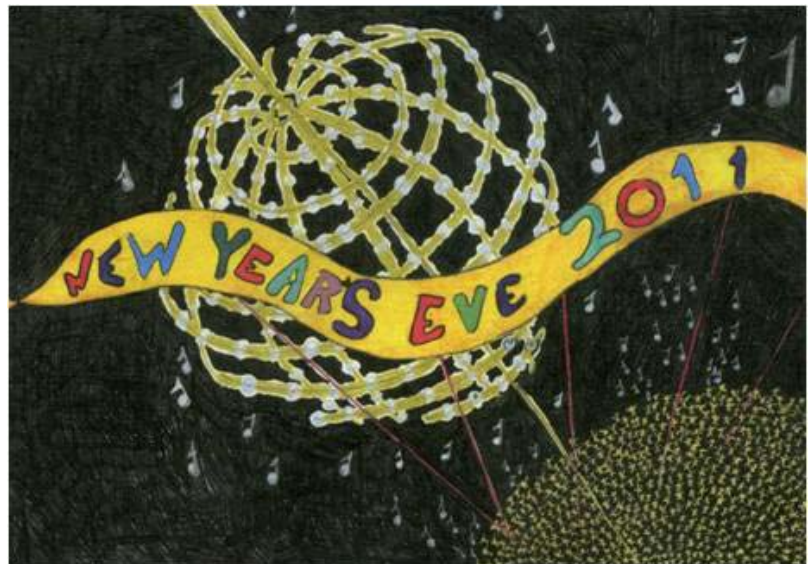


New Year's Eve at the Arts Center

Crooked Tree Arts Center again this year gave our community an all-age, family-friendly, alcohol-free, and artistic way to ring in the New Year. Blissfest Music Organization and Petoskey District Library were also key contributors to the event, which served over 800 people, including young people, retired couples, single adults, and high school students. In its fourth year, and the Community Foundation's third year of start up funding, the event has become a community tradition.

This year's event featured over 20 performances by actors, musicians, and performers (7 were new), as well as 18 workshops for hands on activities (3 were new). The cost is just \$7 for adults and \$1 for youth. "Midnight at 9" has been a highlight each year as the ball drops outside the Arts Center on Division Street. What a way to start 2011!





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