

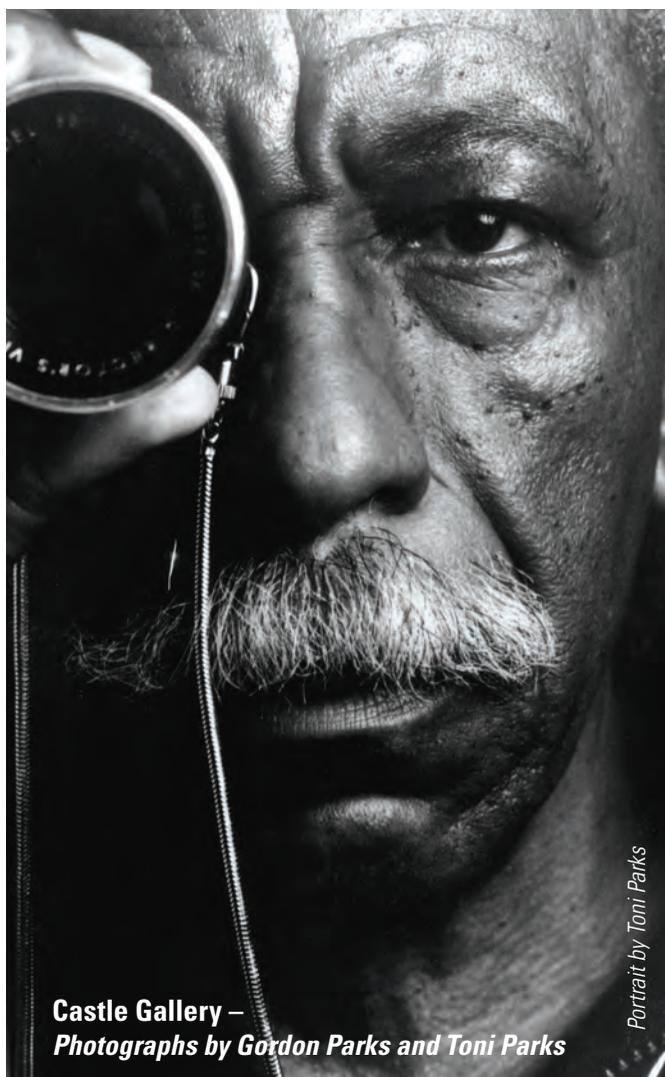
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*Amit Peled (photo courtesy of the Peabody Institute)*



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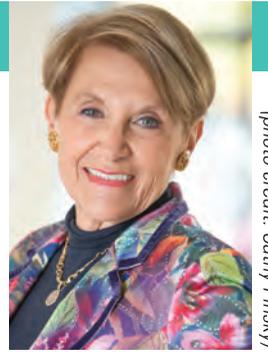
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## from the CEO

### Follow the Fashion

by Janet Langsam, *ArtsWestchester CEO*



(photo credit: Cathy Pinsky)



*Dress from Manus x Machina at The Metropolitan Museum of Art*

It's the year of the woman, or so they tell me. And to prove it, fashion has been elevated to an art at no less an arbiter of taste than The Metropolitan Museum of Art (The Met). Trolling its recent haute couture exhibition, I remembered in a hot flash why I gave up fashion as a career choice: it was the endless tiny stitches and the needle-pricked fingers I suffered in the sophomore tailoring class at Syracuse University. Fashion majors can now take heart that the sewing, embroidery, lace tating and pliseing, long marginalized as women's work, has a new champion... The Met. In its "far from shabby-chic" exhibition, *Manus x Machina*, The Met salutes these made-by-hand practices, while also praising the technology that has expanded a fashion designer's toolbox. More than

170 ensembles dating from early 20th century to the present are on display. But fashion is more than art. "It tells the story of who we are or who we want to be," says Frances Corner in the introduction of her book *Why Fashion Matters*. This may account for the fact that a new summer fashion program in the ArtsWestchester building is rapidly filling up with teens (New England Fashion and Design, sonofashiondesign.com). And fashion is also about who we were, at a new exhibition of 30 decades-old ensembles at Lyndhurst (see page A7, lyndhurst.org). It traces the changing roles of women over a century-and-a-half during which styles went from corseted to comfy. What we wear is also a form of self-expression. It forms our identity, sexuality and aspirations as told in the *SHE* exhibition at ArtsWestchester (artsw.org/she), open through June 25. But ladies, stay tuned for the back story. I could kick myself for not understanding back then that fashion is also a multi-billion dollar industry (largely dominated by men, of course). Had I known that, I would have headed straight for my MBA. As they say in real life: follow the money.



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## news in brief

### New Chair Appointed at NYSCA



Barbaralee Diamonstein-Spielvogel

Governor Andrew Cuomo has designated Barbaralee Diamonstein-Spielvogel as Chair of the New York State Council on the Arts, where she currently serves as Vice Chair. Diamonstein-Spielvogel has demonstrated a strong commitment to the arts throughout her career, which includes a role as Director of New York City (NYC) Department of Cultural Affairs, Commissioner of NYC Landmarks Preservation Commission and Chair of NYC Landmarks Preservation Foundation. The author of 23 books and curator of eight museum exhibitions, Diamonstein-Spielvogel has also been appointed for projects by Presidents Reagan, Clinton and Obama. Says Cuomo: “[her] wide experience and energy will help shape our vision for cultural development and advance the future of the arts in New York.”

### Music Conservatory Appoints New Dean



Douglas Bish

Music Conservatory of Westchester (MCW) has announced the appointment of Douglas Bish as Dean of Stu-

dents and Faculty. Bish returns to the Conservatory after serving as a faculty member from 2006-11. He will play a key role in crafting a strategic plan for the Conservatory’s next four years, leading up to its 90th anniversary. The School is also planning to expand its programming and develop new studios for technology-based classes. A native of Hawthorne, Bish has enjoyed a varied and eclectic career, from academic leader, educator and author to professional conductor, clarinetist and music clinician. For more info, visit: [musicconservatory.org](http://musicconservatory.org).

### White Plains Filmmaker Chosen for Mentorship Program



Screenshot from *Gautam Buddha*

White Plains filmmaker, and former Arts Alive grantee, Shayok Mukhopadhyay’s documentary film *Gautam Buddha* is one of ten documentaries selected by The Independent Filmmaker Project (IFP) for its 2016 IFP Filmmaker Labs, an annual yearlong fellowship for first-time feature directors. The Labs is a free, highly-immersive mentorship program intended to support creative individuals in the post-production of their films as they complete, market and distribute their work. *Gautam Buddha* follows two actors in Gajon, a form of traveling theater in eastern India in which men, many of whom are gay, play female roles.

### A Spring Makeover for The Shop at ArtsWestchester



Sterling silver necklace with garnet by artist Shannon Chomanczuk (Emily & Eden)

A seasonal makeover of The Shop at ArtsWestchester brings a fresh selection of unique gift items to downtown White Plains. Housed inside the gallery of ArtsWestchester’s historic landmark building at 31 Mamaroneck Avenue, the shop showcases handmade items by thirty local artists and makers, including contemporary handcrafted jewelry, ceramics, skincare products, art prints and art-to-wear fashions. Proceeds from sales benefit the participating artists, as well as ArtsWestchester’s mission of supporting the arts in Westchester County. The Shop at ArtsWestchester is open during gallery hours, from Tues-Fri, 12-5pm and Sat 12-6pm. The current *SHE: Deconstructing Female Identity* exhibition (see page A5) is on view through June 25. For more information, visit: [artsw.org/giftshop](http://artsw.org/giftshop).

