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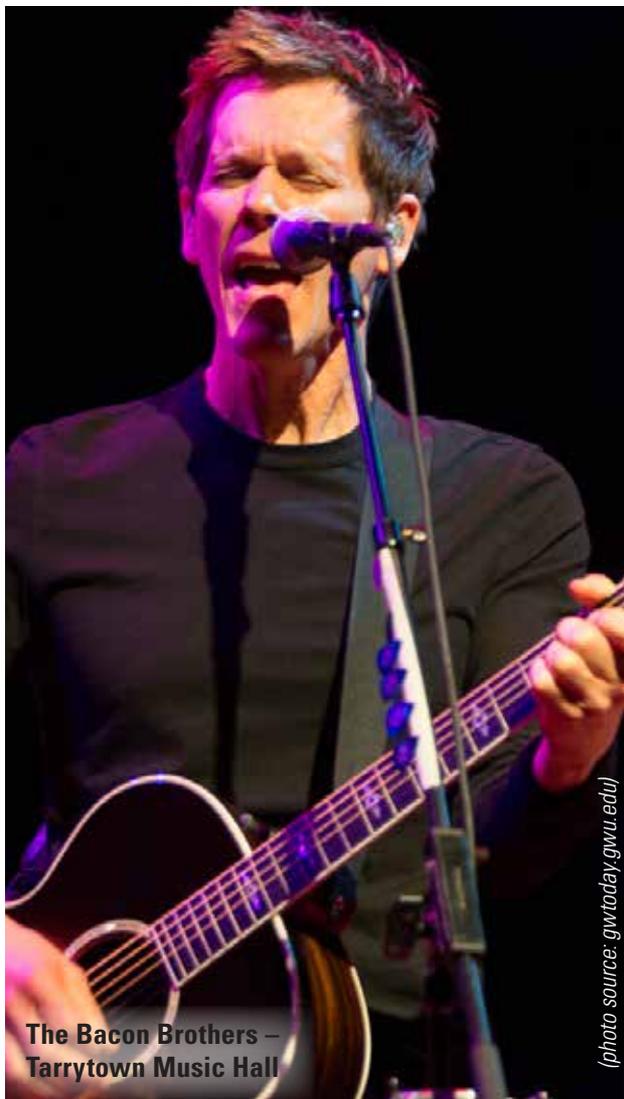
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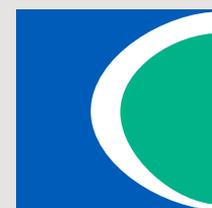
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### An Uncommon Man

by Janet Langsam  
*ArtsWestchester CEO*



Alfred B. DeBello was an uncommon man. Most people remember him as a public servant – Mayor of Yonkers, Westchester County Executive and Lieutenant Governor in the Mario Cuomo Administration. In recent years, as attorney, strategist, County Association president, deal maker and influencer, he left an indelible mark on Westchester's landscape. In the arts community, we remember Al as the rainmaker for the arts.



Al DeBello with wife Dee DeBello at ArtsWestchester's 1998 Gala

In 1975, he initiated county support for the arts – a precedent that became a national model. DeBello realized that by allocating public support, he could affect private support, which he did with the entry of IBM, Pepsi, Texaco and General Foods into the United Arts Fund run by ArtsWestchester (then known as the Council for the Arts in Westchester). DeBello made the case that the arts were a benefit to corporations and their workforces. Today, governments nationally support the arts for their ability to attract and engage corporations and their employees. For residents, the arts add measurably to the quality of life. DeBello was a proponent of "private-public" partnerships long before these were part of the common vernacular and long before most government officials understood the benefits of the arts to civic life.

DeBello took on other challenges in the public and private sector after leaving county government, but he remained an advocate for the arts. Some years ago, ArtsWestchester brought together thought leaders to reflect upon the results of a Wallace Foundation study, "The Gifts of the Muse." DeBello participated on the panel because some thirty odd years after launching the public-private partnership that enabled the nonprofit arts sector to flourish in Westchester, he remained steadfast in his understanding that the arts are a public good. As I said, he was an uncommon man.

Don't miss Janet's weekly blog posts at: [www.thisandthatbyjl.com](http://www.thisandthatbyjl.com)



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## news in brief

### New Artistic Director at Steffi Nossen Dance Foundation



Jessica DiMauro (photo credit: Francesca Perini Zerbo)

Choreographer and teacher Jessica DiMauro has been appointed Artistic Director of the Steffi Nossen Dance Foundation (SNDF). Beginning as a student at SNDF more than 25 years ago, DiMauro has served as Vice President and faculty member. Now she will oversee the artistic vision of major programs like the choreography showcase and guest artist series, bringing new choreographic voices to the students. "I look forward to enhancing the experience of our students through programs intended to support the development of young dancers," says DiMauro. For more info, visit: [steffinossen.org](http://steffinossen.org).

### An Evening of Art and Inspiration on June 17



Muses by Ethan Allen

Ethan Allen, Hartsdale will team up with ArtsWestchester for an evening of art and inspiration as the store launches *Muses*, its new art book of ideas and inspiration. The

June 17 launch party celebrates inspiration with performances from several recipients of ArtsWestchester's "50 for 50" program, which recently recognized 50 outstanding artists for its 50th anniversary. Those performing are singer/songwriter KJ Denhart, dancer/choreographer Rebeca Tomás and poet Suzanne Cleary. The free event will benefit the cultural and educational programs of ArtsWestchester. All attendees will receive a gift copy of *Muses*. To RSVP, contact: [info@hartsdale.ethanallen.com](mailto:info@hartsdale.ethanallen.com).

### Live Poetry at ArtsWestchester



Suzanne Cleary (photo source: [suzanneclearypoet.com](http://suzanneclearypoet.com))

ArtsWestchester will host an evening of live poetry on June 11 with a reading by poet Suzanne Cleary. As Cleary was recently recognized by ArtsWestchester as one of 50 outstanding local artists in its "50 for 50" program, the reading is presented in conjunction with the current exhibition, *50 for 50: New Works* (see page A4), which showcases art from 26 visual artists who are also "50 for 50" honorees. Cleary will read new poems as well as selections from her recent book, *Beauty Mark*. Her poems, conversational in tone, look to everyday simplicities with a deep observation and poignancy. The free program will begin with a reception and book signing. For more info, visit: [artswestchester.org/events/poetry-live](http://artswestchester.org/events/poetry-live).

### Art Around Town in Chappaqua

Northern Westchester Artists Guild (NWAG) will kick off its Art Around Town event, which pairs NWAG artists with local merchants, on June 4 in Chappaqua. The celebration of art and community will include a reception at each of the participating merchants, where artists will be available to discuss their work. Work will remain on display through June 29. For more info, visit: [www.nwartistsguild.org](http://www.nwartistsguild.org).

### Amnesty International Calls On Artist Peter Sis



Peter Sis (photo credit: Kevin Abosch)

"50 for 50" artist Peter Sis of Irvington was among three artists recently chosen by Amnesty International to join the organization as its first "Honorary Consuls." Sis is an internationally acclaimed illustrator, author and filmmaker from Czechoslovakia who was among those chosen by ArtsWestchester for its 50th anniversary awards. The

other Honorary Consuls are Saúl Hernández and Gabriela Montero. Amnesty International selected the artists "because of their ability to inspire others through their art and personal passion." Their goal will be to mobilize support for human rights among the general public and within the artistic community. Sis' work can be seen in ArtsWestchester's current *50 for 50: New Works* exhibition (see more on page A4).

### Call for Artists: Sidewalk Chalk Art Festival



Last year's winner, Eric Munroe-Allen (photo credit: Toby McAfee)

As part of Cross County Shopping Center (CCSC)'s Annual SummerFest events, both professional and amateur area artists are invited to participate in the third annual Sidewalk Chalk Art Festival on June 27. Artists will create temporary works of art in the chalk medium throughout the Shopping Center. These new works must be consistent with a theme that will be determined on CCSC's Facebook page. First through third place prizes will be awarded as well as a "People's Choice" award. For more info, visit: [crosscountysummerfest.com](http://crosscountysummerfest.com).

