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## Galleries

## SOUTH BAY

Bruni Gallery. "Jazzmasters" series by Bruni; sports originals by Mark Gray. 1-6 p.m. daily. 394 E. Campbell Ave., Campbell. (408) 370-4700, www.brunijazzart.com.

CaliforniaView Fine Arts. Early California paintings and 19th- and 20th-century European and Western art, open-ended. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesdays-Saturdays, noon-5 p.m. Sundays. 12 N. Santa Cruz Ave., Los Gatos. (408) 354-6295.

The Leonard and David McKay Gallery. Significant California artists from the Leonard McKay collection. Noon-5 p.m. Saturdays-Sundays. Pasetta House, History Park, 1650 Senter Road, San Jose. Free.

MACLA/Movimiento de Arte y Cultura Latino Americana. "Frontera Electronica," works by Bay Area artists Jesus Aguilar, Juan Iuna-Avin, Heather Cox Carducci & Gigi Otalvaro-Hormillosa, Praba Pilar and the artist collective Torolab from Tijuana, Mexico, through Oct. 7. Noon-7 p.m. Wednesdays- Thursdays, noon-5 p.m. Fridays- Saturdays; also by appointment. 510 S. First St., San Jose. (408) 998-2783, www.maclaarte.org.

Mind's Eye Gallery. Surreal fantasy, original art and fine ceramics, open-ended. 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Tuesdays- Saturdays, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sundays. 395 E. Campbell Ave., Campbell. (408) 370-7682.

Montalvo Arts Center Project Space. "Edge of Desire: Recent Art From India," through Sept. 17, presented in conjunction with the Berkeley Art Museum and Pacific Film Archive. 1-4 p.m. Wednesdays-Sundays. 15400 Montalvo Road, Saratoga. (408) 961-5800, www.montalvoarts.org.

Phillips Gallery of Fine Art. Paintings by Jeff Neugebauer, open-ended. 333 Santana Row, Suite 101, San Jose. (408) 246-8020.

San Jose Institute of Contemporary Art. "Autoturista," works by Daniel Massey, through Sept. 16; "Wandering Eye," works by Ed Osborn, through Sept. 16. 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Thursdays, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Fridays, noon-5 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays- Wednesdays. 560 S. First St. (408) 283-8155, www.sjica.org.

Stone Griffin Gallery. "California Vineyards," works by Vicki Asp, open-ended. 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Thursdays, 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sundays-Wednesdays. 416 E. Campbell Ave., Campbell. (408) 374-2944.

Studio Forty-Two Gallery. Paintings by Francine Markoe, open-ended. 23 N. Santa Cruz Ave., Los Gatos. (408) 395-3191.

## PENINSULA

Angelico Gallery. Contemporary paintings. 11 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays, Mondays by appointment. 1139 Chestnut St., Menlo Park. 650-566-1211,

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

Art Mirage Gallery. Works by Julia Parker and Thea Schrack, through Aug. 26. 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays. 435 University Ave., Palo Alto. (650) 326-6818.

Art 21 Gallery. "Capturing the Unspoken," paintings by Lorraine Rossini, through Aug. 30. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sundays. 539 Alma St., Palo Alto. (650) 566-1381.

Bryant Street Gallery. "The Perfection of Imperfection," encaustic paintings by Tracey Adams," open-ended. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays. 520 Bryant St., Palo Alto. (650) 321-8155.

Coastal Arts League. "Masks and Myths," masks created by boys at Camp Glenwood probation facility, through Sept. 4. Noon-6 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays. Zaballa Square, 300 Main St., Half Moon Bay. (650) 306-3330.

Pacific Art League. "Captured Light," annual juried group show, through Aug. 31. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Mondays-Fridays, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturdays. 668 Ramona St., Palo Alto. (650) 321-3891.

Palo Alto Art Center. "IDEO Prototypes the Future," through Sept. 10; "Creative Commerce: German Lithographic Labels: 1920-1938," through Sept. 22. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays, 1 p.m.-5 p.m. Sundays, 1313 Newell Road. (650) 329-2366.

Sanchez Art Center. "Art of the Bicycle," through Aug. 26. 1-5 p.m. Fridays-Sundays. 1220 Linda Mar Blvd., Pacifica. (650) 355-1894, [www.sanchezartcenter.org](http://www.sanchezartcenter.org).

Stellar Somerset Gallery. Paintings by Lauren McIntosh, through Sept. 30. 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays. 539 Bryant St., Palo Alto. (650) 328-6688, [www.stellarsomersetgallery.com](http://www.stellarsomersetgallery.com).

Viewpoints Gallery. "A Summer's Day," watercolors and water media collages by Chris Beck, through Sept. 3. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Mondays-Saturdays, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Sundays. 315 State St., Los Altos. (650) 941-5789, <http://viewpointsgallery.com>.

#### SAN FRANCISCO

Brian Gross Fine Art. New paintings by Ed Moses, through Aug. 25. 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Mondays-Fridays. 49 Geary St. (415) 788-1050, [www.briangrossfineart.com](http://www.briangrossfineart.com).

Braunstein/Quay Gallery. "Marking Boundaries," through Sept. 9. 11 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays. 430 Clementina St. (415) 278-9850, [www.bquayartgallery.com](http://www.bquayartgallery.com).

Dolby Chadwick Gallery. "A Dream Half Remembered," through Aug. 31. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesdays-Fridays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturdays. 210 Post St. (415) 956-3560, [www.dolbychadwickgallery.com](http://www.dolbychadwickgallery.com).

Robert Koch Gallery. Works by Brian Ulrich, through Sept. 30. 10:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays. 49 Geary St. (415) 421-0122, [www.kochgallery.com](http://www.kochgallery.com).

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SomArts Cultural Center. "Re Show," two decades of SOMA artists, 1960-1980, through Aug. 24. 2-7 p.m. Tuesdays-Fridays, 1-5 p.m. Saturdays. 934 Brannan St. (415) 552-2131, extension 7.

## EAST BAY

Esteban Sabar Gallery. "Catching Ripples," works by Eric Helsley, through Aug. 28; "Present Memories," works by Carol Paquet, through Aug. 28. 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Thursdays-Saturdays, noon-6 p.m. Sundays, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Mondays. 480 23rd St., Oakland. (510) 444-7411, www.estebansabar.com

## SANTA CRUZ/MONTEREY

New Masters Gallery. Paintings by Tinyan, open-ended. Dolores (between Ocean and Seventh avenues), Carmel. (831) 625-1511.

Robert Lewis Gallery Fine Art. "Grace Your Walls," plein air paintings of the California coastline and Bordeaux, France, open-ended. 1-5 p.m. Thursdays-Fridays, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturdays. 210 Forrest Ave., Pacific Grove. (831) 333-9046, www.robertlewisgallery.com.

Santa Cruz Mountains Art Center. "Abstractly Yours," works by 13 artists, through Aug. 26. Noon-5 p.m. Wednesdays-Sundays. 9341 Mill St., Ben Lomond. (831) 336-3513, www.mountainartcenter.org.

## Events

## Major venues

Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey Circus. 7:30 p.m. Aug. 24, 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. Aug. 25, 11:30 a.m. and 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. Aug. 26-27. HP Pavilion at San Jose, 525 Santa Clara St. \$12-\$95. (408) 998-8497, www.ticketmaster.com.

## SOUTH BAY

Heirloom Tomato Tasting. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Aug. 26. Yamagami's Nursery, 1361 S. De Anza Blvd., Cupertino. (408) 252-3347.

Muslim Unity Day at Paramount's Great America. Entertainment, children's activities, art, clothing, books, ethnic foods. 10 a.m. Aug. 27. 4701 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara. (408) 988-1800, www.muslimunity.us.

San Jose Super Toy, Doll and Collectibles Show. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Aug. 26. Santa Clara County Fairgrounds, 344 Tully Road, San Jose. \$15 if admitted 9 a.m.-10:59 a.m., \$5 if admitted after 11 a.m.; \$2.50 ages 11 and under. (408) 298-1709.

## SAN FRANCISCO

Bustamante San Francisco Antique Show and Sale. 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Aug. 25-26, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Aug. 27. Herbst Pavilion, Fort Mason Center. \$7. (209) 358-3134.

"Titanic: The Artifact Exhibition." With 300 items from the wreck site, a section

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of the ship's hull, re-creations of the grand staircase and a stateroom, and an audio-tour with stories of some passengers. 10 a.m.-9 p.m. daily. Through Sept. 15. Fourth Floor, Metreon, 101 Fourth St. \$19.95, \$17.95 seniors, \$14.95 ages 5-15. (415) 421-8497, www.sftitanic.com/ buytickets.php.

## EAST BAY

Niles Antique Faire and Flea Market. 6 a.m.-4 p.m. Aug. 27. With vendors along the downtown streets of the Niles section of Fremont. Free admission. (510) 742-9868.

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THE FREE SHEET  
A ROUNDUP OF REGIONAL FREEBIES

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A DAY AT HARBOR EAST

For an afternoon filled with music and art, visit the Harbor East Fine Arts and Music Festival Saturday. The free outdoor festival showcases local and regional musical talent, including the Duhks, the Pale Stars, Judd and Maggie, and Rob Thorworth, as well as artists displaying and selling their works. Festival-goers can also watch street performers, visit the **kids' arts** and crafts area featuring activities from the Baltimore Museum of Art and Port Discovery, purchase food and more.

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The festival runs from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday at the corner of Aliceanna and Exeter streets. Call 410-752-9331.

FREE

MUSICAL LIBRARIANS

WHAT / / "Folk Impressions" concert

WHEN / / Noon to 1 p.m. Wednesday

WHERE / / Enoch Pratt Free Library, Central Library, Main Hall, 400 Cathedral St.

WHY / / Because you'll get to see how multitalented librarians can be. Andrea Snyder, a librarian in the Pratt's social science and history department, will play violin along with Erin Kelly, a librarian in the Pratt's information services department, who will play guitar and concertina.

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CONTACT / / 410-396-5430

FREE

MUSIC AT THE PAGODA

Catch the final "Music in Patterson Park" concert of the season Sunday with the Blue Rhythm Boys. The blues-and-swing guitar trio of Tom Mitchell, Jim Stephanson and Ralph Gordon will be joined by harmonica player Phil Wiggins for a concert on the lawn of Patterson Park's Pagoda Hill.

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The concert will be from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Sunday at Patterson Park, Pagoda Hill. Enter the park at East Lombard Street and South Patterson Park Avenue. Call 410-276-3676 or visit patters onpark.com.

FREE

MEET HASIM RAHMAN

It's not every day that you get to meet a former heavyweight champion of the world. But Saturday, you'll have that chance when Baltimore native Hasim "The Rock" Rahman visits Security Square Mall in Woodlawn. The boxer won't be pulling any punches when he speaks about his life and career. Afterward, Rahman will sign autographs for fans.

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Hasim Rahman will speak from 1 p.m. to 1:30 p.m., then sign autographs from 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday at Security Square Mall, Center Court, 6901 Security Blvd., Woodlawn. Call 410-265-6000.

FREE

'Iron Girl'

WHAT / / "Iron Girl Columbia Women's Triathlon"

WHEN / / 7:30 a.m.-noon Sunday

WHERE / / Centennial Lake and Park, off Ten Mills Road in Ellicott City. Park off Centennial Lane and walk into the west park area

WHY / / Because you can cheer on the many participants in this women's-only triathlon. The event includes a 1K swim, 30K bike ride and 5K run.

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NEGRO LEAGUES MUSEUM

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If you're a baseball fan, you're sure to enjoy tours of the Roadway Express mobile museum on Negro Leagues Baseball. The museum -- a 53-foot mobile trailer -- is pulling into Oriole Park at Camden Yards tomorrow and Saturday and letting fans climb aboard and explore the history of the Negro Leagues. The Times of Greatness exhibit includes historic video footage and photos, authentic uniforms, equipment and artifacts from the league. Fans will learn about the league and its players, including Satchel Paige, Buck O'Neil, Josh Gibson and James "Cool Papa" Bell. There will also be a display on the league in Baltimore and the Northeast.

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The mobile museum will be open from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. tomorrow and from 3:45 p.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday on Lot C at Oriole Park at Camden Yards, off Conway Street. Visit [roadway.com / baseball](http://roadway.com/baseball).

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GO! For Kids

ART

\*\* ONGOING

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. Explore creativity on Fridays from 3:30-5 p.m. Each session is four weeks. \$40. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, www.pgartcenter.org.

\*\* ONGOING

**Kids' art.** 3:30-4:30 p.m. ongoing Mondays in four-week sessions at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Sponsored by the city of Seaside. For ages 6-10. \$45 for Seaside residents; \$56 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

CAMPS

\*\* THROUGH AUGUST

Summer camp at the Presidio of Monterey. There are a variety of classes offered in a day camp for ages 5-12. Teen participants must be 13 or older. All activities are for ages 9 and up. Events include surfing and bodyboarding, tide pool scavenger hunts, Pinnacles rock climbing, fresh water fishing, paintball, mountain biking at Fort Ord, Big Sur bike day, hiking at Point Lobos, Disneyland trip, Bonfonte Gardens, barbecues and other fun events. For a complete schedule and prices call 242-6449 or 242-6311; www.pom-odr.com. Camp is open to active duty military, retired military and Department of Defense civilians.

\*\* THROUGH AUGUST

Summer madness summer camp. 7:45 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Mondays through Fridays. Register at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Games, crafts, sporting activities, swimming. \$82 per week for Seaside residents; \$100 for nonresidents.

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## DANCE

## \*\* BEGINS SEPTEMBER

Salinas School of Dance. Irish dance class for ages 4-12 begin in September. Ballet, tap and jazz classes for ages 2 ½-18 also begin in September. 424-4655 or www.salinasdance.com

## \*\* THROUGH NOV. 27

Creative dance for little feet. Sessions: 10:15-11 a.m. or 11-11:45 a.m. Mondays and/or 11-11:45 a.m. Tuesdays at the Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For boys and girls ages 3-4. Each session is one month long. Next session begins Tuesday, Sept. 5. and Monday, Sept. 11. 646-3975.

## \*\* ONGOING TUE-WED

The Peninsula Ballet Center. Ballet lessons for ages 6-8 on Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. and for teens at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays at Peninsula Ballet Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 372-0388.

## \*\* ONGOING

SpectorDance. Ongoing classes in hip-hop, jazz, modern dance and jazz/musical theater and choreography. The studio also offers pre-ballet classes for ages 5-7, beginning, intermediate and advanced classes for pointe. 3343 Paul Davis Drive, Marina. 384-1050, www.spectordance.org.

## \*\* ONGOING WED-THU

Carmel Academy of Performing Arts. Creative kids program from 9:15-11:45 a.m. ongoing Wed-Thu for ages 3-4. Dancers get lessons in movement, singing, dramatic play, ballet, jazz and tap. 624-3729.

## \*\* ONGOING SATURDAYS

The city of Seaside sponsors "Imagine Dance in Motion." This program is designed to explore the world of dance with emphasis on ballet, jazz, lyrical and contemporary forms. 9:30 a.m.-1:45 p.m. Saturdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby St., Seaside for ages 3-13. Pick from any of the four classes offered (45-minute classes). \$20 for Seaside residents; \$25 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

## FUN STUFF

## \*\* AUG. 27

Summer days at Lewis & More The British Store. 2-4 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 27 at the store on Portola Plaza Mall at the end of Alvarado Street in downtown Monterey. Classical guitar with Michael Marchionni, face painting, lemonade. Donations to the Animal Friends Rescue Project and the Food Bank for Monterey County will be

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accepted. Look for the red tent in the plaza. 372-3158.

\*\* ONGOING

Kids Club at the Oldemeyer Center in Seaside. 2:30-5:30 p.m. Mon-Fri at 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Homework help, craft projects, outdoor games, special events. \$16 a month for city residents; \$22 for nonresidents. The club follows the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District schedule. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING

Cooking classes for youth. 4-6 p.m. ongoing Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. The classes are open to children ages 7-12. \$47 for residents/\$58 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

Youth gymnastics. Ongoing Mondays and Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. For ages 4-14 (various classes offered). \$28 for city residents/\$35 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

LITERARY EVENTS

\*\* ONGOING MONDAYS

Monday Morning stories and adventures. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Mondays at the Casanova-Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona Ave., Monterey, the Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey and at the Monterey Youth Center, 777 Pearl St., Monterey. The class is for ages 3-5 and will combine literature with arts, music, crafts and movement. 646-3866.

\*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

Book talks at Lewis & More The British Store. 8-9 p.m. ongoing Tuesdays at the store on the Alvarado Mall in downtown Monterey. Professor Slughorn is the host. Children are encouraged to dress as their favorite Harry Potter character and bring a copy of "Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince." The group will listen to a chapter of the book narrated by Jim Dale, then the group will talk about it afterward. 372-3158.

\*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

The Monterey Public Library storytimes. Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m. for ages 18-36 months; 11 a.m. Tuesdays for children ages 3-6. On the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., children are encouraged to wear their pajamas for a special storyhour. All story hours are free, but groups need to call ahead for reservations. 625 Pacific St., Monterey. 646-3934.

\*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

Storytime at the Marina Library. Tuesdays at 10 a.m. for babies (up to 18 months) and 10:30 a.m. for preschoolers. 266 Reservation Road, Marina. 384-6971.

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## MUSIC

## \*\* THROUGH OCT. 23

Musikids! 5-5:45 p.m. ongoing Mondays, at Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For ages 3-5. Movement, vocal play, signing, listening, sound exploration. Sessions are four weeks in length and continue through Oct. 23. Susan Hayes is the instructor. 646-3866.

## \*\* THROUGH AUG. 31 AND SEPT. 21-DEC. 21

Beginning guitar with Steve Fox. 8-9 p.m. Thursdays through Aug. 31 and Sept. 21-Dec. 21 at Casanova-Oak Knoll Park Center, 135 Ramona, Monterey. For ages 13 and older. 646-5665. \$125 for Monterey city residents; \$163 for nonresidents. 646-3866.

## \*\* SEPT. 6-7

Audition for the Monterey Peninsula Youth Chorus. 4-6 p.m. Wed-Thu, Sept. 6-7 at the Lutheran Church of Our Savior, 1230 Luther Way, Salinas. Directed by Diana Rosett. Open for students in grades 3-12. 754-2440 or e-mail: mpyouthchorus@yahoo.com.

## ONSTAGE

## \*\* AUG. 26

Registration for the Children's Experimental Theatre's British-model Conservatory Year Theatre Arts Program. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 26 at the Indoor Forest Theatre, Santa Rita and Mountain View, Carmel. For grades K-12. 624-1531, www.cetstaffplayers.org.

## \*\* AUG. 26

Open auditions for Dance Kids of Monterey County's "Nutcracker 2006." Saturday, Aug. 26 at the Carmel Academy of Performing Arts, Mission and Eighth, Carmel. Registration is one-half hour before the auditions. Times: 2:30-3:30 p.m. auditions for 4-9 year olds; 3:30-5 p.m. for ages 10 and up; adults from 4:30-5 p.m. \$10 audition fee. Bring Pointe shoes. "The Nutcracker" will be performed Dec. 8-10. Information: 624-3729.GO!

## \*\* SEPT. 11 AND SEPT. 18

Auditions for Saltshaker Theater's "The Borrowers: The Musical." 6:30-8:30 p.m. Mondays, Sept. 11 and Sept. 18 at the First Baptist Church, Main St., Salinas. Actors and singers, men and women needed. All roles open. Bring a Broadway-type song (bring CD or music-- no a capella auditions); 3-minute monologue helpful). 422-9872, ext. 11 to schedule an appointment. Information: www.1stbaptist.net.

## \*\* ONGOING

PacRep Theatre's School of Dramatic Arts (SoDA). Classes for tots, children, teens

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and adults including Pre-Musical Theatre (ages 4-6) and Sing! Dance! Act! (ages 7-13). New classes include Shakespeare for Teens, Radio Theatre (ages 8 and up) and Stage Combat for Adults. Fall session runs Aug. 28-Nov. 18. Spring session runs Jan. 8-March 31. All classes held at All Saints Church, Carmel. College credit available. Classes at All Saints Episcopal Church, Seccombe Hall, Ninth and Lincoln, Carmel. Directed by MaryAnn Schaupp-Rousseau. 656-9730, www.pacrep.org.

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Community listings

Blood drives -- American Red Cross. 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Aug. 25, Children's Hospital, Outpatient Building Basement, 747 52nd St. Appointments: 800-GIVE-LIFE, [www.BeADonor.com](http://www.BeADonor.com) (code: CHO); 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Aug. 26, East Bay Bible Church, 11200 Golf Links Road. Appointments: 800-GIVE-LIFE, [www.BeADonor.com](http://www.BeADonor.com).

Free Feldenkrais(r) Classes -- 10-11 a.m. Fridays, Aug. 25; Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. Feldenkrais(r) lessons can help us reduce pain, find movement possibilities, and increase comfort. All ages/physical abilities welcome. Downtown Oakland Senior Center, 200 Grand Ave., 2nd Floor Hall. Details: 510-238-3284.

Oakland Strokes -- Fall Open House, 9-11 a.m. Aug. 26. Learn about competitive High School Men's and Women's Crew, hear coaches speak and answer questions, obtain Fall 2006 registration and financial aid information. No experience necessary. Jack London Aquatic Center, Estuary Park, 115 Embarcadero East. Details: [www.oaklandstrokes.org](http://www.oaklandstrokes.org).

Relay For Life -- 10 a.m. Aug. 26 to 10 a.m. Aug. 27. Fund-raiser involves sponsored relay teams walking or running around track for 24 hours. Food, entertainment, activities. Proceeds benefit American Cancer Society. Skyline High School football field, 12250 Skyline Blvd. Details: 800-ACS-2345 or [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org).

Covenant House Presents: -- Chicken & Waffles, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Aug. 26. Youth Crisis Center presents brunch, Oakland style; meet and enjoy performances from Covenant House's talented youth. 925 Brockhurst St. R.S.V.P.: 510-601-0465 or <http://covdove.org>.