### HATtitude Takes On New York City



Exhibition Illustration by Maxine Marie

ArtsWestchester’s 2014 *HATtitude* exhibition has found its way to New York City (NYC)’s East Village due to a collaboration with the Center for Art, Tradition, and Cultural Heritage. City Lore Gallery’s spring exhibition, *Mad Hatters: New York Hats and Hatmakers*, explores how hats are used to communicate identity on the streets of the City. The exhibition, on view through July 31, pays tribute to NYC milliners. It also documents and celebrates those who proudly don hats to express cultural traditions or simply to show their personalities amongst the crowded New York cityscape. The gallery is free and open to the public Thur-Fri, 2-6pm and Sat-Sun, 12-6pm. For more info, visit: [citylore.org](http://citylore.org).

(“News in Brief” continued on page A7)

### Zoning Approved for Carpet Mills Arts District



(photo courtesy of The City of Yonkers)

Zoning for the open store fronts on the first floor of the Carpet Mills Arts District in Yonkers to become a space for restaurants, retail establishments and art galleries was officially approved and signed by the City of Yonkers Mayor Mike Spano. A recent \$500,000 capital grant is aimed to develop and enhance the City’s status as a destination for artists to live and work.

## highlights

### Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts Kicks Off Its Summer Season



*Hurray for the Riff Raff will perform during the American Roots Music Festival on June 25 (photo credit: Sarrah Danziger)*

Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts launches its 71st summer season on June 18 as the Orchestra of St. Luke's joins forces with Broadway sensation Kelli O'Hara. The concert kicks off eight weeks of opera-belted, ivory-tickling and guitar-strumming at the Center's spacious historic estate. A wide variety of genres are offered in performances from rising stars and award-winning musicians alike. Violinist Pamela Frank pays tribute to her father, late pianist Claude Frank, in a Father's Day (June 19); Ben Folds and yMusic take the stage with a unique brand of chamber rock (July 15); and the American premiere of Rossini's long-lost *Aureliano in Palmira* will mark an operatic milestone on July 16.

All-day festivals offer guests the opportunity to discover the Center's grounds with picnics, performances and activities: the American Roots Music Festival on June 25 presents New Orleans' Hurray For the Riff-Raff, fan favorite John Fullbright and singer-songwriter / fiddler Sara Watkins as its headliners. The Caramoor Jazz Festival on July 23, curated with world-renowned Jazz at Lincoln Center, includes big band, blues and be-bop. A family-friendly summer tradition, "Dancing at Dusk," introduces guests to customs from around the globe, this year focusing on the music and culture of the Pacific Rim – from Tahitian and Hawaiian dance to traditional Chinese folk music. For a full summer schedule of performances through August 7, visit: [caramoor.org](http://caramoor.org).

### "Peekskill Open Studios Weekend" Presents Artwork From 100 Artists



*Carol Wax in her studio (photo courtesy of the artist)*

On June 4-5, downtown Peekskill will be immersed in creativity as more than 100 artists participate in group exhibitions, collaborative performances and open studios. Visitors to this family-friendly "Peekskill Open Studios Weekend," presented by Peekskill Arts Alliance, will explore paintings, sculptures, photography and more by local artists whom they can meet and mingle with. During "Painting Poets" live performances,

visual artists paint in response to poetry readings, and poets in turn respond with spontaneous verse inspired by the paintings. Throughout the weekend, a free shuttle service will bring visitors to various Peekskill locations, including the train station, Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art and Peekskill Clay Studios. Information on guided tours, and a map with the complete listing of participants, is available at the gazebo downtown. A multi-disciplinary sneak peek kick-off event will take place on June 3. For more info, visit: [PeekskillArtsAlliance.org](http://PeekskillArtsAlliance.org).

### Clay Art Center Presents Exit Exhibition For Two Artist Residencies



*Spring Vase by Chris Pickett*

Clay Art Center (CAC) presents the exit exhibitions of two year-long artist residencies in *Space and Time: Chris Pickett and Max Seinfeld*. The artists spent studio space and time together, yet explored varying subjects and techniques for their works. The culminating pieces, all made at the Center, explore each of their individual approaches to clay. Pickett references childhood nostalgia as a metaphor to demonstrate the human desire for comfort.

Through form, color and design, his functional yet whimsical pieces allude to a comfort in familiarity. Seinfeld addresses material and process in his work. His repetitive artistic methods expand the possibilities and limitations of fiber as it transforms into ceramics. Abstract sculptures develop through the process of constructing, deconstructing and reconstructing in an attempt to find balance between control and chance. *Space and Time* is on view from June 4 through July 15. An opening reception and gallery talk will take place on June 4. For more info, visit: [clayartcenter.org](http://clayartcenter.org).

## highlights

### Bizet's *Carmen*: An Audience Sing-Along with Taconic Opera



Artwork by Nina Mikhailenko

Taconic Opera (TO) will reprise its successful sing-along program this month with a single performance of Bizet's *Carmen*. The orchestra and lead singers of TO, conducted by Music Director Jun Nakabayashi, will perform a semi-staged production (with costumes and minimal sets) at this mid-day June 5 performance. Members of the Opera and its children's chorus will sit among the audience, which will be encouraged to sing along to the appropriate choruses. The intimate venue at the Music Conservatory of Music will help the audience to feel engaged, like they are a part of the performance. This universally loved and recognized opera tells the story of a soldier whom a gypsy named Carmen seduces. He abandons his childhood sweetheart and military duties only to lose Carmen's love to another man. For more info, visit: [taconicopera.org](http://taconicopera.org).

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### Lecture: Business Strategies for Artists

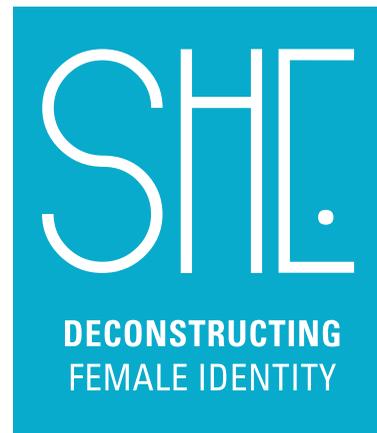
On June 21, Westchester Community College Center For The Arts will present a 2-hour seminar designed to assist artists in furthering their artistic careers. "Approaching Art Galleries and Business Strategies for Artists" will include the fundamental steps that are necessary in becoming a successful gallery artist – from portfolio preparation and resumes to website development and business practices.

Alternative marketing methods and opportunities will also be explored. Virginia Walsh, the curator of the Center's *Fusion* exhibition, which highlights innovative works that integrate science, will lead the lecture. Questions and discussion from the audience will be encouraged. If time permits, Walsh will also review individual portfolios and provide feedback. *Fusion* is on view through July 29, with an opening reception and gallery talk on June 7. For more info, visit: [sunywcc.edu/locations.arts](http://sunywcc.edu/locations.arts).



(photo courtesy of Westchester Community College Center for the Arts)

### Last Chance to See the *SHE* Exhibition



All things must come to an end, and on June 25 ArtsWestchester will give a final farewell to *SHE: Deconstructing Female Identity*, the exhibition *The New York Times* called "visually stunning," where the "mastery and intensity on display is consistent throughout." The exhibition, in ArtsWestchester's gallery at 31 Mamaroneck Avenue in downtown White Plains, explores what it means to be a woman in contemporary America. On June 25, exhibiting artists will share the stories and inspirations behind their *SHE* artworks at an Artist Talk, fol-

lowed by a Closing Party & Craft Beer Tasting with fresh brews from New York State craft beer artisans. Leading up to this culminating event are several other programs (listed below). Gallery hours are Tues–Fri, 12-5pm and Sat, 12-6pm. For more info, visit: [artsw.org/she](http://artsw.org/she).