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# highlights

## Westchester Philharmonic Concludes Season with Emerging Young Talents

The future of classical music is in good hands with young musicians stepping up to the podium at Westchester Philharmonic's season-closing performance. Two talented young musicians will take the stage on June 14 at The Performing Arts Center at Purchase College. In this concert, Denail Rachev, music director and conductor of the Eugene Symphony, will lead cellist Joshua Roman, a TED Fellow selected as part of a group of next generation innovators. The program includes Arvo Part's *Fratres*, the technical demands of Elgar's *Cello Concerto* and concludes with Brahms' *Second Symphony*. A pre-performance discussion with the artists will take place an hour before the concert begins. For more info, visit: [westchesterphil.org](http://westchesterphil.org).



Joshua Roman (photo credit: Hayley Young)

## From the Curator: Kenise Barnes on 50 for 50: New Works

Curator Kenise Barnes reflects on ArtsWestchester's new exhibition, 50 for 50: New Works, which showcases many of the visual artists who won the prestigious "50 for 50" award. For more info, visit: [artsw.org/newworks](http://artsw.org/newworks).

"This exhibition showcases the work of twenty-six visual artists selected for their significant artistic contribution to the arts in Westchester County ... Each artist is in dialogue with the global community of artists and, at the same time, the work is informed by the experience of living or working in Westchester County ... [They] come and go variously, travelling to document world politics, to study technique and to absorb textures and colors of other cultures and histories, ultimately arriving back home to distill ideas and experiences into visual manifestations ... The artists in this exhibition are brought together through a shared achievement. As I studied the work of ArtsWestchester's '50 for 50' awardees, I noted the emergence of an unplanned and unexpected commonality: architectural forms and notions of home appear with frequency throughout their work. Some of these ideas manifest in overt ways and others more discreetly ... The artists in '50 for 50' are world-class artists working in a county whose landscape and sense of place are as diverse as they are. The accolades are well-deserved all around."

*Excerpt reprinted from the exhibition catalogue.*



Georgia O'Keeffe Meets Galileo Galilei by Carla Rae Johnson

## Antonia Arts Presents *The Wizard of Oz* Encore Performances

Antonia Arts will present two encore performances of *The Wizard of Oz* at the Paramount Hudson Valley Theater on June 7 at 2pm and 6pm. These presentations are dedicated to the memory of Jimmy Mack, the beloved Peekskill comic who died in an accident while travelling with comedian Tracy Morgan last year. The performance will launch a scholarship



(photo credit: Howard Copeland at Scott Photography)

foundation to provide funds for creative and performing arts classes, workshops and performances. The family-friendly musical tells the tale of Dorothy and her dog Toto who, as they search for a way home along the yellow brick road, meet a cast of colorful characters who help them find their way. For more info, visit: [antoniaarts.com](http://antoniaarts.com).

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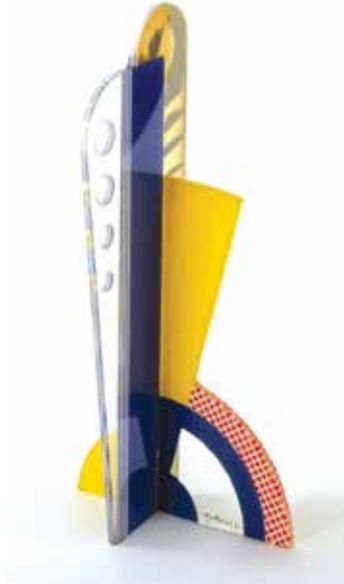
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## Plastic: Art in an Era of Material Innovation at Neuberger Museum of Art

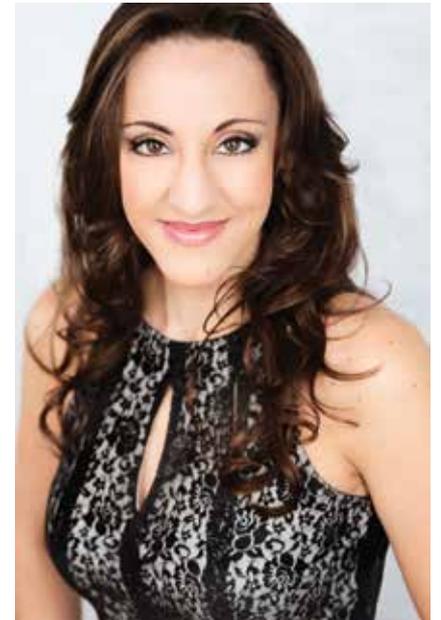
With works by more than 25 artists including Roy Lichtenstein, Andy Warhol and Robert Rauschenberg, The Neuberger Museum of Art's newest exhibition, *Plastic: Art in an Era of Material Innovation*, reveals the art world's fascination with plastics in the mid-twentieth century. Technological advancements led to a desire to explore the possibilities of this material as a viable artistic medium – it was malleable, lightweight and had the ability to be melted or colored – and it “allowed [artists] to participate in, reflect upon and actively shape the course of this new technological development,” explains curator Grace Converse. While some artists viewed plastic pessimistically as a cheap, disposable medium, this show “embrace(s) that negative as part of the conversation” and expresses a diverse exploration of the material's qualities by artists. The exhibition is on view through August 23. For more info, visit: [neuberger.org](http://neuberger.org).



Modern Sculpture with Apertures by Roy Lichtenstein

## New Rochelle Opera Celebrates 30 Years With *Carmen*

New Rochelle Opera (NRO)'s 30th anniversary reaches new heights with a revival of Georges Bizet's beloved *Carmen* during the weekend of June 25-28. Staged by the organization's Co-Founder and Artistic Director Camille Copolla and conducted by Gregory Ortega, this opera tells the story of naïve soldier Don José, whose infatuation with seductress Carmen threatens to destroy them both. The French lyrics and dialog will be supported with English subtitles and accompanied by the opera's widely-recognized and acclaimed music. The production will take place in the Frank J. Auriana Theater at the Ursuline School in New Rochelle, continuing the mission NRO has held for 30 years – to present imaginative operatic productions to the Westchester community. For more info, visit: [nropera.org](http://nropera.org).



Sishel Claverie stars as Carmen in the 6/25 and 6/27 performances (photo credit: Shannon Langman Photography)

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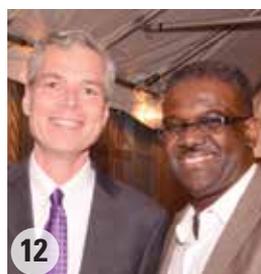
(Left to right) Benjamin Steakhouse; The Horse and Hound Inn; Ben & Jerry's; Tre Angelina

# ArtsBash Photo Round-Up

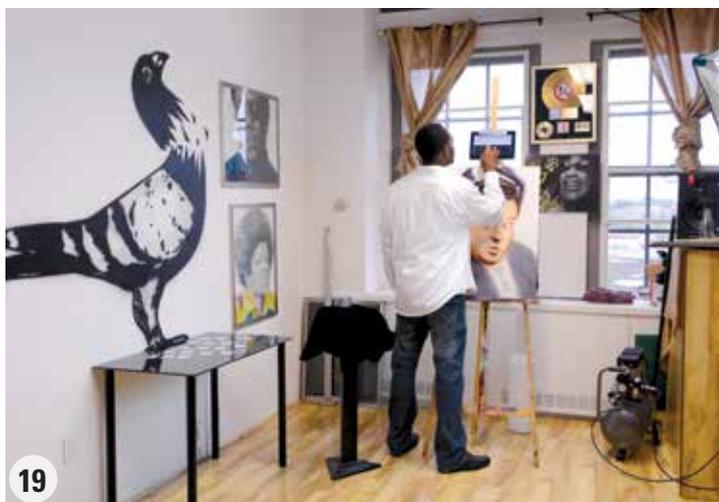


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For more ArtsBash photos, visit: [artsw.org/photogallery](http://artsw.org/photogallery)