Bay Area Carnivorous Plant Society -- Annual show and sale, 12-4 p.m. Aug. 26. Many species thrive outdoors in Bay Area gardens; find out which ones you can grow at home. Lakeside Park Garden Center, 666 Bellevue Ave. Free admission. Details: [www.bacps.org](http://www.bacps.org).

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30 Year Reunion -- Skyline High School, class of 1976, 6 p.m.-midnight Aug. 26. Claremont Resort Hotel and Spa, 41 Tunnel Road, Berkeley. Cost: \$100 per person. Send payments to: Skyline High School, Class of 1976, 30 Year Reunion, 409 13th St., Suite 800, Oakland, CA 94612. Details: <http://skylineclassof1976.com>; Pamela Kirk-Veasey: [msveasey1992@yahoo.com](mailto:msveasey1992@yahoo.com), 510-526-9113; John Protapappas: [john@mpfcorp.com](mailto:john@mpfcorp.com), 510-452-2944.

Oakland Heritage Alliance -- Neighborhood walking tours , \$5-\$30. "Philbrick Boat Works," 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. Aug. 26, tour boat-building workshop at Oakland Estuary; "West Oakland's "Big One," 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Aug. 27, meet at 14th Street & Nelson Mandela Parkway; Mills College campus," 2-4 p.m. Sept. 16, meet in front of Mills Hall on Mills College campus. Details: 510-763-9218, [www.oaklandheritage.org](http://www.oaklandheritage.org).

"Chan Van" -- Assemblywoman Wilma Chan's mobile office to organize support for Assembly Bill 2170. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Aug. 26-27, Chinatown Streetfest, Oakland Chinatown. Bill establishes a Consumer Report Card rating the 47 Medicare Part D Prescription Drug Plans. Residents can sign letters to Governor and CA Congressional delegation in support of bill, as well as federal legislation aimed at fixing problems with Medicare Part D Prescription Drug Program.

Joyce Gordon Gallery -- "Chakes - Sculptor" exhibition, through Aug. 26; sculptures break free from traditional human form and African impressions. Abstract painter Anna W. Edwards' exhibition "Light Bearers," Sept. 1-30; opening reception 5:30-8 p.m. Sept. 1. 406 14th St.

Hopalong Animal Rescue -- Animal adoption and fostering opportunities available. cats available 1:30-4:30 p.m. Aug. 26 at Citibank, 4101 Piedmont Ave. Details: 510-267-1915, [www.hopalong.org](http://www.hopalong.org).

Oakland Museum of California -- "New Acquisitions: Video Work by Bill Viola," Aug. 26-Dec. 31. First Fridays After Five: Blues & Jazz Summer Series, 5-9 p.m. Sept. 1. "There's No Place Like Home: Exploring Animal Habitat," 1-4 p.m. Sept. 17. "A Taste of California, the 24th Annual Wine, Food, & Beer Festival & Silent Auction," 1-4 p.m. Sept. 17. Bike tours of Oakland, 10 a.m. Sept. 17; reservations: 510-238-3514, [jcollignon@museumca.org](mailto:jcollignon@museumca.org). "Sports: Breaking Records, Breaking Barriers" exhibition opens Sept. 23. 1000 Oak St. Details: 510-238-2200, [www.museumca.org](http://www.museumca.org).

Oakland Tours -- Free 90-minute walking tours begin at 10 a.m. Preservation Park: New Era/New Politics: Aug. 26 and Sept. 13; meet at African American Museum and Library, 659 14th St. Jack London Waterfront: Aug. 30 and Sept. 30; meet at Broadway and Embarcadero Street. Churches and Temples: Sept. 2 and Oct. 11; meet at First Presbyterian Church, 2619 Broadway. City Center: Sept. 6 and Oct. 7; meet at Oakland City Hall, Frank Ogawa Plaza. Preservation Park: Sept. 9 and 27; meet at 13th Street and Martin Luther King Jr. Way. Old Oakland: Sept. 16 and Oct. 18; meet at G.B. Ratto's & Co., 827 Washington St. Oakland Chinatown: Sept. 20 and Oct. 21; meet at Pacific Renaissance Plaza, 388 Ninth St. Uptown to the Lake: Sept. 23 and Oct. 4; meet at Paramount Theater, 2025 Broadway. Details: 510-238-3234, [www.oaklandnet.com/walkingtours](http://www.oaklandnet.com/walkingtours).

Benefit Concert for the Animals -- 3 p.m. Aug. 27. Features flautist/composer Carol Alban, cellist Suellen Primost, pianist Dylan Snodgrass, flautist Nancy Tyler, pipa player Ma Jie and John Kadik on steel drum. Proceeds benefit In

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Defense of Animals. Refreshments. Chapel of the Chimes, 4499 Piedmont Ave. \$10 suggested donation. Details: 510-595-9009, [www.idausa.org](http://www.idausa.org).

Merritt College -- Landscape Horticulture classes. "Flowers and Personality," 6-9 p.m. Mondays Aug. 28-Sept. 25; \$96 plus \$25 materials fee, students supply flowers. "Introduction to Floral Design," 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Tuesdays Aug. 29-Oct. 17; \$130 plus \$20 materials fee, students supply flowers. Room H108, Landscape Horticulture Dept., 12500 Campus Drive. Details: 510-436-2418 or [www.merrittlandhort.com](http://www.merrittlandhort.com).

Esteban Sabar Gallery -- 'Organic depictions' exhibits through Aug. 28: "Catching Ripples: Paintings and Sculptures by Eric Helsley," "Present Memories: Painting by Carol Paquet." 'Jugglers of Color' exhibits Sept. 1-Oct. 2: "Risk and Revelation: Oil Paintings by Albert Hwang," "Psyche: Oil and Pastel Paintings by Douglas Light," "Silver Lining: Acrylic Paintings by Sue Averell;" artists' reception 5-9 p.m. Sept. 1. 480 23rd St. Details: 510-444-7411, <http://estebansabar.com>.

Sleep Soundly seminar -- 6:30 p.m. Aug. 28, Piedmont branch library, 160 41st St. Free one-hour seminars combines relaxation techniques with hypnotism to help you more quickly and easily fall asleep and stay asleep. Details: Tess, 510-465-2524.

Piedmont Harvest Festival Committee -- Meeting, 7:15 p.m. Aug. 29. In Memorial Room across from police dispatch office. Details: Bill, 510-658-1244.

Mandana Community Recovery Center -- Tuesday education presentation 7:30-9:30 p.m. Aug. 29. 3989 Howe St. \$3 non-members, free for members. Details: 510-595-9690.

California College of the Arts -- Free exhibitions. "Eleventh annual Yoza Hamaguchi Printmaking Scholarship Awards," Monday-Saturday 10 a.m.-7:30 p.m. Aug. 30-Sept. 14, Isabelle Percy West Gallery; reception 6-8 p.m. Sept. 6; 510-594-3619. CCA Faculty Exhibition, "On Making," Sept. 6-22, Oliver Art Center, Tecoa Bruce Gallery; reception 5:30-7:30 p.m. Sept. 6; 510-658-1224. 5212 Broadway.

Stress Less seminars -- 6:30 p.m. Aug. 30. Free one-hour seminar combines stress management skills with hypnosis to help participants learn and use these skills with everyday stress. 378 Jayne Ave. Registration: Tess, 510-465-2524.

Harmony Bay Chorus -- Open rehearsals, 7:30 p.m. Aug. 30, and most Wednesdays. All women welcome to sing four-part, a cappella harmony. Lake Merritt United Methodist Church, 1255 First Ave. Details: 510-451-0784.

Jazz at Pearl's -- "Drunk with Love!" 8 p.m. and 10 p.m., Aug. 31. Former Montclair resident Terese Genecco performs solo nightclub act: a jazzy tribute to Frances Faye. 256 Columbus Ave., San Francisco. \$15, two drink minimum. Tickets 415-291-8255 or [www.jazzatpearls.com](http://www.jazzatpearls.com).

Oakland Asian Cultural Center -- Asian Pacific American Heritage Festival at Pacific Renaissance Plaza, 388 9th St., Suite 290. "Images of America, Oakland's Chinatown," through August. A photo exhibition by William Wong. Free. Details: 510-637-0455.

49 Years and Counting -- Corpus Christi School celebrates its 50th Anniversary

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beginning in August with an assortment of events. All are welcome. Look for a list of events and dates coming out this winter and a Golden Ticket package coming out in early spring. If you are an alumnus of Corpus Christi School or know other alumni, don't miss out on anniversary mailings. Please help ensure we have all alumni contact information. If you are interested in getting involved, contact the school at 510-530-4056, [www.corpuschristischool.com](http://www.corpuschristischool.com).

EGYPT Theatre Arts Center -- Omega Theatre Works presents "Smokey Joe's Cafe: The Songs of Leiber & Stoller," Sept. 1-10. Show Times: 8 p.m. Friday, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, 7 p.m. Sunday. 5300 Foothill Blvd. \$20. Reservations: 510-261-8856.

Woodminster Summer Musical -- Disney's "Beauty and the Beast", 8 p.m. Sept. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10. Musical retelling of the traditional fairy tale performed by Producers Associates, Inc. Woodminster Amphitheater in Joaquin Miller Park, 3300 Joaquin Miller Road. \$19.50-\$34.50; children free, courtesy of Chevron. Tickets: 510-531-9597 or [www.woodminster.com](http://www.woodminster.com).

Ego Park Gallery -- "Welcome Home" art exhibition, 2-5 p.m. Sundays Sept. 1-27. Featuring new work that contemplates real estate by James S. Pitt, Carson Murdach and John Tracy. Opening reception 5-9 p.m. Sept. 1, free. 492 23rd St. Details: 510-823-8045 or [www.egopark.org](http://www.egopark.org).

Comcast Art & Soul Oakland -- 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Sept. 2-4. Music on five stages from 50 bands, food, art exhibits, artisan booths, Family Fun Zone. Frank Ogawa Plaza and City Center, encompassing 10 city blocks. \$5, children 12 and under free. Details: 510-444-CITY or [www.ArtandSoulOakland.com](http://www.ArtandSoulOakland.com).

Business Men's Fellowship USA -- Meeting, 8 a.m. Sept. 2. Special guest speaker is Mike Rovner. Complimentary breakfast buffet. Women welcome, child care available. Crowne Plaza Hotel, 11950 Dublin Canyon Road, Pleasanton. Details: 800-263-8981.

Oakland Main Library -- "Educate to Liberate: A Retrospective of the Black Panther Community News Service," Sept. 2-Dec. 31. Honoring the 40th anniversary of the party, exhibit focuses on "The Black Panther" newspaper. Oakland History Room, 125 14th St. Details: 510-238-3222 or [www.oaklandlibrary.org](http://www.oaklandlibrary.org).

First annual Gala Convergence of Storytellers -- Sept. 3, 1-4 p.m. Over 20 local storytellers explain programs they provide for the storytelling community. Barnes & Noble Booksellers Events Loft, Jack London Square, 98 Broadway. Free.

"New Visions: Introductions 2006" -- Original works juried by Dennis O'Leary and Gary Sangster, through Sept. 3. More than 200 artists display media including painting, drawing, photography, sculpture, textiles, collage, installation and mixed-media works. Pro Arts, 550 Second St. Hours: noon-6 p.m., Tuesdays-Saturdays; noon-5 p.m. Sundays. Details: [www.proartsgallery.org](http://www.proartsgallery.org).

Woodminster with AAUW -- Sept. 3. Enjoy Woodminster musicals (and preshow picnics) with members and friends of Oakland-Fremont, American Association of University Women. Special group rates. Details: Sue, 510-530-2328.

New Student Exhibition -- California College of the Arts, Tuesdays, Thursdays-Saturdays 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesdays 11 a.m.-7:30 p.m. Reception,

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5:30-7:30 p.m. Sept. 6; alumni panel will select pieces for special distinction. 5241 College Ave. Details: 510-658-1224.

Teen Summer Reading Program -- Through Sept. 5, Oakland Public Library. Teens entering grades 7-12 can earn prizes when they read for school or pleasure, and write reviews published online at oaklandlibrary.org and in a printed collection. Details: 510-238-7332.

A Great Good Place For Books -- Lynn Peril reads from "College Girls," 7 p.m. Sept. 5. Luncheon with "Static: Government Liars, Media Cheerleaders, and the People Who Fight Back" co-author Amy Goodman, noon Sept. 14; at A Chef's Eye, 6232 La Salle Ave.; \$40 for lunch/book, \$20 for lunch; R.S.V.P by 6 p.m. Sept. 12 at 510-339-8210. Stephen Davenport reads from "Saving Miss Oliver's," 7 p.m. Sept. 16. GGPB Book Club discussion, 7 p.m. Sept. 20. Novelist Jennifer Egan reads from "The Keep," 7 p.m. Sept. 22. 6120 La Salle Ave. St. Paul's Lecture Series with religious scholar Jonathan Kirsch, 7 p.m. Sept. 7, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 114 Montecito Ave., \$5 donation. Details: 510-339-8210, www.ggpbooks.com.

East Bay Women's Network -- Meetings, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Sept. 6: April Wolford speaks on "Memberclicks." Oct. 4: Marcia Thomson speaks on "Getting Ready for a Healthy Holiday." The Englander Restaurant, 101 Parrott St., San Leandro. \$15-\$25. Details: Pat, 510-848-7256, pat@yellowbellywebdesign.com or www.ebwn.org.

American Red Cross Blood Services -- Volunteer Orientations in Oakland, 10 a.m.-noon Sept. 6, 6-8 p.m. Sept. 19. Help support the more than 40 blood drives held each month all over the East Bay. Sign-ups: Anne, 510-594-5165.

Friends of the Oakland Public Library -- Nonfiction Book Group, 6:30 p.m. Sept. 6. Andrew Lam discusses his book "Perfume Dreams: Reflections on the Vietnamese Diaspora." Oct. 6: discussion of Erik Larsen's "The Devil in White City." Bookmark Bookstore, 721 Washington St. R.S.V.P.: 510-531-3420 or bookclub@fopl.org. Upcoming: FOPL's semi-annual book sale, Oct. 4-8; to donate books before sale, please drop off at bookstore or call 510-444-0473 for large donation pickup.

East Bay Women's Network -- Sept. 6, April Wolford speaks on "Memberclicks." \$15-\$25. The Englander Restaurant, 101 Parrott St., San Leandro. Details: Pat 510-848 7256, pat@yellowbellywebdesign.com, www.ebwn.org.

Book discussion group -- 6:30 p.m. first Wednesdays monthly. Upcoming selections: "Perfume Dreams," by Andrew Lam, Sept. 6; and "Devil in the White City," by Erik Larsen, Oct. 4. Bookmark Bookstore, 721 Washington St. Details: 510-444-0473.

Evening Art Event -- "Eight Emotions," 6-8 p.m. Sept. 7. A new multimedia work by visual artist Joell Jones and composer Anne Hege. Fort Creativity Center, 940 Arlington Ave. Free. Details: 510-558-8013.

Laney College -- "Color Stuck," 8 p.m. Sept. 7-10. Donald E. Lacy's one-man show tackles with humor the differences and misunderstandings amongst different races that lead to racism. Theatre, 900 Fallon St. \$5-\$15. Details: 510-663-5683.

Italian Catholic Federation -- Branch 223 Ravioli dinner, 7 p.m. Sept. 7. No-host cocktails 6:15 p.m. Western theme, wear western clothes if you wish. St. Theresa

Hall, 30 Mandalay Road. Adults \$15, children 7-12 years old \$7; make checks payable to I.C.F. Br. 223 and mail to Holly Raineri, 1074 Annerley Road, Piedmont CA 94610. Details: 510-451-0608.

"First Thursdays at Fruitvale Village" -- A street fair and farmer's market at Fruitvale BART, 5-8 p.m. Sept. 7. Live music, food, Literacy Caravan, projects by MOCHA, cooking demonstration by Native American Health Center, more. Free. Details: 510-534-6900, [www.unitycouncil.org](http://www.unitycouncil.org).

Millionaire's Destiny -- Monthly preview and support meeting, 7-10 p.m. Sept. 8 and Oct. 13. Topics include goal setting, overcoming fears, writing business plans and more. Facilitated by Charles Patton. 555 10th St. Details: 510-387-1183 or [www.itsmydestiny.com](http://www.itsmydestiny.com).

Got e-waste??? -- Free public disposal/recycling event for electronic waste, 12-5 p.m. Sept. 8; 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sept. 9. Accepted items: computer monitors, computer hard drives and cases, keyboards, mice, printers, fax machines, VCRs, DVDs, TVs, telephone equipment, toner cartridges, cellular phones, power supplies, audio and visual equipment, digital cameras, stereo equipment and speakers, household batteries, copy machines, video game systems, wire, steel scrap, ferrous and nonferrous metals, and steel alloy rims. Not accepted: microwave ovens, household appliances, smoke detectors, furniture, car batteries. Oakland Coliseum Parking Lot D, 7000 Coliseum Way. Free. Details: 866-335-3373, [www.acqoffice.com](http://www.acqoffice.com) or [www.noewaste.com](http://www.noewaste.com).

St. Paul's Episcopal Church -- Commemoration of 9/11/2001 events. Pacific Collegium benefit concert, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 9; also features Pacific Boychoir Academy, Amici Catellorum Impromptu Philharmonic; proceeds benefit National Disaster Search Dog Foundation; tickets: [www.pacificcollegium.com](http://www.pacificcollegium.com). St. Paul's Choir presents the G.F. Anerio Missa Pro Defunctis, 10 a.m. mass on Sept. 10. Caius College Choir from Cambridge, England in concert, 8 p.m. Sept. 11; features works of Taverner, Weelkes, Purcell and more; free. 114 Montecito Ave. Details: 510-834-4314 or [www.stpaulscaakland.org](http://www.stpaulscaakland.org).

American Association of University Women -- Oakland-Piedmont branch Kickoff, 10 a.m.-noon Sept. 9. Group supports education and equity for women. Speaker is Linda Kekelis, director of Chabot's "Techbridge" program for girls. Light brunch. 1850 Alice St. Free. R.S.V.P.: 510-530-2328 or 510-528-2251.

Mills College Art Museum -- "Particulate Matter" exhibit, Sept. 9-Oct. 8. Six artists address concerns of overload in modern life. Opening reception 5-7 p.m. Sept. 9. Gallery hours: Tuesdays and Thursday through Saturday 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Wednesday 11 a.m.-7:30 p.m., Sunday 12-4 p.m. 5000 MacArthur Blvd. Free.

17 Jewels Salon+Spa -- Client Appreciation Night, 7-9 p.m. Sept. 9. Features champagne reception, snacks, original art work by Lynn Beldner and Julie Stevens, manicure samples and mini hand and foot massages by Khiaecia Key. 4801 Telegraph Ave. Details: 510-653-1059.

Museum of Children's Art -- Extreme Makeover Day, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 9; volunteers needed to help with major clean-up activities and minor repairs; free refreshments; register for free child care in advance. Endless Summer Camp Art

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Reunion, Sept. 12-Oct. 1; sampler of artwork from mocha's 10 weeks of art camp created by youth 5-15 years old; reception 2-4 p.m. Sept. 16. "Art for Educators" workshop, 4-9 p.m. Sept. 29, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sept. 30-Oct. 1, \$250-\$275. 528 9th St. Details: 510-465-8770, Ext. 308 or [www.mocha.org](http://www.mocha.org).

Yoga for Peace Oakland -- Noon, Sept. 9. Hundreds of people gather to do yoga with the intention of community peace. Features 108 sun salutations, which create greater harmony and alignment with natural law. Kirtan music, special guest performers Phoenix and After Buffalo. Bring your yoga mat, water and a healthy snack. All levels invited, non-yoga participants welcome. 1 Frank H. Owaga Plaza, 14th Street and Broadway. Details: [yoga4peaceoak@gmail.com](mailto:yoga4peaceoak@gmail.com) or [www.yoga4peaceoak.org](http://www.yoga4peaceoak.org).

"Living Lightly: Simpler, Slower, Smaller" conference -- 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 9. Discussions on topics related to voluntary simplicity: consuming less, taking back our time, relocalizing, and finding ways to lighten our spirits in this age of fear and alienation. Speakers include Cecile Andrews and Bruce Anderson. Lake Merritt United Methodist Church, 1330 Lakeshore Ave. \$15-\$20. Details: [livingmorewithless@yahoo.com](mailto:livingmorewithless@yahoo.com), [www.worldcentric.org/septsimplicityconf](http://www.worldcentric.org/septsimplicityconf).

Clars Auction Gallery -- 10 a.m. Sept. 9-10, Oct. 7-8. Gallery auction features furniture, art, rugs, vehicles and more. Proceeds benefit KQED's Antiques Roadshow, Conservation International, the Oakland Museum and other nonprofit groups and projects. 5644 Telegraph Ave. Details: 510-428-0100, [info@clars.com](mailto:info@clars.com), [www.clars.com](http://www.clars.com).

"Soul at the Chimes" -- 2 p.m. Sept. 10. Fund-raiser for Bay Area Repertory Theatre with pianist Ricardo Scales; vocalist Simply Toya; electric jazz violinist Tarika Lewis; Carl & Sam Comedy Act. Chapel of the Chimes, 4499 Piedmont Ave. \$35. Tickets: [www.brownpapertickets.com](http://www.brownpapertickets.com).

Bike Against the Odds -- 6:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Sept. 10. Five routes to choose from, 12-100 miles long. Lunches, massage, music. Raise funds and earn prizes. Lakeside Park, Lake Merritt. \$50 advance, \$65 day of event. Proceeds benefit Breast Cancer Fund. Details/registration: [www.kintera.org/faf/home/default.asp?ievent=169730&msource=news0506&tr=y&uid=1625135](http://www.kintera.org/faf/home/default.asp?ievent=169730&msource=news0506&tr=y&uid=1625135) or [www.breastcancerfund.org/BAO](http://www.breastcancerfund.org/BAO). Details: 415-346-8223 or [Jessica@breastcancerfund.org](mailto:Jessica@breastcancerfund.org).

