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Sad News From *The New York Times*

by Janet Langsam, ArtsWestchester CEO



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"There is an explosion of diverse, inclusive and compelling cultural events and venues in our county. Reporting on them is important ... [and] builds participation in community life."

We are deeply saddened by this announcement from *The New York Times*:

"As of August 29th, *The Times* will discontinue the regional editions of the Metropolitan section of *The New York Times*, which includes Connecticut, Westchester, Long Island and New Jersey. Those areas will receive the Metropolitan edition that currently circulates in the five boroughs." This news hit arts organizations in the Tri-state region like a thunder bolt.

For many years, the metropolitan region has benefitted from *The Times'* reviews of local theater productions, critics' insights into art exhibitions and general coverage of arts and culture in our region. It is the major way that nearly 500,000 households get their information on what to do and where to go not only in Westchester but in the entire Tri-State region. While the print sections may be no longer economically viable, the coverage is vital. Arts and business leaders are urging *The Times* to consider maintaining or expanding its coverage of these activities in the digital arena.

There is an explosion of diverse, inclusive and compelling cultural events and venues in our county. Reporting on them is important to families, youth and seniors because it builds participation in community life. It strengthens the American ideal that the arts are for everyone. Moreover, the arts and culture bring people together and encourage civic dialogue.

ArtsWestchester, along with business and cultural leaders from Westchester, the Hudson Valley, Connecticut and New Jersey, has asked *The Times* to find a way, perhaps digitally, to continue to report on news from our region. If you believe as we do that *The Times'* coverage is important, let us hear from you at jlansam@artswestchester.org, or reach out to *The Times*: Public Editor Liz Spayd (public@nytimes.com, publiceditor.blog.nytimes.com) or Metro Editor Wendell Jamieson (metro@nytimes.com).



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news in brief

Jacob Burns Film Center Program Receives Award at The White House



(photo credit: Idris Talib Solomon)

A civil rights-focused curriculum created by Jacob Burns Film Center (JBFC), in partnership with Brooklyn Historical Society, was recently recognized at the Student and Emerging Film Competition Awards ceremony at the White House. The ceremony was part of the March on Washington Film Festival, which communicates the untold stories, and celebrates unsung heroes of the civil rights movement. JBFC's "Created Equal" program was acknowledged for conveying the powerful role of media in telling the story of civil rights. The program was designed to help students understand how past civil rights are relevant to recent history, and how media can advance social change. It also empowers educators with professional development training to support the implementation of the curriculum.

Artwork by Mental Health Recipients to be Exhibited

More than 100 artworks by 50+ artists who are recipients of mental health services in Westchester County will be exhibited at ArtsWestchester from September 9-15. *Visions 2016: Inner Thoughts, Outer Expressions*, presented in partnership with Rockland Psychiatric Center, coincides with "Recovery Month." The creation of this artwork allowed these artists to tap into their imaginations, express their creativity and develop new skills. Exhibiting the works helps them to fully integrate into the community and show fellow residents that they are talented and capable. *Visions* is made possible by Westchester County's Department of Community Mental Health. An opening reception will take place on September 8.

Steffi Nossen Dance Appoints New Director

Steffi Nossen Dance Foundation (SNDF) recently appointed Shelley Grantham as its new Executive Director. Grantham brings to the role a combination of nonprofit dance management and a strong dance education background. Previously, she served more than 17 years at New York City's esteemed Peridance Capezio Center (PCC), where she held roles that included Youth Ensemble Director, during which she directed and coordinated all child-related programs and classes. As PCC's Outreach Director, she developed new programs and coordinated outreach efforts for Peridance's non-profit companies (Peridance Contemporary Dance Company and Peridance Youth Ensemble). In her new role at SNDF, Grantham aims to "inspire young creative artists in the world of dance." For more info, visit: steffinossen.org.

The Basics of Grant Writing



Jennie Greer

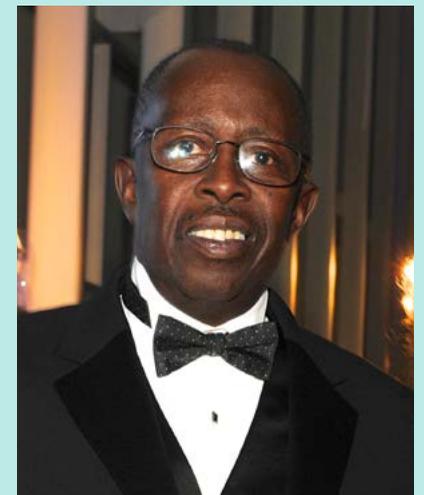
On Tuesday, September 20, ArtsWestchester will present "The Basics of Grant Writing," an informative workshop that is free and open to the public. The event will address general advice on grant writing, budgets and narrative, as well as the "do's and don'ts" of writing a competitive grant application. Guest speaker Jennie Greer is a freelance development consultant and Adjunct Lecturer in Fundraising for Brooklyn College's MFA Performing Arts Management program. The workshop will take place at 5:30pm in ArtsWestchester's building at 31 Mamaroneck Avenue in White Plains. RSVP is required by contacting Susan Abbott at sabbott@artswestchester.org or 914-428-4220 x304.

New Interim Executive Director at Youth Theatre Interactions

Youth Theatre Interactions, Inc. (YTI) has appointed Gary Betsworth as its Interim Executive Director. With more than 20 years in the performing arts and arts administration, Betsworth also brings his acting, writing and directing skills to the organization. He hopes to help YTI steer its ship through recent funding cutbacks from the county in a way that motivates students to foster creative expression. YTI offers classes in performing arts genres (see page A7) to youth aged 6-19. For more info, visit: ytiyonkers.org.

In Memoriam: Lawrence Salley

ArtsWestchester board member Lawrence Salley passed away recently. Along with many active roles in his community, highlights of his long and lustrous career included leadership positions as Deputy Commissioner of the Westchester County Department of Planning, as well as Commissioner of the Westchester County Department of Transportation. Previously the County's representative on ArtsWestchester's Board of Trustees, Salley was elected to its board following his retirement and became its Vice President shortly thereafter. He was an avid traveler, a lover of jazz and a gifted photographer. ArtsWestchester is planning an exhibition of his photographs to be held later this month.



Larry Salley (photo credit: Leslye Smith)

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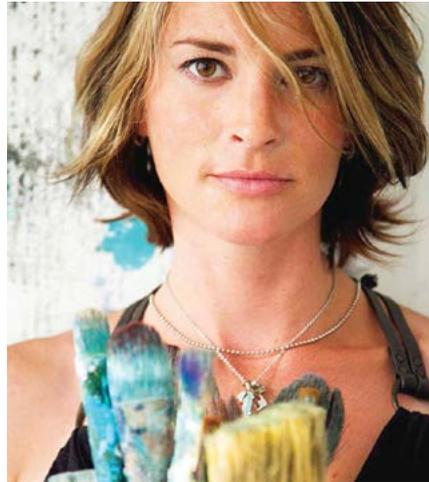
New Murals Created for Housing Authority Building



Mural by Piero Manrique

ArtsWestchester recently completed the installation of two murals commissioned for The Prelude, a White Plains Housing Authority property. Artist Nick Kusyzk's colorful geometric designs wrap around the walls of the 9th floor community room. Piero Manrique's lively scene, depicting a diverse group of youth as they play in the landscape of their imagination, was created in the mailroom, which greets residents as they enter the building. ArtsWestchester works with residential buildings, schools, hospitals and local businesses to create a sense of community, enliven public spaces and ensure access to the arts for all residents in Westchester County.

Neiman Marcus Event to Feature On Site Painting



Antoinette Wysocki (photo credit: Daniel Seth)

Neiman Marcus presents a Grand Re-opening of its White Plains store on September 15. The "Art of Fashion" event will include live painting by Westchester artist Antoinette Wysocki, whose White Plains studio is in ArtsWestchester's building. According to the artist, her colorful, active abstract paintings combine "various materials, chance, control and analysis." The painting that is produced during this event will later be auctioned off at ArtsWestchester's Nov. 19 gala, with proceeds benefitting the organization. For more information about Wysocki's work, visit: antoinettewysocki.com.

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Grant Matches Donations to Local Arts Organizations

ArtsWestchester announces its 2016 Art\$WChallenge, which will raise awareness and much-needed funds for Westchester arts organizations this fall. Donations to any of the eligible 40+ organizations support cultural programs and services in Westchester. From September 15 through December 15, every new dollar donated (up to \$5,000 per organization until all available funds have been allocated) will be matched by ArtsWestchester with support from the Westchester County Government. This funding opportunity is open to cultural organizations that received either a Basic Program Support or Project Support grant from ArtsWestchester in the past two years. In 2015, the Challenge grant leveraged over \$312,000 in donations to participating groups. For more information or assistance, please call 914-428-4220 x304.

