town, at-home, and virtual experiences culminating with a community-created celebration on Friday, April 9.

MoonLight Making activities--at home + online--inviting Ann Arbor's underserved youth + teens, and kids of all ages, to express themselves creatively and amplify their voices. To feel valued, seen, and heard.

Public Art illuminating Ann Arbor's downtown districts – Kerrytown, Main St. + State St. – and neighborhoods, bringing light + creativity to public spaces, storefronts, and favorite places all over town.

FoolMoon Madness on Friday, April 9 promoting A2's local businesses when you need it more than ever. Grab a bite, quench your thirst, find a treasure + share your love A2!

MoonLight Map highlighting the sights + sounds so you can FoolMoon at your own pace – social distancing + masks for safe MoonLighting!

Virtual, online platform so you can celebrate FoolMoon at home, dance in your living room, + share your own MoonLight!



HOW CAN KIDS GET INVOLVED?

Our kids are navigating some incredibly challenging life experiences as we look ahead in 2021. More than ever this year, we're excited to invite kids of all ages to give voice to their experiences + express themselves creatively.

WonderFool Productions will engage local artists to create project designs + related lesson plans to engage AAPS students in the elementary, middle, and high school levels. Projects will be inspired by the theme:

SHINING MY LIGHT SO WE ALL SHINE BRIGHTER TOGETHER!

Projects may involve creation of visual art that can be made at home (or in class if schools reopen in March) with simple materials for assembly as a collective installation(s) in selected downtown sites. Digital media projection may also be considered for installation or for online virtual sharing of student creativity. All forms of creative disciplines are encouraged!

FOR MORE INFO

FoolMoon is produced by WonderFool Productions, a nonprofit arts organization, in partnership with the Ann Arbor community.

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HOW DO SCHOOL PARTNERS BENEFIT?

- Be part of the FoolMoon brand that is a beloved community tradition + official rite of Spring.
- Gain visibility with cross-promotions by WonderFool Productions + its partners like Destination Ann Arbor.
- Share your project plans + we'll share them on our website, event map, social media + anywhere else we can SHINE a light on you.
- Help promote Ann Arbor as a destination for local visitors, day-trippers, weekend travelers + more.
- Feel the love + light + goodness knowing you have helped your community SHINE, at a time when our kids need it more than ever.

THANKS TO COMMUNITY PARTNERS!

- Ann Arbor Art Center
- Ann Arbor District Library
- Ann Arbor Downtown Development Authority
- Ann Arbor Hands On Museum
- Ann Arbor Public Schools
- City of Ann Arbor
- Community Action Network
- Destination Ann Arbor
- KerryTown District Association
- Main Street Area Association
- Neutral Zone
- State Street Area Association
- TreeTown Murals + Brush Monkeys
- · And more!