1. Guests admire artwork; 2. Bary Shenkman, Lynda Shenkman Curtis, David Oliver and Jamie Shenkman; 3. NY State Assemblyman Steven Otis (left), ArtsWestchester CEO Janet Langsam (center) and guests; 4. Guests enjoy food from Sofrito; 5. ArtsWestchester CEO Janet Langsam and NY State Senator Andrea Stewart-Cousins; 6. Artist Creighton Michael, ArtsWestchester Board Member Ellen Liman and guest; 7. Artist Jerry Pinkney; 8. Artist Antoinette Wysocki; 9. Joe Boykin; 10. Le Moulin; 11. 50 for 50: New Works curator Kenise Barnes and guest; 12. White Plains Mayor Tom Roach and Legislator Ken Jenkins; 13. ArtsWestchester staff members; 14. ArtsWestchester Board Member Deborah Simon (right) and her husband Alan; 15. Chairman of the Board of Legislators Michael Kaplowitz (left) with guests and Legislator Michael Smith (right); 16. 42 The Restaurant; 17. Art supplies in Carrie Belk's studio; 18. ArtsBash Co-Chair John Crabtree; 19. Kirk Howell in his studio; 20. Empire City Casino; 21. Artist Bibiana Huang Matheis and ArtsWestchester Board Member Frank Matheis; 22. ArtsWestchester Gallery Director Kathleen Reckling (right) chats with guests; 23. Elements; 24. ArtsWestchester Board Member Bob Roth and his wife Joyce.



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Presented by New Rochelle Council on the Arts

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This exhibition inspires a dialogue about contemporary issues impacting society.

[NEWROCHELLEARTS.ORG](http://NEWROCHELLEARTS.ORG)

**JACKIE BATTENFIELD: NEW PAINTINGS ON MYLAR**

May 30-June 11 | Tue-Sat 10am-5:30pm **FREE**

Kenise Barnes Fine Art, 1947 Palmer Ave., Larchmont | 904.834.48077

This solo exhibition demonstrates why Battenfield is known for her luminous interpretation of natural forces.

[KBFA.COM](http://KBFA.COM)

**LALANI NAN: NEW PAINTINGS**

May 30-June 11 | Tue-Sat 10am-5:30pm **FREE**

Kenise Barnes Fine Art, 1947 Palmer Ave., Larchmont | 904.834.48077

This solo exhibition features new lush, hyperreal oil paintings by nationally-recognized artist Lalani Nan.

[KBFA.COM](http://KBFA.COM)

**50 FOR 50: NEW WORKS**

May 16-June 20 | Tues-Sat 12-5pm **FREE**

ArtsWestchester, 31 Mamaroneck Ave., White Plains | 914.428.4220

This exhibition features visual artists that were selected for ArtsWestchester prestigious "50 for 50" award.

[ARTSW.ORG](http://ARTSW.ORG)

# JUNE EVENTS

## **RUTSCH AWARD & SOLO EXHIBITION FOR PAINTING: LINDY CHAMBERS**

May 1–June 13 | Tue–Fri 10am–5pm; Sat 10am–4pm **FREE**  
Pelham Art Center, 155 Fifth Ave., Pelham | 914.738.2525

The annual Rutsch Award Solo Exhibition for Painting winner Lindy Chambers avidly pushes the boundaries of painting – reinventing, reinvigorating and remastering a traditional medium.

[PELHAMARTCENTER.ORG](http://PELHAMARTCENTER.ORG)

## **ART FOR THE MAN CAVE**

May 26–June 20 | Tues–Sat 12–5pm **FREE**  
Mamaroneck Artists Guild  
126 Larchmont Ave., Larchmont | 914.834.1117

Elisabeth Pollaert Smith presents gallery-quality work on such topics as sports, hobbies and planes, trains and automobiles.

[MAMARONECKARTISTSGUILD.ORG](http://MAMARONECKARTISTSGUILD.ORG)

## **MURMURATION COLLECTIVE**

May 9–June 27 | Wed–Sat 12–5pm **FREE**  
Miranda Arts Project Space  
6 North Pearl St., Suite 404-E, Port Chester | 914.318.7178

This exhibition features collaborative and autonomous works by Mia Brownell, Cristina de Gennaro, Patricia Miranda, Sasha Kopelowitz and Tricia Wright.

[MIRANDAARTSPROJECTSPACE.COM](http://MIRANDAARTSPROJECTSPACE.COM)

## **HIDDEN YONKERS**

May 23–June 27 | Thu–Sat 12–5pm **FREE**  
Blue Door Art Center, 13 Riverdale Ave., Yonkers | 914.375.5100

This exhibition showcases unseen images of Yonkers, the fourth largest city in New York.

[BLUEDOORARTCENTER.ORG](http://BLUEDOORARTCENTER.ORG)

## **CHRIS LARSON: THE KATONAH RELOCATION PROJECT**

March 22–June 28 | Tues–Sat 10am–5pm; Sun 12–5pm  
Katonah Museum of Art, 134 Jay St., Katonah | 914.232.9555

In this exhibition, artist Chris Larson takes an inventive, contemporary spin on a fascinating local legend: the relocation of Katonah. Entry: \$10 General; \$5 Student/Senior.

[KATONAHMUSEUM.ORG](http://KATONAHMUSEUM.ORG)

## **THE SEVEN DEADLY SINS: LUST**

April 19–June 28 | Fri 11am–5pm; Sat & Sun 12–6pm  
Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art  
1701 Main St., Peekskill 914.788.0100

This exhibition explores one of the seven deadly sins with raw energy, explicit subject matter and a wide range of media. Tickets: \$5 General; \$4 Senior; \$2 Student; FREE for Members.

[HVCCA.ORG](http://HVCCA.ORG)

## **NEW: WOW – THE ART OF MARTIN KRUCK & CREIGHTON MICHAEL**

May 28–June 28 | Tue–Thu 12–7pm; Sat–Sun 2–5pm **FREE**  
OSilas Gallery at Concordia College  
171 White Plains Rd., Bronxville | 914.395.4520

An exhibition featuring new work by ArtsWestchester “50 for 50” honorees Martin Kruck and Creighton Michael.

[OSILASGALLERY.ORG](http://OSILASGALLERY.ORG)



Artist Toni Quest,  
Peekskill Open Studios  
(photo credit: Raeford  
Dwyer)

## **PEEKSKILL OPEN STUDIOS**

Presented by Peekskill Arts Alliance  
June 6 & 7 | 12–5pm **FREE**  
Downtown Peekskill | 914.438.6084

Peekskill Open Studios will showcase the growing and vibrant artistic community of Peekskill as it presents more than 20 artists in 21 art venues throughout the city. Local artists will open their studio doors, inviting visitors to observe their art and discuss their creative processes. A new location added to the 18th annual event is a one-time church that is now home to six studios,

including that of Open Studios' founder Larry D'Amico. Free live portrait paintings will be available at another new location, The Flatz Properties building, which will also dedicate three floors to displaying artwork. A kick-off party takes place on June 5 with poetry readings, exhibitions and samples of Kiley Kids and *The Wizard of Oz*, giving visitors a taste of what to expect throughout the weekend.

[PEEKSKILLARTISTS.ORG](http://PEEKSKILLARTISTS.ORG)

# ARTSEE

## **FARRADAY NEWSOME: UNSEEN DRIFT**

May 16–July 5 | Mon–Sat 10am–4pm **FREE**

Clay Art Center

40 Beech St., Port Chester | 914.937.2047

Arizona-based artist Farraday Newsome's solo exhibition features new decorative terracotta and majolica work.