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 4

##### 1-3pm: Private Words/Public Lights with Girls, Inc.

Guests create their own self-reflective prose and then bring it to life in LED lights (High School +).

##### 2-4:30pm: SHE Innovates: STEAM DAY 2

Led by CyberThreads Jewelry and exhibiting artist Rebecca Mushtare. Participants create their own tech jewelry that will light up at their command (Ages 13+).

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 11

##### 1-4pm: Eco-Style II

Led by TEDx presenter Debra Rapoport. Guests will transform found materials into a fashion-forward bracelet or wristband.

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 18

##### 5pm: OFFENSIVE: Images of Women in Advertising

Artist and art historian Marcy B. Freedman will discuss the roles that women have played in advertising – not as members of an ad team, but as the object of advertisements (High School+).

#### SATURDAY, JUNE 25

##### 5-8pm: Artist Talk & Closing Reception

Artist Talk with *SHE* exhibiting artists (5pm), followed by a Closing Party & Craft Beer Tasting (6pm).



The Eye of Perception, No.8 by Debbie Han

# highlights

## RiverArts Showcases Musical Talent of Rivertowns Communities

On June 4, RiverArts will offer a full day of free musical exploration. Similar to its Studio Tour, which showcases the visual artists of the Rivertowns, the RiverArts Music Tour showcases and celebrates the full breadth of musical talent in the communities of Hastings-on-Hudson, Dobbs Ferry, Irvington and Tarrytown.

Throughout the day, more than 150 musicians will participate in 90 performances at 30 venues, such as public parks and restaurants, but also front porches, home studios and backyards. On the hour, from noon through midnight, musicians across these towns will perform free 40-minute sets of genres that range from rock and blues to classical and folk. Along with these performances will be participatory events, including a “Songs of Peace and Justice” sing-along, a community drum circle, a live band karaoke and a blues jam session. For a complete schedule, visit: [musictour.riverarts.org](http://musictour.riverarts.org).



The Raina (photo credit: Doug Schneider Photography)

## Westchester Philharmonic Closes Season With Father's Day Concert



Conductor Kazeem Abdullah (photo courtesy of Westchester Philharmonic)

Conductor Kazeem Abdullah will lead the Westchester Philharmonic (WP) in the final performance of its 33rd season before WP's annual Father's Day BBQ. The June 19 concert will open with Falla's *Ritual Fire Dance*, followed by Mozart's final *Symphony No. 41, 'Jupiter.'* Abdullah and the Philharmonic will then team up with pianist Alon Goldstein for Brahms' *Piano Concerto No. 1*. Audience members can supplement their tickets with a WP tradition: “Burgers, Beers and Brahms,” a post-concert Father's Day BBQ, including live bluegrass music and the opportunity to meet the art-

ists. One hour before the concert guests can attend a discussion with Abdullah, Goldstein and WP Executive Director Joshua Worby. The concert will take place at the Performing Art Center at Purchase College. For those who cannot attend, or audience members who want to extend their Philharmonic experience, the community is welcome to observe a free open rehearsal at 11am. For more info, visit: [westchesterphil.org](http://westchesterphil.org).

## Dafco Art Gallery in White Plains Expands Studio Space to Offer More Community Events

Dafco Art Gallery, an African gallery that has resided in ArtsWestchester's building since 2013, has recently moved to a new renovated gallery in the building, from Suite 501 to 604. Owner and Curator Joe “Kwaku” Cobbinah, a native of Ghana, has ventured to this larger studio so that visitors can appreciate his African artifacts in a creative, educative and comfortable setting. He explains that each piece now has



Joe Cobbinah, Dafco Art Gallery (photo credit: Leslye Smith)

its own space, so visitors can walk around and “truly experience the art while learning about its historical origin.” This large, brightly-lit gallery, according to Cobbinah, will also facilitate his future plans to host engaging events for the whole community: “Many people don't know the meaning and importance of African Art, and Dafco will be a place to teach them about this culture.” The gallery features authentic African artifacts including royal ceremonial masks, sculptures and utility chairs from ten different African countries. Dafco Art Gallery is open Mon-Sat, 10am-6pm. For more info, visit: [dafcogallery.com](http://dafcogallery.com).

## highlights

### Lyndhurst Conveys History Through Fashion



(photo courtesy of Lyndhurst)

Lyndhurst's summer exhibition, on view through September 25, tells the story of the revolutionary changes in the role of women's lives from 1802 through 1940, as reflected through their clothing. *Defying Labels: New Roles, New Clothes* uses the evolving wardrobes of railroad baron and former Lyndhurst owner Jay Gould's daughters and daughter-in-law to address societal changes during the Gilded Age and the turn of World War II. These transformations were reflected in designers' approaches to clothing, as women traded in traditional corsets for more comfortable tailoring that would accommodate the new roles they were required to fulfill. *Defying Labels* includes more than 30 ensembles and displays never-before-exhibited pieces by fashion greats like Chanel, Cartier and Louis Vuitton that highlight each woman's unique personality and style sensibilities. The exhibition heralds the upcoming 100th anniversary of women's suffrage in New York State. For more info, visit: [lyndhurst.org](http://lyndhurst.org).

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## Briefs con't

### Former Legislator Smith Sworn In as New Berkeley College President



Michael Smith

ArtsWestchester congratulates former Westchester County Legislator Michael Smith on his appointment as President of Berkeley College, effective in July. Smith has a long history with the school, having served as its Treasurer and Chief Operating Officer. Most recently, he served as Managing Director and Chief Financial Officer of MetLife Realty Group. He explains: "Emphasizing personalized attention to each and every student will increase [graduation rates] and drive graduates toward more meaningful careers."

### Mayor Spano Explores Studio of YOHO Artist Biagio Civale



Yonkers Mayor Mike Spano and Biagio Civale

Yonkers Mayor Mike Spano recently visited the YOHO studio of artist Biagio Civale, whose work also hangs in Yonkers' City Hall buildings. YOHO is an expansive community of creative professionals located in the historic Carpet Mills Arts District in the heart of Yonkers. These creative individuals specialize in traditional studio practices, including painting, drawing, sculpture, photography, as well as a diverse range of disciplines – from set design and furniture restoration to guitar making and new media professionals. For more info, visit: [yohoartists.com](http://yohoartists.com).

### Friends of ArtsWestchester Visits the Dreyfus Foundation



(left to right): ArtsWestchester Board Member Gerard Curran, William Louis-Dreyfus, ArtsWestchester Board Member and Chair of Friends of Westchester Karen Greenspan.

Friends of ArtsWestchester recently viewed the art collection of the William Louis-Dreyfus Foundation, which includes paintings, drawings and sculptures by established and emerging contemporary artists. Friends of ArtsWestchester brings together a group of committed and generous individuals who build vital private support for the arts. Members have access to cultural experiences with other arts lovers throughout the year – for example, a private reception at the home of an art collector or a preview of an exhibition. The next event will explore The Rockefeller Picasso Collection at Kykuit on June 14. For information about the Friends of ArtsWestchester, contact Sandee Walker: 914-428-4220 x303 or [swalker@artswestchester.org](mailto:swalker@artswestchester.org).