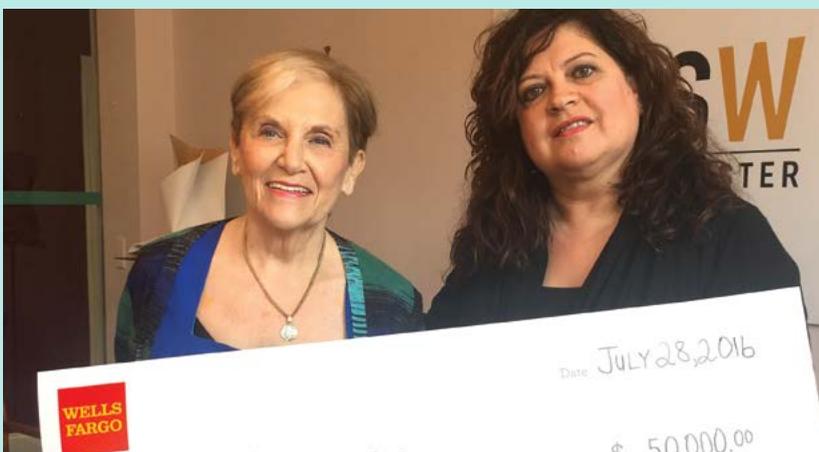
Become a Teaching Artist Application Deadline: September 30



Teaching Artist Marion Jones Archer at School 30 (photo credit: Hope Salley)

ArtsWestchester is now accepting applications for its teaching artists program. Through this program, the organization is committed to helping teaching artists grow by presenting an ongoing series of professional development training, networking opportunities and more. It is also committed to providing students with exposure to the arts and utilizing the arts to strengthen learning in curriculum subjects. For instance, Marion Jones Archer worked with students at School 30 in Yonkers to better understand their social studies curriculum through dance and movement that relate to important African American figures in U.S. history. Denise Bessette worked with recipients of Phelps Memorial Hospital's mental health services, integrating acting and writing skills in order to foster and expand modes of creative expression. Artists who are applying must have a proven track record of artistic achievement as well as the training and skills needed in order to bring learning to life through the arts in classrooms or human services sites. Professional artists who work in all fields and media are welcome to apply. The upcoming application deadline is September 30. For more info, visit: artsw.org/teachingartist.

Wells Fargo Supports Local Arts-in-Education Programs



ArtsWestchester CEO Janet Langsam recently accepted a \$50,000 Wells Fargo grant check from board member and Wells Fargo Area President Maria Ferreira. Wells Fargo has been providing major support for arts-in-education for over ten years, steadily increasing its funding level to where it is today. This support enables ArtsWestchester to bring artists into under-resourced schools to stimulate learning of curriculum subjects.

New York Times Revamps Metro Section, Discontinues Regional Sections

Eighteen arts and business leaders from throughout the Tri-State area have urged *The New York Times* to find a way to continue its coverage of arts and culture in Westchester, Hudson Valley, Upstate New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Long Island. The call came following the announcement by *The Times* that it would no longer print the separate regional sections, which are carried as part of the Sunday Metropolitan edition. "Its decision to drop the section is troubling," said William Mooney, President and CEO of the Westchester County Association. He added: "It will negatively impact the hundreds of cultural, educational and recreational venues in Westchester County and its surrounding regions, that are contributing millions of dollars to our local economy." Kristina Newman-Scott, Executive Director of the Connecticut Office of the Arts & State Historic Preservation Office, echoed this theme: "This will have a devastating impact on our region."

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According to Janet Langsam, CEO of ArtsWestchester, today's cultural audiences "travel a two-way street" between New York City and the rest of the state: "That's because there has been an explosion of diverse, inclusive and exciting arts and culture in our region, not in small part due to *The Times'* coverage over the years." Elizabeth Reiss, CEO of the Arts Center of the Capital Region, makes the point that "New York City real estate prices have forced 'creatives' into upstate locations. The arts world beyond the five boroughs should not be ignored." Adam Perle, President & CEO of ArtPride New Jersey adds: "Regional arts coverage is vital to our industry."

"Loss of the Metro section will deprive loyal *The New York Times* readers of critical business and lifestyle information for Westchester County and the entire Hudson Valley," said Marsha Gordon, President of the Business Council of Westchester. Others expressing concern include: Barbaralee Diamondstein-Spielvogel, Chair of the New York State Council for the Arts; Nick Paleologos, Executive Director of the New Jersey Council for the Arts; and Theresa Statz-Smith, Executive Director of the Long Island Arts Alliance. As *The New York Times* made plans to revamp its coverage, news of these changes to the Metro Section were discussed in a blog on August 6 by Liz Spayd, *The Times'* Public Editor.

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Fall Arts Classes in Westchester

ArtsWestchester is a multi-faceted arts council with more than 100 member organizations, many of which offer classes for both kids and adults. Here's a list of many places offering creative and professional learning opportunities. Some scholarships are available.



VISUAL ARTS

ArtsWestchester (White Plains) offers classes in basic drawing and anime (ages 8-13) taught by artist Alan Reingold, as well as clay ceramic classes (ages 6-10) in partnership with Clay Art Center. 914-428-4220. artswestchester.org

Bullseye Glass (Mamaroneck) offers glass fusing classes for children and adults. Projects include glass tableware, sculpture, painting and printmaking. 914-835-3794. bullseyeglass.com/newyork

Center for the Arts at Westchester Community College (White Plains) offers art classes for students of all ages, including classes in drawing, painting, photography, sculpture, ceramics, jewelry and digital arts. 914-606-7500. sunywcc.edu/arts

Center for the Digital Arts at Westchester Community College (Peekskill) has five post-production studios and is dedicated to fostering digital arts education. From User Experience Design (UX) to 3D Animation and 3D Printing, the Center is an access point to creating art in the digital age. 914-606-7300. sunywcc.edu/peekskill

Clay Art Center (Port Chester) offers extraordinary clay classes and workshops, in pottery and sculpture, for adults and children seven days a week in all levels, year round. 914-937-2047. clayartcenter.org

OSilas Art Studio at Concordia College (Bronxville) offers art classes, for students aged pre-school through adult, in its professional art studio. Classes taught by professional art faculty include drawing, painting, cartooning and more. 914-337-9300 x2433. concordia-ny.edu

The Hudson River Museum (Yonkers) offers drop-in workshops every weekend led by junior docents and art and science professionals. Fall Family Studio Art and Science Projects are inspired by the Museum collection and current exhibitions. (Science projects Saturday only). 914-963-4550. hrm.org



Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art (Peekskill) offers programs inspired by selected works from their current exhibition for families and tailored programs for school children from K through high school. 914-788-0100. hvcca.org

Pelham Art Center (Pelham) offers adult and youth classes in a variety of media, including clay, painting, drawing, collage, craft, and digital arts, as well as workshops and camps. 914-738-2525 x111. pelhamartcenter.org

The Rye Arts Center (Rye) sparks creativity in people of all ages with classes in both traditional arts (Painting, Drawing, Ceramics, etc.) and non-traditional arts (3D Printing, Computer Coding, Engineering, etc.). Group classes and private lessons are also available in a range of musical disciplines. 914-967-0700. ryeartscenter.org



MUSIC

Hoff-Barthelson Music School (Scarsdale) offers a comprehensive music education for students aged 9 months and up including group and private instruction for all instruments and voice in classical and jazz, group classes in music theory, composition; small and large ensembles, and numerous performance opportunities. 914-723-1169. hbms.org

Songcatchers (New Rochelle) offers several core programs for younger music students, including a concert choir, after-school music program and early childhood music program. Children can learn a variety of instruments and participate in advanced training in an instrument ensemble. 914-654-1178. songcatchers.org/programs

Music Conservatory of Westchester (White Plains) provides quality music education for all ages with private and group lessons and more. Faculty enriches the lives of 2,500+ students each year. New classes are offered in jazz, rock and pop are available. Scholarships available. 914-761-3900. musicconservatory.org

THEATER



Axial Theatre (photo credit: Lynda Shenkman Curtis)



Axial Theatre (Pleasantville) presents Howard Meyer's Acting Program, which offers classes and workshops for all ages, including acting, performance and playwriting. A free Open House takes place on Sept. 14. 914-286-7680. axialtheatre.org.

Arc Stages (Pleasantville) provides classes and theatre workshop productions for children aged 3-18. Using theatre as a tool to build confidence and self-expression on stage, theater games and acting exercises are incorporated into all rehearsal processes and programming. 914-747-6206. arcstages.org.