Zimbabwe AIDS Relief Fund-raiser Benefit and Concert -- Sept. 11. Free pre-concert reception and fund-raiser, 5 p.m. at Stoneridge Gallery, 424 2nd St., Jack London Square. Oliver Mtukudzi and Black Spirits in concert, 8 p.m. at Yoshi's Jazz House, 510 Embarcadero West, Jack London Square; \$75. Tickets: 510-238-9200 or [www.yoshis.com](http://www.yoshis.com).

Living with Wildlife in the East Bay -- 7:30 p.m. Sept. 11. Close to Home presents naturalist Timothy Manolis' talk on dragonflies. Montclair Presbyterian Church, 5701 Thornhill Road. Donation: \$5; K-12 free. Details: Cindy, 510-655-6658, [www.close-to-home.org](http://www.close-to-home.org).

CCA Center for Art and Public Life -- Annual Open House, 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Sept. 14. Center creates and enhances arts education programs for underserved

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communities. 5275 Broadway. Free. Details: 510-594-3757 or <http://center.cca.edu>.

Art exhibit -- "Dreamwhipped, an American Social Landscape," 9 a.m.-4 p.m. weekdays through Sept. 14. Paintings by Patricia Schaefer. Metropolitan Transportation Commission, Metrocenter, 101 Eighth St., third floor. 510-817-5773, [www.mtc.ca.gov](http://www.mtc.ca.gov).

Bringing Back the Natives Garden Tour -- Gardens sought to be part of tour on May 6, 2007. Tour showcases bird- and butterfly-friendly, pesticide-free, water conserving gardens that contain 30 percent or more California native plants. Gardens must be located in Alameda or Contra Costa counties. Applications, due by Sept. 15, at [www.BringingBackTheNatives.net](http://www.BringingBackTheNatives.net). Details: 510-236-9558 between 9 a.m.-9 p.m. or [Kathy@KathyKramerConsulting.net](mailto:Kathy@KathyKramerConsulting.net).

Museum of Children's Art -- Chalk4Peace: the young person's global art project, 1-4 p.m. Sept. 16. Join in a planet-wide young artists' chalk art project paying respect to visual concept of peace. Draw your own colorful images of peace and global cooperation on the courtyard. Project to be documented online. 528 9th St. Free. Details: 510-465-8770, [www.mocha.org](http://www.mocha.org) or [www.chalk4peace.org](http://www.chalk4peace.org).

California Writers Club -- Berkeley Branch meeting, 10 a.m.-noon Sept. 16. Humor Columnist Mary Hanna speaks on "Are You a Wiener?" Barnes & Noble Booksellers, Event Loft, Jack London Square, 98 Broadway. Free. Details: 510-272-0120 or [www.berkeleywritersclub.org](http://www.berkeleywritersclub.org).

Oakland Public Library -- Panel discussion, 2 p.m. Sept. 16. Authors Daniel Alarcon, Adam Mansbach, and T. Cooper discuss their new anthology "A Fictional History of the United States with Huge Chunks Missing." Main Library, 125 14th St. Details: 510-238-3134 or [www.oaklandlibrary.org](http://www.oaklandlibrary.org).

"Poets & Writers Who Care" -- Fund-raiser, 5:30-10 p.m. Sept. 16. Features over 40 local poets and writers. Wine and cheese buffet. Proceeds support Measure N bond measure to benefit Oakland Public Library. Rotunda Building, 300 Frank Ogawa Plaza. \$100/person, \$25/students and seniors, \$175/couple, \$1000/sponsor. Advance ticket orders can be made payable and sent to Oakland Neighborhood Library Coalition for Measure N (ID#1261751), 333 Market St., Oakland, CA 94607. Details: 510-260-4124 or [www.oaklandlibraries.com](http://www.oaklandlibraries.com).

Compassionate Cooks -- Vegetarian cooking class "Demystifying Tofu & Tempeh & Other Whole Soy Products," 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Sept. 16. Five dishes demonstrated, plus taste test of non-dairy milks. First Unitarian Church of Oakland, 685 14th St. \$50. Register: 510-531-COOK or [www.compassionatecooks.com](http://www.compassionatecooks.com).

Book and DVD release event -- Free film showing and book reading, 2 p.m. Sept. 16. Launches Amy Gorman's book "Aging Artfully, Greg Young's DVD "Still Kicking" and Frances Kandl's CD "7 Songs of Women." Rockridge Library, 5366 College Ave. Details: 510-527-4977.

Castlemont High School 50 year reunion -- Classes of January and June 1956, Sept. 16. Event at Crowne Plaza Hotel in Pleasanton. Details: Greg Hickey, 925-461-1381 or Ron Campos, 925-820-5628.

Old Oakland Outdoor Cinema Series --Movies begin at dusk. "The Bourne Identity," Sept. 16; and "Shrek," Oct. 21. Limited seating available, bring your own chairs and blankets. Snacks available for purchase. Ninth Street between Broadway and Washington Street. Details: 510-238-4734, [www.filmOakland.com](http://www.filmOakland.com).

East Bay Moms -- 10th anniversary picnic, 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m.Sept. 17. barbecue lunch, entertainment and games. Members who haven't received invitation, send address to [eastbaymom@aol.com](mailto:eastbaymom@aol.com). Membership open to all interested mothers and fathers of infants and toddlers. Lake Temescal. Details: 510-653-7867 or [www.eastbaymoms.com](http://www.eastbaymoms.com).

California Institute of Integral Studies -- Solo painting exhibit "After Piranesi / After Us" by Oakland resident Olivia Eielson, through Oct. 13. Reception/slide show 7-9 p.m.Sept. 17. Paintings show modern industrial ruins fused with ancient Greek and Roman ruins, suggesting that our civilization may be going the way of other great civilizations of the past. 4th floor, 1453 Mission St., San Francisco.

Temple Beth Abraham -- Family Sunday Kindergym PlayDays, 10:30 a.m.-noon Sept. 17 and Oct. 29. For ages 9 months to under 3 years olds and a parent. Slides, ball pit, climbers, music, and more. All families welcome. 327 MacArthur Blvd. \$10/family. Details: Dawn, 510 547-7726, [www.tbaoakland.org/kindergym](http://www.tbaoakland.org/kindergym).

Crafts & Cultural Arts Gallery -- "Seen. Unseen." exhibition by local artist Zahava Sherez, Sept. 18-Oct. 27. Opening reception 5-8 p.m.Sept. 21; Ernie Mansfield - Jack Gates Duo performs. Artist talk, 5-8 p.m.Oct. 19; indigenous world music performed by Carlos. Gallery hours: weekdays 10 a.m.-5 p.m. State of California Office Building, Atrium, 1515 Clay St. Details: 510-622-8190 or 510-593-5141.

Prostate Cancer Screening -- 7:45-11:15 a.m.Sept. 20, 1:45-5:15 p.m.Sept. 21. Free; appointments required. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center's Markstein Cancer Education and Prevention Center, Peralta Pavilion, 450 30th St. Appointments: 510-869-8833 between 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Piedmont Area Republican Women. Federated -- Cocktail Reception honoring military wives and mothers, 6 p.m.Sept. 21. Keynote Speaker is Mindy Fletcher, Deputy Campaign Manager for Governor Schwarzenegger's reelection campaign. Tom Del Baccaro, Chairman of Republican County Chairs Association also speaks. Meet invited local and State Republican candidates. Wine and hors d'oeuvres. In Piedmont. \$40. Please bring items for "Operation Mom" to support our troops. Details: 510-531-0567.

"On with the Show!" -- East Bay Women Artists exhibit, through Sept. 24. Includes art by Kay Athos, Virginia Dorn, Joan Finton, Gwen Halpin, Mei-Rung Huang, Rachel Landes, Paula Powers, Lynda Robinson, Estera Roseman, Chaya Spector. Hours: 9 a.m.-8 p.m. weekdays. Royal Ground Gallery, 2058 Mountain Blvd. Details: 510-339-0348, [alliekazam@comcast.net](mailto:alliekazam@comcast.net).

Oakland Lyric Opera -- 2 p.m.Sept. 24. "Scenes from Carmen." Q&A to follow. Artists' reception & tea. \$18-\$20. Upcoming: "Russian Romance," Nov. 5. Chapel of the Chimes, 4499 Piedmont Ave. Details: 510-836-6772, [www.oaklandlyricopera.org](http://www.oaklandlyricopera.org).

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Stoneridge Gallery -- "Seascapes Revisited and more," through Sept. 25. Works by Synthia Saint James. Saint James' work has been on a Kwanzaa stamp, covers of Terry McMillan's books and elsewhere. 424 2nd St., Jack London Square. Details: 510-444-7466, [www.synthiasaintjames.com](http://www.synthiasaintjames.com).

East Bay Women Artists -- "Colors" art exhibit, 9 a.m.-8 p.m. Sept. 27-Jan. 7. Artists' reception 6-7:30 p.m. Oct. 5. Participating artists include: Benny Alba, Allisen Asercion, Lorraine M. Bruce, Norma Andersen Fox, Gwen Halpin, Mercie Harris, Mei-yu Lo, Nancy Pollock, Shirley Warwick, Marie Wilson, and Olivia Eielson. Royal Ground Gallery, 2058 Mountain Blvd. Details: Paula, 510-451-2661 or [creativespiritarts@sbcglobal.net](mailto:creativespiritarts@sbcglobal.net) or [alliekazan@comcast.net](mailto:alliekazan@comcast.net).

USS Potomac Presidential Yacht to Angel Island -- 10:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 27, Oct. 25 and Nov. 15. Sail on Franklin D. Roosevelt's floating White House to Ellis Island of the West. 540 Water St., Jack London Square. Docent-led tram tour. Box lunch included. \$85. Details: 510-627-1215, [www.usspotomac.org](http://www.usspotomac.org).

Oakland Technical High School 50th Reunion -- 6:30 p.m. Sept. 29. Scott's Seafood Restaurant, 2 Broadway, Jack London Square. 1956 January and June classes. Details: Stan Tremewan 707-778-9851, Rita Rasmussen Hamlin 925-687-0233, [www.oths56.org](http://www.oths56.org).

Hopalong Animal Rescue -- Dogs available for adoption, 12-3 p.m. Sept. 30. Pet Food Express, 5144 Broadway. Details: 510-267-1915 or [www.hopalong.org](http://www.hopalong.org).

Oakland Fukuoka Sister City Association -- Moon Viewing Festival, 5:30-9 p.m. Oct. 1. Bonsai Garden open house, Torii Gate, Japanese "bento" box dinners, martial arts and Koto performances, telescopic viewing of the moon, and more. Order dinner by Sept. 25: send check for \$15 to OFSCA, P.O. Box 13022, Oakland CA 94661-3022. Lakeside Park Garden Center, 666 Bellevue Ave. Details: 510-482-5896 or [www.oakland-fukuoka.org](http://www.oakland-fukuoka.org).

"Wild Birds" art show -- Through Oct. 3. Paintings by award-winning artist Rita Sklar. 7:30 a.m.-3 p.m., Mondays-Saturdays; 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Sundays. Rockridge Cafe, 5492 College Ave.

Piedmont High School Class of 1976 -- Holds its 30th reunion Oct. 7 at Veteran's Hall, Piedmont. Organizing committee members are trying to locate all classmates. If you are a classmate or know a classmate, contact Ellin Anderson Purdom, [epurdom@ashfield.com](mailto:epurdom@ashfield.com), 415-352-4103.

Jewish Community Federation of the Greater East Bay -- "Taste of Judaism: Are you Curious?" Thursday evenings, Oct. 19, 26 and Nov. 2 in Oakland. Explore Jewish spirituality, ethics & community. Open to all, Jewish or not. Free 3-session class. Pre-registration required, call Dawn, 510-839-2900, Ext. 347.

OMCA Off-Site -- Oakland Museum of California exhibitions. "Herding Sheep: Armando Ramos," through Nov. 1. The Sculpture Court, 1111 Broadway; weekdays 7 a.m.-7 p.m., third Thursdays 7 a.m.-8 p.m. -- "Light Markers: David Ruth," through Nov. 10, Gallery 555, 555 12th St.; weekdays 7 a.m.-6 p.m., third Thursdays 7 a.m.-8 p.m. Details: 510-238-6836, [www.museumca.org](http://www.museumca.org).

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Merritt College -- Perfect Doc's Notary Training and Exam in Building A, Room 129, 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Nov. 9; details: Nicole, 707-246-3040.

East Bay Agency for Children -- Circle of Care in Oakland needs playful, compassionate people to help children living with loss and grief. Help facilitate support groups for children, teens, toddlers or adults who are coping with loss. Next training is in November. Details: 510-531-7551, Ext. 109, alinya@ebac.org, www.ebac.org.

Latham Square exhibition -- "Cynthia Lait: FCHOES," through Nov. 10. Viewing hours: weekdays 9 a.m.-5 p.m. 1611 Telegraph Ave. Details: www.proartsgallery.org.

USS Potomac Presidential Yacht -- two-hour history cruise, 11 a.m. first and third Thursdays, second and fourth Saturdays, through Nov. 11. Learn about President Franklin D. Roosevelt and the ship he loved. \$20-\$40. Dockside tours available year-round on Wednesdays and Fridays 10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.; Sundays noon-3:30 p.m. FDR Pier, 540 Water St., Jack London Square. Details: 510-627-1215, www.usspotomac.org.

Chabot Space and Science Center -- "Black Holes: The Other Side of Infinity," through January 2007. New planetarium show. 10000 Skyline Blvd. Details: 510-336-7300, www.chabotspace.org.

"Building the New East Span" -- through Jan. 5. Photographs by Joseph Blum document construction of new east span of the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge. Joseph P. Bort MetroCenter, second floor, West Corridor, 101 Eighth St. Details: 510-817-5773.

"Bay Area Landscapes from Trillium Press" -- through June 12, 2007. Open weekdays 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Oakland City Center, 500 12th St. Details: 510-238-6836, www.museumca.org.

#### ONGOING

"Man to Man" -- Prostate Cancer Support Group, meets 6:15-7:45 p.m. on fourth Tuesdays monthly. Free group provides support, education, information. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center's Markstein Cancer Education and Prevention Center, 450 - 30th St., Room 2810. Details: 510-869-8833.

Food Addicts in Recovery Anonymous -- meetings, 7-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays, 8-9:30 a.m. Saturdays. Free yourself from excess weight and/or obsessional thoughts about food and body image. Meetings are open and free to public. Summit Hospital, off cafeteria, 350 Hawthorne Ave. Details: 800-600-6028 or www.foodaddicts.org.

Oakland Artisan Marketplace -- 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Fridays at Frank Ogawa Plaza, 14th Street and Broadway; 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturdays and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sundays at Jack London Square, Broadway at Waterfront. Weekly market featuring fine art and crafts of local artists. Details: 510-238-4948 or www.oaklandculturalarts.org.

Healing Yoga for Cancer -- 11 a.m.-noon Thursdays. Drop-in yoga class teaches cancer patients a series of gentle movements to let go of stress. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center, Comprehensive Cancer Center Conference Room, 2001 Dwight

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Way, Berkeley. Details: 510-508-1653.

Rainbow Bridge Pet Loss Support Group -- meets 6:30-8 p.m. third Thursdays monthly at East Bay SPCA in Oakland. Free, drop-in, for humans only. Details: 510-569-0702, [www.eastbayspca.org/events](http://www.eastbayspca.org/events).

Grief Recovery Group -- Group meets weekly for six weeks, 4-5:30 p.m. Thursdays. Four sessions yearly. Free. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center's Chaplaincy Department, 350 Hawthorne Ave. Details: 510-869-6778.

Adopt a Child/Family Builders by Adoption -- Orientations 10 a.m.-noon first Saturdays monthly. Meetings focus on California children waiting to be adopted. Orientations in Spanish by appointment. 528 Grand Ave. Details: 510-272-0204 Ext. 10.

Alzheimer's Support Groups -- 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. second and fourth Tuesdays monthly. Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, Fabiola Building, Room G70, 3801 Howe St. Details: Lowanda 510-752-7682. -- Lunch and Learn potluck for African American caregivers, 11 a.m. second Fridays monthly. North Oakland Senior Center, 5714 Martin Luther King Jr. Way. Details: Tina, 925-284-7942; Chris, 925-284-7942; 800-272-3900; [www.alznorcal.org](http://www.alznorcal.org).

Breast Cancer Support Group -- for Spanish-Speaking Women meets 4-6 p.m. first and third Mondays monthly. Summit Campus, Peralta Pavilion, Markstein Cancer Education and Prevention Center, 430 - 30th St., Room 2810. Free. Registration: Marta, 510-869-8231.

East Bay Moms -- meets Friday mornings. Planned activities for parents with their infants and toddlers, including a hike or stroller walk. Featuring mom's day out, indoor play sessions, retreats, family day, Music Together classes and more. Details: 510-653-7867, [www.eastbaymoms.com](http://www.eastbaymoms.com).

The Avenues Project -- Needs multimedia arts and performance youth program instructors, coordinators, athletic coaches and tutors. Youth comprehensive arts and athletics school program based out of East Oakland Community High School. During school, after school; flexible hours available. \$25 an hour. Part-time/possible full-time employment. Details: Jay 510-754-9688.

Self Help for Hard of Hearing People, Inc./SHHH -- Meets 10 a.m.-noon, fourth Saturdays monthly (except July and August). Kaiser Oakland Permanente Medical Center, 3772 Howe St., east entrance, 12th floor, East Conference Room. Assistive listening devices available. To confirm attendance: 510-531-7444, [Tulipup007@cs.com](mailto:Tulipup007@cs.com).

Montclair Lions Club -- Seeks new members for an active service club. Group meets for Thursday lunches, plans activities that help local community and worldwide. Details: 510-595-6757.

Help a child learn to read -- Jewish Coalition for Literacy tutors volunteer at schools, after-school programs and evening programs throughout area. No previous tutoring experience is necessary. Register online: [www.jclread.org/training.htm](http://www.jclread.org/training.htm). Details: 510-839-2900 Ext. 274.

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Able World Foundation Inc. -- Seeks prospective board members for a person-oriented group focusing on peace, progress and prosperity. Details: 510-763-1843.

Great Books -- Reading and discussion. Monthly meetings held at various East Bay locations. Literature worth talking about. Details and locations: 510-530-2344.

Interfaith Couples Discussion Groups -- 7:30-9:15 p.m. Wednesdays in Oakland. Join other couples to discuss child-rearing, holiday celebrations, extended family, and clarifying religious and ethnic values. Sliding scale fee. Details: Dawn, 510-839-2900, Ext. 347, www.jfed.org/interfaith.htm.

Reading Partners -- Would you like to share a book with a child? Volunteer mentoring group at Piedmont Avenue Elementary School is looking for volunteers. Details: 510-482-0862.

Watercolor painting classes -- 1-3 p.m. Sundays. Grand Lake Neighborhood Center, 530 Lake Park Ave. Beginners welcome. \$10 per class. Details: Peter 510-834-1263.

Kids' art classes -- 4-6 p.m. Wednesdays. For ages 6-12. Grand Lake Neighborhood Center, 530 Lake Park Ave. Materials provided. \$5 suggested donation per class. Details: Peter, 510-834-1263.

Edward Shands Adult School -- Free adult education classes. Day and evening classes: English as a Second Language, adult basic education, Certified Nursing Assistant, GED preparation, computer training and courses to earn a high school diploma. 2455 Church St. Details/registration: 510-879-4040.

Quilting classes -- Learn quilting and/or participate in a charity program where quilts are donated to needy children. Free daytime classes offered through Oakland Adult Education. Locations/details: 510-879-4090.

Angels have wheels -- Medicare recipients may be eligible to receive an electric wheelchair, paid for by Medicare, if they have arthritis, cardiovascular disease, respiratory diseases, and have difficulty walking or propelling a manual wheelchair. Details: 800-810-2877.

Skyline Lacrosse Club -- For boys and girls in grades 2-8 in Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda, San Leandro, San Lorenzo and elsewhere. Details: http://skylinelacrosse.com.

Overeaters Anonymous -- Is food a problem? Overeaters Anonymous has meetings daily with no dues or fees. Only requirement for membership is a desire to stop eating compulsively. Meeting schedule: 510-923-8491, www.oaeastbay.org.

InterPlayce -- 10-11:30 a.m. Fridays. Interplay as Life Practice. Class for anyone interested in practice of moving, breathing, improvising, playing for your own and others' good. Sliding scale \$10-\$25. -- Morning Meditation with Connors McConville is 7:30-8:15 a.m. Gentle teaching in sitting meditation practice for movement oriented people. Sliding scale. 2273 Telegraph Ave. Details: 510-465-2797.

Bay Area Community Services -- Lunches for seniors. noon-1 p.m. weekdays at

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various Oakland locations. Donation: \$2.25. Details/reservations: 510-986-8900, [www.bayareacs.org](http://www.bayareacs.org).

Piedmont Ladies Tennis Club -- Weekly play days for A, B and C ladders. Piedmont residents, nonresident women invited to join. Piedmont Recreation Department tennis courts, Vista and Hillside Avenues. Details: Cecile, 510-420-1584.

Happy Go Lucky Club -- Seeks single people ages 40-75 who are tired of staying home or going places alone. Club meets on weekends. Details: 510-530-4483.

MOMS Club of Oakland -- Moms and their babies and young children welcome for play groups, park days, special outings, moms' nights out and more. Monthly calendar offered with activities throughout the week. Details: 510-334-8606, <http://momsclubofoakland.itgo.com>.

Clutterers -- Oakland support group to help discard stuff you do not need. Details: 510-482-5417.

"Story Tells" Story Swap -- 7-9 p.m. third Mondays monthly. Open mic event invites storytellers and story listeners to share stories in oral tradition. Barnes & Noble Booksellers' Events Loft, Jack London Square, 98 Broadway. Free. Details: Jean, 510-527-1141 or Bobbie, 510-655-5608.