[CLAYARTCENTER.ORG](http://CLAYARTCENTER.ORG)

## **GRAVITY: DEFINED AND DEFIED**

Presented by Westchester Community College Center for the Arts

May 26–July 20 | Mon–Thu 9am–8pm; Fri 9am–11:30am **FREE**

Westchester County Center

196 Central Ave., White Plains | 914.606.7500

Multimedia artist Jaanika Peerna and ceramic artist Kristen Lyon present works that draw on nature, particularly gravity and light.

[SUNYWCC.EDU/ARTS](http://SUNYWCC.EDU/ARTS)

## **STAGED READING: THE SALONNIERES**

Presented by Hudson Stage Company

June 6 | 7:30pm **FREE**

Croton Free Library

171 Cleveland Drive, Croton on Hudson | 904.271.2811

This staged reading of *The Salonnières* by Liz Duffy Adams, a play about a young woman in Pre-Revolutionary Paris, who is promised in marriage to an older nobleman to pay off her father's debts. A Q&A with the artists follows.

[HUDSONSTAGE.COM](http://HUDSONSTAGE.COM)

## **MAYBE NEVER FELL**

Presented by Axial Theatre

June 6 | 8pm

ArtsWestchester, 31 Mamaroneck Ave., 9th fl., White Plains

June 6 will mark the premiere stage reading of the newest work by Axial Theatre's co-artistic director and founder Howard Meyer. Directed by Jenn Haltman, *Maybe Never Fell* tells the story of one man's journey across the globe in search of love and his own spiritual and cultural identity. During his quest, the man encounters challenges that test his relationships and self-awareness. Set in modern day Berlin, the play's central characters (an American Jewish man and a young German woman) attempt to forge a lasting connection despite personal and collective ghosts. Meyer is one of ArtsWestchester's "50 for 50" honorees, a program that recognizes 50 outstanding artists in Westchester County. The reading will take place on ArtsWestchester's 9th floor in White Plains. Tickets: \$10 General | 914.286.7680.

[AXIALTHEATRE.ORG](http://AXIALTHEATRE.ORG)

## **CULTIVATE 2015**

June 7 | 3pm

Copland House at Merestead, 455 Byram Lake Rd., Mount Kisco

Copland House presents six world premieres written by fellows of CULTIVATE, the organization's flagship emerging composers' institute. Tickets: \$15 General; FREE Member/Student | 914.788.4659

[COPLANDHOUSE.ORG](http://COPLANDHOUSE.ORG)

## **70TH ANNIVERSARY OPENING NIGHT PERFORMANCE**

June 20 | 8:30pm

Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts

149 Girdle Ridge Rd., Katonah | 914.232.1251

Tickets: \$20–\$65

A not-to-be-missed world premiere opens Caramoor's 70th anniversary season on June 20 – a new commission from American composer Christopher Theofanidis, who is known for his intense and rhythmically complex compositions. The Orchestra of St. Luke's (OSL), will be conducted by Peter Oundjian – a former artistic director at Caramoor – who will perform the new composition. Caramoor CEO Jeff Haydon explains: "Caramoor's founders, Walter and Lucie Rosen, were some of the foremost patrons of the arts in the '20s-'60s and it is fitting that we continue in their tradition of supporting new music and artists' careers." Caramoor and OSL, which celebrates its 40th anniversary this year, jointly commissioned this particular work in celebration of both of their momentous anniversaries.

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Orchestra of St. Luke's conductor Peter Oundjian (photo courtesy of Caramoor)

# JUNE EVENTS

## ED YOUNG: *BIRD & DIZ* – ILLUSTRATIONS FROM CREATIVE PROCESS TO FINISHED BOOK

June 13–August 1 | Mon–Thu 9am–8pm; Fri 9am–6pm  
Sat 9am–5pm; Sun 1–5pm **FREE**  
Chappaqua Library, 195 South Greeley Ave., Chappaqua | 914.238.4779

This exhibition follows award-winning illustrator Ed Young's process from preliminary sketches through finished drawings for the *Bird & Diz* children's book.

[CHAPPAQUALIBRARY.ORG](http://CHAPPAQUALIBRARY.ORG)

## THE KERNIS PROJECT

June 28 | 4:30pm  
Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts  
149 Girdle Ridge Rd., Katonah | 914.232.1251

The Jasper String Quartet performs Pulitzer Prize-winning composer Aaron Jay Kernis's newest quartet piece. Tickets: \$20–\$65.

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## CONTEMPORARY GEOMETRIC

Friday, June 12, 5–9pm and Saturday, June 13, 12–5pm **FREE**  
Media Loft Micro Gallery, 50 Webster Ave. | 914.815.3903

This exhibition features new collage, painting and mixed-media works by Nancy Nikkal.

[MEDIALOFTARTS.COM](http://MEDIALOFTARTS.COM)

## TABOO

Presented by Hamm & Clov Stage Company  
June 28 | 3pm **FREE**  
Yonkers Riverfront Library, One Larkin Center, Yonkers  
914.963.6222

The world premiere of *TABOO*, an original dance film by Holly Villaire, will take place at Yonkers Riverfront Library on June 28. With dance as its primary means of expression, the music, spoken word and choreography in this poetic film tell a powerful story in lieu of dialogue. Starring internationally acclaimed dancer Ramon Flowers and choreography by Labyrinth Dance Theater's Artistic Director Sasha Spielvogel, *TABOO* presents a journey of courage and endurance in the face of tragedy during the height of the AIDS epidemic in New York's gay community. A Q&A about the making of the film will follow the screening.

[HAMMANDCLOV.ORG](http://HAMMANDCLOV.ORG)

Ramon Flowers in *TABOO*, Hamm & Clov Stage Company (photo credit: Eve Cuyen)



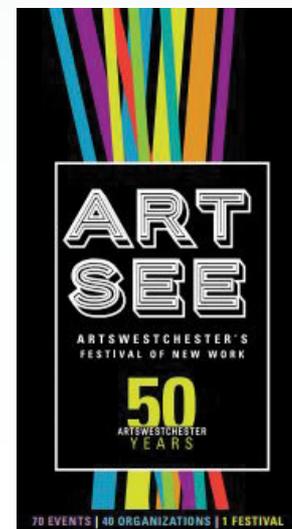
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For a full schedule of events, view the official **ARTSEE** Festival brochure online at: [artsw.org/ARTsee](http://artsw.org/ARTsee).



## artsw briefs

### A Call for Photographs to Commemorate the History of Westchester County

ArtsWestchester is celebrating its 50th anniversary. As it readies itself for the next half-century, it is taking a moment to commemorate the milestones and memorable moments from the past five decades. To celebrate its Golden Anniversary, ArtsWestchester is partnering with *The Journal News* to present *Through the Decades: Picturing 50 Years in Westchester*, an exhibition of photos that demonstrate how the community has captured Westchester's most memorable events since 1965. For guidelines and to submit photos for consideration in this exhibition, visit: [artsw.org/throughthedeCADES](http://artsw.org/throughthedeCADES).

### A Wunderkind at ArtsWestchester



(photo credit: Stefan Radtke)

ArtsWestchester congratulates its very own "Wunderkind" – its Gallery Director Kathleen Reckling. *914Inc. Magazine* recently announced 22 recipients for its annual "Wunderkind" awards, naming Westchester County's "most impressive under-30 business professionals." Since joining ArtsWestchester in 2011, Reckling has helped to strengthen the gallery's visual arts programming "through an expanded roster of artists, new avenues of support, additional community and business partnerships and larger audiences," notes the magazine's current

feature article. Deeply invested in, and connected to, her local artistic community, Reckling commits herself to the quality and reputation of ArtsWestchester's exhibitions. A constant presence in the gallery, she can be seen curating shows, installing artworks, meeting with artists and giving gallery tours.