Ballet des Amériques (Port Chester) offers pre-professional ballet training and education in its international conservatory. Also offered are creative movement classes (ages 3-5) and open classes for adults. Auditions are mandatory for the conservatory, but not for creative movement and open classes. 646-753-0457. balletdesameriques.com



Ballet des Amériques (photo credit: Shamsier Dhanraj)



LITERARY ARTS

Alliance Française de Westchester (White Plains) offers French classes, group or private, for all levels and ages, taught by native French speakers. From classes for toddlers, who are introduced to French through music and play, to book discussion groups for adults, the AFW offers a multitude of ways to learn and practice French. 914-681-8735. afwestchesterny.org

Hudson Valley Writers' Center (Sleepy Hollow) offers workshops for aspiring poets, novelists, screenplay writers, playwrights, memoirists and more for established authors alike. Four and six-week courses are available, as well as one-day intensives in poetry, fiction and non-fiction. 914-332-5953. writerscenter.org

The Greenburgh Arts and Culture Committee (Greenburgh) offers spring and fall writing classes for children and teens, and Ekphrastic poetry workshops for adults. 914-682-1574 or greenburghartsandculture.org

The Writing Institute at Sarah Lawrence College (Bronxville, Yonkers) offers classes including Writing Drama for TV, Playwriting, and Introductory Screenwriting. Open to the public. 914-395-2205. sarahlawrence.edu/writing-institute



SPECIAL NEEDS

Music Conservatory of Westchester (White Plains) provides individual and group music therapy sessions for children, adults and military veterans. Sessions are offered by knowledgeable, warm and caring music therapists for people of all ages at the Conservatory's fully accessible facility. 914-761-3900. musicconservatory.org

Steffi Nossen School of Dance (White Plains) Moving Wheels & Heels is an adaptive program for dancers with special needs. Also see Dance section in this spread. 914-328-1900. steffinossen.org

FILM

Jacob Burns Film Center (photo credit: Lynda Shenkman Curtis)



Jacob Burns Film Center and Media Arts Lab (Pleasantville) offer innovative programs in new media, production, screenwriting, animation and more for pre-K through adult. Scholarships are available. JBFC Kids (ages 3-13) helps to foster a love for cinema and media-making via family-oriented courses, film programming and Saturdays @ the Lab. 914.773.7663 x8. burnsfilmcenter.org/education

The Picture House (Pelham) offers an array of dynamic film education classes for the fall 2016 semester. The robust curriculum includes acting, screenwriting and directing, customized by seasoned film industry professionals and teachers. Classes begin on Tuesday, September 20. education@thepicturehouse.org or 914-738-3161. thepicturehouse.org

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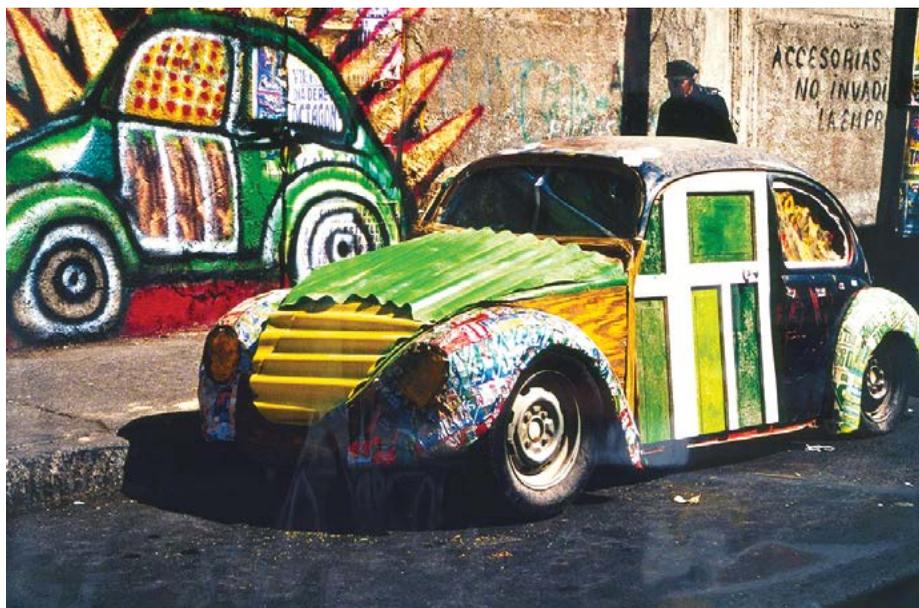


Steffi Nossen School of Dance (White Plains, Chappaqua) offers classes in modern, ballet, jazz and hip-hop. New classes are included for boys and for caregivers with toddlers. Performing opportunities for both pre-professional and recreational dancers. Live music in classes. Also see the Special Needs section. 914-328-1900. steffinossen.org

Youth Theatre Interactions (Yonkers) provides weekly classes for children ages 6-19. Courses are offered in drama, keyboard, steel drums, voice and seven styles of dance including ballet, theatre dance, Latin, step, hip hop, West African and tap. 914-963-3040, ytiYonkers.org

highlights

The Neuberger Museum of Art Brings Latin America to Purchase



Ceci n'est pas une voiture | (This is Not a Car) by Betsabeé Romero

In its current exhibition, *Destination: Latin America*, the Neuberger Museum of Art uses its important collection of Latin American art to showcase the key historical and artistic movements that influenced the displayed works. With more than 70 works on view through January 22, 2017, the exhibition discusses how political and world events have shaped and affected Latin American artists during the 20th and 21st centuries, and continue to do so today. It takes the visitor on a journey of the region's history, as told through the eyes of artists. *Destination* guides guests through the aftermath of the Mexican revolution of the 1910-20s, which altered creative output; the end of World War II, which inspired a generation's growing interest in abstraction; and the ways in which African art and traditions, when paired with Western practices, influenced new identities. It also looks at more recent times, when political turbulence in the 1960-80s challenged new art forms during a time of censorship and conservatism, and how current artists' creations have evolved from struggles with identity, violence and repression. Public programs associated with the exhibition include a gallery talk with Curator Patrice Giasson on Oct. 5, and with scholar Marianelly Neumann on Dec. 7. For more info, visit: neuberger.org.

Local Film Houses Celebrate Art House Theater Day

Jacob Burns Film Center (JBFC) and The Picture House (TPH) are two of 160 theaters participating in Art House Theater Day (AHTD), a nationwide celebration of film culture taking place on September 24. "AHTD is a chance to show film-lovers that their local theaters are part of a larger cultural movement," explains co-founder Gabriel Chicoine. These theaters support independent films, promote artistic and cultural diversity and function as economic drivers in their communities. JBFC's offerings include a selection of short films from the New York International Children's Film Festival; an advanced screening of documentary *Danny Says*; parts of the legendary *The Dekalog* series; and a 35th anniversary screening of *Raiders of the Lost Ark*, as well as hands-on activities and more. In Pelham, The Picture House will screen a variety of films, including *Time Bandits*, *Brazil*, the first in Terry Gilliam's *Trilogy of Imagination* and *The Adventures of Baron Munchausen*. For more info, visit: thepicturehouse.org, burnsfilmcenter.org or arthousetheaterday.org.



Screenshot from *Brazil*, Jacob Burns Film Center

All-Faculty Exhibition Views Today's Societal Issues Through Art



Riot Cop by David Fox

Westchester Community College Center for the Arts presents an all-faculty exhibition that explores the landscape of cultural, political and ethical concerns that plague today's societies around the globe. Curated by David Fox, *The Issues* looks at how art can focus the viewers' attention on problems of our time. From global warming and inequality to the threat of ISIS and corporate greed, exhibiting faculty members were asked to respond to any theme they feel passionate about. The resulting show speaks to

human existence and peoples' impact on the world. Artists include painter David Fox, printmaker Bruce Waldman, ceramic artist Liz Insogna and graphic designer Stuart Vance. *The Issues* is on view from September 7 through October 31. An opening reception will take place on Wednesday, September 7. For more info, visit: sunywc.edu/locations/arts.

highlights

Eight Artists Move *On Site* at the Katonah Museum of Art

Visitors of the Katonah Museum of Art (KMA) may wonder whether they have been transported to the future or to a previous era as they explore the Museum's new site-specific exhibition, *On-Site Katonah*. Eight artists were challenged to re-imagine the Museum's building and create experimental installations that respond to its distinctive landscape, architecture and history.

While museums typically provide artists with a theme for exhibitions, KMA intentionally gave each artist free reign over the museum, which developed into an array of distinct and otherworldly installations. "We wanted to see how the artists would organically and intuitively react to the museum," explains KMA's Associate Curator Elizabeth Rooklidge. As a result, a crystal sculpture, placed on a 6-foot-tall pile of gravel, encapsulates hidden drawings; bubble-like islands are illuminated by LED lights; and mirror sculptures adorning the museum's lawn reflect the guests' distorted reflections. *On-Site Katonah* is on view now through October 2. For more info, visit: katonahmuseum.org.



Light Between the Islands by *Grimanesa Amoros* (photo courtesy of *Grimanesa Amoros Studio*)

Blue Door Art Center Displays the Art of the Tattoo



Artwork by *Tim Rowan*

this will be the first exhibition that I am aware of in Westchester that displays the work of contemporary tattoo artists." Selected pieces include illustration, photography, sculpture, mixed media and more, while subject matter varies, as it does in most forms of art – from faces and butterflies to landscapes and abstract designs. Live demonstrations, to be announced, will take place throughout the run of the exhibition. An opening reception will take place on the evening of September 9. For more info, visit: bluedoorartcenter.org.

From September 9 through October 8, Blue Door Art Center (BDAC) presents *Tattoo: Off the Body*, an exhibition that celebrates the love and artistic value of tattoos. For this exhibition, BDAC invited tattoo artists to submit works of varying media that were created for the human body. The result is a wide range of artworks that are displayed both on and off the body. "The tattoo culture never seems to make its way into art galleries," says BDAC Co-Director Luis Perelman. "To my knowledge,

From Jazz to Scapes Through Michael Baumann's Eyes

After a career in commercial photography, Michael Baumann has taken the time to appreciate the small moments in life: from the streets of New York City to nature's landscapes. For his most recent series, Baumann attends performances in late-night jazz "dives" in Harlem, which allows him to capture musicians in their element – away from the limelight and attention. This work, presented by Harrison Council for the Arts, will be on display in *From Jazz to Scapes* in the Halperin Building at Harrison Public Library this month. As Baumann is often close to the performers, his photographs represent personal and intimate moments, as well as raw emotions that are shown through abstraction, contrast and drama. Through his artistic process, Baumann not only photographs these moments, he experiences them. Through September 30, his viewers can experience them as well. For more info, visit: harrisonpl.org.