Intro to Panic/Phobia Treatment -- First Tuesday evenings monthly, with some Fridays, in Oakland. Fears of driving, flying, heights, social anxiety, etc. addressed. Details: 510-482-5417.

Relationship Issues Support Group -- Meets Tuesdays in Oakland. Details: 510-482-5417.

ProSearch Oakland -- 1:30-3 p.m. Thursdays. Orientation for new and prospective members, free speaker presentation. Nonprofit helps professionals seeking new jobs. 675 Hegenberger Road, third Floor. Details: 510-563-5310, [www.prosearch.org](http://www.prosearch.org).

Emergency preparedness supplies -- Available 10 a.m.-3 p.m. weekdays. Grand Lake Neighborhood Center, 530 Lake Park Ave. Details: [www.best2train.com](http://www.best2train.com).

Antonio Peralta House -- Tours 1-3 p.m. first Saturdays monthly and every Wednesday and Friday. The beautifully restored 1870 Italianate Victorian is a city landmark and birthplace of Oakland. 2465 34th Ave. Cost: \$3, free to Fruitvale residents. Details: 510-532-9142.

Museum of Children's Art -- Drop-in Art Studio programs, with hands-on activities for all ages with revolving art themes. 528 Ninth St. Details: 510-465-8770, [www.mocha.org](http://www.mocha.org).

Oakland Zoo -- Goat Ranger program, 1:30-3 p.m. second and fourth Saturdays monthly. Open to children in grades 7-10. 9777 Golf Links Road. Details: 510-632-9525, Ext. 138, [www.oaklandzoo.org](http://www.oaklandzoo.org).

Oakland Zoo's Wildlife Theater -- Oakland Zoo, 11:45 a.m. Saturdays; 1:45 p.m. Sundays. Saturday: Stories read, live animal introduced. Sunday: Live animals,

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cool facts presented. Education Building lobby, 9777 Gold Links Road. Free with admission. Details: Stephanie, 510-632-9525 Ext. 142, [www.oaklandzoo.org](http://www.oaklandzoo.org).

Camron-Stanford House -- Public tours, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. second and third Wednesdays monthly and 1-4 p.m. third Sundays monthly. 1876 Italianate Victorian residence. \$5 adults; 12 and younger are free. Available to rent for weddings and parties. 1418 Lakeside Drive. Details: 510-444-1876 or 510-874-7802; [www.cshouse.org](http://www.cshouse.org).

The Opening: A Center for Courses in Writing --Workshops: "Writing from the Subconscious" and "Creative Non-Fiction/Life Story." Weekend intensive courses held by Andy Couturier in Rockridge area. Details: 510-594-1905, <http://theopening.org>.

Ikebana Arts Studio -- Japanese flower arranging and Western floral design classes at 452-A Santa Clara Ave. All levels. Group and private lessons. Teachers training and certification available. Details/registration: 510-261-9691.

ACB Ballroom Dance School -- American Social Style wedding, ballroom, Latin, swing and nightclub dance classes for ages 10 and older at 454 Santa Clara Ave. Student discounts available. Details: 510-839-9875, [www.acbballroom.com](http://www.acbballroom.com).

Black Adoption Placement and Research Center -- Recruits families to provide loving, stable and permanent homes for waiting children. Details: 510-839-3678.

Board of Equalization -- A basic sales and use tax seminar offered at the Oakland District Office, 1515 Clay St., Suite 303. Free. Details: 510-622-4100.

Oakland 88 Toastmasters -- 7 a.m. Mondays. Meetings help people speak, listen and discuss their communicative skills in a supportive, friendly and nonthreatening environment. Guests welcome. Summit Medical Center, 3012 Summit St., South Pavilion, fifth floor. Details: 510-452-0151.

DIESEL, A Bookstore -- Monthly reading group. Fiction/nonfiction books. 5433 College Ave. Details: 510-653-9965.

German dance classes -- 7:30 p.m. Thursdays. Learn to waltz, folk dance and polka. Montclair Recreation Center, 6300 Moraga Ave. Free. Details: 510-967-6942.

Internet and computer workshops --Internet Skills and Computer Basics Class 6:30-7:45 p.m. first Wednesdays monthly; tutoring Mondays and Saturdays 10-11 a.m., Thursdays 6-7:30 p.m. Main Library Computer Lab, 125 - 14th St. Register: 510-238-3176.

Computer Basics Classes -- in Cantonese, Mandarin and Korean, Mondays-Thursdays, Saturdays. For Asian elderly and new Americans. Registration in-person required. Asian Branch Library, 388 Ninth St., Suite 190. Register: 510-238-3400.

Bilingual Computer Basics Class -- in Spanish and English, 10-11:30 a.m. Saturdays, Caesar Chavez Branch Library, 3301 East 12th St. Register: 510-535-5620.

Spanish-Speaking Computer Tutor -- Mondays and Saturdays 10-11 a.m. Main Library Computer Lab, 125 - 14th St. Register: 510-238-3176.

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Kaiser Permanente Oakland --Health education classes: "Life Balance and Relaxation" and "Lifestyle and Weight Management." Details: 510-752-6150.

Modiera West -- Entrepreneurs have an opportunity to attend free monthly seminars 3-5 p.m. fourth Saturdays monthly. Participants may compete for \$12,000 in free services in a Modiera West Public Relations and Publicity Grant Competition. Limited seating. Free food and business gifts. Barnes & Noble Booksellers, 98 Broadway, Jack London Square. Details and registration: 510-663-3390.

Oakland Adult Education --Instruction in watercolor, 2-5 p.m. Tuesdays. All levels welcome. Northgate Terrace, 550 - 24th St. Free. Details: 510-879-4090.

Oakland Adult Education -- Free classes in computers, physical fitness, knitting and more. For adults 50 and older, throughout Oakland. Stop by Pleasant Valley School office for a complete listing or send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to 920 53rd St., Oakland, CA 94608. Details: 510-879-4090.

Oakland Adult Education -- "Swing Band" class meets 7:30-9:30 p.m. alternating Thursdays at F.M. Smith Recreation Center, 1969 Park Blvd. Free. Instrumentalists interested in joining call Gordon, 510-537-2575.

Oakland Lawn Bowling Club -- 4-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, 9 a.m.-noon second and fourth Saturdays monthly. Flat-soled shoes required; equipment provided. 660 Bellevue Ave. Details: 510-625-9937.

Oakland Hills Toastmasters --Meets 7-8 p.m. second and fourth Tuesdays monthly. Hosted meetings to help people improve their public speaking, critical thinking and leadership skills. East Hills Community Church, 12000 Campus Drive. Details: 510-482-5937.

Rockridge Toastmasters -- Meets at 7-8 p.m. Tuesdays. Hosted meetings to help people improve their public-speaking skills in a friendly and supportive atmosphere. Guests welcome. Veterans Building, Hall Three, 200 Grand Ave. Details: [www.rockridgetoastmasters.org](http://www.rockridgetoastmasters.org).

Support group development meetings -- Meets 1-4 p.m. second Saturdays monthly. Provides free introduction, ongoing peer support and facilitation training to interested individuals and groups. Harbor House, 1811 11th Ave.

"Way of the Self Portrait" -- Bookmaking workshops for women taught by Heath Frost are given days, evenings and weekends. Details: 510-655-5090, [www.heathfrost.com](http://www.heathfrost.com).

Wild Goose Qi Gong classes -- 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Learn ancient Chinese movements to enhance health and reduce stress. The Taoist Center, 3824 MacArthur Blvd. Details: 510-482-2278, [www.thetaoistcenter.com](http://www.thetaoistcenter.com).

Kundalini Yoga -- 8 week Chakra Awareness Series, 10 a.m. Saturdays. Beginners welcome. Wear loose clothing; bring a mat or towel and an empty stomach. Plymouth United Church of Christ, 424 Monte Vista Ave. Details: 510-841-4339.

Qigong classes -- 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays. Qigong is ancient Chinese tradition of

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self-care that decreases stress and aims to generate health, vitality and well-being. For all ages and levels. Cerebral Palsy Center, 4500 Lincoln Ave. Details: 510-533-2891.

Yoga classes -- 5:30-6:45 p.m. Wednesdays. Former instructor under U.S. Olympic Committee. All levels welcome. Mills College, Haas Pavilion, Room 3, 5000 MacArthur Blvd. Details: 925-254-0193.

Jazzercise-- Classes 6 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays and 8:15 and 9:30 a.m. Saturdays. Personal Training 10:45 a.m. Saturdays. Each 60- to 70-minute class offers a blend of dance and exercise set to music. Glenview Elementary School, 4215 La Cresta Ave. \$8 weekly for 6-week minimum; \$48 monthly for unlimited classes. Details: 510-530-2159.

Body Sculpting by Jazzercise -- Classes 6 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays. Thornhill Elementary School, 5880 Thornhill Drive. Cost: \$8 weekly for 6-week minimum; \$48 monthly for unlimited classes. Details: 510-530-2159.

T'ai Chi Chih -- Classes 9 a.m. Fridays. Optimize your health, balance and well-being. People of all ages can perform 20 gentle, nonimpact movements; beginners welcome. Highlands Country Club, 110 Hiller Drive. Details: 510-540-8062.

Piedmont Yoga Studio -- Weekly yoga class for people living with cancer, 4-5:30 p.m. Thursdays. No yoga experience or registration needed. 3966 Piedmont Ave. Free. Details: 510-652-3336 , [www.piedmontyoga.com](http://www.piedmontyoga.com).

Yoga for a Cause -- Hatha Yoga classes, noon-1 p.m. Wednesdays. Proceeds benefit conservation and world peace. Suitable for all levels. No registration needed, just show up. Piedmont Yoga Studio, 3966 Piedmont Ave. Details: 510-652-3336, [www.piedmontyoga.com](http://www.piedmontyoga.com), [www.quietmind.com/cause](http://www.quietmind.com/cause).

Adult 4-on-4 Full Court Basketball League -- Organized by Oakland Parks and Recreation. Details: 510-238-3494.

Aerobics classes -- 6:10-7:10 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, Redwood Heights Recreation Center, 3883 Aliso Ave. Drop-ins welcome. Details: 510-482-7827.

Ballet Stretch for Adults -- 11:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Class for beginners or any dancer who wants to stay in shape. All ages welcome. Redwood Heights Recreation Center, 3883 Aliso Ave. \$30 monthly; \$8 for drop-ins. Register any time. Details: 510-601-0451.

Body sculpture classes -- 5:10-6:10 p.m. Wednesdays. Drop-ins welcome. Redwood Heights Recreation Center, 3883 Aliso Ave. Details: 510-482-7827.

Kaiser Permanente Oakland -- Health education classes, "Life Balance and Relaxation;" and "Lifestyle and Weight Management." Details: 510-752-6150.

Nia mind-body-fitness classes -- 9-10 a.m. Wednesdays and Fridays. Technique based on martial arts, dance, healing arts. Glenview Performing Arts Center, 1318 Glenfield Ave. First class free; drop-in fee \$10. Details: 510-385-8858.

Pilates and yoga -- Weekly classes at Upaya Center for Wellbeing, 478 Santa Clara Ave. Details: 510-444-8729, www.upayacenter.org.

T'ai Chi classes -- 9 a.m. Fridays, Highlands Country Club, 110 Hiller Drive. Everyone, regardless of age, condition or agility, can perform the 20 gentle, nonimpact movements. Beginners welcome. Details: 510-540-8062.

Yoga Classes -- 9 a.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. Tuesdays and 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays. All levels welcome. Bring a yoga mat and beach towel or small blanket. Redwood Heights Recreation Center, 3883 Alison Ave. Details: 510-482-7827.

Kundalini Yoga -- Workshops 6:45 p.m. Wednesdays and 10 a.m. Thursdays. Lakeshore Avenue Baptist Church, 3534 Lakeshore Ave.; 10 a.m. Saturdays, Plymouth United Church of Christ, 424 Monte Vista Ave. Fee: \$40 for eight weeks. Details: 510-841-4339.

Free Math Help -- 2-4 p.m. Saturdays. For students in grades 1-11. Oakland Library's Eastmont Branch, Eastmont Town Center, 7200 Bancroft Ave., Suite 211. Details: 510-615-5726.

Lakeview Chess Club -- 3:30-5:30 p.m. Wednesdays and Saturdays. All ages and experience levels welcome to come play. In good weather, we meet outside. Oakland Library's Lakeview Branch, 550 El Embarcadero. Details: 510-238-7344.

Tenant Workshops -- noon-1 p.m. third Tuesdays monthly. Free answers to housing questions offered by an expert from East Bay Community Law Center. Learn about evictions, repairs, subsidized housing, rent increases, deposits, lead poisoning, etc. Oakland Library's Eastmont Branch, 7200 Bancroft Ave., Suite 211. Details: 510-615-5726.

Book discussion group -- 6:30 p.m. fourth Tuesdays monthly. Come and share your enjoyment of reading with others in the community. Oakland Library's Golden Gate Branch, 5606 San Pablo Ave. Details: 510-597-5023.

Cesar Chavez Chess Workshop -- Meets 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays. Come to play and learn. All levels and ages are welcome; free instruction provided. Oakland Library's Chavez Branch, 3301 East 12th St. Details: 510-535-5620.

Golden Gate Youth Chess Club -- Meetings 3-7 p.m. Mondays, 1-3 p.m. Saturdays. Learn the game and stretch your strategy muscles. Open to players in grades K-12. Oakland Library's Golden Gate Branch, 5606 San Pablo Ave. Details: 510-597-5023.

Dimond Book Club -- Meets 4 p.m. first Fridays monthly during school year. Book lovers ages 9-13 invited. Dimond Branch Library, 3565 Fruitvale Ave. Details: 510-482-7844.

Book Discussion Group -- Meets 6:30 p.m. fourth Mondays monthly. Oakland Library's Golden Gate Branch, 5433 San Pablo Ave. Details: 510-597-5023.

Poetry Diversified -- 7:30-10:30 p.m. first and third Tuesdays monthly. Open mic sessions and featured readers. Open mic sign-ups start at 7:15 p.m. World Ground Café, 3726 MacArthur Blvd. Details: 510-261-6792, www.worldgrounds.com.

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Poetry Readers and Writers -- Meet 7 p.m. first and third Wednesdays monthly. Walden Pond Bookstore, 3316 Grand Ave. Details: 510-530-9599.

Rockridge Fiction Writers Group -- Meets 7-9 p.m. alternate Tuesdays. Details: 510-655-8003.

Distaff Singers -- Rehearsals 7:15-9:15 p.m. Tuesdays. Established East Bay women's chorus seeks new members. No auditions required, just a love of singing. Classical, pop, sacred, Broadway. Details: Rosemary, 510-635-4575 or Michele, 510-601-5624.

German Singing Group -- Meets Wednesday evenings in Oakland and takes an annual tour. Group seeks new members, men and women, with the ability to speak some German. Details: 510-339-6941.

Aplastic Anemia and Myelodysplasia -- Support group meets bimonthly. Patients and caregivers welcome. Details: 510-654-5368.

Bereavement support group -- Meets 3-4:30 p.m. Thursdays. Group sponsored by Sinai Memorial Chapel and Jewish Family and Children's Services of the East Bay. Jewish Family and Children's Services, Walnut Creek. Free; donations accepted. Preregistration required. Details: 925-927-2000, Ext. 740.

Children's Support League of the East Bay -- Meets 9:30-11:30 a.m. third Thursdays monthly. Piedmont Community Center, 711 Highland Ave., Piedmont. Details: 510-273-9109.

Christian meditation -- Schedules available at Hased Community, 3745 Elston Ave. Details: 510-482-5573.

Couples counseling group -- Meets with a husband-and-wife psychotherapy team, 8-9:30 p.m. Thursdays in Montclair. Learn how to overcome negative, repetitive patterns and develop new, mutually enriching ways of communicating. Details: 510-482-4343.

Downtown Oakland Senior Center -- Tap dance classes Tuesdays. Beginners 9-10 a.m.; intermediate 10-11 a.m. 200 Grand Ave. Details: 510-238-3284.

East Bay Genealogical Society -- Meetings 10 a.m. second Wednesdays monthly. Library Conference Room, Family History Center, 4766 Lincoln Ave. Details: 510-635-6692.

East Bay Men's Network -- Maintains men's peer support groups in the Oakland and Berkeley area for support, friendship, camaraderie and growth. Support groups are self-led; regular attendance is expected. Details: 510-568-8669.

Forty-Plus Free Introduction and Orientation -- 8:30-9:30 a.m. Mondays. Forty-Plus is a non-profit volunteer organization offering a comprehensive career transition program uniquely suited to needs of mature managers, executives and professionals. 7700 Bridgewater Drive, Suite 626. Details: 510-568-7587, [www.fortyplus.org](http://www.fortyplus.org).

Friendship Circle -- Meets 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Wednesdays. A non-denominational group for older adults. Group offers day trips, holiday celebrations, entertainment and speakers. Oakland Senior Center, 200 Grand Ave. Details: 510-530-1725.

Fruitvale Presbyterian Church -- 11 a.m.-noon second Saturdays and fourth Tuesdays monthly. Community Outreach Pantry for its emergencies program. Program participants receive supplementary groceries. Details: 510-530-0723.

Lesbian therapy group -- Meets Thursday evenings in Montclair. Meet with other lesbians to discuss issues including impact of being "out," self-esteem and family of origin influences directly affecting identity. Details: 510-466-5669.

Mandana Community Recovery Center -- Educational and informational events given by community practitioners and educators on a voluntary basis. A \$3 fee is requested for Tuesday education and meditation session; no one turned away for lack of funds. 3989 Howe St. Details: 510-595-9690.

Montclair 4-H -- Meets 6:30 p.m. third Mondays monthly at Montclair Recreation Center, 6300 Moraga Ave., Oakland. Details: 510-330-3020.

Mothers & More of the East Bay -- Meets 7:30 p.m. third Thursdays monthly, Zion Lutheran Church, 5201 Park Blvd., Piedmont; and 7:30 p.m. first Tuesdays monthly, College of Alameda, 555 Atlantic Ave., Room C-113, Alameda. Details: 510-339-8563, <http://mothersandmoreeb.tripod.com>.

Narconon -- Nonprofit public benefit organization specializing in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers free professional assessments, advice, referrals to more than 11,000 treatment centers nationally. Details: 800-556-8885, [www.drugrehab.net](http://www.drugrehab.net).

Naranon Support Group -- For those struggling with drug addiction or coping with friends and/or family members who are addicts. Details: 510-526-2455, [www.naranoncalifornia.org](http://www.naranoncalifornia.org).

Narconon Arrowhead -- Do you know how to cope with an addict? Narconon Arrowhead offers free addiction counseling, assessments and referrals to rehabilitation centers nationwide and locally. Details: 800-468-6933, [www.stopaddiction.com](http://www.stopaddiction.com).

National Alliance on Mental Illness-East Bay Chapter -- Free support group for families of children with mental illness. Meetings offer parents and other family members a chance to talk, share information and get emotional support. Details: 510-524-1250, [www.nami.org](http://www.nami.org).

Oakland/East Bay Chapter of the National Organization for Women -- Meets 6 p.m. first Mondays monthly, Oakland YWCA, 1515 Webster St. Details: 510-287-8948.

Peripheral Neuropathy Support Group -- Meets 7-9 p.m. second Mondays monthly. Details: 510-527-3568.

Single parents -- Monthly child-friendly potluck gatherings at Grand Lake Neighborhood Center, 530 Lake Park Ave. Call 510-663-1425 to let group know what

dish you will bring and how many children to expect. A \$1 donation requested, or \$5 without dish to share. Details: 510-238-2301.

Soul Sistah's Kitchen -- A monthly open-mic poetry reading, singing and other creative works, 8 p.m. first Mondays monthly at Jahva House, 3306 Lakeshore Ave. Donations requested. Details: 510-836-5282.

Stagebridge -- Storytelling classes for seniors on Wednesdays and Fridays. New students can join at any time. Arts First Oakland, 2501 Harrison St. Details: 510-444-4755, <http://stagebridge.org>.

Support group development meetings -- Meets 1-4 p.m. second Saturdays monthly. Provides introductions and ongoing peer support facilitation training. Harbor House, 1811 11th Ave. Free.

Chemical Dependency workshops -- 10 a.m.-noon Saturdays. Merritt Peralta Institute Treatment Services offers free workshops about alcohol and other drug dependencies. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center, Health Education Center, Room 201, 400 Hawthorne Ave. Details: 510-652-7000.

Dress Best for Less -- Marking Room Resale shop has Bag Sales last Saturdays monthly at 799 Magnolia Ave. Donations of gently used clothing, sporting goods, household items welcome. Please no computers. Proceeds benefit Piedmont schools. Store located at 3861 Piedmont Ave. Donations and volunteering details: 510-658-8525.

Piedmont Montclair Rotary Club -- Meets at noon Fridays, Grand Oakes Restaurant, 3701 Grand Ave. Visitors welcome. Details: 510-420-3073.

Children Dance/After School Program -- 5:45-6:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Children improve coordination and cooperation skills, gain confidence and learn culture. Patty Chu instructs basic ballet and Chinese folk dancing. Oakland Asian Culture Center, Pacific Renaissance Plaza, 388 9th St., Suite 290. Details: 510-637-0455.

Three Wishes Inc. -- Free electric wheelchairs available to senior citizens and permanently disabled if they qualify -- those who cannot walk and cannot self-propel a manual wheelchair in their home -- and meet program guidelines. No deposit required. Details: 800-839-5715.

Cancer in Other Words for Men -- Men's writing group. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center, 450 30th St., second floor. Details: 800-870-8705.

Lakeview Toastmasters -- Meets 7-8 a.m. Thursdays. For men and women who would like to improve their public speaking skills. Providence Pavilion Cafeteria Conference Room, Summit Medical Center, 3100 Summit St. Guests welcome. Details: Bill, 510-451-2989, <http://lakeview2767.home.comcast.net>.

Coping and Thriving with a Diagnosis of Cancer -- Support group meets 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. second and fourth Tuesdays monthly. Peralta Pavilion, 450 30th St. Free. Details: 510-869-8833.

