



FAMEOUS Notes

Merry Christmas

Hello Teachers, I hope this message finds you healthy and safe and wishing everyone the best of Holidays!

Can't believe it's almost time for Winter Break-even with all the COVID changes (daily) it seemed December was upon us quickly!

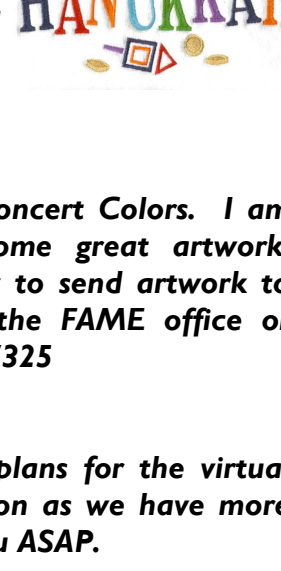
Our next event is Fusion of Concert Colors. I am looking forward to seeing some great artwork. Instructions are below on how to send artwork to FAME virtually. Please call the FAME office or email with questions. 260-247-7325 or info@famearts.org.

We are still working out the plans for the virtual FAME Festival this year, as soon as we have more information we will get it to you ASAP.

Please keep checking the FAME resources page for great ideas on project for your classroom. New items will be added with your classrooms in mind.

We have a wonderful Visiting Artist this year, Sayaka Ganz. With your school membership of \$25, you will automatically receive Sayaka's video art project.

It looks like there are a lot of great classes for the IMEA Conference in January. For more information visit <https://www.imeamusic.org/>



December

Upcoming Events

- January 13
FAME Fusion Artwork –Virtual Due FAME Office
- February 15
FAME Membership Due

VIRTUAL FAME Festival March 20-21

FAME Mission

Foster and perpetuate creativity through multicultural arts education: kindle the imagination, encourage creative thinking and enhance human development.

Our vision:

- Empower teachers to nurture artistic creativity
- Celebrate the artist in every child and develop pathways to explore the arts
- Understand and appreciate cultures through experiences with indigenous art forms
- Make the arts enjoyable and part of everyday life

Fusion of Concert Colors

Due January 13

This year's music is by David Maslanka
The music chosen is called **Mother Earth**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GAK51CulwLU>

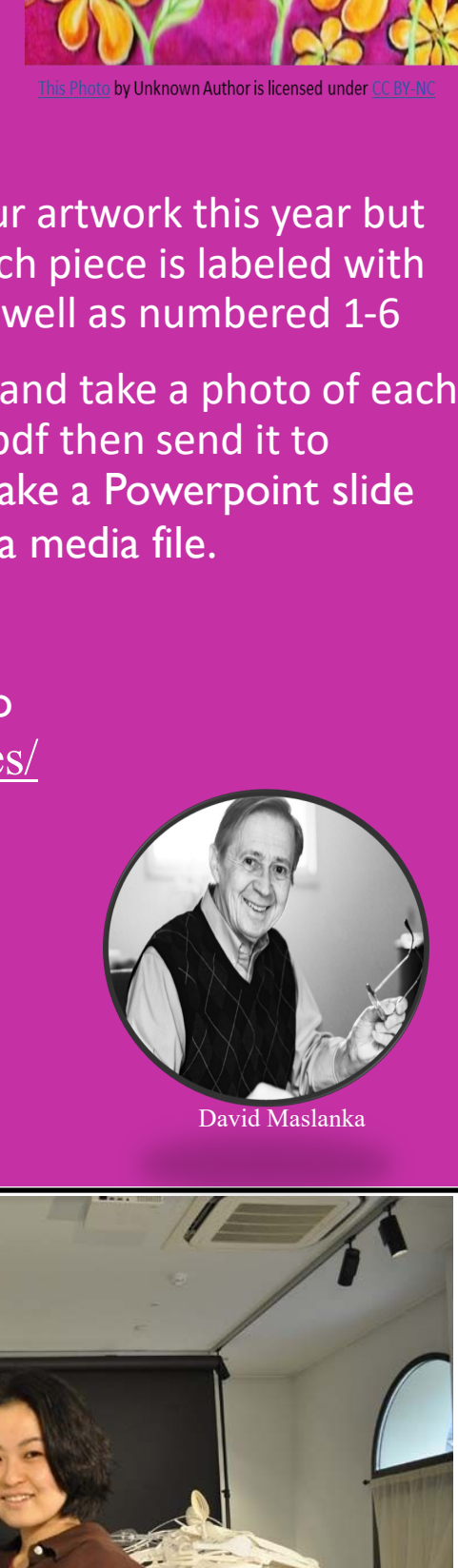
Fusion goes virtual!!!

Your artwork can be 9X12 or 12X18

You do not need to matte your artwork this year but you do need to make sure each piece is labeled with Name, Grade and school as well as numbered 1-6

Please use a black background and take a photo of each piece of art save it as a pdf then send it to info@famearts.org -OR- make a Powerpoint slide show and save as a media file.