Rain on 42nd Street by *Michael Baumann*

highlights

Katonah Poetry Series Celebrates 50 Years, Launches New Season

For the past half-century, in the intimate setting of the Katonah Public Library, personal stories have been told, poems read aloud and inspirations abound. The Katonah Poetry Series (KPS), one of the oldest in the country, celebrates its 50-year anniversary this season, which boasts a diverse lineup for the fall and spring. Each season, the Series offers a varied collection of readers – some poets are emerging and some are nationally acclaimed, but all have already shown literary excellence through publication, awards and how they reach out to the public. Sixteen Pulitzer Prize-winners and nine Poets Laureate of the United States have been among former participating authors, including two-time U.S. Poet Laureate Billy Collins, who is one of KPS's Poetry Advisors.

Discussing the future of the Series, Co-Poetry Advisor Dr. Leisha Douglas expressed that, aside from maintaining a high quality of readers, her goal is “for people to see poetry as a comforting hand, a balm, and to not be intimidated by it.” As an example, she recalled an event that was scheduled shortly after the September 11 attacks. After KPS decided not to cancel it, approximately 100 people attended, many later expressing how helpful and consoling the experience was. She added: “Our goal is always to reach out to our community.”

This season, KPS brings to the community Kathleen Ossip, a cutting-edge experimental poet (September 25); Paul Muldoon, whose classic narrative is within the Irish tradition (November 20); and lyrical poet Kimiko Hahn (March 26). On May 13, KPS celebrates its anniversary when Billy Collins takes the stage for a reading before joining a panel wherein he, and a group of other poets who have participated in the Series, will discuss “50 Years of American Poetry.” A book-signing reception, as well as a Q&A that gives readers a broader view of the poet's life and inspirations, will follow each event. For more info, visit: katonahpoetry.com.



Kathleen Ossip (photo credit: Mike Ricca)

Arts Alive Grants Available for Artists and Emerging Arts Groups

ArtsWestchester is now accepting applications from non-profit arts organizations and individual artists in Westchester for 2017 Arts Alive Grants. These grants are designed to help make vibrant arts and cultural activities easily accessible to a wide community audience, particularly in areas where access is limited. Past grants have helped to support programs such as affordable theatrical performances, public murals, outdoor cultural festivals and more.

Funds are available in two categories: **Arts Alive Project Grants** provide financial support for a range of projects that demonstrate a strong community benefit. **Arts Alive Artist Grants** provide direct support to artists for the creation of new work related to the community.

The application deadline for this year's Arts Alive grants is October 4, 2016. For guidelines and workshop details, visit: artsw.org/artsalive.

Don't miss these upcoming programs from current Arts Alive Grantees:

- **Yonkers Riverfest:** Yonkers Downtown BID presents an outdoor festival featuring live music and activities. September 10 (see page A12).
- **Spirits and Souls:** Tutti Bravi Productions presents a series of monologues by actors representing 18-19th century New Rochelle residents. September 24.



Arts Alive Project Grants are made possible with funds from the Decentralization Program (DEC) – a regrant program of the New York State Council on the Arts with the support of Governor Andrew Cuomo and the NYS Legislature – and administered by ArtsWestchester.



White Plains Cherry Blossom Festival organized by Arts Alive Grantee Niji No Kai, Corp.

Attend one of six pre-application workshops this September:

- **September 6:** Ossining Public Library, Ossining
- **September 7:** Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art, Peekskill
- **September 8:** New Rochelle Library, New Rochelle
- **September 12:** Irvington Public Library, Irvington
- **September 13:** Yonkers Riverfront Library, Yonkers
- **September 14:** ArtsWestchester, White Plains

To RSVP, contact Sue Abbott: sabbott@artswestchester.org, 914-428-4220 x304.

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september arts festivals

As the weather shifts to an autumn breeze, it is the perfect time to “fall into the arts.” Arts festivals arise from all corners of the county as Westchester residents and visitors enjoy one-of-a-kind works of art, family activities and craft demonstrations. The following fall arts festivals start the season off right.



Cornucopia (photo credit: Tom Nycz)

September 3-5 | Cornucopia

This Labor Day weekend, Philipsburg Manor in Sleepy Hollow presents Cornucopia, a celebration of all things related to corn. Guests will join in participatory activities like barn dancing, corn-husk doll making and games. Artists will be creating scarecrows for a display at this fall's The Great Jack O'Lantern Blaze, for which visitors can create accessories that will be displayed in the Blaze. Corn-based foods, from corn muffins to sweet corn ice cream, will be available, and live bluegrass and folk music can be heard throughout the day. hudsonvalley.org

September 10 | Yonkers Riverfest

Presented by the Yonkers Downtown Waterfront BID, the 24th annual Yonkers Riverfest has announced a jam-packed lineup for this year's festivities. Five stages along the Yonkers downtown waterfront will host 25 live performances, including Scott Helman, the teen sensation that Teen Vogue named the #1 Breakout Artist of 2016, hip-hop legends Brand Nubian and Latin sensation Tito Puente Jr. Additional attractions include inflatable slides and castles, a kid-centric stage, dancing, exhibitions and more. yonkersdowntown.com



Jean Grae (photo courtesy of Yonkers Downtown Waterfront BID)



Simone Felice (photo courtesy of 12MN)

September 10 | Take Me to the River

The 9th annual Take Me to the River Music and Arts Festival, organized by 12MilesNorth, presents local, regional and national music acts at Draper Park in Hastings-on-Hudson. This year's headliner, Simone Felice founded The Felice Brothers and co-wrote The Lumineers' *Cleopatra* album. The lineup also includes rising Nashville stars Vanderveer, Holy Ghost Tent Revival and more. Attendees can also explore large site-specific installations, a jazz brunch hour, an interactive children's area and a craft beer garden. 12milesnorth.nyc



September 17 | Croton-on-Hudson Fall Arts Festival

Guests attending the Croton-on-Hudson Fall Arts Festival at Senasqua Park will enjoy views of the Hudson River and live music as they discover works of sculpture, crafters, photographers and more by local artists. The festival is co-presented by the village of Croton-on-Hudson and the Croton Council on the Arts. crotonarts.org

September 18 | The White Plains Hispanic Festival



Mariachi Sólido de Mexico (photo source: youtube.com)

For more than 15 years, the White Plains Hispanic Day Parade and Festival has presented an energetic celebration of Hispanic culture in White Plains. This year's festival brings live music, ethnic foods, performers and artists that represent Spanish and Portuguese-speaking countries to the grounds of Eastview Middle School. whiteplainshispanicdayparade.com

September 24 & 25 | Armonk Outdoor Art Show



Photograph by John Hartung (photo courtesy of Armonk Outdoor Art Show)

For the 55th year, the Armonk Outdoor Art Show will display top offerings in fine art and design. The array of diverse artwork by more than 185 juried local and global artists features varied media, from painting and photography to sculpture and printmaking. The show, which benefits the North Castle Public Library and its Whippoorwill Hall Theater, also provides guided artist tours, a food court and kid-friendly activities. The Show takes place at 205 Business Park Drive. armonkoutdoorartshow.org

September 16-18 | Crafts at Lyndhurst



Art by Cathie Cantara (photo courtesy of Artrider Productions, Inc.)

For the past 30+ years, on the historic grounds of the Lyndhurst mansion, artists and designers have come together to celebrate all things handmade. With 300+ modern American craftspeople, both emerging and experienced, display their one-of-a-kind creations in genres ranging from sculpture, paintings, wearable art, furniture and more. Guests dance to live music, watch demonstrations and participate in arts workshops such as pottery and wood-turning. Children's activities make the day appropriate for the whole family with face painting, storytelling and stilt walkers. Guests can make the most of their day by wandering the grounds and taking a tour of the mansion. lyndhurst.org

September 20-25 | White Plains Jazz Fest



Awa Sangho (photo courtesy of the artist)

This festival, presented by ArtsWestchester, The City of White Plains and the White Plains Business Improvement District, is a six-day celebration of jazz in multiple locations in downtown White Plains. Fifteen free and affordable jazz-inspired events explore rhythms from Brazil, Africa, New Orleans. The week culminates in a full-day outdoor Jazz & Food Festival along Mamaroneck Avenue on Sunday, September 25th. For more information and a full schedule, see page A15. artsw.org/jazzfest

fall arts festivals

September 24 | Harbor Island International Beer Fest



(photo courtesy of Half Time Beverage)

The 3rd annual Harbor Island International Beer Fest, hosted by Half Time Beverage, features 200 domestic and international breweries that will present hundreds of craft beers, ciders and sodas, from KY Bourbon Ale (from Alltech) to Honey Blueberry Ale (from Bull and Barrell). Artists will provide guests with the opportunity to “sip and paint” during the festivities. Guests will also enjoy live music and artisanal foods while they sample the top brews. The event, which is part of ArtsWestchester’s Arts & Craft Beer Fest, takes place at Hudson Island Park, with a view of the Long Island Sound and Hudson River. harborislandbeerfestival.com