### ArtsWestchester Receives National Grant



Two Graces III by exhibiting SHE artist Debbie Han

ArtsWestchester has been awarded a \$35,000 grant from the National Endowment for the Arts to support its March 2016 exhibition, *SHE: Deconstructing Female Identity*. Curated by Gallery Director Kathleen Reckling, *SHE* will be an artistic exploration of what it means to be a woman in modern America. Serving as a catalyst for discussions about gender roles and female personas, the exhibition will also create a space for women of all ages to voice their experiences. Displayed through artwork that includes sculpture, photography, interactive installations, the debut of several commissions and more, artists will observe and comment on modern womanhood and traditional notions of femininity, moving the viewer to reflect on concepts beyond those standard definitions. Several community events will complement the exhibition, including artist-led workshops and interactive programs.

### ArtsExcel in Yonkers

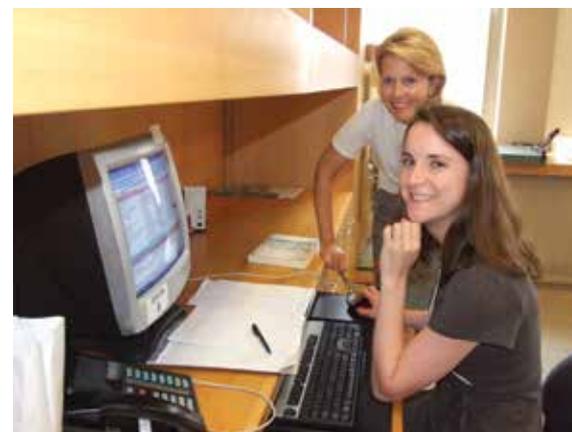
Assemblywoman Shelley Mayer recently attended a student art show that displayed the stories and artworks of Cedar Elementary School students in Yonkers. The show was the result of author and illustrator Amalia Hoffman's artist residency at the school. Hoffman worked with the students to write stories about themselves and create self-portraits, an artistic extension of their current ELA curriculum. The program was part of ArtsExcel Yonkers, which is made possible with generous funds through a New York State Assembly Grant to the Yonkers City School District in partnership with ArtsWestchester.



Assemblywoman Shelley Mayer and Cedar Elementary School teacher Pat Bruno with student

### ArtsWestchester Offers 2015 Internships

ArtsWestchester offers internship programs in specialized fields. Students gain essential job readiness skills in project management, public relations, professional writing, collaboration, leadership and responsibility. Internships are available in the following categories:



**CULTURAL PROGRAMS:** The Programs Department intern assists in a number of projects involving the organization's network of artists and cultural organizations.

**ARTS IN EDUCATION:** The Arts in Education intern works with a team that helps teachers to integrate the arts into their curriculum subjects to enhance learning and create positive environments for students.

**COMMUNICATIONS:** The Communications intern collaborates on all matters related to press, publicity and writing.

**DEVELOPMENT & SPECIAL EVENTS:** This internship offers the opportunity to work on all matters related to membership, special events, corporate sponsorships and major gifts.

**GALLERY & EXHIBITIONS:** Interns assist with daily operations of the Arts Exchange Gallery, a dynamic fine arts space in the heart of downtown White Plains.

Interns receive complimentary admission to cultural events throughout Westchester, where they can advance efforts to build broad support for the arts. To apply or find out more, contact ArtsWestchester at 914-428-4220.

# ARTS CALENDAR



Into the Woods, part of Jacob Burns Film Center's "Deadly SiNema" Series, 6/23 – 6/29

## 6/1 MONDAY

**Lectures:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *Race Issues In Mark Twain's Books: Community Conversations*. Since their publication more than 150 years ago, the *Tom Sawyer* and *Huck Finn* novels have been controversial. Mon, 6/1 and Tue, 6/9 at 7pm. [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)

## 6/2 TUESDAY

**Lectures:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Chamber Talk with Max Mandel*. Max Mandel, Evnin Rising Star alum and accomplished viola player, breaks down chamber music with style, charm and wit. 7pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

**Spoken Word:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *The Big Read: Site Reading at Trinity-St. Paul's Church, New Rochelle*. Costumed members of

the Reader's Theater Troupe re-enact Twain's scene in which Tom and Huck have a scare in a cemetery. 7:30pm. [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)

## 6/3 WEDNESDAY

**Music:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Flamenco in the Courtyard*. Sara Erde, a specialist in Gypsy-style flamenco, performs followed by a docent-led tour of the Rosen House. 11am. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

## 6/4 THURSDAY

**Tours:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Afternoon Tea*. Spend time relaxing with friends and enjoying a formal tea service in the grand setting of the Summer Dining Room of the historic Rosen House. Thursdays 6/4 and 6/18 at 1:30pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

**Lectures:** Katonah Museum of Art presents *Design Specific Lectures and Leaders in Design: Ivan Chermayeff, Graphic Designer*. Chermayeff has created iconic images for hundreds of clients, including NBC, PBS and the Smithsonian, and is the creator of the emblematic KMA logo. 7pm. [www.katonahmuseum.org](http://www.katonahmuseum.org)

**Music:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *Michael McDonald*. With a career that encompasses five Grammys, numerous chart successes, personal and professional accolades, and collaborations with some of the world's most prominent artists, Michael McDonald remains an enduring force in popular music. 8pm. [www.tarrytownmusicall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusicall.org)

## 6/5 FRIDAY

**Spoken Word:** Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Please Excuse This Poem Anthology Reading*. Five poets read selections from *Please Excuse this Poem: 100 New Poets for the Next Generation*. 7:30pm. [www.writerscenter.org](http://www.writerscenter.org)

**Music:** The Village Singers of Westchester present *Spring Concert: Beethoven to Bacharach*. An evening of Beethoven to Bacharach plus a medley of classic TV jingles and more. Refreshments will be served. 8pm at Crawford Park in Rye. [www.thevillagesingers.com](http://www.thevillagesingers.com)



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## 6/6 SATURDAY

**ARTSEE Festival:** Peekskill Arts Alliance presents *Peekskill Open Studios*. Celebrate and enjoy two full days of art, performances, music and food at the 18th annual Peekskill Open Studios taking place in downtown Peekskill. Sat & Sun, 6/6 & 6/7 from 12-5pm. [www.peekskillartists.org](http://www.peekskillartists.org)

**ARTSEE Festival:** Hudson Stage Company presents *Staged Reading of The Salonnières*. Staged reading of the new play *The Salonnières* by Liz Duffy Adams. In Pre-Revolutionary Paris, a young woman is promised in marriage to an older nobleman to pay off her father's debts. Q&A with the artists after the performance. 7:30pm at Croton Free Library. [www.hudsonstage.com](http://www.hudsonstage.com)

**ARTSEE Festival:** Axial Theatre presents *Maybe Never Fell*. A staged reading of a new play about an American-Jewish man and a young German woman who attempt to forge a lasting connection despite personal and collective ghosts. 8pm at ArtsWestchester. [www.axialtheatre.org](http://www.axialtheatre.org)

**Comedy:** Emelin Theatre presents *Laughing Out Loud: A Night of Stand-Up Comedy*. Laugh yourself silly with home-grown stand-up stars. Starring Ophira Eisenberg, the host of NPR and WNYC's *Ask Me Another*. 8pm. [www.emelin.org](http://www.emelin.org)

**Family & Kids:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *The Big Read: Fishing Derby Classic*. This year, New Rochelle Parks and Recreation's annual

Fishing Derby celebrates the "gone fishin'" spirit of Tom Sawyer. Participants who dress like Tom or one of his friends will be awarded special prizes, with a grand prize awarded for best costume. 9am at Twin Lakes at Huguenot Park. [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)

**Music:** New Westchester Symphony Orchestra presents *Free Concert at Tuckahoe Public Library*. NewWSO is an audition-free, all-volunteer orchestra. 3pm. [www.newsymphony.org](http://www.newsymphony.org)