DCIS Breast Cancer Support Group -- Meets 5:30-7 p.m. second and fourth Thursdays

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monthly. For those with a diagnosis of Ductal Carcinoma In Situ. Share experiences, address fears, share resources. Peralta Pavilion, 450 30th St. Free. Details: 510-869-8833.

Harmony Center for the Joyful Spirit -- Celebrations & Youth Program, 11 a.m. Sundays. Join in creating a spiritual community where music is lively, messages are uplifting and practical, and the community is open and affirming. Veteran's Hall, 200 Grand Ave. Details: 510-451-3009, <http://JoyfulHarmony.org>.

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Section: WEEKENDER

Festival schedule

The Auburn Cord Duesenberg Festival and Kruse International Auburn Fall Auction begin next week:

Tuesday

\*8 a.m. - The 50-car Hoosier Tour departs the Auburn Cord Duesenberg Museum, 1600 S. Wayne St., for Dundee, Mich.

Wednesday

\*3 to 9 p.m. - Collectibles and collector car auctions, Kruse International Auction Park

Thursday

\*9 a.m. to 10 p.m. - Collectibles and collector car auctions, Kruse International Auction Park

\*Noon - Return of the Hoosier Tour to the Auburn Cord Duesenberg Museum

\*Noon - ACD Festival Kick-off Luncheon at ACD Museum; reservations required; tickets \$13 a person; call 260-925-3600 for information

\*6 p.m. - ACD Museum Benefit Extravaganza at ACD Museum with touring, dinner music and auctions; \$100 a person; call 260-925-1444 for information

Sept. 1

\*9 a.m. to 8 p.m. - Collectibles and collector car auctions, Kruse International Auction Park

\*9 and 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. - Tour of DeBrand Inc. chocolate company; admission

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\$10 a person; reservations required; meet at Auburn Inn for shuttle bus; call 260-925-3600 to make reservations or information

\*9 a.m. to 6 p.m. - Retired Senior Volunteer Program hosts Quilt and Antique Show, WWII Victory Museum; admission \$5 a person, kids younger than 12 free; call 260-925-0917 for information

\*10 a.m. to 7 p.m. - Antique Show and Sale, Kruse Auction Park; call 260-908-0693 for information

\*4 to 9 p.m. - Art and Crafts show and sale; free; around courthouse square in downtown Auburn

\*5 p.m. to 1 a.m. - Club Cricket, Seventh Street between Jackson and Main streets, Auburn; must be 21 to enter; adult beverages, live music

\*5 p.m. - Cruise-in, downtown Auburn; \$10 a car; spectators free; ice cream social, Seventh and Main streets in Auburn, featuring Edy's Ice Cream with DeBrand Fine Chocolate toppings; sundaes \$1 a scoop.

\*6 to 9 p.m. - Junior/Senior Prom and hog roast at A New Day Adult Day Services, 500 North St., Auburn; call 260-927-3624 for information

\*7 p.m. - Dry, Sweet and Classic Wine Tasting at ACD Museum; \$30 a person; call 260-925-1444 for information

Sept. 2

\*8 to 11 a.m. - 5K/10K Volkswalk at DeKalb Memorial Hospital; non-competitive walk is free, \$3 for AVA members; wheelchairs and strollers are welcome; call 260-627-5887 for information

\*9 a.m. to 8 p.m. - Collectibles and collector car auctions, Kruse International Auction Park

\*9 a.m. to 7 p.m. - Retired Senior Volunteer Program Quilt and Antique Show, WWII Victory Museum; admission \$5 a person, kids younger than 12 free; call 260-925-0917 for information

\*9 and 10 a.m.; 3, 4 and 5 p.m. - Historic Tour, meets at corner of 11th and Union streets; \$5 a person; call 260-925-3600 for information

\*10 a.m. to 3 p.m. - **Kids' Art Tent**, Eighth Street between Main and Jackson streets; free; open to children ages 2 to 10 accompanied by adult

\*10 a.m. to 7 p.m. - Antique Show and Sale, Kruse Auction Park; call 260-908-0693 for information

\*Noon to 1 a.m. - Club Cricket, Seventh Street between Jackson and Main streets in Auburn; must be 21 to enter; adult beverages and live music

\*1 p.m. - Parade of Classics departs from Eckhart Park to downtown Auburn; more

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than 300 classic cars expected

\*7 to 11 p.m. - Gala Ball/Big-band music at ACD Museum; free to members; memberships sold at door; call 260-925-1444 for information.

Sept. 3

\*9 a.m. to 8 p.m. - Collectibles and collector car auctions, Kruse International Auction Park

\*9 a.m. to 5 p.m. - Retired Senior Volunteer Program hosts Quilt and Antique Show, WWII Victory Museum; admission \$5 a person, children younger than 12 free; call 260-925-0917 for information

\*9 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Art and Crafts show and sale; free; around courthouse square in downtown Auburn

\*10 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Antique Show and Sale, Kruse Auction Park; call 260-908-0693 for information; also, lunch and beverages, Cricket Cafe, Seventh Street between Jackson and Main streets, Auburn

\*Noon, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 p.m. - Historic Tour, meets at corner of 11th and Union streets; \$5 a person; call 260-925-3600 for information

Sept. 4

\*9 a.m. to 8 p.m. - Collectibles and collector car auctions, Kruse International Auction Park

Sept. 5

10 a.m. to 3 p.m. - Collector car auctions, Kruse International Auction Park; no gate admission on this day

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Section: LIFESTYLE

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## MAIN EVENTS

## James Gang

The longtime hard rockers have regrouped once again; they just can't seem to Walk Away. In a constantly changing lineup since the mid-'60s, guitarist Joe Walsh was the group's breakout star. Opening act TBA. Show time is 8 p.m. Sat. at Mizner Park Amphitheater, 590 Plaza Real, Boca Raton. Tickets are \$45.75-\$65.75. Contact Ticketmaster.

## Drifters

You'll feel the sand under your feet as you shag to this classic beach music band. Some of their old hits: This Magic Moment, There Goes My Baby and Some Kind of Wonderful. It's all part of the Sunday at the Meyer concert series, which also features face painting, kids' craft-making and a chance to meet Mayor Lois Frankel. Included are classic '50s cars, hula hoop contest at 5:20 p.m. and bubble gum-blowing contest at 6:30 p.m. Hours are 4:30-7:30 p.m. Sunday at Meyer Amphitheatre, 104 Datura St., West Palm Beach. Admission is free. Call 561-822-1515.

## Jamie Kennedy

The actor/comedian is finally hot in Hollywood after more than 10 years in the trenches. The funnyman's films include *Scream*, *Bowfinger* and *Three Kings*. But it was his quirky comedy series, *The Jamie Kennedy Experiment*, that got him noticed. Opening act TBA. Show times are 7:45 and 10 tonight at Miami Improv, Streets of Mayfair, 3390 Mary St., Coconut Grove. Tickets are \$26.75 (ages 21 and older). Visit [symfonee.com/improv/miami](http://symfonee.com/improv/miami). Call 305-441-8200.

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## Keiko Matsui

The Tokyo-born fusion jazz/New Age keyboardist has been a big hit in the States since her 1989 debut. The child prodigy started playing piano at age 5 and composing in junior high school. She incorporates classical and world music into her smooth, contemporary jazz. Show times are 9 and 11 tonight at Arturo Sandoval Jazz Club, Deauville Hotel, 6701 Collins Ave., Miami Beach. Tickets are \$35. Visit [arturosandovaljazzclub.com](http://arturosandovaljazzclub.com). Call 305-403-7565 or 305-403-7568.

## The Kid From Brooklyn

The story is an intimate portrait of Danny Kaye, the man, as told through song and dance. Some of the many films he starred in are *The Secret Life of Walter Mitty*, *White Christmas* and *Hans Christian Andersen*. Show times are 2 and 8 p.m. today; 2 p.m. Sunday at Broward Stage Door, 8036 W. Sample Road, Coral Springs. Tickets are \$33.25. Visit [stagedoortheatre.com](http://stagedoortheatre.com). Call 954-344-7765.

## Jimmy Schubert

Just a few of the films this comedian has appeared in are *Swingers*, *Coyote Ugly* and *Mr. and Mrs. Smith*. Schubert has toured with Sam Kinison as one of the original "Outlaws of Comedy" and continues to perform stand-up in A-List clubs. Show times are 7, 9 and 11 tonight; 8 p.m. Sunday at Improv CityPlace, 550 S. Rosemary Ave., West Palm Beach. Tickets are \$17.98 and \$21.17. Visit [symfonee.com/improv/palmbeach](http://symfonee.com/improv/palmbeach). Call 561-833-1812.

## ETC.

## Around the World

This journey will include historic film and photography, **kids' art-making**, Flamenco and storytelling. Tours of the National Historic landmark villa, with 34 rooms in the Italian Renaissance style, will also be available. Don't miss the 10-acre formal garden on Biscayne Bay. A curator talk will be given and historic cars can be viewed. Activities will be from 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Sunday at Vizcaya Museum and Gardens, 3251 S. Miami Ave., Miami. Admission is adults \$12, ages 6-12 \$5, free for ages 5 and younger. Visit [vizcayamuseum.org](http://vizcayamuseum.org). Call 305-250-9133.

## Hot Air Balloon Rides

Fly into the sky in a big balloon. Proceeds benefit Miami Children's Hospital Foundation and the Children's Miracle Network. After your ride, hang around to enjoy complimentary food and outdoor games. Rides are adults \$5, ages under 12 \$3. Park admission is \$4. Weather permitting, balloon rides are from 1-6 p.m. today at Hugh Taylor Birch State Park, 3109 E. Sunrise Blvd., Fort Lauderdale. Call 954-682-1703.

## Tropical South Florida

"Tropical Dreams: A People's History of South Florida" takes viewers back thousands of years in history. Walk through the homes of Seminoles and

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Anglo-American settlers. Come on board a 1920s trolley and take a video tour of Miami. "Miami Beach: America's Tropical Resort" tells about the city's transformation from 1910 mangrove-covered sandbar to glamorous resort. Hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. today, 12-5 p.m. Sunday at Historical Museum, 101 W. Flagler St., Miami. Admission is adults \$5, seniors and college students \$4, ages 6-12 \$2. Visit [historical-museum.org](http://historical-museum.org). Call 305-375-1492.

Dora the Explorer's La Casa de Dora

Inside Dora's house there are bilingual play and problem-solving activities. Pre-schoolers can listen to Latin music, play computer games and meet costumed character Dora in the backyard. Hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. today, 12-5 p.m. Sunday at Young at Art Children's Museum, 11584 State Road 84, Davie. Admission is \$8. Visit [youngatartmuseum.org](http://youngatartmuseum.org). Call 954-424-0085.

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Section: TRAVEL

MONTHLY STATE TRAVEL CALENDAR September

LYNN EDGE For The Birmingham News

Here are some events planned in Alabama during September. Information is drawn from that supplied by the Alabama Bureau of Tourism and Travel and is subject to change without notice. Please check before traveling. For more information about these events, call the Bureau of Tourism and Travel, 800-252-2262 or go to [www.800alabama.com](http://www.800alabama.com).

LABOR DAY

Labor Day Celebration & Moon Pie Eatin' Contest. McCalla (Tannehill Ironworks Historical State Park). Handmade crafts, music, moon pie eatin' contest. Admission. 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Sept. 4.

United Terry Club Labor Day Picnic. Moulton (Hoosier Community). Free. Sept. 4.

Service League Labor Day Barbecue. Prattville (Pratt Park). Pageant, arts, crafts. Free. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sept. 4.

Labor Day Festival. Section (Community Park). Music, games, rides, "'Back Seat Driver Contest.'" Free. Sept. 4.

Shoals Area Labor Council Labor Day Festivities. Tuscumbia (Downtown & Spring Park). State, local and union leaders speak. Miss and Little Miss Labor Day contests, prizes. Free. Parade at 9 a.m. followed by festivities at 10 a.m. Sept. 4.

Coondog Graveyard Labor Day Celebration. Tuscumbia (Coondog Cemetery). Graves freshly decorated for event. View more than 185 graves. Liar's contest, speech-making and entertainment. Free. 1-4 p.m. Sept. 4.

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## SPECIAL EVENTS

Spring Park Market. Tuscumbia. Cooking demonstrations, special activities. Free. 4-7 p.m. Thursdays through Sept. 29.

Farmer's Market. Alexander City. Local growers sell fruits, vegetables and plants. Exhibitions by area chefs. Arts and crafts. Free. 7-11:30 a.m. Saturdays through October 7.

Scarecrow Trail & Enchanted Forest. Huntsville (Botanical Garden). Scarecrows, 100 of them, hang out in garden. Weekend hayrides, music and Sorghum Maze. Admission. Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sunday, 1-5 p.m. Sept. 1-Oct. 31.

St. William's Catholic Church Seafood Festival. Guntersville (Carlisle Park School). Activities. Creole-style gumbo dinners, fish dinners and crawfish. Sept. 2 & 3.

Paul W. Bryant Namesake Reunion. Tuscaloosa. Pauls, Williams, Bears and Bryants converge on University of Alabama campus for a party honoring those named for the coach. Free. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 2.

Arts in the Park. Scottsboro (KingCaldwell Park). Artisans and craftsmen participate in juried show and offer works for sale. Children's activities and musical entertainment. Admission. Sept. 3.

Mule Days. Ider (Town Park). Horse, mule and sheep shows, antique tractors. Free. Sept. 4.

Mullet Festival. Lillian (Community Center Club). Breakfast, dance, arts, crafts. Free. 6:30 a.m.-10 p.m. Sept. 4.

Oktoberfest 2006. Huntsville (Redstone Arsenal Activity Field). German-themed event. Entertainment, rides. Admission. Thurs., 5-11 p.m.; Friday, 5 p.m.-1 a.m.; Saturday, noon-1 a.m.; Sunday, 1-8 p.m. Sept. 7-10.

Community Fair. Arab (City Park). Arts, crafts, entertainment, children's activities. Free. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sept. 9.

Jubilee Festival. Daphne. Fine arts and crafts, live local entertainment, **kids art**. Free. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Sept. 9 & 10.

Country Fair. Fayetteville (High School). Live bands, arts and crafts, demonstrations and exhibits. Admission. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Sept. 9.

Memorial Hospital Arts & Craft Show, Health Safety Fair & Antique Car Show. Grove Hill. Free health

screenings, games, entertainment, door prizes. Free. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sept. 9.

Old-Fashioned Trade Day on the Square. Huntsville (Courthouse Square). Arts, crafts, antiques, books and entertainment. Free. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Sept. 9.

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Burritt Guild Homes Tour. Huntsville (Burritt on the Mountain). Some of area's most fascinating homes and gardens are open for tours. Admission. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 9.

White Farms Corn Maze & Pumpkin Patch. Decatur. Find your way through the maze or take a hayride to the pumpkin patch. Admission. Thurs. & Friday, 5 p.m.; Saturday, noon. Sept. 10-Oct. 31.

Alabama Hwy. 14 Antique Trail. Aliceville/Pickensville, Eutaw, Valley. Trail starts in the east at Valley on the Georgia line and extends more than 200 miles to the west at Aliceville, near the Mississippi line. Antique dealers, artists, craftsmen, entertainers in 24 towns along the route. Sept. 15-17.

Riverfest. Decatur (Rhodes Ferry Park). Live music and activities. Free. Noon-10 p.m. Sept. 15 & 16.

Trail of Tears Commemoration. Florence (McFarland Park). Motorcycle ride, activities in park, exhibits at Edith Newman Culver Memorial Museum and a Pow Wow. Free. Sept. 15-17.

MOVA Arts Festival. Guntersville (Civitan Park). Songwriters' competition, art exhibit, children's art park, village voice performances. Admission. Sept. 15-17.

Fall Craft Show. Huntsville (Von Braun Center). Northeast Alabama Craftsmen's Association show with 150 exhibitors displaying jewelry, pottery, clothing, baskets, toys. Free. Friday & Saturday, 9 a.m.-7 p.m.; Sunday, noon-5 p.m. Sept. 15-17.

Trail of Tears Commemoration Festival. Waterloo. Bikers ride to commemorate removal of native peoples from their homeland. Arts & crafts, storytelling, native drums and dancing featured. Free. Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Sept. 15-17.

Wiregrass Model Railroad Show and Sale. Dothan (National Peanut Festival Fairgrounds). Several large operating layouts on display Admission. Saturday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sunday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 16 & 17.

Downtown G.R.I.T.S. Festival. Gadsden. G.R.I.T.S. (Gadsden Rocks in the Streets) offers fun and festivities. Kid's carnival. Free. 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Sept. 16.

Grape Stomp. Harpersville (Morgan Creek Vineyards). Celebrating the harvest or 'crush' as it's known at wineries. Visitors get to stomp grapes in wooden barrels with their feet, take tours, enjoy wine tastings. Admission. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 16.

Depot Days Festival. Hartselle. Events include 5k and one-mile run, car, truck and cycle show, art show, rides. Free. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Sept. 16.

Leesburg Day. Leesburg. Arts and crafts, parade, children's fun run, antique cars and tractors, games, rides. Free. 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Sept. 16.

Hank Williams' 83rd Birthday Celebration. Montgomery (Hank Williams Museum).

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Celebration of the legendary country music singer's birthday with tours and entertainment. Sept. 16.

Ole Timey Craft & Bluegrass Festival. Scottsboro. Bluegrass and country music, Native American crafts, Civil War reenactment. Admission. 9 a.m. 6 p.m. Sept. 16.

Guided Tour of Talladega National Forest: Shoal Creek District 256. Talladega. Take a driving/hiking tour and discover areas that are rarely seen by the public. Admission. Sept. 16.

Antique & Apple Festival. Moulton. Shop outdoors under the pines for antiques and crafts. Free. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sept. 22-24.

Fall Native American Dance & Crafts Festival. Childersburg (DeSoto Caverns Park). Musical entertainment, dancing, crafts, cavern tours. Admission. Saturday & Sunday, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Sept. 23 & 24.

Frontier Days. Eva. Crafts, tractor and gasoline engine show and other activities. Free. Sept. 23-30.

Alabama Highland Games. Montgomery (Wynton Blount Cultural Park). Scottish games, music and church service. Admission. Sept. 23.

F. Scott Fitzgerald's Birthday Celebration. Montgomery (Fitzgerald Museum). Celebrate the author's birthday. 1-5 p.m. Sept. 23.

Mule Day. Winfield. Mule/horse judging, parade, car show, arts and crafts, flea market, Battle at Mule Crossing reenactment. Free. 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 23.

Eagles Message Pow Wow. Athens. North American Indian crafts, intertribal dancing, storytelling, demonstrations. Drums welcome. Admission. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sept. 29 & 30.

Oktoberfest. Cullman. German music, selection of Miss Oktoberfest 2006, live entertainment, arts and crafts, historic district tours. Free. Sept. 29-Oct. 8.

Taste of the Bayou. Bayou La Batre (Community Center). This event showcases local seafood delicacies and regional recipes. Admission. 5-8 p.m. Sept. 30.

#### MUSIC & THEATER

Ballet & the Beast. Montgomery. Performances under the stars at the Montgomery Zoo. Free. Gates open 6:30 p.m.; show at 7:30 p.m. Sept. 8.

Free Day at Burritt on the Mountain with Dulcimer Festival. Huntsville (Burritt on the Mountain). Hear the music of dulcimer makers and players from several states. Bring lawn chairs, blankets, picnic lunch. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 17.

Big Spring Jam. Huntsville (Big Spring Park). Outdoor music festival with rock, country, jazz and contemporary music performances. Admission. Friday, 6 p.m.-midnight; Saturday, 1 p.m.-midnight; Sunday, 1-11 p.m. Sept. 22-24.

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Bluegrass Festival. Titus (Community Center). Various bands throughout the day, arts and crafts, children's activities. Sept. 30.

## SPORTS &amp; OUTDOORS

Bankhead National Forest Hikes Moulton (Warrior Mountains Trading Company). Take tour of Bankhead National Forest featuring scenic vistas, waterfalls, streams and wildflowers. Free. 9 a.m.-dusk. Last Saturday of each month. Sept. 1-Dec. 31.

Jim Glasner Memorial Autumn Challenge. Pintlala. Choose routes of 30, 62 miles or 100 miles, and for the very hardy, 120 miles. Routes are well-marked and will take cyclists over beautiful tree-lined roads. Admission. Sept. 2.

Frantic Frog Triathlon. Scottsboro (Goose Pond Colony). Major courses include a 400m swim, 24k bike ride, and 5k run. 10 a.m. Sept. 9.

All-You-Can-Eat Century Ride. Huntsville. Ride through beautiful rolling hills of northern Alabama and southern Tennessee. 25, 50, 62, 90, or 106 miles. Enjoy an Italian dinner after the ride. Admission. Sept. 16.

Racking Horse World Celebration. Decatur (Celebration Arena). More than 200 Racking Horses compete. Children and adult amateur classes. Admission. 6:30 p.m. Sept. 22-30.

Cruisers & Dixie Classics Open Car Show. McCalla (Tannehill Historical State Park). Cars, trucks and motorcycles. Admission. 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sept. 23.

Coosa River Challenge Adventure Race. Wetumpka. Outdoor adventure incorporating mountain biking on Swayback Bridge Trail, canoeing, kayaking on the whitewater of the Coosa River and running through historic downtown Wetumpka. Admission. 7 a.m. Sept. 23.

Coosa River Whitewater Festival. Wetumpka. Hundreds of paddlers and spectators try their skills and experience the thrills of world-class whitewater. Sept. 29-Oct. 1.

Crow Mountain Hill Climb. Scottsboro. A nationally sanctioned Sports Car Club of America event located in

the Appalachian mountain setting of Jackson County. Drivers from around the U.S. compete in Formula 1 autos on hairpin curves and scenic drives. Admission. Sept. 30 & Oct. 1.

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ART

\*\* ONGOING

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. Explore creativity on Fridays from 3:30-5 p.m. Each session is four weeks. \$40. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, www.pgartcenter.org.