September 23-25 | New Rochelle ArtsFest 2016



(photo courtesy of the New Rochelle Council on the Arts)

Organized by New Rochelle Council on the Arts, ArtsFest offers exhibitions and family-friendly arts activities that, with more than 34 participating venues, showcases the rich cultural diversity throughout New Rochelle and Pelham. A new collaboration with YoFiFest kicks off the weekend on September 23 with a free drive-in movie in Hudson Park. The weekend continues with a wide variety of activities, from a classic car show and LEGO® Day, but the arts are front and center as artists open their studios and exhibitions pop up at various locations, including Rotunda Gallery, Iona College, Jolo’s, New Rochelle Public Library. Former Alvin Ailey Dance Theater principal dancer Donna Wood Sanders presents a “DanceFest” performance on Saturday afternoon. Pelham Art Center offers interactive activities all weekend, like glass-blowing demonstration, still-life painting and mixed-media projects. The Lincoln Avenue Arts & Culture Fest offers demos, food and live music. To provide visitors with the convenient access to the activities offered, a free “New Rochelle Culture Trolley” provides hop-on,-hop-off access to various participating institutions. newrochellearts.org

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FALL EVENTS

**Harbor Island International
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September 24, 1-5pm | \$50-\$140

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October 1, 2pm | \$10 Suggested Donation

Sounds of Havana at Copland House
Featuring Paquito d’ Rivera. October 29, 8pm | \$50



white plains jazz fest

Jazz Fest Brings International Artists to Downtown White Plains



Gary Smulyan (photo courtesy of the artist)

This September, the White Plains Jazz Fest will delight audiences with sounds from around the world without having to leave downtown White Plains. A range of sounds, including the rousing beats of Brazil, the smooth jazz of New Orleans and rhythmic beats of Africa, will take over the city from September 20-25. Presented by ArtsWestchester, the City of White Plains and White Plains BID, this six-day celebration of jazz kicks off at Gaucho Grill for an Opening Reception on Sept. 20 with trumpeter and flugelhornist Mark Morganelli.

Audiences are invited to enjoy a lineup of free and affordable events that includes accomplished and emerging artists: Music Conservatory of Westchester's Jazz Faculty Ensemble presents a noontime respite at Grace Church (Sept. 21) and a jazz workshop on Sept. 22; acclaimed guitarist Gil Parris will play blues as part of a "Downtown White Plains Jazz Stroll" that offers live music at three local restaurants throughout the night on Sept. 22; award-winning saxophone master Gary Smulyan and his quartet bring their soulful jazz performance to ArtsWestchester (Sept. 23). On Sept. 24, Source International African Jazz Band takes the stage in ArtsWestchester's gallery for two sets, and the White Plains Performing Arts Center hosts a Louis Armstrong and Ella Fitzgerald tribute on 9/24 (special offers are available for guests who attend both shows).

The festival culminates in a free outdoor celebration of international music and food along Mamaroneck Avenue on September 25. Audiences are invited to dance along with live performances throughout the day, including Baby Soda, Joy Boykin, Mayra Casales, Bob Baldwin & Friends with Wali Ali, Awa Sangho and more.

For concert and ticket info, visit: artsw.org/jazzfest.

JAZZFEST SEPTEMBER 20-25

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TUES., SEPT 20 | Noon

Opening reception with Mark Morganelli at Gaucho Grill Argentinean Steakhouse

WED., SEPT 21

Jazz at Downtown Music at Grace Church, noon

Downtown White Plains Jazz Stroll:

- Jazz at Gaucho Grill with Jazmyn, 6pm
- Copper Face Jacks with the Kenny Lee All Stars, 7:30pm
- Blues Jam at Ron Blacks Beer Hall with Gil Parris, 9pm

THUR., SEPT 22 | 6:30pm

Jazz Workshop and Jam at the Music Conservatory of Westchester

FRI., SEPT 23 | 8pm

Gary Smulyan Organ Quartet at ArtsWestchester

SAT., SEPT 24 | 7pm

White Plains Performing Arts Center presents LOUIS-and- ELLA!

SAT., SEPT 24 | 8pm & 9:30pm

Source International African Jazz Band at ArtsWestchester

SUN., SEPT 25 | Noon - 5:30pm

White Plains Jazz & Food Festival on Mamaroneck Ave. Featuring: Baby Soda, Joe Boykin & Friends, Mayra Casales, Bob Baldwin & Friends with Wali Ali, Awa Sangho

FEATURED ARTISTS INCLUDE:

- Mayra Casales
- Awa Sangho
- Baby Soda
- Bob Baldwin
- Joe Boykin
- Kenny Lee All Stars
- Gary Smulyan
- Gil Parris
- Mark Morganelli
- Source International African Jazz Band
- Music Conservatory of Westchester Jazz Faculty



Source International African Jazz Band (photo courtesy of the artist)

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in the Medical Library at NWH. Call 914.666.1869 or email jucas@nwhc.net to register.

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NWH is hosting a **FREE** Senior Health & Wellness Fair. Health screenings, such as blood pressure, osteoporosis, cholesterol and glucose will be available. Plus chair yoga, nutrition counseling and much, much more! Free valet parking and wheelchair-accessible.

Wednesday, September 21, from 10:00 am - 1:00 pm
NWH at Chappaqua Crossing, 480 Bedford Road, Chappaqua, NY

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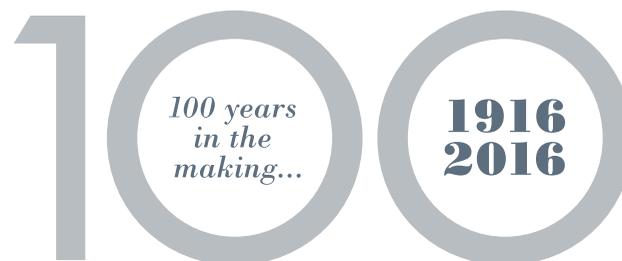
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ARTS CALENDAR

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The Merchant of Venice, Jacob Burns Film Center, 9/7 (photo credit: Tristram Kenton)

9/1 THURSDAY

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

Music: Mercy College presents *Mercy College Community Choir's Fall 2016 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

Tours: Lyndhurst presents *Upstairs/Downstairs Tour*. Explore the historical mansion and discover how the staffs at Lyndhurst functioned during the Gilded Age to provide an efficient lifestyle for the Merritt and Gould Families. Now through 9/25, 11:30am-1pm. lyndhurst.org

Lectures: Westchester Italian Cultural Center presents *Italian Art & Artists*:

Modigliani. A discussion about Italian figurative artist, Amedeo Clemente Modigliani, who became known for paintings and sculptures in a modern style characterized by mask-like faces and elongation of form. 7-9pm. wiccny.org

Reception: Iona College Council on the Arts presents *psalmsIMAGEand...* An opening reception for the paintings of Fred Spinowitz and photographs of 6 artists. The artists and viewers will engage in a visual conversation while thinking about the poetry of the Psalms. 6-8pm. iona.edu/artscouncil

9/3 SATURDAY

Family & Kids: Hudson River Museum presents *Make a Plant Pal*. Families can plant seeds in a mini pot, take it home, and watch the plant grow. Every Saturday through 9/18. 1-4pm. hrm.org

Family & Kids: Hudson River Museum presents *Family Studio: Art and Science Projects*. Participate in creative activities inspired by the Museum's exhibitions such as assembling a community

inflatable from geometric shapes, and turning a paper towel into a rocket ship. Weekends through 9/25. 1-4pm. hrm.org

Family & Kids: Historic Hudson Valley presents *CORNucopia*. Feast on a bounty of corn-centric delicacies and take part in corn-related activities and games at the lower Hudson Valley's only corn festival. Also 9/4 & 9/5. 10am at Philipsburg Manor. hudsonvalley.org

Music: Untermeyer Performing Arts Council presents *World Fest 2016*. This series celebrates more than forty years of diverse and fun entertainment for the people of Yonkers and beyond. 7:30-9:15pm at Untermeyer Park. untermeyergardens.org

9/4 SUNDAY

Tours: Lyndhurst presents *The Landscape Ramble*. A tour of the historic grounds at Lyndhurst, a Gothic Revival masterpiece overlooking the Hudson River. Now through 9/25, 10am-12pm. lyndhurst.org

9/6 TUESDAY

Family & Kids: Music Conservatory of Westchester presents *Fall Open Houses*. An open house event where parents and their children can meet with staff and register for the fall semester, which runs from September through January. Tuesdays and Saturdays through 9/20. 4-7pm. musicconservatory.org

9/7 WEDNESDAY

Film: Jacob Burns Film Center presents *The Merchant of Venice*. Jonathan Pryce, who plays Wolf Hall in HBO's *Game of Thrones*, provides an enigmatic performance in this iconic battle between greed and love. 2-4:30pm. burnsfilmcenter.org

Music: Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Wednesday Morning Concert: Flamenco in the*

Courtyard. This series includes a concert in the Spanish Courtyard followed by a tour of the Mediterranean-style Rosen House, a buffet lunch inspired by Spanish cuisine, and a self-guided garden stroll. 11am. caramoor.org