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# ArtsBash Photo Round-Up



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# ARTSBASH

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1. Josyane Colwell (Le Moulin Eatery & Wine Bar) delights Arts Bash guests with creative cuisine. 2. Mix Cocktail Bar + Kitchen @ Crowne Plaza 3. Geoff Thompson, Marie Smith and Michael Smith 4. Morton's restaurant serves up their best dishes for the arts. 5. Leslie Lampert and Café of Love staff inspire guests with their menu selections. 6. Half Time stores partners with ArtsWestchester to serve up New York craft brews. 7. Barry Shenkman, Janet T. Langsam and Don Sofer (Blockheads) enjoy the party. 8. Foodies savor the tastes of Crabtree's Kittle House, served by Jay Lippin and staff. 9. Jane Solnick of Con Edison 10. Westchester County Legislator David Gelfarb 11. Painter Antoinette Wysocki in her studio



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# family ARTS BASH

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Family ArtsBash featured children's art workshops, art exhibits & open artists' studios. 1. Family Arts Bash guests enjoy the sound of the drums by Afrikan Healing Circle. 2. Howard Meyer (Axial Theatre) and his daughter create art together in ArtsWestchester's nine-floor building. 3. Young visitors enjoy face-painting, created by artists.

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# ARTS CALENDAR

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## 6/1 WEDNESDAY

**Film:** The Picture House presents *Worldview Screening of Selma: The Bridge to the Ballot*. A screening of the documentary *Selma: The Bridge to the Ballot* will be followed by a discussion moderated by program director Clayton Bushong and Q&A with Southern Poverty Law Center representatives. 7pm-9pm. [thepicturehouse.org](http://thepicturehouse.org)

**Lecture:** Color Camera Club of Westchester presents *Photography Club Meetings*. This weekly photography session encourages meeting and networking with fellow photographers. Every Monday at 7:30pm. [colorcameraclub.org](http://colorcameraclub.org)

**Music:** Mercy College Community Choir presents *Mercy College Community Choir's Fall 2015 Season*. The choir is open to the entire Mercy College Community (Students, Faculty, Staff, Families) and Community singers from the New York Metropolitan Area. Every Thursday, 6:30-9pm. [mercy.edu](http://mercy.edu)

**Music:** New Westchester Symphony Orchestra presents *Open Rehearsals*. Instrumentalists of all ages and skill

levels are invited to rehearse with the orchestra. Auditions are not needed. Every Wednesday at the Music Conservatory of Westchester. 7:30-9:30pm. [newsymphony.org](http://newsymphony.org)

**Music:** Downtown Music at Grace presents *Downtown Sinfonietta*. A concert of 14 resident chamber musicians who will celebrate their tenth anniversary of their founding by playing symphonies of Haydn and Mozart. 12:10-1pm. [DTMusic.org](http://DTMusic.org)

**Theater:** The Schoolhouse Theater presents *A Preview of How to Bury a Saint*. A preview of this comedic play by Janice Maffei explores the gravity of family traditions and how different generations find their way home. Also 6/2-19. 8pm. [schoolhousetheater.org](http://schoolhousetheater.org)

**Theater:** Westchester Broadway Theatre presents *HAPPY DAYS*. This new musical is based on the television series *Happy Days* written by Garrett Marshall and features 21 songs by Oscar, Grammy and Golden Globe award-winning songwriter Paul Williams, including the series' theme song. Through 7/17, 11:15am-4pm. [broadwaytheatre.com](http://broadwaytheatre.com)

## 6/2 THURSDAY

**Music:** New Rochelle Council on the Arts presents *Arts Encounters at the New Rochelle Train Station*. Enjoy free pop-up performances by different bands each Thursday through 8/25. 5:30-7pm at the New Rochelle Train Station. [newrochellearts.org](http://newrochellearts.org)

**Tours:** The Rye Arts Center presents "Eye on Art" Tour of *Untermeyer Gardens*. This tour of the Untermeyer Gardens will be led by writer and arts advisor Margot Clark-Junkins, M.A. and will be followed by a lunch at Xavier's on Hudson. 10am-12pm at Untermeyer Park and Gardens. [ryeartscenter.org](http://ryeartscenter.org)

**Lecture:** Katonah Museum of Art presents *Seminars on Art History*. Executive director Darsie Alexander leads a discussion about pop art followed by a Q&A. 6pm. [katonahmuseum.org](http://katonahmuseum.org)

## 6/3 FRIDAY

**Lectures:** The Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Peter Selgin Reading*. Writer and artist Peter Selgin tells of the two men who shaped his life and world – men who, for very different reasons, fought to reinvent themselves. 7:30-9pm. [writerscenter.org](http://writerscenter.org)

**Reception:** The Peekskill Arts Alliance presents *Kick-Off Party for Open*

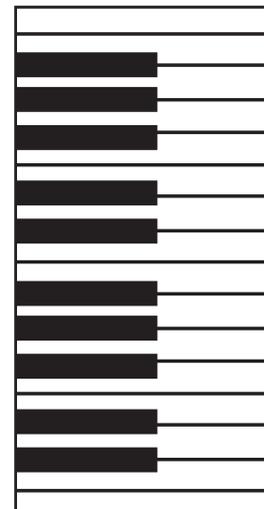
**Studios.** Join this gathering of artists, local luminaries, and city officials for a sampling of art, performances, and poetry from Peekskill artists whose studios will be open June 4 and 5. 6-9pm at the Flatz Ballroom. [peekskillartists.org](http://peekskillartists.org)

**Family & Kids:** Historic Hudson Valley presents *LIGHTSCAPES*. An elegantly enchanting walk-through event featuring all original, hand-made art in a nighttime display of sculpture, light, sound and special effects. Through 6/12. Times vary by evening. 8:15-9:30pm at Van Cortlandt Manor. [hudsonvalley.org](http://hudsonvalley.org)

**Comedy:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *Hooking Up With The Second City*. Sketch and improv comedy group The Second City will perform a comedic new show about romantic relationships with songs and improvisation. 8pm. [tarrytownmusicall.org](http://tarrytownmusicall.org)

## 6/4 SATURDAY

**Family & Kids:** Hudson River Museum presents *Planetarium Show: The Sky Tonight*. A planetarium educator will lead audiences on a live tour of the heavens to show what the sky will be like that very same night, as viewed from the same area (Ages 8+). Every Saturday-Sunday, 2-2:45pm. [hrm.org](http://hrm.org)



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Italian Art and Artists: Caravaggio, *Westchester Italian Cultural Center*, 6/9 (*The Luke Player* by Caravaggio)

**Festivals:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *BID Family Market Day with Zev Haber*. This fun festival for all ages includes a variety of local farm-fresh products, gourmet items, and ethnic prepared foods served in an alfresco setting with a musical performance by Zev Haber. 9am-2pm at the Ruby Dee Park at Library Green. [nrpl.org](http://nrpl.org)

**Festivals:** Peekskill Artist Association presents *19th Annual Peekskill Open Studios Weekend*. An annual weekend of 100+ artists, 30+ studios, galleries and special exhibition spaces including the Hat Factory, the Truck Stop Gallery, The FLATZ, Paramount Hudson Valley and more - who will open their doors to the public. Also 6/5, 12-5pm at Downtown Peekskill. [peekskillartists.org](http://peekskillartists.org)

**Lectures:** The Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Steven Lewis Reading*. Steven Lewis, a *New York Times* published writer and author of *Take This* and *Zen and the Art of Fatherhood*, will read from his selected work. 4:30-6pm. [writerscenter.org](http://writerscenter.org)

**Music:** Westchester Choral Society presents *Westchester Choral Society Memorial Concert*. This concert and tribute to late choir member and violinist, Rosemary Peeler, will feature Dvorák's *Mass in D* and a selection of songs from American Gospel and Spiritual Roots. 4-6:30pm at Rye Presbyterian Church. [westchesterchoralsociety.org](http://westchesterchoralsociety.org)