**Music:** RiverArts presents *The First Ever RiverArts Music Tour*. A celebration of the depth and breadth of the Rivertowns music community with more than 170 musicians in 80 performances at 24 different venues. 12pm-10:30pm. [www.riverarts.org](http://www.riverarts.org)

## 6/7 SUNDAY

**Music:** Westchester County Parks presents *Bike Sundays: Free Concert*. Singer-Songwriter Christopher Brown performs in this free concert outside the Westchester County Center at 12pm. [www.countycenter.biz](http://www.countycenter.biz)

**Family & Kids:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *Westchester Circus Arts: Circo Bello*. Westchester Circus Arts presents its annual student showcase featuring aerialists, acrobats, jugglers, stilt-walkers, wire-walkers, and more. 2pm. [www.tarrytownmusichall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusichall.org)

**Theater:** Antonia Arts, Inc. presents *The Wizard of Oz*. Due to popular demand, this encore production returns to Paramount Hudson Valley, featuring a

cast made up of professional and community theater actors as well as local youth. 2pm. [www.paramounthudsonvalley.com](http://www.paramounthudsonvalley.com)

**Music:** Copland House presents *Cultivate 2015 Concert*. Works by America's most gifted young composers. 3pm. [www.coplandhouse.org](http://www.coplandhouse.org)

**Fundraisers:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Friends' Garden Party: A Membership Celebration*. This annual outdoor bash brings the entire Caramoor Membership family together for an afternoon of music, friends and fun. 4:30pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

**Theater:** The Play Group Theatre presents *Love's Labour's Lost*. Romance and revelry abound in this loving musical adaptation of Shakespeare's comedy. Sundays 6/7 & 6/14 at 2pm & 7pm. [www.playgroup.org](http://www.playgroup.org)

## 6/8 MONDAY

**Family & Kids:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *Random Farms Kids' Theater: Legally Blonde, Jr.* A fabulously fun international award-winning musical based on the adored movie, *Legally Blonde, Jr.: The Musical* follows the transformation of Elle Woods as she tackles stereotypes, snobbery, and scandal in pursuit of her dreams. 6/8-6/21, times vary. [www.tarrytownmusichall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusichall.org)

## 6/10 WEDNESDAY

**Tours:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *Group Trip to the Mark Twain House in Hartford, CT*. A fascinating glimpse into Twain's home and life, at the Mark Twain House and Museum in Hartford, CT. 9am-6pm. [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)

## 6/11 THURSDAY

**Spoken Word:** ArtsWestchester presents *Poetry Live*. ArtsWestchester "50 for 50" honoree Suzanne Cleary will be reading from her recent book *Beauty Mark* along with new poems. Come early and enjoy the exhibition *50 for 50: New Works*, showcasing the work of the "50 for 50" visual artist honorees. 6:30pm. [www.artswestchester.org](http://www.artswestchester.org)

**ARTSEE Festival:** Westchester Collaborative Theater presents *Lovers and Exotic Strangers: One-Act Play Reading Festival*. Members of Westchester Collaborative Theater perform readings of one-act plays created through the theater's play development process. The festival will run from 6/11-6/14, Thurs-Sat: 8pm and Sun: 3pm, at Steamer Company Firehouse Theater in Ossining. [www.wctheater.org](http://www.wctheater.org)

## 6/12 FRIDAY

**Tours:** Katonah Museum of Art presents *Stroller Tour*. Parents, grandparents and caregivers with children under 18 months meet up and explore an exciting world of art in the KMA galleries. 9am. [www.katonahmuseum.org](http://www.katonahmuseum.org)

**Spoken Word:** Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Gregory Donovan & Michele Poulos*. Readings by poets Gregory Donovan and Michele Poulos. 7:30pm. [www.writerscenter.org](http://www.writerscenter.org)

**Music:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *Graham Parker & The Rumour*. Graham Parker & the Rumour tour in support of their newest album *Mystery Glue*. 8pm. [www.tarrytownmusichall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusichall.org)

## 6/13 SATURDAY

**Dance:** Ballet des Amériques presents *Peter and the Wolf*. Ballet des Amériques comes to the Emelin Theatre with the premiere of *Peter and the Wolf*, a ballet choreographed by Carole Alexis based on the well-known story and music of Sergei Prokofiev. [www.balletdesameriques.com](http://www.balletdesameriques.com)

**Family & Kids:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *BID Family Market Day: Community Fence-Painting Party and River Music*. The seemingly enormous picket fence that Tom Sawyer tricked his friends into painting will be replicated on the Library Green, and all are invited to join in the fun of painting it. 11am. [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)

**Music:** New Westchester Symphony Orchestra presents *Free Outdoor Concert at the E. Hartsdale Avenue Farmers Market Summer Music Series*. NewWSO is an audition-free,

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Tal Aviezer as Sherlock Holmes in *Sherlock Holmes: The Adventure of the Dancing Men* at Lyndhurst, 6/19-6/28

all-volunteer orchestra. 3pm. [www.newsymphony.org](http://www.newsymphony.org). 11am. [www.newsymphony.org](http://www.newsymphony.org)

**Music:** Songcatchers presents *Love Makes the World Go Round*. An inter-generational concert featuring songs of love, joy and peace presented by young singers from Songcatchers as well as the young-at-heart singers from the Hugh A. Doyle Senior Center and Garito Manor. 3pm at New Rochelle Public Library. [www.songcatchers.org](http://www.songcatchers.org)

## 6/14 SUNDAY

**Dance:** Ballet des Amériques presents *Peter and the Wolf*. Ballet des Amériques comes to the Emelin Theatre with the premiere of *Peter and the Wolf*, a ballet by Carole Alexis based on the well-known story and music of Sergei Prokofiev. [www.ballet-desameriques.com](http://www.ballet-desameriques.com)

**Music:** Westchester Philharmonic presents *Cellist Joshua Roman & Conductor Danail Rachev with Westchester Phil*. Arvo Part's mesmerizing *Fratres*, Elgar's haunting *Cello Concerto*, and the bright Brahms *Second Symphony* conclude the orchestra's 32nd season. 3pm at the Performing Arts Center at Purchase College. [www.westchesterphil.org](http://www.westchesterphil.org)

**Theater:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *The Big Read: Site Reading at Sophia Brewster Schoolhouse in New Rochelle*. Members of the Big Read Reader's Theater Troupe will re-enact a scene from *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer*. 3pm. [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)

**Music:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *Putnam Dance Center: Rock of Ages*. Putnam Dance Center takes audiences back to the '80s. 3:30pm. [www.tarrytownmusichall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusichall.org)

## 6/15 MONDAY

**Fundraisers:** ArtsWestchester presents *Golf Tournament 2015*. Support the arts while enjoying a day of golf at Wykagyl Country Club in New Rochelle, one of the most challenging courses in the country. 10:30am-7pm. [artswestchester.org/golf](http://artswestchester.org/golf)

## 6/16 TUESDAY

**Music:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *Melissa Etheridge - This is M.E. Solo*. Academy Award and Grammy-winning artist, Melissa Etheridge, will take the stage to perform songs from her new album, *This is M.E.*, as well as some of her greatest hits. 8pm. [www.tarrytownmusichall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusichall.org)

## 6/17 WEDNESDAY

**Music:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Romantic Miniatures: A Classical Tasting*. Pianist Jiyang Chen provides a classical tasting of works by Rachmaninoff, Tchaikovsky, Saint-Saens, Chopin, Mompou and Schubert. 11am. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

## 6/18 THURSDAY

**Tours:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Afternoon Tea: House Tour, Tea & Garden Stroll*. Enjoy a formal tea service and tour of the historic Rosen House, followed by guided tour of Caramoor's stunning grounds. Fridays 6/12 & 6/26 at 1:30pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