Music: Hoff-Barthelson Music School presents *Festival Orchestra Auditions*. High school student musicians are invited to audition for the 2016-2017 season for this full symphony orchestra. 5:30-9:30pm. hbms.org

Reception: Westchester Community College Center for the Arts presents *Opening Reception*. An opening of "The Issues," an all-faculty exhibition that explores the landscape of cultural, political and ethical concerns that plague today's societies around the globe. 6pm. sunywcc.edu/locations/arts

9/8 THURSDAY

Film: Jacob Burns Film Center presents *One More Time With Feeling*. This film's photographic style reflects the intimacy and starkness of the latest visual album from Nick Cave & the Bad Seeds. 9-10:30pm. burnsfilmcenter.org

Reception: Sarah Lawrence College presents *Light Energy by Jill Viney*. An opening reception for Viney's three sculptures, of which light is an essential component. 5:30-7pm at Barbara Walters Gallery in the Heimbold Visual Arts Center. sarahlawrence.edu

Reception: Iona College Council on the Arts presents *Artist Gallery Talk*. Meet exhibiting *psalmsIMAGEand...* artists. Seven artists interpret compelling themes taken from the Hebrew text of Psalms. 6:30-7:30pm. iona.edu/artscouncil

9/9 FRIDAY

Lectures: Westchester Italian Cultural Center presents *Italian Art & Artists*:

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Caravaggio. A presentation of artist Caravaggio and his greatest masterpieces along with further insight into his methods of painting and his unique sense of aesthetics. 7-9pm. wiccnyc.org

9/10 SATURDAY

Lecture: Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art presents *The Day of the 'Word'*. Two panel discussions, "The Art of Curating for Public Projects and Commercial Venues" and "Optimizing One's Exposure in Group Exhibitions," will be followed by live music and performances by exhibiting artists. 2pm. hvcca.org

Reception: Mamaroneck Artists' Guild presents *Off the Wall- Spotlight on Sculpture*. A reception for six sculptors who showcase their techniques in this group show of sculptures made from metal, clay, bronze, and more. 3-5pm. mamaroneckartistsguild.org

9/11 SUNDAY

Family & Kids: India Center of Westchester presents *Ganesh Utsav*. A celebration of this Hindu tradition will feature a cultural program of the Indian Regional state of Maharashtra. 1-4pm at Yonkers Riverfront Library. indiacenter.us

Music: PJS Jazz Society, Inc. presents *Houston Person*. Musician Houston Person has recorded more than 75 albums and opens a new season of Jazz concerts in Mount Vernon. 6-9pm at the First Presbyterian Church. pjsjazz.org

9/13 TUESDAY

Music: Westchester Choral Society presents *Auditions*. Singers are welcome to an open rehearsal and audition for the 75th season of the Westchester Choral Society. 7-9:30pm at Music Conservatory of Westchester. westchesterchoralsociety.org

9/14 WEDNESDAY

Lectures: The Rye Arts Center presents *Meredith Leu Lecture*. A presentation by Meredith Leu about the life and art of Mary Ellen Mark. 7-9pm. ryeartscenter.org

Music: Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Wednesday Morning Concert: Canciones Españolas: Celebrating Enrique*

Granados. Celebrate the 100th birthday of renowned composer Enrique Granados with a concert by soprano Amaya Arberas, accompanied on guitar by David Galvez, followed by a tour of the Mediterranean-style Rosen House. 11am. caramoor.org

Music: Downtown Music at Grace presents *Noonday Getaway Concert: Sounds of the Scottish Highlands*.

An outdoor concert featuring Piper Jonathan Henken in a performance of festive Scottish music. 12:10-1pm at Grace Episcopal Church. DTMusic.org

Lectures: Axial Theatre's Howard Meyer's Acting School presents *Open House*. This open house offers a sneak preview of its fall 2016 acting & playwriting classes with an introduction by its founder and faculty. 5:30-9pm. axialtheatre.org

9/15 THURSDAY

Film: Westchester Italian Cultural Center presents *In Search of Saint Francis*. The film celebrates the remarkable life of St. Francis, a complex man, an environmentalist, and a visionary peacemaker. 7-9pm. wiccnyc.org

Lectures: Alliance Francaise de Westchester presents *Open House*. An open house for anyone interested in learning French. Guests will meet the teachers, find out about classes, and can take a free class. 11am-2pm. afwestchesterny.org

9/16 FRIDAY

Family & Kids: Lyndhurst presents *Crafts at Lyndhurst*. This popular contemporary craft event features 300 artists and offers one-of-a-kind objects, craft demonstrations, gourmet specialty foods, and live music. Children can enjoy a stilt walker, face painting and storytelling. Also 9/17 & 9/18. 10am-5pm. lyndhurst.org

9/17 SATURDAY

Family & Kids: New Rochelle Public Library presents *BID Market Family Day: Children's Performer Kurt Gallagher*. Kids will clap and sing along to Gallagher's songs and stories. The performer engages young audiences with his guitar, ukulele, lumberjack puppets and more. 11am-12pm at Ruby Dee Park at Library Green. nrpl.org

Family & Kids: New Rochelle Public Library presents *BID Market Family Day: Children's Performer Louie Miranda*. Bilingual musician Louie Miranda returns to the Grand Market for another performance of interactive songs and games. Everyone shopping for the local farm-fresh products can enjoy Louie's Latin beat. 11am-12pm at Ruby Dee Park at Library Green. nrpl.org

Festival: Croton Council on the Arts presents *Croton-on-Hudson Fall Arts Festival*. The annual arts festival will display artists of all types from painters to wood-workers. Guests can browse the artworks on view while enjoying live music by Heather LaRose, Eliza & the Tsusami, and Joe Adami. 12-4pm at Senasqua Park. crotonarts.org

Film: The Performing Arts Center, Purchase College presents *National Theatre Live: A View from the Bridge*. A rebroadcast of the live recording in London by National Theater Live of this production starring Arthur Miller who confronts the American dream in this dark and passionate tale. 8-10:30pm. artscenter.org

Lectures: Westchester Italian Cultural Center presents *The Medici Dynasty: The Origins and Rise of the Medici Family*. This presentation will discuss the possible origins of the Medici family name and will explore how the family became one of the most important houses in Florence around the 12th century. 10:30am. wiccnyc.org

Theater: White Plains Performing Arts Center presents *Blood Type: Ragu*. A critically-acclaimed Off-Broadway show stars award-winning writer and performer Frank Ingrasciotta, who portrays more than 20 characters in this solo play exploring an immigrant child's delicate dance between culture and identity. 8pm. wppac.com

9/18 SUNDAY

Music: Tribes Hill presents *Kindred Folk*. A concert celebrating the best in live and local acoustic music showcases a line-up of emerging musicians including Kate Copeland, The Levins, Shawna Caspi and David Goldman. 4:30-7pm at EMBARK@The Flatz. tribeshill.com



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Ariel String Quartet, Smart Arts, 9/24 (photo credit: Jesse Weiner)

Music: New Rochelle Opera presents *Operattitudes*. Narrated by company co-founder and artistic director, Camille Coppola, the concert will consist of declarations from familiar operas sung by some of the company's leading singers: soprano Zhanna Alkhozova, mezzo-soprano Anna Tonna and baritone Youngjoo An. 3-5pm at Christopher Murphy Auditorium. nropera.org

Music: Copland House presents *The Joy of Sextets*. Music by Aaron Copland, Lukas Foss, and Stephen Stucky. 9/18, 3pm. coplandhouse.org

Festivals: White Plains Hispanic Festival. *An annual event celebrating Hispanic culture in White Plains* brings live music, ethnic foods, and performers that represent Spanish and Portuguese-speaking countries to the Eastview Middle School. 12pm. whiteplainshispanicdayparade.com

9/20 TUESDAY

Film: Westchester Italian Cultural Center presents *Afternoon Movie: E La Nave Va. And the Ship Sails On (E la Nave Va)* is a 1983 film by Federico Fellini that depicts the events on board a luxury cruise ship which leaves Italy in order to scatter the ashes of a famous opera singer. 2-4pm. wiccnny.org

Reception: Gaucho Grill presents *Jazz Fest Kick-Off and Opening Reception*.