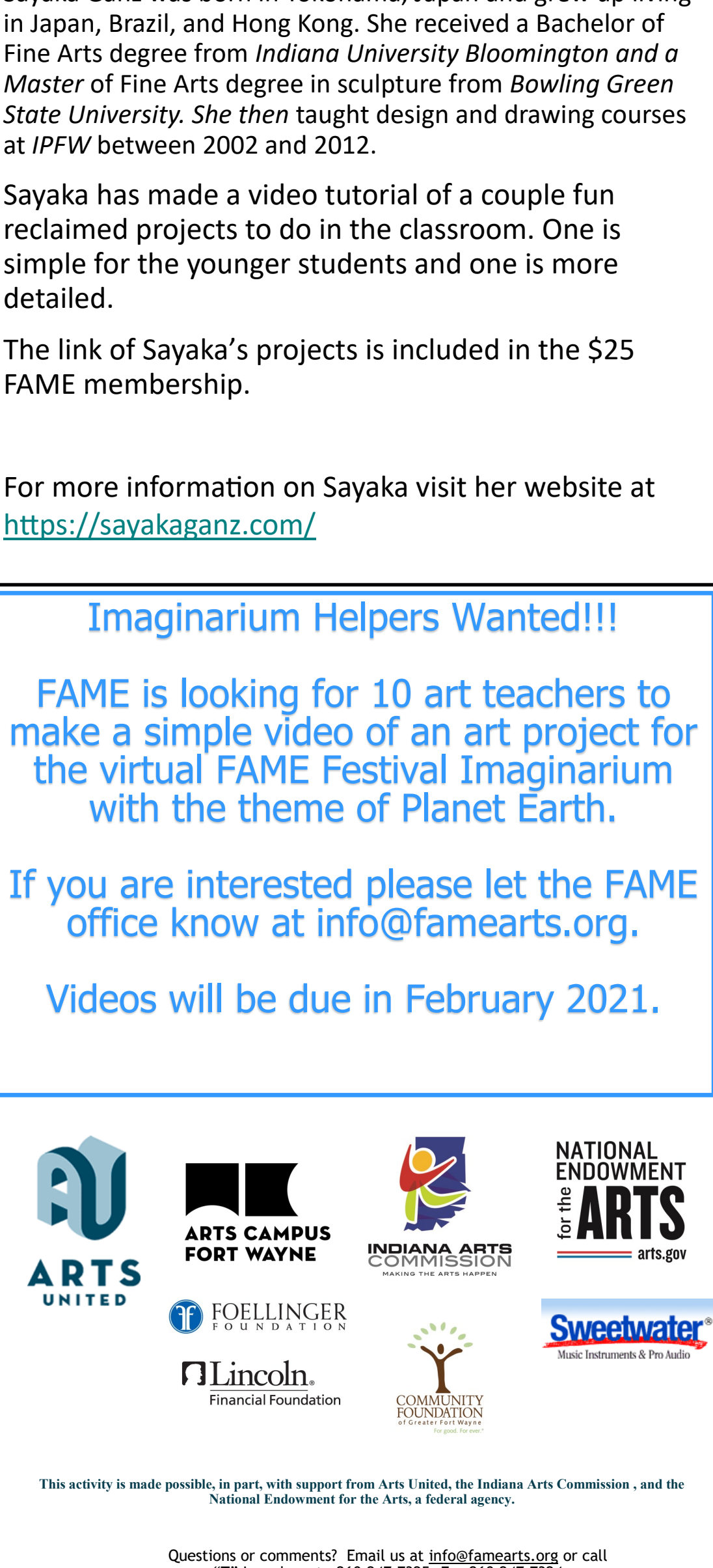
For more information on Fusion of Concert Colors go to <https://famearts.org/resources/>



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David Maslanka



FAME Visiting Artist Sayaka Ganz Reclaimed Creations

Sayaka Ganz was born in Yokohama, Japan and grew up living in Japan, Brazil, and Hong Kong. She received a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree from *Indiana University Bloomington* and a Master of Fine Arts degree in sculpture from *Bowling Green State University*. She then taught design and drawing courses at *IPFW* between 2002 and 2012.

Sayaka has made a video tutorial of a couple fun reclaimed projects to do in the classroom. One is simple for the younger students and one is more detailed.

The link of Sayaka's projects is included in the \$25 FAME membership.

For more information on Sayaka visit her website at <https://sayakaganz.com/>

Imaginarium Helpers Wanted!!!

FAME is looking for 10 art teachers to make a simple video of an art project for the virtual FAME Festival Imaginarium with the theme of Planet Earth.

If you are interested please let the FAME office know at info@famearts.org.

Videos will be due in February 2021.



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