



Spring is Taking Off! Join Us!

The weather is warming up and so are we!

Our 20th anniversary season has taken off with so many exciting events and announcements! Read on to secure your spot at the 2024 Ingenuity Bal, learn about how to get involved in IngenuityFest, and see what we've been up to recently!

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INGENUITY BAL: FLIGHTS OF FANCY

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

FLIGHTS OF FANCY

MAY 4, 2024 • 5401 HAMILTON AVE • 7:30 PM - MIDNIGHT

Big Art Festival Preview
Small Bites from local restaurants
Drinks & Dessert from Ingenuity Labs members
Dancing Demonstrations
Costumes
Ingenuity Labs Exhibits
Cirque & Aerial Performance
Hands On Fun! featuring Bassel & the Supernaturals

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Join us at the Ingenuity Bal: Flights of Fancy!

We are thrilled to share the initial details about the annual Ingenuity Bal fundraiser!

Join us on Saturday, May 4th for the Ingenuity Bal: Flights of Fancy!

Don your vintage or aeronautical-inspired best to navigate that will elevate your spirits at this off-kilter gala and fundraiser in support of Ingenuity Cleveland and our 20th anniversary!

The evening will feature live music, DJs and dancing, with headlining performances from Bassel and the Supernaturals, plus cirque, aerial acts and more. The evening includes small bites and hors d'oeuvres, hand mixed beverages with craft spirits by Watershed Distillery & Goldhorn Brewery, hands-on demonstrations from IngenuityLabs Incubator Members, sneak-peeks at in-progress festival installations, and so much more!

Our annual Bal unites artists, entrepreneurs, & performers in the creation of a unique landscape of music, dance, comestibles & themed enclaves to explore.

Tickets start at \$35 (advance) and \$45 (day-of), OR... become an Agent of Ingenuity (\$150/single, \$200/pair) to receive VIP benefits at the Bal and secure your spot at Ingenuity events all season long!

Get Your Tickets!

RSVP to the Facebook Event for Updates!

Interested in taking your support to the next level? Consider purchasing a Corporate Table and entertain up to 8 VIP guests and fans of Ingenuity! You are the wind beneath our wings and we are excited to let everyone know it with logo recognition before, during and after the event, plus branded signage reserving your table!

Looking to make your support last all season long? Reach out to emma@ingenuitycleveland.org for sponsorship opportunities!

Secure Your Corporate Table!



Introducing IngenuityFest 2024: Era of Ascent

Did you know that every year the Ingenuity Bal supports IngenuityFest? In 2024, IngenuityFest will return as Era of Ascent, taking place September 27-29!

Dedicated to Ingenuity's 20th anniversary season, Take Flight, we'll spread our wings in celebration of our season of programming and 100,000 sq. ft. expansion of IngenuityLabs, a permanent home for creativity and innovation in Cleveland!

There are countless ways to get involved! If you are interested in performing, exhibiting, or vending, applications are now available!

Apply for IngenuityFest 2024: Era of Ascent!

Interested in showcasing your brand to 20,000+ attendees? Sponsorship opportunities are bountiful! No matter the size or industry of your business, we can work with you to curate a sponsorship package that achieves all your goals!

Reach out to emma@ingenuitycleveland.org to discuss how we can work together!

I'd Like to Sponsor IngenuityFest 2024: Era of Ascent!

Looking to help build the festival from the ground up?

Have a creative idea but not quite sure where to start? Join the Ingeneers!

We meet weekly on Thursdays from 6-9pm at IngenuityLabs. No experience is necessary and we provide all necessary materials! Jump on board now and help us create the best IngenuityFest to-date!

Join the Ingeneers Facebook Group

Sign up to Receive Monthly Ingeneers Newsletters

WHAT HAS INGENUITY BEEN UP TO?



Cleveland Leadership Center's Accelerate!

We are so proud of our annual partnership with Cleveland Leadership Center's Accelerate Pitch Competition! Each year the Ingeneers create the event design for this event, brightening and bringing the space to life!

Special thanks to Ingeneer, Jeremy Waters, for leading these incredible installations!

Congratulations to presenters Paula Coggins, Johnathon Jagger & Heavenly Aguilar, Tanya Kaiser, and Trayvon Porter who have all been awarded Ignite! Impact Awards - microgrants created to amplify the voices and ideas traditionally under-represented in entrepreneurship, providing tools and resources for future success.



Brite Winter 2024

Ingenuity has been proud to provide the visual art landscape and exhibits for the annual Brite Winter Festival since 2016! Thank you to every artist and Ingeneer who worked on these amazing pieces, and thank you to everyone who braved the cold to come experience this magical event!





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BRITE 15: SNAPSHOT!

**IS BUILT BY THIS FABULOUS,
CAMERA-READY CREW:**

Art Director: Emily Appelbaum

Asst. Art Director: Russa Wenzel

Art Coordinators: Arron Bound, Morgan Ferweda

Moy Aguirre
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SAVE THE DATE!
LOTTERY LEAGUE
DRAFT NIGHT: APRIL 13
BIG SHOW MMXXIV: JUNE 8



Save the Date! Lottery League at IngenuityLabs!

We are so excited to share that IngenuityLabs will be hosting Lottery League 2024! Created in 2007, the Lottery League is a project that brings together over 160 musicians from the Cleveland and Akron music scenes, spanning all genres, instrumentation, gender, age, and ethnicity. On Draft Night, the musicians are randomly drafted into 4-piece bands through a process that ensures no player has collaborated previously with any other player in their new lineup. These newly formed bands are then given two months to develop their band's identity and sound, culminating with a 10-minute performance of original music that they perform live at the Big Show.

Draft Night will take place Saturday, April 13th at 7pm, and the Big Show will take place Saturday, June 8th all day at IngenuityLabs. Lottery League is free to attend, all are welcome and no tickets are required!

[Learn More!](#)

With gratitude,

Emily Appelbaum
Executive Artistic Director

Emma Morris
Marketing & Development Manager

Kristen Hoover Boutton
Board President

Ingenuity Cleveland ignites the creative spark of creativity among artists, entrepreneurs, and innovators of all types through joy and collaboration, in service to social progress. With our year-round programming, including the annual IngenuityFest, we inspire audiences, push boundaries, and generate economic impact, all while changing attitudes about our region!

Ingenuity is also a founding member of the Hamilton Collaborative. We are redefining growth and innovation as an open, intentional community, managed cooperatively. We provide tools, space, and knowledge to a broad community.

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