\*\* ONGOING

**Kids' art.** 3:30-4:30 p.m. ongoing Mondays in four-week sessions at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Sponsored by the city of Seaside. For ages 6-10. \$45 for Seaside residents; \$56 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

DANCE

\*\* BEGINS SEPTEMBER

Salinas School of Dance. Irish dance class for ages 4-12 begin in September. Ballet, tap and jazz classes for ages 2 ½-18 also begin in September. 424-4655 or www.salinasdance.com

\*\* THROUGH NOV. 27

Creative dance for little feet. Sessions: 10:15-11 a.m. or

11-11:45 a.m. Mondays and/or 11-11:45 a.m. Tuesdays at the Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For boys and girls ages 3-4. Each session is one month long. Next session begins Tuesday, Sept. 5, and Monday, Sept. 11. Carol Benton Richmond is the instructor. 646-3975.

\*\* ONGOING TUE-WED

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The Peninsula Ballet Center. Ballet lessons for ages 6-8 on Tuesdays at

3:30 p.m. and for teens at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays at Peninsula Ballet Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 372-0388.

\*\* ONGOING

SpectorDance. Ongoing classes in hip-hop, jazz, modern dance and jazz/musical theater and choreography. The studio also offers pre-ballet classes for ages 5-7, beginning, intermediate and advanced classes for pointe. 3343 Paul Davis Drive, Marina. 384-1050, www.spectordance.org.

\*\* ONGOING WED-THU

Carmel Academy of Performing Arts. Creative kids program from 9:15-11:45 a.m. ongoing Wed-Thu for ages 3-4. Dancers get lessons in movement, singing, dramatic play, ballet, jazz and tap. 624-3729.

\*\* ONGOING SATURDAYS

The city of Seaside sponsors "Imagine Dance in Motion." This program is designed to explore the world of dance with emphasis on ballet, jazz, lyrical and contemporary forms. 9:30 a.m.-1:45 p.m. Saturdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby St., Seaside for ages 3-13. Pick from any of the four classes offered (45-minute classes). \$20 for Seaside residents; \$25 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

FUN STUFF

\*\* TODAY

Summer days at Lewis & More The British Store. 2-4 p.m. at the store on Portola Plaza Mall at the end of Alvarado Street in downtown Monterey. Classical guitar with Michael Marchionni, face painting, lemonade. Donations to the Animal Friends Rescue Project and the Food Bank for Monterey County will be accepted. Look for the red tent in the plaza. 372-3158.

\*\* ONGOING

Kids Club at the Oldemeyer Center in Seaside. 2:30-5:30 p.m. Mon-Fri at 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Homework help, craft projects, outdoor games, special events. \$16 a month for city residents; \$22 for nonresidents. The club follows the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District schedule. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING

Cooking classes for youth. 4-6 p.m. ongoing Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. The classes are open to children ages 7-12. \$47 for residents/\$58 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

Youth gymnastics. Ongoing Mondays and Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986

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Hilby Ave., Seaside. For ages 4-14 (various classes offered). \$28 for city residents/\$35 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

## LITERARY EVENTS

## \*\* ONGOING MONDAYS

Monday Morning stories and adventures. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Mondays at the Casanova-Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona Ave., Monterey, the Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey and at the Monterey Youth Center, 777 Pearl St., Monterey. The class is for ages 3-5 and will combine literature with arts, music, crafts and movement. 646-3866.

## \*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

Book talks at Lewis & More The British Store. 8-9 p.m. ongoing Tuesdays at the store on the Alvarado Mall in downtown Monterey. Professor Slughorn is the host. Children are encouraged to dress as their favorite Harry Potter character and bring a copy of "Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince." The group will listen to a chapter of the book narrated by Jim Dale, then the group will talk about it afterward. 372-3158.

## \*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

The Monterey Public Library storytimes. Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m. for ages 18-36 months; 11 a.m. Tuesdays for children ages 3-6. On the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., children are encouraged to wear their pajamas for a special story hour. All story hours are free, but groups need to call ahead for reservations. 625 Pacific St., Monterey. 646-3934.

## \*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

Storytime at the Marina Library. Tuesdays at 10 a.m. for babies (up to 18 months) and 10:30 a.m. for preschoolers. 266 Reservation Road, Marina. 384-6971.

## MUSIC

## \*\* THROUGH OCT. 23

Musikids! 5-5:45 p.m. ongoing Mondays, at Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For ages 3-5. Movement, vocal play, signing, listening, sound exploration. Sessions are four weeks in length and continue through Oct. 23. Susan Hayes is the instructor. 646-3866.

## \*\* THROUGH AUG. 31 AND SEPT. 21-DEC. 21

Beginning guitar with Steve Fox.

8-9 p.m. Thursdays through Aug. 31 and Sept. 21-Dec. 21 at Casanova-Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona, Monterey. For ages 13 and older. 646-5665. \$125 for Monterey city residents; \$163 for nonresidents. 646-3866.

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\*\* SEPT. 6-7

Audition for the Monterey Peninsula Youth Chorus. 4-6 p.m. Wed-Thu, Sept. 6-7 at the Lutheran Church of Our Savior, 1230 Luther Way, Salinas. Directed by Diana Rosett. Open for students in grades 3-12. 754-2440 or e-mail: mpyouthchorus@yahoo.com.

\*\* ONGOING

JazzMasters Workshop. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Mondays at Tularcitos School in Carmel Valley; 7-8:30 p.m. Mondays at the Carmel Youth Center, Fourth and Torres, Carmel; 3:30-4:30 Tuesdays at the Boys & Girls Club in Seaside; 3-4 p.m. Wednesdays at Captain Cooper School, Highway 1, Carmel; 3:30-4:30 p.m. Thursdays at the Boys & Girls Club in Salinas. All sessions are free to students on a drop-in basis. Information: www.jazzmastersworkshop.org.

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GO! For Kids

ART

\*\* BEGINS SEPT. 8

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. "Explore," is for ages 7-10 and begins Friday, Sept. 8 from 3:30-5 p.m. The session is on Fridays for six-weeks and is \$60 for a session. Three-dimensional art working with clay, glue guns, fabric, and mixed media. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, [www.pgartcenter.org](http://www.pgartcenter.org).

\*\* SEPT. 9-30

Creative animal and bird drawings. 2-4 p.m. Saturdays, Sept. 9-30. Join Julie Heilman at the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History and use the museum's resources to enhance your drawing skills of wildlife by using colored pencils, charcoal and other mediums. For grades 5-8. \$65. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* SEPT. 9-30

Drawing, painting and collage art class with Charlise Kelly. 10 a.m.-noon on Saturdays, Sept. 9, Sept. 23 and Sept. 30 at Grand Avenue Art Works! in Pacific Grove. For grades 1-3. \$55. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* BEGINS SEPT. 11

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. "Focused," is for ages 7-10 and begins Monday, Sept. 11 from 3:30-5 p.m. The session is on Mondays for six-weeks and is \$60. Two-dimensional painting, pastels and colored pencils will be used. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, [www.pgartcenter.org](http://www.pgartcenter.org).

\*\* SEPT. 23 AND SEPT. 30

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The art of mask decorating with Vanilla Helm. 9-10 a.m. Saturdays, Sept. 23 and Sept. 30 at the National Steinbeck Center, 1 Main St., Salinas. For grades 2-5. \$25. Paint and decorate fanciful and imaginative masks for your holiday costume, a gift for a friend, a decoration or just for fun. 372-6098, www.lyceum.org.

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The Peninsula Ballet Center. Ballet lessons for ages 6-8 on Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. and for teens at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays at Peninsula Ballet Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 372-0388.

\*\* ONGOING

SpectorDance. Ongoing classes in hip-hop, jazz, modern dance and jazz/musical theater and choreography. The studio also offers pre-ballet classes for ages 5-7, beginning, intermediate and advanced classes for pointe. 3343 Paul Davis Drive, Marina. 384-1050, www.spectordance.org.

\*\* ONGOING WED-THU

Carmel Academy of Performing Arts. Creative kids program from 9:15-11:45 a.m. ongoing Wed-Thu for ages 3-4. Dancers get lessons in movement, singing, dramatic play, ballet, jazz and tap. 624-3729.

\*\* ONGOING SATURDAYS

The city of Seaside sponsors "Imagine Dance in Motion." This program is designed to explore the world of dance with emphasis on ballet, jazz, lyrical and contemporary forms. 9:30 a.m.-1:45 p.m. Saturdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby St., Seaside for ages 3-13. Pick from any of the four classes offered

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(45-minute classes). \$20 for Seaside residents; \$25 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

#### FILMS

\*\* OCT. 9-13 AND OCT. 16-20

Fall film camp for kids. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. or 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Mon-Fri, Oct. 9-13 and Oct. 16-20 at Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman St., Monterey. \$135. Movie preview night will be Nov. 4. 375-7774, [www.MonarchTheatre](http://www.MonarchTheatre)

[MontereyBay.com](http://MontereyBay.com).

#### FUN STUFF

\*\* SEPT. 2-30

Science under sail at the Monterey Bay Aquarium. 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Sat-Sun, Sept. 2-30 at 886 Cannery Row, Monterey. Step aboard a state-of-the-art 65-foot research sailboat for the adventure of a lifetime. In the program, you'll work alongside aquarium naturalists in a three-hour science expedition on Monterey Bay. Details: [www.montereybayaquarium.org](http://www.montereybayaquarium.org) for more information.

\*\* SEPT. 12 AND SEPT. 19

Tour the Californian in Salinas. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Tuesdays, Sept. 12 and Sept. 19. Tour the editorial, advertising, newspaper, graphic and prepress departments. \$10. (Parent/guardian must remain onsite during tour). Sponsored by The Lyceum of Monterey County. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* SEPT. 14 AND SEPT. 21

Tour the Monterey Herald. 3:30-4:15 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 14 and Sept. 21. Be a reporter and bring your notepad to The Monterey Herald and tour the editorial, advertising, newspaper, graphic and prepress departments. \$10. (Parent/guardian must remain onsite during tour). Sponsored by The Lyceum of Monterey County. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* SEPT. 16

Kids flea market at Hilltop Park Center. 9 a.m.-noon on Saturday, Sept. 16 at 871 Jessie St., Monterey. Children ages 6-17 will sell used toys, books and games. Free. 646-3975.

\*\* SEPT. 24

Ham radio with Rick Lagerstrom. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 24 at the Lyceum of Monterey County, 1073 Sixth St., Monterey. Lagerstrom will introduce you to the world of ham radio. Explore the differences between broadcast radio and amateur radio as you try your hand at talking to "Hams" around the country. For grades 3 and up. \$10. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* SEPT. 26

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All about astronauts with Daniel Bursch. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 26. View pictures and video from astronaut Daniel Bursch's most recent trip to space as part of Expedition Four to the International Space Station (ISS). Topics include what astronauts do and where they go, how to become an astronaut and more. \$12. 372-6098.

\*\* ONGOING

Kids Club at the Oldemeyer Center in Seaside. 2:30-5:30 p.m. Mon-Fri at 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Homework help, craft projects, outdoor games, special events. \$16 a month for city residents; \$22 for nonresidents. The club follows the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District schedule. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING

Cooking classes for youth. 4-6 p.m. ongoing Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. The classes are open to children ages 7-12. \$47 for residents/\$58 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

Youth gymnastics. Ongoing Mondays and Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. For ages 4-14 (various classes offered). \$28 for city residents/\$35 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

#### MUSIC

\*\* THROUGH OCT. 23

Musikids! 5-5:45 p.m. ongoing Mondays, at Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For ages 3-5. Movement, vocal play, signing, listening, sound exploration. Sessions are four weeks in length and continue through Oct. 23. Susan Hayes is the instructor. 646-3966.

\*\* SEPT. 21-DEC. 21

Beginning guitar with Steve Fox. 8-9 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 21-Dec. 21 at Casanova-Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona, Monterey. For ages 13 and older. 646-5665. \$125 for Monterey city residents; \$163 for nonresidents. 646-3866.

\*\* SEPT. 6-7

Audition for the Monterey Peninsula Youth Chorus. 4-6 p.m. Wed-Thu, Sept. 6-7 at the Lutheran Church of Our Savior, 1230 Luther Way, Salinas. Directed by Diana Rosett. Open for students in grades 3-12. 754-2440 or e-mail: mpyouthchorus@yahoo.com.

#### ONSTAGE

\*\* SEPT. 11 AND SEPT. 18

Auditions for Saltshaker Theater's "The Borrowers: The Musical." 6:30-8:30 p.m.

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Mondays, Sept. 11 and Sept. 18 at the First Baptist Church, 1130 San Vincente Ave., Salinas. Actors and singers, men and women needed. All roles open. Bring a Broadway-type song (bring CD or music-- no a capella auditions); 3-minute monologue helpful). 422-9872, ext. 11 to schedule an appointment. Information: [www.1stbaptist.net](http://www.1stbaptist.net).

\*\* BEGINS SEPT. 12

Pioneers of the Future presents "Fanny and Robert or The Teller in Monterey," an interactive youth theatrical workshop. 3:30-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays beginning Sept. 12 at California First Theater, Scott and Pacific streets, Monterey. The workshop will culminate in performances on Nov. 4-5, Nov. 11-12 and Nov. 18-19. \$200. 424-2568, [www.montereypioneers.com](http://www.montereypioneers.com).

\*\* ONGOING

Audition for Monarch Theatre's "You Must Have Made a Mistake... This Can't be Christmas," a musical comedy. Parts available for child actors ages 6-12 with or without experience but must have a good attitude. Looking for non-singing principles, singing principles, chorus, and singers who can dance. All roles are open. Auditions are ongoing until parts are filled. Rehearsal held after school at Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman Ave., Monterey, 375-7774, [www.MonarchTheatre](http://www.MonarchTheatre)

[MontereyBay.com](http://MontereyBay.com).

\*\* ONGOING

Theater classes at Monarch Theatre. 4:30-5:30 p.m. Mon-Fri. Includes instruction in how to audition, acting technique, improvs, musical theatre, monologues, comedy and more. All actors must start at beginning level regardless of previous experience. Master level by invitation only. Actors are encouraged to audition for ongoing play productions. Runs in a 12-week session at \$125 a session or enroll in 2-5 classes a week pay \$80 monthly. Held at the Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman Ave., Monterey.GO!

375-7774, [www.MonarchTheatreMontereyBay.com](http://www.MonarchTheatreMontereyBay.com).

\*\* ONGOING

PacRep Theatre's School of Dramatic Arts (SoDA). Classes for tots, children, teens and adults including Pre-Musical Theatre (ages 4-6) and Sing! Dance! Act! (ages 7-13). New classes include Shakespeare for Teens, Radio Theatre (ages 8 and up) and Stage Combat for Adults. Fall session runs Aug. 28-Nov. 18. Spring session runs Jan. 8-March 31. All classes held at All Saints Church, Carmel. College credit available. Classes at All Saints Episcopal Church, Seccombe Hall, Ninth and Lincoln, Carmel. Directed by MaryAnn Schaupp-Rousseau. 656-9730, [www.pacrep.org](http://www.pacrep.org).

TOURS & OUTDOORS

\*\* OCT. 13-14, OCT. 21, OCT. 27-31

Wild Things Halloween Flashlight Tour. 7-8:30 p.m. Fri-Sat, Oct. 13-14; Saturday,

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Oct. 14; Fri-Tue, Oct. 27-31 at 400 River Road, Salinas. Refreshments, photo opportunities. \$14 adults/\$12 age 3-14. Not recommended for ages 3 and under. Reservations required. 455-1901, ext. 3.

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CALENDAR

Joyce Gordon Gallery -- Abstract painter Anna W. Edwards' exhibition "Light Bearers," Sept. 1-30; opening reception 5:30-8 p.m. Sept. 1. 406 14th St.

Oakland Museum of California -- First Fridays After Five: Blues & Jazz Summer Series, 5-9 p.m. Sept. 1. "There's No Place Like Home: Exploring Animal Habitat," 1-4 p.m. Sept. 17. "A Taste of California, the 24th Annual Wine, Food, & Beer Festival & Silent Auction," 1-4 p.m. Sept. 17. Bike tours of Oakland, 10 a.m. Sept. 17; reservations: 510-238-3514, jcollignon@museumca.org. "Sports: Breaking Records, Breaking Barriers" exhibition opens Sept. 23. "New Acquisitions: Video Work by Bill Viola," through Dec. 31. 1000 Oak St. Details: 510-238-2200, www.museumca.org.

Esteban Sabar Gallery -- 'Jugglers of Color' exhibits Sept. 1-Oct. 2: "Risk and Revelation: Oil Paintings by Albert Hwang," "Psyche: Oil and Pastel Paintings by Douglas Light," "Silver Lining: Acrylic Paintings by Sue Averell;" artists' reception 5-9 p.m. Sept. 1. 480 23rd St. Details: 510-444-7411, http://estebansabar.com.

Free Feldenkrais(r) Classes -- 10-11 a.m. Fridays, Sept. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. Feldenkrais(r) lessons can help us reduce pain, find movement possibilities, and increase comfort. All ages/physical abilities welcome. Downtown Oakland Senior Center, 200 Grand Ave., 2nd Floor Hall. Details: 510-238-3284.

49 Years and Counting -- Corpus Christi School celebrates its 50th Anniversary with an assortment of events. All are welcome. Look for a list of events and dates coming out this winter and a Golden Ticket package coming out in early spring. If you are an alumnus of Corpus Christi School or know other alumni, don't miss out on anniversary mailings. Please help ensure we have all alumni contact information. If you are interested in getting involved, contact school at 510-530-4056, www.corpuschristischool.com.

EGYPT Theatre Arts Center -- Omega Theatre Works presents "Smokey Joe's Cafe: The

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Songs of Leiber & Stoller," Sept. 1-10. Show Times: 8 p.m. Friday, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, 7 p.m. Sunday. 5300 Foothill Blvd. \$20. Reservations: 510-261-8856.

Woodminster Summer Musical -- Disney's "Beauty and the Beast", 8 p.m. Sept. 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, 9, 10. Musical retelling of the traditional fairy tale performed by Producers Associates, Inc. Woodminster Amphitheater in Joaquin Miller Park, 3300 Joaquin Miller Road. \$19.50-\$34.50; children free, courtesy of Chevron. Tickets: 510-531-9597 or [www.woodminster.com](http://www.woodminster.com).

Ego Park Gallery -- "Welcome Home" art exhibition, 2-5 p.m. Sundays Sept. 1-27. Featuring new work that contemplates real estate by James S. Pitt, Carson Murdach and John Tracy. Opening reception 5-9 p.m. Sept. 1, free. 492 23rd St. Details: 510-823-8045 or [www.egopark.org](http://www.egopark.org).

Comcast Art & Soul Oakland -- 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Sept. 2-4. Music on five stages from 50 bands, food, art exhibits, artisan booths, Family Fun Zone. Frank Ogawa Plaza and City Center, encompassing 10 city blocks. \$5, children 12 and under free. Details: 510-444-CITY or [www.ArtandSoulOakland.com](http://www.ArtandSoulOakland.com).

Business Men's Fellowship USA -- Meeting, 8 a.m. Sept. 2. Special guest speaker is Mike Rovner. Complimentary breakfast buffet. Women welcome, child care available. Crowne Plaza Hotel, 11950 Dublin Canyon Road, Pleasanton. Details: 800-263-8981.

Oakland Main Library -- "Educate to Liberate: A Retrospective of the Black Panther Community News Service," Sept. 2-Dec. 31. Honoring the 40th anniversary of the party, exhibit focuses on "The Black Panther" newspaper. Oakland History Room, 125 14th St. Details: 510-238-3222 or [www.oaklandlibrary.org](http://www.oaklandlibrary.org).

Oakland Tours -- Free 90-minute walking tours begin at 10 a.m. Churches and Temples: Sept. 2 and Oct. 11; meet at First Presbyterian Church, 2619 Broadway. City Center: Sept. 6 and Oct. 7; meet at Oakland City Hall, Frank Ogawa Plaza. Preservation Park: Sept. 9 and 27, and Oct. 28; meet at 13th Street and Martin Luther King Jr. Way. New Era/New Politics: Sept. 13 and Oct. 14; meet at African American Museum and Library, 659 14th St. Old Oakland: Sept. 16 and Oct. 18; meet at G.B. Ratto's & Co., 827 Washington St. Oakland Chinatown: Sept. 20 and Oct. 21; meet at Pacific Renaissance Plaza, 388 Ninth St. Uptown to the Lake: Sept. 23 and Oct. 4; meet at Paramount Theater, 2025 Broadway. Jack London Waterfront: Sept. 30 and Oct. 25; meet at Broadway and Embarcadero Street. Details: 510-238-3234, [www.oaklandnet.com/walkingtours](http://www.oaklandnet.com/walkingtours).

First annual Gala Convergence of Storytellers -- Sept. 3, 1-4 p.m. Over 20 local storytellers explain programs they provide for the storytelling community. Barnes & Noble Booksellers Events Loft, Jack London Square, 98 Broadway. Free.

"New Visions: Introductions 2006" -- Original works juried by Dennis O'Leary and Gary Sangster, through Sept. 3. More than 200 artists display media including painting, drawing, photography, sculpture, textiles, collage, installation and mixed-media works. Pro Arts, 550 Second St. Hours: noon-6 p.m., Tuesdays-Saturdays; noon-5 p.m. Sundays. Details: [www.proartsgallery.org](http://www.proartsgallery.org).

Woodminster with AAUW -- Sept. 3. Enjoy Woodminster musicals (and preshow picnics) with members and friends of Oakland-Piedmont, American Association of

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University Women. Special group rates. Details: Sue, 510-530-2328.

New Student Exhibition -- California College of the Arts, Tuesdays, Thursdays-Saturdays 11 a.m.-6 p.m., Wednesdays 11 a.m.-7:30 p.m. Reception, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Sept. 6; alumni panel will select pieces for special distinction. 5241 College Ave. Details: 510-658-1224.