Mark Morganelli opens the festival with a taste of Brazilian jazz at the Gaucho Grill in White Plains. Part of White Plains Jazz Fest. 12pm. artswestchester.org

9/21 WEDNESDAY

Music: Caramoor Center for Music and the Arts presents *Wednesday Morning Concert*. Husband and wife Edward Arron and Jeewon Park perform in the Spanish Courtyard. 11am. caramoor.org

Music: Alliance Francaise de Westchester presents *Fete de la Rentree: Back to School Night*. Returning and new students are invited to celebrate the new academic year with live music, French wines, and appetizers. 6:30-8:30pm. afwestchesterny.org

Music: Downtown Music at Grace presents *Noonday Getaway Concert: The Music Conservatory of Westchester Jazz Faculty Quartet*. As part of the White Plains Jazz Fest, the Music Conservatory of Westchester Jazz Faculty Quartet will play music of jazz saxophone legend and innovator Michael Brecker. 12:10-1pm. DTMusic.org

Music: ArtsWestchester presents *Downtown White Plains Jazz Stroll*. Live music performances will be held in three venues throughout the evening. Performers include Jazmyn, Gil Parris, Kenny Lee All Stars and more. Part

of White Plains Jazz Fest. Times and locations vary. artswestchester.org

9/22 THURSDAY

Film: Jacob Burns Film Center presents *The Threepenny Opera*. In this dark musical comedy set in the slums of Victorian London, Captain Macheath is an underworld crime boss who has made some enemies. A broadcast of the live performance by the National Theatre. 2-5pm. burnsfilmcenter.org

Music: White Plains BID presents *A Jazz Workshop and Jam*. A workshop in jazz and improvisation, followed by a jam session for any interested players. Part of White Plains Jazz Fest. 6:30pm. musicconservatory.org

9/23 FRIDAY

Festivals: New Rochelle Council on the Arts presents *ArtsFest 2016*. This festival highlights a variety of arts venues in New Rochelle and Pelham with exhibits, family-friendly activities at 34 venues, live music, and more. Also 9/24 & 9/25, 12-8pm. newrochellearts.org

Lectures: Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Anya Silver & Sally Bliumis-Dunn*. Author of *The Ninety-Third Name of God*, Anya Silver joins poet and teacher Sally Bliumis-Dunn who will read from her collection about the Galapagos. 7:30-9pm. writerscenter.org

Music: ArtsWestchester presents *The Gary Smulyan Organ Quartet*. Award-winning baritone saxophone master delivers a soulful jazz sound with Mike Ledonne, Hammond B3 Organ, Peter Bernstein, guitar and Joe Farnsworth, drums. Part of White Plains Jazz Fest. 8-9:30pm. artswestchester.org

9/24 SATURDAY

Dance: India Center of Westchester presents *Parampara, an evening of Indian Traditional Dances and Various forms of Music*. A program of classical indian dance and music features major dance forms: *Bharatnatyam, Odissi, Kathak*, and more. 6:30-9pm at Irvington Town Hall Theater. indiacenter.us

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Anindita Nanda, *Parampara 2016*, India Center of Westchester, 9/24 (photo source: newstimes.com)

Family & Kids: New Rochelle Public Library presents *BID Market Family Day & Arts Fest Mural Painting*. Guests are invited to add to the community art project and paint a giant mural set-up at the Grand Market. 11am-1pm at Ruby Dee Park at Library Green. nrpl.org

Film: The Picture House Regional Film Center presents *Arthouse Theater Day*. Screenings of British classic fantasy *Time Bandits*, Terry Gilliam's *Trilogy of Imagination*, *Brazil* and *The Adventures of Baron Munchausen*. 10:30am and 1:30pm. thepicturehouse.org

Lectures: Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Westchester Launch Party for Noah Warren & Joshua Bennett*. A celebration for author of *The Destroyer in the Glass* Noah Warren and Joshua Bennett, a recipient of a 2015 National Poetry Series Award for his collection, *The Sobbing School*. 7:30-9pm. writerscenter.org

Music: ArtsWestchester presents *Source International African Jazz Band*. Jazz returns to its roots with a vibrant and danceable mix of music of Guinea and Mali with a jazz inflection. Featuring Sylvain Leroux (tambin, fula flute, sax) and Abdoulaye Diabate (guitar and vocal). Part of White Plains JazzFest. 8-10:30pm. artswestchester.org

Music: Smart Arts presents *Ariel String Quartet*. This ensemble is internationally reputed for its brilliant playing and soulful

interpretations of classical masterpieces. 8-10pm. sunywcc.edu/smartarts

Music: The Rye Arts Center presents *CocoMama Dance Party*. An evening of dance, music, and food features CocoMama, a group that brings Afro-Cuban, Jazz, Caribbean, and South American traditions to create a distinct sound. 7-9pm. ryeartscenter.org

Music: Songcatchers presents *Intergenerational Concert*. A concert featuring Songcatchers in collaboration with the Hugh A Doyle Singers, The Garito Manor Singers, and the Sound Shore Chorale. Part of New Rochelle's *ArtsFest*. 2-3:30pm at The Hugh A. Doyle Senior Center. songcatchers.org

Theater: Tutti Bravi Productions, Inc. presents *Spirits and Souls: Voices from the Trinity Burial Grounds*. A series of moving monologues by local actors and musicians representing 18th and 19th century New Rochelle residents, many of whom are buried in the burial grounds at Trinity-St. Paul's Church. Supported by the Arts Alive 2016 Grant. 4-6pm at New Rochelle Public Library. tuttibraviproductions.org

Festivals: Pelham Art Center presents *ArtsFest!*. A two-day series of glass blowing demonstrations, art workshops, and classes. Guests can also enjoy outdoor yoga and jazz by acclaimed Joe Fiedler's Quintet. Also 9/25. 12-4pm. pelhamartcenter.org

Reception: The Rye Arts Center presents *Opening Reception*. Visitors will be introduced to the exhibit *Cuba: From the Rooftops to the Streets*. Photographer JoAnn Cancro explores Cuba through a series of unique and engrossing images. 3-5pm. ryeartscenter.org

Music: White Plains Performing Arts Center presents *Louis and Ella!*. Trent Armand Kendall and Natasha Yvette Williams perform a tribute to the great icons of jazz, Louis Armstrong and Ella Fitzgerald. Part of White Plains Jazz Fest. 7pm. wppac.com

9/25 SUNDAY

Film: New Rochelle Public Library presents *New Rochelle Family Film Festival for Arts Fest*. Animated cartoons produced by Terrytoons and silent films by the Thanouser Film Company will be featured in this fun afternoon program for all ages. 1:30-3pm. nrpl.org

Reception: New Rochelle Art Association presents *Annual Juried Exhibition*. A reception for a juried exhibit includes refreshments, an awards ceremony, and live music by the popular dance band, Zero 360. 5:15-7pm at New Rochelle Public Library. nraaonline.org

Spoken Word: Katonah Village Library presents *Kathleen Ossip - Live Reading and Reception*. The Katonah Poetry Series launches its new season with a reading by Kathleen Ossip, who has authored three volumes of poetry, a chapbook of poems on movies and *The Status Seekers*, a verse play. 4-6pm. katonahlibrary.org

Festival: ArtsWestchester, the City of White Plains and White Plains BID present *White Plains Jazz and Food Festival*. The culminating day of Jazz Fest brings five sets of music to audiences in an outdoor celebration of music and international foods in downtown White Plains. Part of White Plains Jazz Fest. 12pm. artswestchester.org

9/27 TUESDAY

Film: Center for the Digital Arts, Peekskill presents *Sense the Wind*. This documentary follows the journey of four blind sailors – Nancy, Inky, Philip, and Matt – as they train and com-

pete at the Blind Nationals and press towards Japan's Blind Sailing World Championships. A Q&A will follow the film. 7pm. sunywcc.edu/locations/peekskill

9/28 WEDNESDAY

Lectures: Westchester Italian Cultural Center presents *Magna Graecia - The Presence and Power of Hellenic Culture in Ancient Southern Italy*. An exploration of one of Italy's greatest founding cultures, the New World Greeks in ancient Italy. 7-9pm. wiccnyc.org

Music: Downtown Music at Grace presents *Noonday Getaway Concert: Clarinetist Pavel Vinnitsky and Pianist Anna Vinnitsky*. Two musicians play Brahms' *Sonata No. 2 in E flat major*, Saint-Saens' *Clarinet Sonata* and the *Siciliana* of Bach. 12:10-1pm at Grace Episcopal Church. DTMusic.org

9/29 THURSDAY

Music: The Rye Arts Center presents *RAC Live! Coffeehouse Series*. A series of musical performances at Le Pain Quotidien in Rye. Enjoy live music over dinner or drinks. 7-8pm. ryeartscenter.org

9/30 FRIDAY

Lectures: Hudson Valley Writers' Center presents *Stephen Burt & Craig Morgan Teicher*. Stephen Burt and Craig Morgan Teicher will read their poetry and discuss contemporary American poetry and criticism after their reading. 7:30-9pm. writerscenter.org

Lectures: Westchester Italian Cultural Center presents *Who Invented the Telephone? Meucci VS. Bell*. A presentation by Professor Louis Leonini on the life and work of Antonio Meucci, the overlooked original inventor of the telephone who first discovered how sound could travel on a copper wire when Alexander Graham Bell was just two years-old. 6-8pm. wiccnyc.org

Tours: Rye Arts Center presents *Eye On Art: Affordable Art Fair, NYC*. Visitors will explore the highlights of this trendy New York fair, where gallery-run booths exhibit works of art. 11am-1pm at Metropolitan Pavilion. ryeartscenter.org

→ exhibitions

Blue Door Art Center

bluedoorartcenter.org

- *Tattoo: Off the Body.* Tattoo artists share their works of varying media that were created for the human body. 9/8-10/8. Wed & Thurs: 3-8pm, Fri: 4-9pm, Sat: 12-5pm.

Bullseye Glass Resource Center

bullseyeglass.com

- *Cosmic Pessimism.* Using kilnformed glass, cast glass, found objects, and oil paint, artist Michael Endo creates atmospheric paintings and sculptures that conjure a world where the familiar becomes unfamiliar. Through 9/10. Tues-Fri: 10am-6pm, Sat: 10am-5pm.