## 6/19 FRIDAY

**Music:** Alvin & Friends presents *Clifton Anderson*. Jazz trombonist Clifton Anderson performs at Alvin & Friends Restaurant in New Rochelle. 7:30pm. [www.alvinandfriendsrestaurant.com](http://www.alvinandfriendsrestaurant.com)

**Spoken Word:** Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Open Mic Night*. Artists of all types and levels are encouraged to share music, stand-up comedy, poetry, fiction or creative non-fiction. 7:30pm. [www.writerscenter.org](http://www.writerscenter.org)

**Theater:** M&M Performing Arts Company presents *Sherlock Holmes: The Adventure of the Dancing Men at Lyndhurst*. This classic mystery is given a special period flavor as it takes place throughout the beautiful Lyndhurst mansion in Tarrytown. Performances 6/19-6/28, Wed, Fri, Sat & Sun at 7pm. [www.lyndhurst.org](http://www.lyndhurst.org)

**Theater:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *Chazz Palminteri: A Bronx Tale*. Direct from Broadway, Chazz Palminteri performs his one-man stage version of the hit movie *A Bronx Tale*, based on his childhood memories of working men and gangsters in the Italian-American neighborhood where he grew up. 8pm. [www.tarrytownmusichall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusichall.org)



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Ophira Eisenberg: *A Night of Stand-up Comedy*, Emelin Theatre, 6/6 (photo credit: Jacques Cornell)

## 6/20 SATURDAY

**Family & Kids:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *BID Family Market Day: Native American Heritage*.

Native American storytellers and dancers will perform traditional tales and movement, and speak about the treatment of Native peoples in the 19th century. 11am. [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)

**Fundraisers:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Opening Night Gala 70th Anniversary Celebration*. This year's Gala festivities include a cocktail reception and dinner, a concert by the Orchestra of St. Luke's, and an After Dark post-performance party with desserts, specialty drinks and dancing. The benefit evening begins at 6pm. Concert begins at 8:30pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

**Music:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *The Bacon Brothers*. Actor Kevin Bacon and his brother Michael have been writing songs and playing music together since childhood. The brothers defy cyni-

cal preconceptions about famous actors "dabbling" in music with their "sharply executed rock that has a blue-collar, rootsy edge" (*The New Yorker*). 8pm. [www.tarrytownmusicchall.org](http://www.tarrytownmusicchall.org)

## 6/21 SUNDAY

**Music:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Ana Vidovic – Guitar in the Garden*.

Classical guitarist Ana Vidovic returns to Caramoor for her second Guitar in the Garden appearance with works by Bach, Torroba, Takemitsu, and others. 4:30pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

**Tours:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Sunday Afternoon Tea*. Tour the Rosen House and enjoy an Afternoon Tea with an array of treats in the Summer Dining Room. 2pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

## 6/23 TUESDAY

**Family & Kids:** Katonah Museum of Art presents *Imagine It! Days*. The KMA invites families to build structures

together, draw in the galleries, work with special materials, go on "treasure" hunts, pose for and post pictures, play games, and work on thinking challenges. Tues, 6/23 - Fri, 6/26, 12pm-4pm. [www.katonahmuseum.org](http://www.katonahmuseum.org)

**Film:** Jacob Burns Film Center presents *Deadly SINema Series*. A selection of new and old films that demonstrate the seven deadly sins in less than obvious places. One "sin" screened per day, Tues, 6/23 - Mon, 6/29. Times vary. [www.burnsfilmcenter.org](http://www.burnsfilmcenter.org)

## 6/24 WEDNESDAY

**Music:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Caramoor @ KMA: Spuyten Duyvil*. Rollicking roots band Spuyten Duyvil performs in the Katonah Museum of Art's outdoor Sculpture Garden. 6:30pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

## 6/25 THURSDAY

**Music:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Anonymous in Love: Bel Canto Young Artists*. This program celebrates the thread that ties us all – love – and features playful, dramatic and romantic songs. 7pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

## 6/26 FRIDAY

**Music:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *A Summer Evening at the Rosens': Cocktails, Dinner & Concerts*. Cocktail hour, short theremin concert and dinner concluding with a performance in the Spanish Courtyard by cellist Edward Arron and Friends. 5pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

## 6/27 SATURDAY

**Family & Kids:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *Summer Reading Kick-off Event*. The annual launch of the library's summer reading game and fun-filled activities begins with adventure-inspiring crafts, live entertainment, and refreshments. 11am. [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)

**Festivals:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *American Roots Music Festival*. Lucinda Williams headlines this year's

festival, offering an eclectic mix of folk, country, bluegrass, gospel, blues, early jazz, singer/songwriter, string band, old time, traditional and contemporary roots music. 12pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

**Theater:** Hudson River Museum presents *Macbeth – Performed by Hudson Valley Shakespeare Festival*. A modern take on *Macbeth*, Shakespeare's tale of witches and warlords who plot for Scotland's throne. 8pm in the Hudson River Museum Amphitheater. [www.hrm.org](http://www.hrm.org)

## 6/28 SUNDAY

**ARTSEE Festival:** Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Jasper String Quartet – The Kernis Project*. The Jasper String Quartet plays Pulitzer Prize-winning composer Aaron Kernis's newest quartet piece and selections from Beethoven and Debussy. 4:30pm. [www.caramoor.org](http://www.caramoor.org)

**ARTSEE Festival:** Hamm & Clov Stage Company presents *TABOO*. Premiere screening of an original short dance film about the impact of a worldwide health crisis in New York's gay community. A discussion about the making of the film will follow. 3pm at Yonkers Riverfront Library. [www.hammandclov.org](http://www.hammandclov.org)

**Music:** White Plains Performing Arts Center presents *Jim Brickman – The Platinum Tour*. Celebrating two decades of music in his dynamic career, Jim Brickman showcases new music along with the hits that made him the most charted Billboard adult contemporary artist. 2pm. [www.wppac.com](http://www.wppac.com)

## 6/29 MONDAY

**Fundraisers:** Music Conservatory of Westchester presents *14th Annual Golf & Tennis Classic*. The Music Conservatory wraps up its 85th year with its Golf & Tennis Classic/awards dinner at Whipoorwill Club in Armonk, featuring a musical revue by Broadway stars Lena Hall, Josh Young and Constantine Maroulis. 10am-8:30pm. [www.musicconservatory.org](http://www.musicconservatory.org)



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## → exhibitions

### Blue Door Art Center

[www.bluedoorartcenter.org/gallery](http://www.bluedoorartcenter.org/gallery)

- **Hidden Yonkers.** Exhibition showcasing unseen images of Yonkers, the fourth largest city in New York State. Currently on view through 6/27, Thurs-Fri: 3-8pm & Sat: 12-5pm.
- **Remembrance: Nat Shapiro.** A solo exhibition of the colorful work of Nat Shapiro. Currently on view through 6/20, Thurs-Fri: 3-8pm & Sat: 12-5pm.

### Bullseye Glass Resource Center

[www.bullseyeglass.com](http://www.bullseyeglass.com)

- **In The Nature of Things.** Group exhibition featuring work by Jane Bruce, Susan Cox, and Sandy Gellis, which is the culmination of their residency at the Bullseye Resource Center New York. Currently on view through 11/15, Tues-Fri: 10am-6pm & Sat: 10am-5pm. Reception: Sat, 6/13, 3-5pm.

### Clay Art Center

[www.clayartcenter.org](http://www.clayartcenter.org)

- **Farraday Newsome: Unseen Drift.** Arizona-based artist Farraday Newsome's solo exhibition features new decorative terracotta and majolica works. Currently on view through 7/5, Mon-Sat: 10am-4pm.