Teen Summer Reading Program -- Through Sept. 5, Oakland Public Library. Teens entering grades 7-12 can earn prizes when they read for school or pleasure, and write reviews published online at oaklandlibrary.org and in a printed collection. Details: 510-238-7332.

A Great Good Place For Books -- Lynn Peril reads from "College Girls," 7 p.m. Sept. 5. Luncheon with "Static: Government Liars, Media Cheerleaders, and the People Who Fight Back" co-author Amy Goodman, noon Sept. 14; at A Chef's Eye, 6232 La Salle Ave.; \$40 for lunch/book, \$20 for lunch; R.S.V.P by 6 p.m. Sept. 12 at 510-339-8210. Stephen Davenport reads from "Saving Miss Oliver's," 7 p.m. Sept. 16. GGPB Book Club discussion, 7 p.m. Sept. 20. Novelist Jennifer Egan reads from "The Keep," 7 p.m. Sept. 22. 6120 La Salle Ave. St. Paul's Lecture Series with religious scholar Jonathan Kirsch, 7 p.m. Sept. 7, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 114 Montecito Ave., \$5 donation. Details: 510-339-8210, www.ggpbooks.com.

Basic Gardening for Homeowners -- class, Wednesdays 7:30-9:30 p.m. Sept. 6-Nov. 8. Learn to water, fertilize, plant and prune properly. Room H105, Landscape Horticulture Department, Merritt College, 12500 Campus Drive. \$85. Details: 510-436-2418 or www.merrittlandhort.com.

Balkan Singing Workshops -- Intermediate led by Juliana Graffagna, Wednesdays 7:30-9:30 p.m. Sept. 6, 13, 20 and 27. Basic led by Briget Boyle, Mondays 7:30-9:30 p.m. Sept. 11, 18, 25 and Oct. 9. KITKA/Children's Advocates office, 1201 Martin Luther King Jr. Way. \$60/four sessions, \$20/drop-in. Registration: 510-444-0323, workshops@kitka.org, or www.kitka.org.

East Bay Women's Network -- Meetings, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Sept. 6: April Wolford speaks on "Memberclicks." Oct. 4: Marcia Thomson speaks on "Getting Ready for a Healthy Holiday." The Englander Restaurant, 101 Parrott St., San Leandro. \$15-\$25. Details: Pat, 510-848-7256, pat@yellowbellywebdesign.com or www.ebwn.org.

American Red Cross Blood Services -- Volunteer Orientations in Oakland, 10 a.m.-noon Sept. 6, 6-8 p.m. Sept. 19. Help support the more than 40 blood drives held each month all over the East Bay. Sign-ups: Anne, 510-594-5165.

California College of the Arts -- Free exhibitions. "Eleventh annual Yozo Hamaguchi Printmaking Scholarship Awards," Monday-Saturday 10 a.m.-7:30 p.m. through Sept. 14, Isabelle Percy West Gallery; reception 6-8 p.m. Sept. 6; 510-594-3619. CCA Faculty Exhibition, "On Making," Sept. 6-22, Oliver Art Center, Tecoah Bruce Gallery; reception 5:30-7:30 p.m. Sept. 6; 510-658-1224. 5212 Broadway.

Friends of the Oakland Public Library -- Nonfiction Book Group, 6:30 p.m. Sept. 6. Andrew Lam discusses his book "Perfume Dreams: Reflections on the Vietnamese Diaspora." Oct. 6: discussion of Erik Larsen's "The Devil in White City." Bookmark Bookstore, 721 Washington St. R.S.V.P.: 510-531-3420 or bookclub@fopl.org.

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Upcoming: FOPL's semi-annual book sale, Oct. 4-8; to donate books before sale, please drop off at bookstore or call 510-444-0473 for large donation pickup.

East Bay Women's Network -- Sept. 6, April Wolford speaks on "Memberclicks." \$15-\$25. The Englander Restaurant, 101 Parrott St., San Leandro. Details: Pat 510-848 7256, pat@yellowbellywebdesign.com, www.ebwn.org.

Book discussion group -- 6:30 p.m. first Wednesdays monthly. Upcoming selections: "Perfume Dreams," by Andrew Lam, Sept. 6; and "Devil in the White City," by Erik Larsen, Oct. 4. Bookmark Bookstore, 721 Washington St. Details: 510-444-0473.

Evening Art Event -- "Eight Emotions," 6-8 p.m. Sept. 7. A new multimedia work by visual artist Joell Jones and composer Anne Kege. Fort Creativity Center, 940 Arlington Ave. Free. Details: 510-558-8013.

Laney College -- "Color Stuck," 8 p.m. Sept. 7-10. Donald E. Lacy's one-man show tackles with humor the differences and misunderstandings amongst different races that lead to racism. Theatre, 900 Fallon St. \$5-\$15. Details: 510-663-5683.

Italian Catholic Federation -- Branch 223 Ravioli dinner, 7 p.m. Sept. 7. No-host cocktails 6:15 p.m. Western theme, wear western clothes if you wish. St. Theresa Hall, 30 Mandalay Road. Adults \$15, children 7-12 years old \$7; make checks payable to I.C.F. Br. 223 and mail to Holly Raineri, 1074 Annerley Road, Piedmont CA 94610. Details: 510-451-0608.

"First Thursdays at Fruitvale Village" -- A street fair and farmer's market at Fruitvale BART, 5-8 p.m. Sept. 7. Live music and dance by Capoeira Arts Caf  and Sol Mexica, arts and crafts, melons and jicama tastings, MOCHA children's projects, kid's jumper, "Lee y Seras" Literacy Caravan, Native American Health Center gives cooking demonstration. Free. Details: 510-534-6900, www.unitycouncil.org.

Ornamental Grasses -- class, Fridays 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Sept. 8-Nov. 3. Overview of various grasses includes field trips. Room H108, Landscape Horticulture Department, Merritt College, 12500 Campus Drive Details: 510-436-2418 or www.merrittlandhort.com.

Millionaire's Destiny -- Monthly preview and support meeting, 7-10 p.m. Sept. 8 and Oct. 13. Topics include goal setting, overcoming fears, writing business plans and more. Facilitated by Charles Patton. 555 10th St. Details: 510-387-1183 or www.itsmydestiny.com.

Got e-waste??? -- Free public disposal/recycling event for electronic waste, 12-5 p.m. Sept. 8; 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sept. 9. Accepted items: computer monitors, computer hard drives and cases, keyboards, mice, printers, fax machines, VCRs, DVDs, TVs, telephone equipment, toner cartridges, cellular phones, power supplies, audio and visual equipment, digital cameras, stereo equipment and speakers, household batteries, copy machines, video game systems, wire, steel scrap, ferrous and nonferrous metals, and steel alloy rims. Not accepted: microwave ovens, household appliances, smoke detectors, furniture, car batteries. Oakland Coliseum Parking Lot D, 7000 Coliseum Way. Free. Details: 866-335-3373 or www.noewaste.com.

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The Art of the Focal Tree -- 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Sept. 9. Learn about tree form, location, detail pruning and care. For all levels. Room H101, Landscape Horticulture Department, Merritt College, 12500 Campus Drive. \$36. Details: 510-436-2418, or [www.merrittlandhort.com](http://www.merrittlandhort.com).

St. Paul's Episcopal Church -- Commemoration of 9/11/2001 events. Pacific Collegium benefit concert, 7:30 p.m. Sept. 9; also features Pacific Boychoir Academy, Amici Catellorum Impromptu Philharmonic; proceeds benefit National Disaster Search Dog Foundation; tickets: [www.pacificcollegium.com](http://www.pacificcollegium.com). St. Paul's Choir presents the G.F. Anerio Missa Pro Defunctis, 10 a.m. mass on Sept. 10. Caius College Choir from Cambridge, England in concert, 8 p.m. Sept. 11; features works of Taverner, Weelkes, Purcell and more; free. 114 Montecito Ave. Details: 510-834-4314 or [www.stpaulsoakland.org](http://www.stpaulsoakland.org).

American Association of University Women -- Oakland-Piedmont branch Kickoff, 10 a.m.-noon Sept. 9. Group supports education and equity for women. Speaker is Linda Kekelis, director of Chabot's "Techbridge" program for girls. Light brunch. 1850 Alice St. Free. R.S.V.P.: 510-530-2328 or 510-528-2251.

Mills College Art Museum -- "Particulate Matter" exhibit, Sept. 9-Oct. 8. Six artists address concerns of overload in modern life. Opening reception 5-7 p.m. Sept. 9. Gallery hours: Tuesdays and Thursday through Saturday 11 a.m.-4 p.m., Wednesday 11 a.m.-7:30 p.m., Sunday 12-4 p.m. 5000 MacArthur Blvd. Free.

17 Jewels Salon+Spa -- Client Appreciation Night, 7-9 p.m. Sept. 9. Features champagne reception, snacks, original art work by Lynn Beldner and Julie Stevens, manicure samples and mini hand and foot massages by Khiaecia Key. 4801 Telegraph Ave. Details: 510-653-1059.

Museum of Children's Art -- Extreme Makeover Day, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 9; volunteers needed to help with major clean-up activities, and minor repairs; free refreshments; register for free child care in advance. Endless Summer Camp Art Reunion, Sept. 12-Oct. 1; sampler of artwork from mocha's 10 weeks of art camp created by youth 5-15 years old; reception 2-4 p.m. Sept. 16. "Art for Educators" workshop, 4-9 p.m. Sept. 29, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sept. 30-Oct. 1, \$250-\$275. 528 9th St. Details: 510-465-8770, Ext. 308 or [www.mocha.org](http://www.mocha.org).

Yoga for Peace Oakland -- Noon, Sept. 9. Hundreds of people gather to do yoga with the intention of community peace. Features 108 sun salutations, which create greater harmony and alignment with natural law. Kirtan music, special guest performers Phoenix and After Buffalo. Bring your yoga mat, water and a healthy snack. All levels invited, non-yoga participants welcome. 1 Frank H. Owaga Plaza, 14th Street and Broadway. Details: [yoga4peaceoak@gmail.com](mailto:yoga4peaceoak@gmail.com) or [www.yoga4peaceoak.org](http://www.yoga4peaceoak.org).

"Living Lightly: Simpler, Slower, Smaller" conference -- 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sept. 9. Discussions on topics related to voluntary simplicity: consuming less, taking back our time, relocalizing, and finding ways to lighten our spirits in this age of fear and alienation. Speakers include Cecile Andrews and Bruce Anderson. Lake Merritt United Methodist Church, 1330 Lakeshore Ave. \$15-\$20. Details: [livingmorewithless@yahoo.com](mailto:livingmorewithless@yahoo.com), [www.worldcentric.org/septsimplicityconf](http://www.worldcentric.org/septsimplicityconf).

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Clars Auction Gallery -- 10 a.m. Sept. 9-10, Oct. 7-8. Gallery auction features furniture, art, rugs, vehicles and more. Proceeds benefit KQED's Antiques Roadshow, Conservation International, the Oakland Museum and other nonprofit groups and projects. 5644 Telegraph Ave. Details: 510-428-0100, info@clars.com, www.clars.com.

First Presbyterian Church of Oakland -- "Rally Day," Sept. 10. 9-9:45 a.m., and 11:15-11:45 a.m., explore and sign up for education series and events, committee involvement, and new choirs. Potluck dinner, 5:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. 6:30 p.m., Dr. Eric Mount speaks on "Covenant, Community, and the Common Good." 2619 Broadway. Dinner assignments: 510-444-3555 or www.firstchurchoakland.org.

"Soul at the Chimes" -- 2 p.m. Sept. 10. Fund-raiser concert for Bay Area Repertory Theatre with pianist Ricardo Scales; vocalist Simply Toya; electric jazz violinist Tarika Lewis; Carl & Sam Comedy Act. Reception follows. Chapel of the Chimes, 4499 Piedmont Ave. \$35. Tickets: www.brownpapertickets.com.

Bike Against the Odds -- 6:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Sept. 10. Five routes to choose from, 12-100 miles long. Lunches, massage, music. Raise funds and earn prizes. Lakeside Park, Lake Merritt. \$50 advance, \$65 day of event. Proceeds benefit Breast Cancer Fund. Details/registration: www.kintera.org/faf/home/default.asp?ievent=169730&msource=news0506&tr=y&auid=1625135 or www.breastcancerfund.org/BAO. Details: 415-346-8223 or Jessica@breastcancerfund.org.

Alameda County Lead Poisoning Prevention Program -- Lead Funding Drop In, Mondays 4-6 p.m. Sept. 11-Dec. 18. Find out about funding for lead hazard repairs for rental properties with low-income tenants or vacant units in Oakland, Berkeley or Emeryville. Application assistance. 2000 Embarcadero, Suite 300. Details: 510-567-8280.

Zimbabwe AIDS Relief Fund-raiser Benefit and Concert -- Sept. 11. Free pre-concert reception and fund-raiser, 5 p.m. at Stoneridge Gallery, 424 2nd St., Jack London Square. Oliver Mtukudzi and Black Spirits in concert, 8 p.m. at Yoshi's Jazz House, 510 Embarcadero West, Jack London Square; \$75. Tickets: 510-238-9200 or www.yoshis.com.

Living with Wildlife in the East Bay -- 7:30 p.m. Sept. 11. Close to Home presents naturalist Timothy Manolis' talk on dragonflies. Montclair Presbyterian Church, 5701 Thornhill Road. Donation: \$5; K-12 free. Details: Cindy, 510-655-6658, www.close-to-home.org.

Oakland Public Library -- 10th birthday celebration at Rockridge Library, 7-9 p.m. Sept. 12. Local author panel discusses "Writers on Reading." Authors include Cynthia Gorney, Maxine Hong Kingston, April Sinclair, Jon Carroll. Activities for children age six and up. 5366 College Ave. Details: 510-597-5017.

Piedmont Adult Education -- Picture Framing workshop, Tuesdays 6:30-9:30 p.m. starting Sept. 12. Seven-week course shows how to mat and frame pictures with professional results. 800 Magnolia Ave, Piedmont. Details: 510-594-2655 or www.piedmontadultschool.org.

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CCA Center for Art and Public Life -- Annual Open House, 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Sept. 14. Center creates and enhances arts education programs for underserved communities. 5275 Broadway. Free. Details: 510-594-3757 or <http://center.cca.edu>.

Art exhibit -- "Dreamwhipped, an American Social Landscape," 9 a.m.-4 p.m. weekdays through Sept. 14. Paintings by Patricia Schaefer. Metropolitan Transportation Commission, Metrocenter, 101 Eighth St., third floor. 510-817-5773, [www.mtc.ca.gov](http://www.mtc.ca.gov).

Peralta Hacienda Historical Park Museum Gallery -- "Looking For Hope" exhibition, Sept. 15-March 31. Photography by Matt O'Brien, text created by Oakland public school students. Artists' reception 6-8 p.m. Sept. 15. Gallery hours: Thursdays and Fridays 4-6 p.m., Sundays 12-4 p.m. 2465 34th Ave. Free. Details: 510-532-9142 or [www.peraltahacienda.org](http://www.peraltahacienda.org).

Harmony Center -- Movies that Matter, 6:30 p.m. Sept. 15. "Whale Rider" screening: story of love, rejection and triumph as a young Maori girl fights to fulfill her destiny. Dessert, discussion follows. At private residence overlooking Lake Merritt. Call for directions, to place order for optional no-host pizza: 510-451-3009 or [movies@joyfulharmony.com](mailto:movies@joyfulharmony.com). Details: [www.joyfulharmony.com](http://www.joyfulharmony.com).

Bringing Back the Natives Garden Tour -- Gardens sought to be part of tour on May 6, 2007. Tour showcases bird- and butterfly-friendly, pesticide-free, water conserving gardens that contain 30 percent or more California native plants. Gardens must be located in Alameda or Contra Costa counties. Applications, due by Sept. 15, at [www.BringingBackTheNatives.net](http://www.BringingBackTheNatives.net). Details: 510-236-9558 between 9 a.m.-9 p.m. or [Kathy@KathyKramerConsulting.net](mailto:Kathy@KathyKramerConsulting.net).

Museum of Children's Art -- Chalk4Peace: the young person's global art project, 1-4 p.m. Sept. 16. Join in a planet-wide young artists' chalk art project paying respect to visual concept of peace. Draw your own colorful images of peace and global cooperation on the courtyard. Project to be documented online. 528 9th St. Free. Details: 510-465-8770, [www.mocha.org](http://www.mocha.org) or [www.chalk4peace.org](http://www.chalk4peace.org).

Oakland Heritage Alliance -- Neighborhood walking tours, \$5-\$30. Mills College campus, 2-4 p.m. Sept. 16, meet in front of Mills Hall on Mills College campus. Details: 510-763-9218, [www.oaklandheritage.org](http://www.oaklandheritage.org).

California Writers Club -- Berkeley Branch meeting, 10 a.m.-noon Sept. 16. Humor Columnist Mary Hanna speaks on "Are You a Wiener?" Barnes & Noble Booksellers, Event Loft, Jack London Square, 98 Broadway. Free. Details: 510-272-0120 or [www.berkeleywritersclub.org](http://www.berkeleywritersclub.org).

Oakland Public Library -- Panel discussion, 2 p.m. Sept. 16. Authors Daniel Alarcon, Adam Mansbach, and T. Cooper discuss their new anthology "A Fictional History of the United States with Huge Chunks Missing." Main Library, 125 14th St. Details: 510-238-3134 or [www.oaklandlibrary.org](http://www.oaklandlibrary.org).

"Poets & Writers Who Care" -- Fund-raiser, 5:30-10 p.m. Sept. 16. Features over 40 local poets and writers. Wine and cheese buffet. Proceeds support Measure N bond measure to benefit Oakland Public Library. Rotunda Building, 300 Frank Ogawa Plaza. \$100/person, \$25/students and seniors, \$175/couple, \$1000/sponsor. Advance

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ticket orders can be made payable and sent to Oakland Neighborhood Library Coalition for Measure N (ID#1261751), 333 Market St., Oakland, CA 94607. Details: 510-260-4124 or [www.oaklandlibraries.com](http://www.oaklandlibraries.com).

Piedmont Choir -- placement auditions, Sept. 16. Children's choir for all levels. New singers ages 6-10 welcome. Appointments for Piedmont or Alameda: 510-547-4441. Low introductory rate for beginning boys; scholarships available. Details: [www.piedmontchoirs.org](http://www.piedmontchoirs.org).

Compassionate Cooks -- Vegetarian cooking class "Demystifying Tofu & Tempeh & Other Whole Soy Products," 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Sept. 16. Five dishes demonstrated, plus taste test of non-dairy milks. First Unitarian Church of Oakland, 685 14th St. \$50. Register: 510-531-COOK or [www.compassionatecooks.com](http://www.compassionatecooks.com).

Book and DVD release event -- Free film showing and book reading, 2 p.m. Sept. 16. Launches Amy Gorman's book "Aging Artfully, Greg Young's DVD "Still Kicking" and Frances Kandl's CD "7 Songs of Women." Rockridge Library, 5366 College Ave. Details: 510-527-4977.

Castlemont High School 50 year reunion -- Classes of January and June 1956, Sept. 16. Event at Crowne Plaza Hotel in Pleasanton. Details: Greg Hickey, 925-461-1381 or Ron Campos, 925-820-5628.

Old Oakland Outdoor Cinema Series -- Movies begin at dusk. "The Bourne Identity," Sept. 16; and "Shrek," Oct. 21. Limited seating available, bring your own chairs and blankets. Snacks available for purchase. Ninth Street between Broadway and Washington Street. Details: 510-238-4734, [www.filmoakland.com](http://www.filmoakland.com).

Jazz at the Chimes -- "Stephanie Bruce Peace: An Invocation," 2-4 p.m. Sept. 17. Reception follows. Chapel of the Chimes, 4499 Piedmont Ave. \$10 donation. Tickets: Allison, 510-288-3207 or [arodman@lifemarkgroup.com](mailto:arodman@lifemarkgroup.com).

Misty Redwood Run -- 10K fun run on scenic trail, 8:30 a.m. Sept. 17. Age group and division awards 10:30 a.m. Proceeds benefit Bay Area Coalition for Headwaters. No dogs allowed. Redwood Regional Park, Redwood Gate entrance, 7867 Redwood Road. \$20 online by Sept. 15, \$25 race day. Register: [www.theschedule.com/eventinfo.cfm?eventID+10675](http://www.theschedule.com/eventinfo.cfm?eventID+10675). By mail: check payable to Ecology Center/BACH and mail to Bay Area Coalition for Headwaters, 2530 San Pablo Ave., Berkeley CA 94702. Details: 510-548-3113.

East Bay Moms -- 10th anniversary picnic, 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Sept. 17. barbecue lunch, entertainment and games. Members who haven't received invitation, send address to [eastbaymom@aol.com](mailto:eastbaymom@aol.com). Membership open to all interested mothers and fathers of infants and toddlers. Lake Temescal. Details: 510-653-7867 or [www.eastbaymoms.com](http://www.eastbaymoms.com).

California Institute of Integral Studies -- Solo painting exhibit "After Piranesi / After Us" by Oakland resident Olivia Eielson, through Oct. 13. Reception/slide show 7-9 p.m. Sept. 17. Paintings show modern industrial ruins fused with ancient Greek and Roman ruins, suggesting that our civilization may be going the way of other great civilizations of the past. 4th floor, 1453 Mission St., San Francisco.

Temple Beth Abraham -- Family Sunday Kindergym PlayDays, 10:30 a.m.-noon Sept. 17 and Oct. 29. For ages 9 months to under 3 years olds and a parent. Slides, ball pit, climbers, music, and more. All families welcome. 327 MacArthur Blvd. \$10/family. Details: Dawn, 510 547-7726, [www.tbaoakland.org/kindergym](http://www.tbaoakland.org/kindergym).