Clay Art Center

clayartcenter.org

- *Freshly Funk.* A solo exhibition featuring emerging New York artist Lauren Skelly and her abstract sculptural works exploring landscape, color and texture. Through 9/17, Mon-Fri: 10am-6pm & Sat: 10am-4pm.

Color Camera Club

colorcameraclub.org

- *CCCW Club Competition.* A monthly digital competition features club members' best work in photography. 9/26, 7:30-9:30pm.

Friends of the North Castle Public Library

armonkoutdoorartshow.org

- *Armonk Outdoor Art Show.* A fine art and craft event showcasing 185 juried artists and their works in a variety of media, from painting to wearable art. Guests can enjoy children's activities, free guided artist tours, and personal consultants. 9/24-9/25. 10am-5pm at Community Park.

Greenburgh Public Library

greenburghlibrary.org

- *Northern Lights and Deep Space Photography.* Scott Nammacher, a Westchester based amateur astrophotographer will exhibit his photos called *Treasures of the Night Skies*. The show will feature his recent photos of the aurora borealis, northern lights, from Churchill, Manitoba. Through 9/9, 10am-5:30pm.

Harrison Public Library

harrisonpl.org

- *From Jazz to Scapes.* Michael Baumann, local designer and photographer, will show his wonderful Jazz series from the late night clubs of Harlem. Through 9/30. Mon & Wed: 9:30am-9pm, Tues & Thurs-Sat: 9:30am-5:30pm, Sun: 1-5pm.

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 Jimmy Kuehnle's large-scale inflatable sculptures made from vinyl-coated polyester fabric. Through 9/18. Wed-Sun: 12-5pm.

Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art

hvcca.org

- *WORD.* A juried exhibition highlighting regional artists who prominently feature a word or words in their artistic productions. Through 12/7, Fri: 11am-5pm, Sat & Sun: 12-6pm, Tues & Thurs by appt.

India Center of Westchester

indiacenter.us

- *Exhibit Competition.* Young talented artists will showcase their imagination, creativity and knowledge about Marathi culture, Ganesh Utsav and September 11. 9/11, 1-4pm at Yonkers RiverFront Library.

Iona College Council on the Arts

iona.edu/artscouncil

- *psalmsIMAGEand...* An interactive exhibition featuring the paintings of Fred Spinowitz and photographs of 6 artists that reflect compelling themes taken from the Hebrew text of Psalms. Through 9/29. Mon-Wed: 12-5pm, Thurs: 12-5pm & 6:30-8pm, Sun: 2-5pm.

Katonah Museum

katonahmuseum.org

- *On-Site Katonah.* Eight experimental, site-specific installations created in response to the Museum's distinctive landscape, architecture, and history. Through 10/2. 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 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

- *Off The Wall - Spotlight on Sculpture.* Six sculptors join forces to showcase their techniques in this group show of sculpture and three dimensional art. Through 9/24, 12-5pm.

Neuberger Museum of Art

neuberger.org

- *Destination: Latin America.* The exhibit illustrates the museum's important collection of Latin American art and discusses the key historical and artistic movements that influenced these works. Through 1/22. Tues-Sun: 12-5pm, Wed: 12-8pm.

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→ exhibitions

Sarah Lawrence College

sarahlawrence.edu

- **Light Energy: Jill Viney.** An exhibit of sculptures by NYC-based artist Jill Viney, in which light is an essential component. Through 9/23. Mon-Fri: 10am-4pm, Sat-Sun: 1-4pm at Barbara Walters Gallery in the Heimbold Visual Arts Center.

Teatown Lake Reservation

teatown.org

- **June Farnham.** June Farnham shares her abstract landscape paintings and images that reflect the Hudson River and Teatown Lake Reservation. 9/3-10/30, 9am-5pm.

The Rye Arts Center

ryeartscenter.org

- **Cuba: From the Rooftops to the Streets.** Journey with photographer, JoAnn Cancro, as she explores Cuba through a series of unique and engrossing images. 9/17-10/22. Mon & Sat: 9am-3pm, Tues-Fri: 9am-7pm.

Westchester Community College Center for the Arts

sunywcc.edu/locations/arts

- **The Issues.** An all-faculty exhibition that explores the landscape of cultural, political and ethical concerns that plague today's societies around the globe. 9/7-10/31. Mon-Thurs, 10am-8:30pm, Friday: 9:30am-4:30pm, Saturday: 9am-12pm.



Smokers by Jill Viney, Sarah Lawrence College, Light Energy: Jill Viney, On view through 9/23

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Color Camera Club of Westchester | colorcameraclub.org

- **Learn to Improve Your Photography Skills.** An informative photography program open to anyone interested in improving their photography skills. 9/12, 7:30-9:30pm.
- **Composition in Photography.** During this presentation, David DesRochers will teach the elements of composition and show examples of how to use them to create compelling photographs. 9/19, 7:30-9:30pm.

For more Color Camera Club workshops, visit colorcameraclub.org.

Hammond Museum | hammondmuseum.org

- **Chinese Brush Painting cCasses.** Guests can join the Oriental Brush Artists Guild for a Chinese brush painting demonstration and stay for an introductory class. 9/20-11/15, 11:30am-12:30pm.
- **Digital Photography Classes.** Robert Uricchio, winner in the Hammond's Third Art Competition, will teach a 4 hour workshop focusing on various aspects and functions of Point and Shoot cameras. 9/29-10/20, 12-4pm.

Hoff-Barthelson Music School | hbms.org

- **Open House and Demonstration Class.** Parents of children up to 5 years of age are invited to attend an open house for the Music School's Music and Movement Programs for Young Children. A class demonstration will also be included. 9/9, 10am-12pm.
- **Double Reed Making.** Faculty members Elizabeth Condon and Janet Grice will lead an intensive, hands-on workshop on the art of making reeds for the bassoon and oboe. 9/24, 10am-12pm.

Hudson Valley Center for Contemporary Art | hvcca.org

- **Where Words and Memory Meet.** Guests can work with stage director and poet Mara Mills and artist Jo-Ann Brody to bring word and memory to life. 9/20, 1-3pm.
- **Writing the Walls: Cindy Beer-Fouhy.** A writing workshop with instructor Cindy Beer-Fouhy, who has been teaching writing in schools and community facilities for more than 30 years. 9/25, 11am-4pm.

Hudson Valley Writers' Center | writerscenter.org

- **The Art & Craft of Poetry Seminar & Workshop with Michael Patrick Collins.** Th NYU professor and poet will lead two craft classes that review the fundamentals of poetry, engage generative writing, and provide constructive exercises. 9/14-10/19, 10:30am-12:30pm.
- **Page-Turning Fiction with Joanne Dobson.** Study the literary techniques of popular genres and learn how to create compelling plots in a unique voice. 9/15-10/20, 7-9:30pm.

For more Hudson Valley Writers Center workshops, visit writerscenter.org.

India Center of Westchester indiacycenter.us

- **Carnatic Music Appreciation Workshop.** Renowned vocalist Vidushi K. Acharya from Bangalore, India, leads a workshop of South Indian classical music. 9/11, 5:30-8pm.

New Rochelle Public Library | nrpl.org

- **Sing Your Heart Out, Again!** Participants are lead by music aficionado Robert Puleo and will learn the basics of singing. 9/10, 10-11am.

Sleepy Hollow Performing Artists Center | shpacenter.com

- **Best Summer Ever.** Students will create in a fun and safe environment, with classes in acting, singing, arts & crafts, and more. 9/1-9/2, 9am-3pm.

The Rye Arts Center | ryeartscenter.org

- **The Colors of Cuba: Children's Workshop.** Children are invited to take part in a project inspired by the Center's Cuba exhibition, *CUBA: From the Rooftops to the Streets*. (Ages 7-11). 9/17, 10am-12pm.
- **A New Process: Oil Painting with Beryl Watson.** This workshop invites painters to try Beryl's unconventional oil painting technique to add a new element to their painting style. 9/17, 10am-12pm.

For more Rye Arts Center workshops, visit ryeartscenter.org.

Westchester Community College Center For The Arts | sunywcc.edu/locations/arts

- **Unlocking Your Creative Idea.** Through lab-based activities, participants will learn creative techniques to turn ideas into action. 9/24, 10am-4:30pm.

Westchester Italian Cultural Center | wicny.org

- **Italian Language Classes.** Language classes for all ages provided in 10 session courses. 9/10-11/19, times vary.

This fall, ArtsWestchester will continue its mission of providing arts opportunities to Westchester youth by helping them to grow their creativity and artistic skills in a series of upcoming classes. In "Drawing and Anime," led by ArtsWestchester teaching artist Alan Reingold, children (ages 9-13) will learn basic drawing techniques, such as proportion and composition, as they render figures in the Japanese style of anime. Two classes will be offered in collaboration with Clay Art Center: "Clay Adventures" and "Kids N' Clay" use weekly clay projects to encourage kids (ages 6-10) to use their imaginations as they learn technical clay skills.

- **Clay Adventures:** Tuesdays, Oct. 4-Nov. 29 (no class 11/8)
Sign up by: September 27
- **Basic Drawing and Anime:** Saturdays, Oct. 8-Dec. 10
(no class 10/15 or 11/26) *Sign up by: October 1*
- **Kids N' Clay:** Saturdays, Oct. 8-Dec. 10 (no class 10/15 or 11/26) *Sign up by: October 1*

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