**Reception:** The Rye Arts Center presents *Student and Instructor Exhibit*. An opening reception for this exhibition of the works of the instructors and students at The Rye Arts Center highlighting the many artists in the community. 1-3pm. [ryeartscenter.org](http://ryeartscenter.org)

**Reception:** Mamaroneck Artists Guild presents *Continuums and Connections*. Meet artist Elan Lewis at this opening reception for his solo exhibition that features Lewis' recent artistic journey in pastel paper sketches and mixed media. 3-6pm. [mamaroneckartistsguild.org](http://mamaroneckartistsguild.org)

**Reception:** Harrison Public Library presents *Opening Reception: Musart*. Meet artist Joan Lengel at a reception for *Musart*, a new exhibit featuring her compositions created with digital techniques and inspired by music. 2-4pm at Harrison Public Library. [harrisonpl.org](http://harrisonpl.org)

**Reception:** Clay Art Center presents *Space and Time: Chris Pickett and Max Seinfeld 2015-16 Artist in Residence*. An opening reception for *Space and Time*, a duo exhibition featuring two artists who will exhibit the culmination of their focus and studio practice at the Clary Art Center. 6-8pm. [clayartcenter.org](http://clayartcenter.org)

**Theater:** Westchester Collaborative Theater presents *A Taste of WCT*. This one day performance will present a selection of works developed during

workshops and feature three monologues from upcoming presentation, *An Evening of Monologues*. 2-3:15pm at The Camille Budarz Theater at the Ossining Public Library. [wctheater.org](http://wctheater.org)

**Family & Kids:** Neuberger Museum presents *Summer Family Festival*. This festival for all ages consists of artists who will guide visitors as they experiment with painting, printmaking, camera-less photographs, handmade paper, and more. 1-4pm. [neuberger.org](http://neuberger.org)

**Music:** RiverArts presents *Music Tour 2016*. Stay in one place or travel to different venues in the Rivertowns community and hear music of all genres - folk, rock, classical, jazz, country, alternative and more. 12pm-12am. [riverarts.org](http://riverarts.org)

**Family & Kids:** White Plains Outdoor Arts Festival presents *The 54th Annual White Plains Outdoor Arts Festival*. Enjoy this family-friendly festival consisting of one-of-a-kind jewelry, handicrafts, and art work from students and emerging artists, with a variety of food vendors, and a children's art workshop. Also 6/5.

10am-5pm at the Tibbits Park in White Plains. [whiteplainsoutdoorartsfestival.com](http://whiteplainsoutdoorartsfestival.com)

## 6/5 SUNDAY

**Family & Kids:** Lyndhurst presents *Rose Day*. Explore a rose garden in full bloom at this annual display including refreshments and performances by classical musicians. 12-3pm. [lyndhurst.org](http://lyndhurst.org)

**Film:** Jacob Burns Film Center presents *Bikes vs. Cars*. Activists and thinkers fight for equitable transport systems, better cycling infrastructure, and livable cities. Following this screening, a discussion and Q&A will be held. 12-2:30pm. [burnsfilmmcenter.org](http://burnsfilmmcenter.org)

**Music:** Taconic Opera presents *CARMEN!*. In this concert conducted by music director, Jun Nakabayashi, an orchestra and singers perform the opera classic *Habanera*, in a semi-staged production where audience members can be part of the chorus of the opera. 2:30-4:15pm at Music Conservatory of Westchester. [taconicopera.org](http://taconicopera.org)

**Music:** Hoff-Barthelson Music

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Raiders of the Lost Ark ("Science on Screen" film series), The Picture House, 6/12 (photo source: imdb.com)

**School presents *All That Jazz*.**

Students from the Jazz Studies Program will perform American jazz standards and music of Frank Zappa. In the event of inclement weather, the performance will be held at the Music School.

5-6:30pm at Chase Park. [hbms.org](http://hbms.org)

**Theater:** The Play Group Theatre presents *Zanna, Don't!*. This play written by Tim Acito, takes place in Heartsville High, where Zanna can change the world and bring true love to one and all with a wave of his wand. 2pm & 7pm. [playgroup.org](http://playgroup.org)

**6/8 WEDNESDAY**

**Theater:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents Random Farms Kids' Theater's production of *Fiddler On The Roof*. This adaptation of the Broadway musical, performed by workshop students, tells the story of Tevye, his family and their cultural traditions. Also 6/11-6/19. 6pm. [tarrytownmusichall.org](http://tarrytownmusichall.org)

**6/9 THURSDAY**

**Lecture:** Westchester Italian Cultural Center presents *Italian Art and Artists: Caravaggio*. Professor John Coppola will lead a discussion about artist Caravaggio's life career and evolution of style from his early works to his major successes, and final paintings. 6:30pm. [wiccn.org](http://wiccn.org)

**Lecture:** Katonah Museum of Art presents *Seminars on Art History*. Learn about today's contemporary

art with a discussion led by instructor and associate curator Elizabeth Rooklidge. 6pm. [katonahmuseum.org](http://katonahmuseum.org)

**6/10 FRIDAY**

**Family & Kids:** Hoff-Barthelson Music School presents *Open House for Preschool Music and Movement Programs*. This open house offers parents and prospective students the chance to meet with Hoff-Barthelson's early childhood music faculty, experience a Dalcroze Eurhythmics-based music class for young children and more. 10am-12pm. [hbms.org](http://hbms.org)

**6/11 SATURDAY**

**Family & Kids:** New Castle Historical Society presents *Clambake in Greeley's Garden*. This family-friendly party includes dinner, summertime music, garden karaoke, seasonal games, raffles, and a silent auction. Event will be held rain or shine. 5-9pm at Horace Greeley House. [newcastlehs.org](http://newcastlehs.org)

**Festivals:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *BID Family Market Day with Juggles the Clown*. This fun festival offers a wide variety of local farm-fresh products, gourmet items, and ethnic prepared foods served in an alfresco setting with a family-friendly performance by Juggles the Clown. 11am at the Ruby Dee Park at Library Green. [nrpl.org](http://nrpl.org)

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**ArtsWestchester Gallery**  
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Live screening of *The Audience* by Johan Persson, The Performing Arts Center at Purchase College, 6/18

**Works by Nielson, Tchaikovsky and Sibelius.** This finale concert conducted by Jun Nakabayashi, with cellist Amit Peled as the guest soloist, features the works of composers from nations bordering the Baltic Sea. 8-9:30pm at Performing Arts Center at Purchase College. [www.hbms.org](http://www.hbms.org).

**Theater:** The Schoolhouse Theater presents *Ain't That a Kick in the Head*. A new play by Tom Fontana about Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin and Sammy Davis Jr. touring together in 1988, and what occurs when Dino quits a week before the show. 8-10pm. [schoolhousetheater.org](http://schoolhousetheater.org)

**Reception:** Hammond Museum presents *Summer Exhibition*. This opening of three new exhibits including *Behold the Moon*, *Neo Calligraphy* by Setsuhi Shiraishi, and *By the Light of the Moon* by Kelly Ann O'Sullivan will also include a display of ancient Japanese Wajima Lacquer crafts. 1-3pm. [hammondmuseum.org](http://hammondmuseum.org)

**Theater:** Emelin Theatre presents *Ballet des Amériques Le Carnaval des animaux*. This dance company brings the original choreography by Carole Alexis, which is danced by students of the School of Ballet des Amériques. Also 6/12. 3pm. [emelin.org](http://emelin.org)

## 6/12 SUNDAY

**Film:** The Picture House presents *Science on Screen Film Series:*

*Raiders of the Lost Ark.* A screening of the classic film *Raiders of the Lost Ark* will be followed by a fun and interactive discussion about the science of on-screen stunts led by program director Clayton Bushong. 10am. [thepicturehouse.org](http://thepicturehouse.org)