Larchmont, NY, Art for the Man Cave, Mamaroneck Artists Guild, through 6/20 (photo credit: Elisabeth Pollaert Smith)

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### Katonah Museum of Art

[www.katonahmuseum.org](http://www.katonahmuseum.org)

- **Chris Larson: The Katonah Relocation Project.** Larson replicates the home of Katonah Museum of Art architect Edward Larabee Barnes to full scale in the sculpture garden. Currently on view through 6/28, Tues-Sat: 10am-5pm & Sun: 12-5pm.
- **A Home for Art: Edward Larabee Barnes and the KMA.** An overview of Barnes' career and role in modern architecture. Currently on view through 6/28, Tues-Sat: 10am-5pm & Sun: 12-5pm.

### Kenise Barnes Fine Art

[www.kbfa.com](http://www.kbfa.com)

- **Lalani Nan: New Paintings.** This solo exhibition features new lush, hyperreal oil paintings by nationally recognized artist Lalani Nan. Currently on view through 6/11, Tues-Sat: 10am-5:30pm.
- **Jackie Battenfield: New Paintings On Mylar.** This solo exhibition demonstrates why Battenfield is known for her luminous interpretation of natural forces. Currently on view through 6/11, Tues-Sat: 10am-5:30pm.

### Mamaroneck Artists Guild

[www.mamaroneckartistsguild.org](http://www.mamaroneckartistsguild.org)

- **Art for the Man Cave.** Elisabeth Pollaert Smith presents photographs on subjects ranging from sports, to hobbies, to planes, trains and automobiles. Currently on view through 6/20, Tues-Sat: 12-5pm.

### Media Loft Micro Gallery

[www.medialoftarts.com](http://www.medialoftarts.com)

- **Contemporary Geometric.** New collage, painting and mixed-media works by Nancy Nikkal. Fri, 6/12 from 5-9pm and Sat, 6/13 from 12-5pm.

## → exhibitions cont'd



Embracing Night *lidded box* by Farraday Newsome, Farraday Newsome: Unseen Drift, Clay Art Center, through 7/5.

### Miranda Arts Project Space

[www.mirandaartsprojectspace.com](http://www.mirandaartsprojectspace.com)

- **Murmuration Collective.** Features collaborative and autonomous works by Mia Brownell, Cristina de Gennar. Currently on view through 6/27, Wed-Sat: 12-5pm.

### Neuberger Museum of Art

[www.neuberger.org](http://www.neuberger.org)

- **Plastic: Art in an Era of Material Innovation.** Spanning the dominant art movements of the mid-twentieth century, this exhibition demonstrates the unique versatility, and dominance of plastic in art at its apex. Currently on view through 8/23, Tues-Sun: 12-5pm.

### New Rochelle Art Association

- **Annual Jules Bauer Award Show.** Work by members of the New Rochelle Art Association, with a monetary prize for best watercolor and a Best of Show/Copy Cat Award for the best work inspired by a founding member's work. 6/1-6/25 at the New Rochelle Public Library. On view during library hours.

### New Rochelle Council on the Arts

[www.newrochellearts.org](http://www.newrochellearts.org)

- **Trending: Celebrating Now!** This exhibition inspires a dialogue about contemporary issues impacting society. Currently on view through 6/5, Mon-Fri: 10am-4pm at the NRCA Rotunda Gallery at New Rochelle City Hall.

### OSilas Gallery at Concordia College

[www.osilasangallery.org](http://www.osilasangallery.org)

- **New: WOW - The Art of Martin Kruck & Creighton Michael.** New work by ArtsWestchester "50 for 50" honorees Martin Kruck and Creighton Michael. Currently on view through 6/28, Tues-Thurs: 12-7pm & Sat-Sun: 2-5pm.

### Ossining Arts Council

- **ART OUT Exhibition.** Works on display in a variety of media, created at a plein air artmaking event by members of the Ossining Arts Council. Sat, 6/13, 10am-5pm at the OAC Steamer Firehouse.

- **OAC Members Show.** Works by painters, photographers, sculptors and other visual artists. On view during library hours. 6/1-6/28 at the Ossining Public Library. On view during library hours.

### Pelham Art Center

[www.pelhamartcenter.org](http://www.pelhamartcenter.org)

- **In the Courtyard: Fugitive Color by Kristen Rego.** Solo outdoor sculpture exhibit of works created from recycled materials. Open to the public 24/7 through 6/12.
- **Rutsch Award and Solo Exhibition for Painting.** 2015 Alexander Rutsch Award and Solo Exhibition for Painting winner Lindy Chambers avidly pushes the boundaries of painting – reinventing, reinvigorating and remastering a traditional medium. Currently on view through 6/13, Tues-Fri: 10am-5pm & Sat: 10am-4pm.

### transFORM Gallery

[www.transformgallery.com](http://www.transformgallery.com)

- **International Prints, Posters, and Etchings.** An array of artwork by seven artists and a selection of Soviet posters. Currently on view through 6/7, Mon-Sat: 10am-4pm.
- **A Retrospective of Alexander Rutsch.** The celebrated Australian artist approached painting and sculpting as he lived life – with the eyes of a child and the hand of a poet. Opening reception: 6/13, 6-9pm. On view through 8/30.

### Westchester Community College Center For The Arts

[www.sunywcc.edu/arts](http://www.sunywcc.edu/arts)

- **Gravity: Defined and Defied.** Multi-media artist Jaanika Peerna and ceramic artist Kristen Lyon present works that draw on nature, particularly gravity and light. Currently on view through 7/20, Mon-Thurs: 9am-8pm & Fri, 9am-11:30am.

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## → workshops

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- **Quick Start to Photoshop CC in 24 Hours.** Learn to use the latest version of Adobe Photoshop with time management features and enhancements for web and video designers. 6/1-6/24, Mon & Wed, 6-9pm.
- **Quick Start to Adobe Illustrator CC in 24 Hours.** Learn to use the latest version of Illustrator with new 3D and web features. 6/2-6/25, Tues & Thurs, 6-9pm.
- **Painting and Drawing for Adults in 24 Hours.** Students of all levels will work with a variety of media and learn different approaches to painting and drawing. 6/1-7/8, Mon & Wed: 7-9pm.

### New Rochelle Public Library

[www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)

- **Family Scrapbook Workshops.** Drop-in family workshops, during which visitors of all ages will have the opportunity to make adventure books filled with beautiful "scraps." Thurs: 6/4 & 6/18 at 4pm.

### Steffi Nossen School of Dance

[www.steffinossen.org](http://www.steffinossen.org)

- **Moving Wheels & Heels Adaptive Dance Intensive.** This intensive, one-week adaptive dance experience for students and teachers with/without disabilities includes technique classes, composition and repertory experiences. Mon, 6/22 - Sat, 6/27, 10am-3:30pm each day.

- **Dance Camp for Children with Special Needs.** Students participate in dance, movement, and related arts activities in a warm, supportive and creative environment. Mon, 6/29 - Thurs, 7/2, 10am-12:30pm each day.

### Wainwright House

[www.wainwright.org](http://www.wainwright.org)

- **Writing For Laughs Workshop with Maureen Amaturio, Founder of Sound Shore Writers.** Whether you are interested in writing comedy, tickling your fiction, or just helping your brain see the funny side of life, this class will teach you how. Fri, 6/5, 10am-12pm.
- **New Moon Gathering with Pamela Cucinell, NCGR Certified Astrologer.** Monthly gathering for lunar ceremonies, weaving together mythological stories, color, sound, guided meditation and creativity. Mon, 6/15 at 7pm.

### Westchester Community College Center For The Arts

[www.sunywcc.edu/arts](http://www.sunywcc.edu/arts)

- **Graver Workshop.** This one day workshop will demonstrate engraving and stone setting on metal, using gravers (steel jewelry chisels) to texture and incise designs. Sat, 6/20, 10am-4pm.
- **Summer Portfolio Workshop for Teens.** This class is focused on helping teens develop an art portfolio for college admission or personal enrichment. Mon & Thurs: 9am-12:50pm. Session 1: 6/29 - 7/9, Session 2: 7/13-7/23.

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