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What a spring semester it has been! The construction around the outside perimeter is nearly complete, perfect timing for summer. Similarly, the third-floor construction is also wrapping up. We truly appreciate your patience as we've worked to update our spaces.

Despite the construction taking place, spring of 2023 was full of classes, programs, workshops, receptions, and exhibits. Collections Uncorked, thanks to your generosity, was a huge success! If you missed the event in March, keep your eyes open for the 2024 date.



Open Mic at the Library throughout the semester provided entertainment and practice to the participants and audience members. We saw singers, poets, storytellers, instrumentalists, and even a barbershop quartet! The final Open Mic of the semester featured a special performance by the UNO Choir, Dave Richards, Dean of Library Services, and Chancellor Joanne Li singing a rendition of My Girl (My Mav). As the semester wound down, we even had two baby goats in the garden, along with many other De-Stress Fest activities, to the delight of students, staff, and faculty!

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## Summer Hours



As summer approaches, we've switched to our summer hours until the beginning of the fall semester, Monday August 21st. The hours are:

*Sunday 12pm-9pm*

*Monday – Thursday 7am-9pm*

Friday 7am-5pm

Saturday 9am-5pm

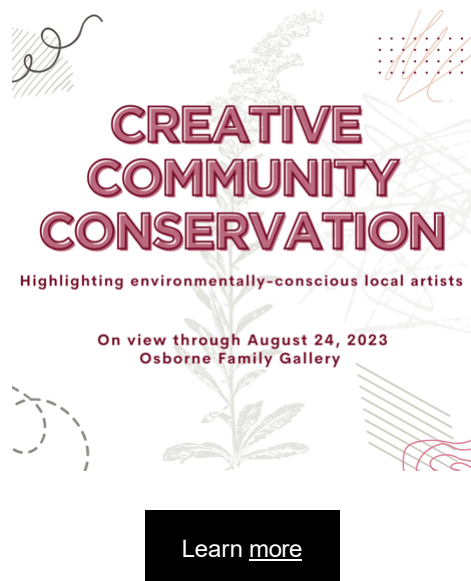
After a record-breaking 22-23 service year, the Creative Production Lab is taking a much-needed maintenance break and will be closed to all patrons, appointments, and requests from Sunday June 11th through Friday June 16th. During that time, CPL staff will be able to answer questions via email and the lab will reopen on Monday, June 19th.

Keep up with our hours for the full year [here](#).

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## Upcoming Events

The summer is upon us, along with summer events. Be sure to follow along on our [UNO Events page](#)!



### "Creative Community Conservation" Exhibit Opens

This exhibit aims to allow community members to interact and learn about Nebraska-specific topics while giving local artists an opportunity to utilize their own passion to display interest in topics that are important to them. Join us for an [opening reception](#) on Friday, May 26 from 2pm-4pm within the gallery. On view in the Osborne Family Gallery through August 24.



[Learn More](#)

## The Iraq War (2003-2011) Exhibit

In commemoration of the 20th anniversary of the March 2003 U.S.-led invasion of Iraq, this exhibit offers visitors a high-level view of the Iraq War. The exhibit is up through May, 2023 in the Archives and Special Collections on the 1st floor of Criss Library.



[Learn more](#)

## UNO Retrospective Photograph Exhibit

This exhibit is composed of 28 matted photographs depicting the University of Nebraska at Omaha campus as it appeared in 1987 compared with earlier decades. The exhibit is up through June 1, 2023 in the Archives and Special Collections on the first floor of Criss Library.

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