**Lectures:** The Hudson Valley Writers' Center and The Masters School presents *Margo Jefferson Reading*. Pulitzer Prize-winning cultural critic Margo Jefferson will read from her new memoir, *Negroland*, to launch this new non-fiction series. 4:30-6pm. [writerscenter.org](http://writerscenter.org)

**Music:** Copland House presents *CULTIVATE 2016*. A world premiere concert of six Copland House emerging composers will be followed by a meet-the-artists reception. 3-5pm. [coplandhouse.org](http://coplandhouse.org)

**Reception:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *Jules Bauer Award Show Reception*. An open reception where winners of the Jules Bauer Award for the best watercolor and the Best of Show Award will receive monetary prizes and ribbons will be presented in all categories. 5:15-6:30pm. [nrpl.org](http://nrpl.org)

## 6/15 WEDNESDAY

**Music:** Cross County Shopping Center presents *FDR Drive Band*. One of New York's most respected and requested party bands. Part of SummerFest 2016. 6:30-8:30pm. [crosscountysummerfest.com](http://crosscountysummerfest.com)

## 6/17 FRIDAY

**Film:** Hudson River Museum presents *YoFi Film Fest*. A film festival for all ages screening family-friendly animated and live-action short films from around the world, followed by a Q&A and refreshments. 8-9:30pm. [hrm.org](http://hrm.org)

**Theater:** Westchester Collaborative Theater presents *An Evening of Monologues*. This performance directed by Alan Lutwin features 9 monologues written and performed by local artists in downtown Ossining. Also 6/18 at 8pm & 6/19 at 3pm. 8pm at the Steamer Co. Firehouse. [wctheater.org](http://wctheater.org)

## 6/18 SATURDAY

**Festivals:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *BID Family Market Day with Louie Miranda*. A fun festival for all ages offering a wide variety of local farm-fresh products, gourmet items, and ethnic prepared foods served in an alfresco setting with a live latin music show by Louie Miranda. 11am-12pm. [nrpl.org](http://nrpl.org)

**Film:** The Performing Arts Center, Purchase College presents *National Theatre Live: The Audience*. This screening of the National Theatre Live's *All Hail the Queen!* features Dame Helen Mirren 's Tony Award-winning performance as Queen Elizabeth on Broadway, directed by Stephen Daldry. 2-5pm. [artscenter.org](http://artscenter.org)

**Lectures:** ArtsWestchester presents *OFFENSIVE: Images of Women in Media*. A discussion by artist and art historian Marcy B. Freedman about the role women played in advertising-not as members of an ad team, but as the object of advertisements. 5-6pm. [artswestchester.org](http://artswestchester.org)

**Theater:** Hudson River Museum presents *A Midsummer Night's Dream: Performance by Hudson Valley Shakespeare Festival*. A performance of the Shakespearean comedy about one wild evening where three stories collide between actors, lovers, and a fairy king and queen. 8-9:30pm. [hrm.org](http://hrm.org)

**Reception:** Blue Door Gallery presents *Putting It All Together*. An open reception for experimental works of a variety of themes, media and techniques

in two and three dimensions for wall or pedestal. 2-5pm. [bluedoorartcenter.org](http://bluedoorartcenter.org)

**Music:** Caramoor presents *Opening Night Concert: Kelli O'Hara*. Tony Award-winning soprano Kelli O'Hara and Orchestra of St. Luke's, kick of the summer season with an evening of Broadway musicals and favorites from the American Songbook. 8:30pm at the Venetian Theater. [caramoor.org](http://caramoor.org)

**Family & Kids:** White Plains Performing Arts Center presents *The Amazing Max*. This magic show with Magician Max Darwin features his visual magic including making objects appear out of thin air, his comedy, and audience participation. 2pm. [wppac.com](http://wppac.com)

## 6/19 SUNDAY

**Music:** Caramoor presents *For My Father: Dedicated to Claude Frank*. Violinist Pamela Frank hosts a Father's Day tribute performance with her renowned father's final student, pianist Andrew Tyson to honor the musician's life, work, and legacy. 4:30pm at the Venetian Theater. [caramoor.org](http://caramoor.org)

**Music:** Westchester Philharmonic presents *Burgers, Beers & Brahms*. Conductor Kazem Abdullah and Israeli pianist Alon Goldstein perform the piano repertoire, Brahms' *Piano Concerto No.1*, and guests can celebrate Father's Day with a post-concert barbeque. 3pm. [westchesterphil.org](http://westchesterphil.org)

## 6/21 TUESDAY

**Lecture:** Westchester Community College Center For The Arts presents *Approaching Art Galleries and Business Strategies for Artists*. Virginia Walsh, director and curator of the Ann Street Gallery in Newburgh, NY, will lead a seminar covering the multi-faceted approach to being a successful gallery artist. 4-6pm. [sunywcc.edu](http://sunywcc.edu)

**Music:** Westchester Choral Society presents *39th Season of Summer Sings*. This concert series features local choral societies that will perform classical pieces from Mozart, Bach, Mendelssohn, Fauré, and Haydn. Every Tuesday through 7/19. 7:30-9:30pm at the Music Conservatory of Westchester. [westchesterchoralsociety.org](http://westchesterchoralsociety.org)

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**6/22 WEDNESDAY**

**Music:** Katonah Museum of Art presents *Caramoor@KMA - Cole Quest and The City Pickers*. A three-part outdoor performance series begins with New York City musicians, Cole Quest and The City Pickers, as they perform bluegrass music in the garden. 5:30-8pm. [katonahmuseum.org](http://katonahmuseum.org)

**Spoken Word:** Arts and Culture Committee, Town of Greenburgh presents *Poetry Potluck Party*. After a pot-luck meal, poets from the "Learning to See" series of ekphrastic poetry workshop will share their new works. 5:30-8pm at Greenburgh Public Library. [greenburghartsandculture.org](http://greenburghartsandculture.org)

**Music:** Cross County Shopping Center presents *Milagro*, a New York-based Santana tribute band. Part of SummerFest 2016. 6:30-8:30pm. [crosscountysummerfest.com](http://crosscountysummerfest.com)

**6/23 THURSDAY**

**Music:** New Rochelle Opera presents *Giuseppe Verdi's IL TROVATORE*. This concert directed by Camille Coppola features a performance of *Manrico* by singer

Noah Baetge, *Leonora* by Sara Beth Pearso and more. Also 6/24-6/25 & 6/26 at 3pm. 8-10:30pm at Frank J. Auriana Theatre at the Ursuline School. [nropera.org](http://nropera.org)

**Music:** Caramoor presents *Akropolis Reed Quintet*. This ensemble of saxophone, clarinet, oboe, bassoon, and bass clarinet, will perform a program of familiar classics by George Gershwin and Claude Debussy. 7pm in the Spanish Courtyard. [caramoor.org](http://caramoor.org)

**6/24 FRIDAY**

**Music:** Caramoor presents *Edward Arron & Friends*. Cellist Edward Arron offers up a sextet written by a prodigal pre-war teen and will be joined by Caramoor regulars -all former Rising Stars. 8pm in the Spanish Courtyard. [caramoor.org](http://caramoor.org)

**6/25 SATURDAY**

**Dance:** Hudson River Museum presents *Dance and Music Performance*. A live music performance with professional dancers performing routines including *Breaking Through: Kid Glyde, Home and Body Stories* by Teresa Fellion, and *Witch*



*The Amazing Max, White Plains Performing Arts Center, 6/18 (photo credit: Carol Roesegg)*

