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**YMCA Artists Display Artwork at the
First Bank of Highland Park's Community Wall.**

Northbrook, IL North Suburban YMCA's young artists got a chance to show off their "Signs of Summer" art creations at the Ruth Fell Wander Community Art Wall located in the First Bank of Highland Park.

"This art showing has given our students a chance to create outside of the classroom and show the community their individual artistic expression. You can see the pride in their faces," commented Cathie Winnie, Director of Visual Arts for the North Suburban YMCA.

The Ruth Fell Wander Community Art Wall was created in 2002 to showcase novice artwork from local schools and non-profit organizations. The YMCA artwork will be on display through August.

The North Suburban YMCA located at 2705 Techny Road in Northbrook has served area families for over 40 years. Their mission is to build strong kids, strong families and strong communities through family-focused programming accessible to all. For more information visit www.nsymca.org

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Photo A: North Suburban YMCA art student, Maria Ramon displays her "Signs of Summer" art project at the Ruth Fell Wander Community Art Wall located in the First Bank of Highland Park.

Photo B: North Suburban YMCA art teacher, Vicki Willard with two of her students, Charlie and Cade Bauer display their art projects at the Ruth Fell Wander Community Art Wall in the First Bank of Highland Park.

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