**Dance,** choreographed by LeAnn Yannelli. In the Amphitheater. 8-9:30pm. [hrm.org](http://hrm.org)

**Family & Kids:** New Rochelle Public Library presents *Summer Reading Kick-off Event: State Fair!*. This annual launch of the library's summer reading program includes fun-filled activities, and a performance by acclaimed *Bash the Trash* duo. 11am-1pm. [nrpl.org](http://nrpl.org)

**Lectures:** Sarah Lawrence College Writing Institute presents *3rd Annual Publish and Promote Your Book Conference*. This publishing conference for serious writers includes a series of interactive panel discussions with prominent NYC literary agents, major publishing house editors, public relations and social media experts. 8:30am-4pm. [sarahlawrence.edu](http://sarahlawrence.edu)

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**Music:** Caramoor presents *American Roots Music Festival*. Pack a picnic for this annual festival of eclectic music, including folk, country, bluegrass, gospel, blues, creole, and more with free parking and 90 acres of historic gardens. 11am. caramoor.org

**Reception:** ArtsWestchester presents *SHE Artist Talk + Closing Reception*. This closing event features SHE exhibiting artists who will share their inspirations behind their work and includes fresh brews from New York State craft beer artisans. 5pm. artswestchester.org

**Comedy:** Tarrytown Music Hall presents *An Evening with Paula Poundstone*. Poundstone, one of Comedy Central's 100 greatest stand-ups of all time, brings a witty show and interacts with audience members. 8pm. tarrytownmusichall.org

## 6/26 SUNDAY

**Lectures:** The Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Anthology Reading*. Experience selections from *Veils, Halos & Shackles: International Poetry on the Oppression and Empowerment of Women*, an anthology about physical and emotional violence against women and girls. 4:30-6pm. writerscenter.org

**Spoken Word:** The Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Open Mic Nights*. On the third Friday of every month, audience members are invited to share words, music or com-

edy in a fun and nurturing space. 7:30-9pm. writerscenter.org

**Music:** Caramoor presents *Wu Han, piano, Philip Setzer, violin & David Finckel, cello*. This piano trio will perform an all-Beethoven program, including his masterwork in this genre, the Archduke Trio. 4:30pm at the Venetian Theater. caramoor.org

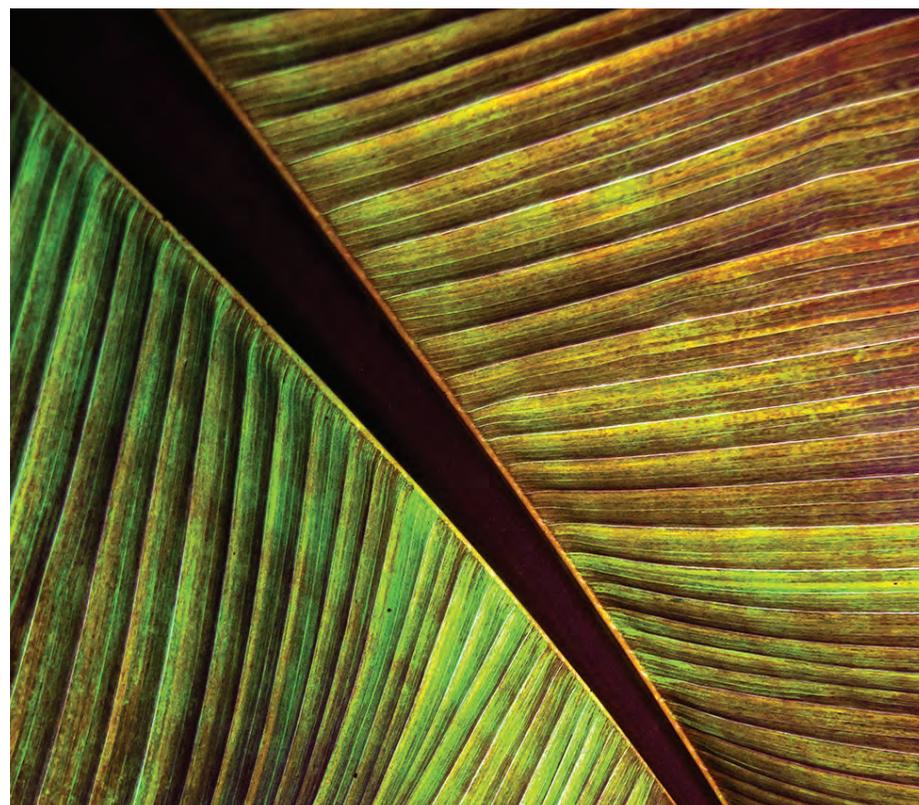
## 6/29 WEDNESDAY

**Music:** Caramoor presents *Dancing at Dusk: Tahiti & Hawaii with Lei Pasifika*. This event, with music and dance from Polynesian entertainers Lei Pasifika includes family-friendly food & drinks. 5pm at the Friends Fields. caramoor.org

## 6/30 THURSDAY

**Music:** Caramoor presents *Evinin Rising Stars Showcase*. This concert features mentoring program alumni and violinists, Paul Huang and Mathew Lipman, who will be accompanied by pianist Michael Brown to play together in a rare concert chamber. 7pm. caramoor.org

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- *She: Deconstructing Female Identity*. This exhibition explores what it means to be a woman in contemporary America. Through 6/25, Tues-Fri: 12-5pm, Sat: 12-6pm.

**Blue Door Gallery** | bluedoorartcenter.org

- *Mind and Material: College of Mount Saint Vincent faculty and student exhibition*. An exhibition curated by the faculty and students of the College of Mount Saint Vincent of the art department. Through 6/11, Tues & Sat: 12-5pm, Wed-Thurs: 3-8pm, Fri: 4-9pm.

- *Putting It All Together*. Experimental works of a large variety of themes, media and techniques in two and three dimensions for wall or pedestal. 6/18-6/23, Tues & Sat: 12-5pm, Wed-Thurs: 3-8pm, Fri: 4-9pm.

**Castle Gallery** | castlegallery.cnr.edu

- *Photographs by Gordon Parks and Toni Parks*. This exhibit displays color prints and photographs of noted photographer Gordon Parks and his daughter Toni Parks in honor of Black History Month and Women's History Month. Through 6/12. Tues-Fri: 11am-5pm, Sat-Sun: 12-4pm.

**Clay Art Center** | clayartcenter.org

- *Space and Time: Chris Pickett and Max Seinfeld 2015-16 Artist in Residence*. An installment of the year-long focus, IN OUR BACKYARD, this duo exhibition explores line and color through Pickett's whimsical pottery and Seinfeld's intimate sculpture showing how their immersion in a urban community environment shaped their paths as artists. Through 7/15, Mon-Fri: 10am-6pm, Sat: 10am-4pm.

**Hammond Museum** | hammondmuseum.org

- *Behold the Moon*. This multimedia exhibit, curated by Bibiana Huang Matheis, celebrates the museum's 50th anniversary of Moon Viewing and features contemporary

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- **Neo Calligraphy.** This exhibit features traditional Japanese calligraphy by artist Setshui Shiraishi and will include a live demonstration. At the Guild Hall Gallery. 6/8-9/17. Wed-Sat: 12-4pm.

### Harrison Public Library | harrisonpl.org

- **Musart by Joan Lengel.** Mixed media artist Joan Lengel combines music and art using digital techniques, plexiglas and collages create layered compositions of different musicians. Through 6/30. Mon & Wed: 9:30am-9pm, Tues & Thurs & Fri- Sat: 9:30am-5:30pm.

### Hudson River Museum | hrm.org

- **Juan Bernal: Pure and Simple.** This exhibition features Colombian artist Bernal's landscape and still-life paintings of nature's smallest gifts – a single leaf, a drop of water, and the morning's first shaft of light. Through 9/18, Wed-Sun: 12-5pm.
- **Tongue in Cheek: The Inflatable Art of Jimmy Kuehnle.** An exhibit of Kuehnle's large-scale inflatable sculptures featuring three new works made from vinyl-coated polyester fabric. 6/4-9/18. Wed-Sun: 12-5pm.

### Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art | hvcca.org

- **WORD.** This juried exhibition highlights regional artists who prominently feature a word or words in their artistic creation. Through 7/31, Fri: 11am-5pm, Sat & Sun: 12-6pm, Tues & Thurs by appt.
- **Visions from the Inside.** This illustration from detained women and children at the detention center in Karnes County, Texas, highlights the personal costs of detention and the resiliency of migrants. Through 6/5, Fri: 11am-5pm, Sat & Sun 12-6pm, Tues & Thurs by appt.

### Katonah Museum of Art | katonahmuseum.org

- **The Nest, an exhibition of art in nature.** Continuing a thematic cycle of environmental-focused work, this exhibition of art in nature examines the exquisite beauty and profound symbolism of the nest in art and culture. Through 6/19, Tues-Sat: 10am-5pm, Sun: 12-5pm.

### Lyndhurst | lyndhurst.org

- **Defying Labels: New Roles, New Clothes.** This exhibition explores the revolutionary changes in women's clothing from the 1880s to 1940 based on the wardrobe of philanthropist Helen Gould, Duchess of Talleyrand Anna Gould and former actress Edith Kingdon Gould. Through 9/25, Fri-Sun: 10am-4pm.

### Mamaroneck Artists Guild | mamaroneckartistsguild.org

- **Continuums and Connections: a solo show by Elan Lewis.** This exhibition highlights artist Elan Lewis's artistic journey over the past two years including his pastel works, paper sketches, and recent venture in mixed media and collage. Through 6/18. Tues- Sat: 12-5pm.

### Neuberger Museum of Art | neuberger.org

- **Landed: Surveying New Geographies.** In this exhibition, artists use unconventional research methodologies and experimental media to contextualize the sociopolitical and



*The Shy Moon by Karen Fitzgerald, Hammond Museum, on view 6/8-9/17*

cultural factors that determine the demarcation of land, its occupation, use, and succession. Through 6/5, Tues-Sun: 12-5pm, Wed: 12-8pm.

### New Rochelle Art Association | nraaonline.org

- **New Rochelle Art Association Annual Jules Bauer Award Show.** An annual juried show of artists who submit three pieces of recent work including paintings, graphics, sculpture and crafts for consideration for association membership. Through 6/25, 1:30pm.

### Oak and Oil | oakandoil.com

- **Michael Patterson: Paintings, Drawings and Sculpture through the years.** This exhibition honors Michael Patterson and his artistic journey featuring his distinct styles and subjects including human figures, city streets, markets, the beach, and recent sculptures. Through 6/5. Tues-Sat: 10:30am-5:30pm, Sun: 12-4pm.

### Pelham Art Center | pelhamartcenter.org

- **Creative Dissent.** This traveling exhibition on the Arab Spring Uprising from the Arab National Museum expresses the anger and hope of the Arab Spring revolutions through multimedia. Through 6/4, Tues-Fri: 10am-5pm, Sat: 12-4pm.
- **Negin Sharifzadeh: Laments in Gray.** This exhibition features the work of sculptor Negin Sharifzadeh that relates to her experience of political and social difficulties in her native Iran. Through 6/25, Tues-Fri: 10am-5pm, Sat: 12-4pm.

### The Rye Arts Center | ryeartscenter.org

- **Student and Instructor Exhibit.** An exhibit of the works of the instructors and students at The Rye Arts Center and culmination of works by artists in the community. Through 6/24. Mon: 9am-3pm, Tues-Fri: 9am-7pm, Sat: 9am-3pm.

### transFORM Gallery | transformgallery.com

- **Larger than LIFE.** This exhibition features the abstract oil paintings of photo realistic artists S.J. Riley "Sonne Hernandez" and Michael Thornton-Smith. Through 6/5, Mon-Fri: 9am-6pm, Sat : 10am-4pm.

### White Plains Public Library | whiteplainslibrary.org

- **SHE @ White Plains Public Library.** This satellite exhibition of ArtsWestchester's SHE extends the exhibition's offerings and is comprised of the work of two Westchester-based artists, Margaret Fox and Lea Weinberg, who tackle the notion of modern womanhood. Through 5/22. Mon-Thurs: 10am-9pm, Fri: 10am-6pm, Sat 10am-5pm, Sun: 1-5pm.

## → workshops



*Eco-Style II: "Adorned," with TEDx presenter Debra Rapoport, ArtsWestchester, 6/11*  
(photo source: tedx.amsterdam)

### ArtsWestchester | artswestchester.org

- **CyberThreads Jewelry with Exhibiting Artist Rebecca Mushtare.** Interactive media designer Rebecca Mushtare will instruct participants on how to create their own piece of fashion-forward tech couture that lights-up at your command (Ages 12+). 6/4, 2-4:30pm.
- **Eco-Style II: "Adorned" with TEDx presenter Debra Rapoport.** Style guru and artist Debra Rapoport will guide participants in making artful and fashion-forward bracelets from found materials (Ages 10+). 6/11, 1-4pm.
- **Private Words/Public Lights with Girls, Inc..** This poetry writing workshop will guide participants through producing self-reflective prose and afterwards, finished poems will be lit up with LED lights. 6/4, 1-3pm.

### Center for the Digital Arts, Peekskill | sunywcc.edu

- **Introduction to 3D Modeling and Printing.** Guests learn to design, model and use 3D modeling software and 3D scanners to print actual physical objects. 6/1-2, 6-9pm.
- **Quick Start to Adobe InDesign CC in 24 Hours.** This computer workshop demonstrates how to use the latest version of InDesign including an overview of graphic layout, design interface and tools. Through 6/30, 6-9pm.
- **Quick Start to Photoshop CC in 24 Hours.** Guests learn to use the latest version of Photoshop with time management features and enhancements for web and video designers. Through 6/29, 6-9pm.

### Clay Art Center | clayartcenter.org

- **Saturday Drop-In Clay Class.** One-time class for adults, children and families interested in experimenting with clay for the first time. Professional ceramic artists guide featured weekly projects. Through 12/7, 2-4pm.
- **Adult Ceramic Art Classes.** A series of Spring and Summer classes for adults led by experienced instructors will guide participants on growing as an artist while being part of a larger clay community. Through 8/24, 10am-6pm.

### Sleepy Hollow Performing Artists Center | shpacenter.com

- **BEST SUMMER EVER!** In this multi arts program Debralyn Press, a retired performer, teacher and dance therapist will lead classes in acting, singing, arts and crafts, acro, dance, and games for children grades 1-8. 6/27-9/2. 9am-3pm.

### New Rochelle Public Library | nrpl.org

- **Sing Your Heart Out, Again! Workshops.** Music aficionado Robert Puleo will guide adults on the basics of singing and performing with a grand finale performance in the Ossie Davis Theater to cluminate this 5 session workshop. 6/4, 11, 10am-12pm.
- **"Cook by the Book" Food Demonstration: Indian Food.** Cookbook author and teacher Rinku Bhattacharya will provide free interactive presentations and discuss cooking seasonally with essential Indian spices and how to incorporate Indian flavors in a practical and accessible manner. 6/11, 11:30am-12:15pm & 1-1:45pm.

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**Session 1: July 5-July 18**

**Session 2: July 19-August 1**

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