Piedmont Adult School -- Hanna Somatics class, Mondays 7-8:30 p.m. Sept. 18-Oct. 23. Reduce stress and pain, learn sensory-awareness skills and gentle movements to help eliminate habitual tension patterns resulting from stress, trauma or injury. Taught by Abby Rose, H.S.E., S.E.P. Details: [abby@abbyrosesomatics.com](mailto:abby@abbyrosesomatics.com). Registration: [www.piedmontadultschool.org](http://www.piedmontadultschool.org).

Protect Yourself! -- Seniors Against Investment Fraud Workshop, 10-11:30 a.m. Sept. 18. Department of Corporations' program. Brief overview, information packets, question and answer period. Elihu Harris State Building, first floor auditorium, 1515 Clay St. R.S.V.P.: 510-286-1670, Ext. 23.

Crafts & Cultural Arts Gallery -- "Seen. Unseen." exhibition by local artist Zahava Sherez, Sept. 18-Oct. 27. Opening reception 5-8 p.m. Sept. 21; Ernie Mansfield - Jack Gates Duo performs. Artist talk, 5-8 p.m. Oct. 19; indigenous world music performed by Carlos. Gallery hours: weekdays 10 a.m.-5 p.m. State of California Office Building, Atrium, 1515 Clay St. Details: 510-622-8190 or 510-593-5141.

Qigong Classes -- 20-week series, begins 7-8:30 p.m. Sept. 19. Dayan (Wild Goose) form improves health, strength, flexibility, longevity and healing. All ages, levels welcome. Cerebral Palsy Center, 4500 Lincoln Ave. Details: Maureen, 510-533-2891.

Prostate Cancer Screening -- 7:45-11:15 a.m. Sept. 20, 1:45-5:15 p.m. Sept. 21. Free; appointments required. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center's Markstein Cancer Education and Prevention Center, Peralta Pavilion, 450 30th St. Appointments: 510-869-8833 between 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

Appreciating Diversity Film Series -- free screening of "Homeless in Paradise," 7 p.m. Sept. 21. Reception at 6:30 p.m. Film follows lives of four homeless people in Santa Monica. Following film, homeless representatives speak. Ellen Driscoll Theater, Frank Havens School, 325 Highland Ave., Piedmont. Details: [www.diversityworks.org](http://www.diversityworks.org), [www.piedmont.k12.ca.us](http://www.piedmont.k12.ca.us).

Piedmont Area Republican Women, Federated -- Cocktail Reception honoring military wives and mothers, 6 p.m. Sept. 21. Keynote Speaker is Mindy Fletcher, Deputy Campaign Manager for Governor Schwarzenegger's reelection campaign. Tom Del Baccaro, Chairman of Republican County Chairs Association also speaks. Meet invited local and State Republican candidates. Wine and hors d'oeuvres. In Piedmont. \$40. Please bring items for "Operation Mom" to support our troops. Details: 510-531-0567.

Walkathon fund-raiser -- 9 a.m. Sept. 23. Registration at 8:30 a.m. Walk around Lake Merritt. Proceeds benefit Oral Lee Brown Foundation. T-shirts given to all paying participants. Children's Fairyland entrance, 699 Bellevue Ave. \$25/adults 18+, \$15/ages 12-17, free/under 12. Details: Linda Kersten, Oakland Association of Realtors, 1528 Webster St., Oakland CA 94612, 510-588-6805.

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Women's Cancer Resource Center -- "¡Salud! A Celebration of Latino Art, Health & Community," 10 a.m.-2 p.m.Sept. 23. Health and art fair with cancer and health information in English and Spanish, visual art show with art by local Latino artists, free snacks, Latin American music and performance, free raffle, information from local Latino organizations. 5741 Telegraph Ave. Free. Details: [www.wcrc.org](http://www.wcrc.org).

"On with the Show!" -- East Bay Women Artists exhibit, through Sept. 24. Includes art by Kay Athos, Virginia Dorn, Joan Finton, Gwen Halpin, Mei-Rung Huang, Rachel Landes, Paula Powers, Lynda Robinson, Estera Roseman, Chaya Spector. Hours: 9 a.m.-8 p.m. weekdays. Royal Ground Gallery, 2058 Mountain Blvd. Details: 510-339-0348, [alliekazam@comcast.net](mailto:alliekazam@comcast.net).

Opera at the Chimes -- 2-4 p.m.Sept. 24. Oakland Lyric Opera performs "Scenes from Carmen." Reception to follow. Upcoming: "Fassian Romance," Nov. 5. Chapel of the Chimes, 4499 Piedmont Ave. \$18-\$20. Details: 510-836-6772 or [www.oaklandlyricopera.org](http://www.oaklandlyricopera.org).

Stoneridge Gallery -- "Seascapes Revisited and more," through Sept. 25. Works by Synthia Saint James. Saint James' work has been on a Kwanzaa stamp, covers of Terry McMillan's books and elsewhere. 424 2nd St., Jack London Square. Details: 510-444-7466, [www.synthiasaintjames.com](http://www.synthiasaintjames.com).

Sistahs Steppin' in Pride Celebration -- "Tell HerStory: An Exhibit of East Bay Lesbian History," 1-5 p.m.Sept. 26. Work-in progress documents and celebrates history of lesbianism in East Bay. Snow Park, Harrison Street between 19th and 20th streets. Free.

East Bay Women Artists -- "Colors" art exhibit, 9 a.m.-8 p.m.Sept. 27-Jan. 7. Artists' reception 6-7:30 p.m.Oct. 5. Participating artists include: Benny Alba, Allisen Asercion, Lorraine M. Bruce, Norma Andersen Fox, Gwen Halpin, Mercie Harris, Mei-yu Lo, Nancy Pollock, Shirley Warwick, Marie Wilson, and Olivia Eielson. Royal Ground Gallery, 2058 Mountain Blvd. Details: Paula, 510-451-2661 or [creativespiritarts@sbcglobal.net](mailto:creativespiritarts@sbcglobal.net) or [alliekazam@comcast.net](mailto:alliekazam@comcast.net).

USS Potomac Presidential Yacht to Angel Island -- 10:30 a.m.-4 p.m.Sept. 27, Oct. 25 and Nov. 15. Sail on Franklin D. Roosevelt's floating White House to Ellis Island of the West. 540 Water St., Jack London Square. Docent-led tram tour. Box lunch included. \$85. Details: 510-627-1215, [www.usspotomac.org](http://www.usspotomac.org).

Oakland Technical High School 50th Reunion -- 6:30 p.m.Sept. 29. Scott's Seafood Restaurant, 2 Broadway, Jack London Square. 1956 January and June classes. Details: Stan Tremewan 707-778-9851, Rita Rasmussen Hamlin 925-687-0233, [www.oths56.org](http://www.oths56.org).

Hopalong Animal Rescue -- Dogs available for adoption, 12-3 p.m.Sept. 30. Pet Food Express, 5144 Broadway. Details: 510-267-1915 or [www.hopalong.org](http://www.hopalong.org).

Oakland Fukuoka Sister City Association -- Moon Viewing Festival, 5:30-9 p.m.Oct. 1. Bonsai Garden open house, Torii Gate, Japanese "bento" box dinners, martial arts and Koto performances, telescopic viewing of the moon, and more. Order dinner by Sept. 25: send check for \$15 to OFSCA, P.O. Box 13022, Oakland CA 94661-3022.

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Lakeside Park Garden Center, 666 Bellevue Ave. Details: 510-482-5896 or [www.oakland-fukuoka.org](http://www.oakland-fukuoka.org).

"Wild Birds" art show -- Through Oct. 3. Paintings by award-winning artist Rita Sklar. 7:30 a.m.-3 p.m., Mondays-Saturdays; 8 a.m.-3 p.m. Sundays. Rockridge Cafe, 5492 College Ave.

Watershed Project -- "More Than Your Standard Garden," 4-6 p.m. Oct. 5 in Oakland. Your school garden can be an outdoor classroom for science, math, or language arts. Learn how to develop standards-based lesson plans and link existing activities to California Content Standards. \$25; scholarships available. Register/details: 510-665-3546, [workshops@thewatershedproject.org](mailto:workshops@thewatershedproject.org) or [www.thewatershedproject.org](http://www.thewatershedproject.org).

Piedmont High School Class of 1976 -- Holds its 30th reunion Oct. 7 at Veteran's Hall, Piedmont. Organizing committee members are trying to locate all classmates. If you are a classmate or know a classmate, contact Ellin Anderson Purdom, [epurdom@ashfield.com](mailto:epurdom@ashfield.com), 415-352-4103.

Jewish Community Federation of the Greater East Bay -- "Taste of Judaism: Are you Curious?" Thursday evenings, Oct. 19, 26 and Nov. 2 in Oakland. Explore Jewish spirituality, ethics & community. Open to all, Jewish or not. Free 3-session class. Pre-registration required, call Dawn, 510-839-2900, Ext. 347.

Chabot Elementary School -- Fall Carnival, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Oct. 29. Classes present food and game booths: Ring Toss, Lucky Duck, Cake Walk and Bean Bag Throw. Arts and crafts, food and drinks available for purchase, haunted house, music, entertainment, fire truck visit. Proceeds facilitate school improvements. Lower playground, 6686 Chabot Road. Free admission.

OMCA Off-Site -- Oakland Museum of California exhibitions. "Herding Sheep: Armando Ramos," through Nov. 1, The Sculpture Court, 1111 Broadway; weekdays 7 a.m.-7 p.m., third Thursdays 7 a.m.-8 p.m. -- "Light Markers: David Ruth," through Nov. 10, Gallery 555, 555 12th St.; weekdays 7 a.m.-6 p.m., third Thursdays 7 a.m.-8 p.m. Details: 510-238-6836, [www.museumca.org](http://www.museumca.org).

Merritt College -- Perfect Doc's Notary Training and Exam in Building A, Room 129, 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Nov. 9; details: Nicole, 707-246-3040.

East Bay Agency for Children -- Circle of Care in Oakland needs playful, compassionate people to help children living with loss and grief. Help facilitate support groups for children, teens, toddlers or adults who are coping with loss. Next training is in November. Details: 510-531-7551, Ext. 109, [alinya@ebac.org](mailto:alinya@ebac.org), [www.ebac.org](http://www.ebac.org).

Latham Square exhibition -- "Cynthia Lait: ECHOES," through Nov. 10. Viewing hours: weekdays 9 a.m.-5 p.m. 1611 Telegraph Ave. Details: [www.proartsgallery.org](http://www.proartsgallery.org).

USS Potomac Presidential Yacht -- two-hour history cruise, 11 a.m. first and third Thursdays, second and fourth Saturdays, through Nov. 11. Learn about President Franklin D. Roosevelt and the ship he loved. \$20-\$40. Dockside tours available year-round on Wednesdays and Fridays 10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.; Sundays

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noon-3:30 p.m. FDR Pier, 540 Water St., Jack London Square. Details: 510-627-1215, [www.usspotomac.org](http://www.usspotomac.org).

Chabot Space and Science Center -- "Black Holes: The Other Side of Infinity," through January 2007. New planetarium show. 10000 Skyline Blvd. Details: 510-336-7300, [www.chabotspace.org](http://www.chabotspace.org).

"Building the New East Span" -- through Jan. 5. Photographs by Joseph Blum document construction of new east span of the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge. Joseph P. Bort MetroCenter, second floor, West Corridor, 101 Eighth St. Details: 510-817-5773.

"Bay Area Landscapes from Trillium Press" -- through June 12, 2007. Open weekdays 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Oakland City Center, 500 12th St. Details: 510-238-6836, [www.museumca.org](http://www.museumca.org).

#### ONGOING

"Man to Man" -- Prostate Cancer Support Group, meets 6:15-7:45 p.m. on fourth Tuesdays monthly. Free group provides support, education, information. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center's Markstein Cancer Education and Prevention Center, 450 - 30th St., Room 2810. Details: 510-869-8833.

Food Addicts in Recovery Anonymous -- meetings, 7-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays, 8-9:30 a.m. Saturdays. Free yourself from excess weight and/or obsessional thoughts about food and body image. Meetings are open and free to public. Summit Hospital, off cafeteria, 350 Hawthorne Ave. Details: 800-600-6028 or [www.foodaddicts.org](http://www.foodaddicts.org).

Oakland Artisan Marketplace -- 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Fridays at Frank Ogawa Plaza, 14th Street and Broadway; 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturdays and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sundays at Jack London Square, Broadway at Waterfront. Weekly market featuring fine art and crafts of local artists. Details: 510-238-4948 or [www.oaklandculturalarts.org](http://www.oaklandculturalarts.org).

Healing Yoga for Cancer -- 11 a.m.-noon Thursdays. Drop-in yoga class teaches cancer patients a series of gentle movements to let go of stress. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center, Comprehensive Cancer Center Conference Room, 2001 Dwight Way, Berkeley. Details: 510-503-1653.

Rainbow Bridge Pet Loss Support Group -- meets 6:30-8 p.m. third Thursdays monthly at East Bay SPCA in Oakland. Free, drop-in, for humans only. Details: 510-569-0702, [www.eastbayspca.org/events](http://www.eastbayspca.org/events).

Grief Recovery Group -- Group meets weekly for six weeks, 4-5:30 p.m. Thursdays. Four sessions yearly. Free. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center's Chaplaincy Department, 350 Hawthorne Ave. Details: 510-869-6778.

Adopt a Child/Family Builders by Adoption -- Orientations 10 a.m.-noon first Saturdays monthly. Meetings focus on California children waiting to be adopted. Orientations in Spanish by appointment. 528 Grand Ave. Details: 510-272-0204 Ext. 10.

Alzheimer's Support Groups -- 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. second and fourth Tuesdays

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monthly. Kaiser Permanente Medical Center, Fabiola Building, Room G70, 3801 Howe St. Details: Lowanda 510-752-7682. -- Lunch and Learn potluck for African American caregivers, 11 a.m. second Fridays monthly. North Oakland Senior Center, 5714 Martin Luther King Jr. Way. Details: Tina, 925-284-7942; Chris, 925-284-7942; 800-272-3900; www.alznorcal.org.

Breast Cancer Support Group -- for Spanish-Speaking Women meets 4-6 p.m. first and third Mondays monthly. Summit Campus, Peralta Pavilion, Markstein Cancer Education and Prevention Center, 430 - 30th St., Room 2810 Free. Registration: Marta, 510-869-8231.

East Bay Moms -- meets Friday mornings. Planned activities for parents with their infants and toddlers, including a hike or stroller walk. Featuring mom's day out, indoor play sessions, retreats, family day, Music Together classes and more. Details: 510-653-7867, www.eastbaymoms.com.

The Avenues Project -- Needs multimedia arts and performance youth program instructors, coordinators, athletic coaches and tutors. Youth comprehensive arts and athletics school program based out of East Oakland Community High School. During school, after school; flexible hours available. \$25 an hour. Part-time/possible full-time employment. Details: Jay 510-754-9688.

Self Help for Hard of Hearing People, Inc./SHHH -- Meets 10 a.m.-noon, fourth Saturdays monthly (except July and August). Kaiser Oakland Permanente Medical Center, 3772 Howe St., east entrance, 12th floor. East Conference Room. Assistive listening devices available. To confirm attendance: 510-531-7444, Tulipup007@cs.com.

Montclair Lions Club -- Seeks new members for an active service club. Group meets for Thursday lunches, plans activities that help local community and worldwide. Details: 510-595-6757.

Help a child learn to read -- Jewish Coalition for Literacy tutors volunteer at schools, after-school programs and evening programs throughout area. No previous tutoring experience is necessary. Register online: www.jclread.org/training.htm. Details: 510-839-2900 Ext. 273.

Able World Foundation Inc. -- Seeks prospective board members for a person-oriented group focusing on peace, progress and prosperity. Details: 510-763-1843.

Great Books -- Reading and discussion. Monthly meetings held at various East Bay locations. Literature worth talking about. Details and locations: 510-530-2344.

Interfaith Couples Discussion Groups -- 7:30-9.15 p.m. Wednesdays in Oakland. Join other couples to discuss child-rearing, holiday celebrations, extended family, and clarifying religious and ethnic values. Sliding scale fee. Details: Dawn, 510-839-2900, Ext. 347, www.jfed.org/interfaith.htm.

Reading Partners -- Would you like to share a book with a child? Volunteer mentoring group at Piedmont Avenue Elementary School is looking for volunteers. Details: 510-482-0862.

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Watercolor painting classes -- 1-3 p.m. Sundays. Grand Lake Neighborhood Center, 530 Lake Park Ave. Beginners welcome. \$10 per class. Details: Peter 510-834-1263.

**Kids' art** classes -- 4-6 p.m. Wednesdays. For ages 6-12. Grand Lake Neighborhood Center, 530 Lake Park Ave. Materials provided. \$5 suggested donation per class. Details: Peter, 510-834-1263.

Edward Shands Adult School -- Free adult education classes. Day and evening classes: English as a Second Language, adult basic education, Certified Nursing Assistant, GED preparation, computer training and courses to earn a high school diploma. 2455 Church St. Details/registration: 510-879-4040.

Quilting classes -- Learn quilting and/or participate in a charity program where quilts are donated to needy children. Free daytime classes offered through Oakland Adult Education. Locations/details: 510-879-4090.

Angels have wheels -- Medicare recipients may be eligible to receive an electric wheelchair, paid for by Medicare, if they have arthritis, cardiovascular disease, respiratory diseases, and have difficulty walking or propelling a manual wheelchair. Details: 800-810-2877.

Skyline Lacrosse Club -- For boys and girls in grades 2-8 in Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda, San Leandro, San Lorenzo and elsewhere. Details: <http://skylinelacrosse.com>.

Overeaters Anonymous -- Is food a problem? Overeaters Anonymous has meetings daily with no dues or fees. Only requirement for membership is a desire to stop eating compulsively. Meeting schedule: 510-923-9491, [www.oaeastbay.org](http://www.oaeastbay.org).

InterPlayce -- 10-11:30 a.m. Fridays. Interplay as Life Practice. Class for anyone interested in practice of moving, breathing, improvising, playing for your own and others' good. Sliding scale \$10-\$25. -- Morning Meditation with Connors McConville is 7:30-8:15 a.m. Gentle teaching in sitting meditation practice for movement oriented people. Sliding scale. 2273 Telegraph Ave. Details: 510-465-2797.

Bay Area Community Services -- Lunches for seniors, noon-1 p.m. weekdays at various Oakland locations. Donation: \$2.25. Details/reservations: 510-986-8900, [www.bayareacs.org](http://www.bayareacs.org).

Piedmont Ladies Tennis Club -- Weekly play days for A, B and C ladders. Piedmont residents, nonresident women invited to join. Piedmont Recreation Department tennis courts, Vista and Hillside Avenues. Details: Cecile, 510-420-1584.

Happy Go Lucky Club -- Seeks single people ages 40-75 who are tired of staying home or going places alone. Club meets on weekends. Details: 510-530-4483.

MOMS Club of Oakland -- Moms and their babies and young children welcome for play groups, park days, special outings, moms' nights out and more. Monthly calendar offered with activities throughout the week. Details: 510-334-8606, <http://momclubofoakland.itgo.com>.

Clutterers -- Oakland support group to help discard stuff you do not need.

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Details: 510-482-5417.

"Story Tells" Story Swap -- 7-9 p.m. third Mondays monthly. Open mic event invites storytellers and story listeners to share stories in oral tradition. Barnes & Noble Booksellers' Events Loft, Jack London Square, 98 Broadway. Free. Details: Jean, 510-527-1141 or Bobbie, 510-655-5608.

Intro to Panic/Phobia Treatment -- First Tuesday evenings monthly, with some Fridays, in Oakland. Fears of driving, flying, heights, social anxiety, etc. addressed. Details: 510-482-5417.

Relationship Issues Support Group -- Meets Tuesdays in Oakland. Details: 510-482-5417.

ProSearch Oakland -- 1:30-3 p.m. Thursdays. Orientation for new and prospective members, free speaker presentation. Nonprofit helps professionals seeking new jobs. 675 Hegenberger Road, third Floor. Details: 510-563-5310, [www.prosearch.org](http://www.prosearch.org).

Emergency preparedness supplies -- Available 10 a.m.-3 p.m. weekdays. Grand Lake Neighborhood Center, 530 Lake Park Ave. Details: [www.best2train.com](http://www.best2train.com).

Antonio Peralta House -- Tours 1-3 p.m. first Saturdays monthly and every Wednesday and Friday. The beautifully restored 1870 Italianate Victorian is a city landmark and birthplace of Oakland. 2465 34th Ave. Cost: \$3, free to Fruitvale residents. Details: 510-532-9142.

Museum of Children's Art -- Drop-in Art Studio programs, with hands-on activities for all ages with revolving art themes. 528 Ninth St. Details: 510-465-8770, [www.mocha.org](http://www.mocha.org).

Oakland Zoo -- Goat Ranger program, 1:30-3 p.m. second and fourth Saturdays monthly. Open to children in grades 7-10. 9777 Golf Links Road. Details: 510-632-9525, Ext. 138, [www.oaklandzoo.org](http://www.oaklandzoo.org).

Oakland Zoo's Wildlife Theater -- Oakland Zoo, 11:45 a.m. Saturdays; 1:45 p.m. Sundays. Saturday: Stories read, live animal introduced. Sunday: Live animals, cool facts presented. Education Building lobby, 9777 Gold Links Road. Free with admission. Details: Stephanie, 510-632-9525 Ext. 142, [www.oaklandzoo.org](http://www.oaklandzoo.org).

Camron-Stanford House -- Public tours, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. second and third Wednesdays monthly and 1-4 p.m. third Sundays monthly. 1876 Italianate Victorian residence. \$5 adults; 12 and younger are free. Available to rent for weddings and parties. 1418 Lakeside Drive. Details: 510-444-1876 or 510-874-7802; [www.cshouse.org](http://www.cshouse.org).

The Opening: A Center for Courses in Writing --Workshops: "Writing from the Subconscious" and "Creative Non-Fiction/Life Story." Weekend intensive courses held by Andy Couturier in Rockridge area. Details: 510-594-1905, <http://theopening.org>.

Ikebana Arts Studio -- Japanese flower arranging and Western floral design classes at 452-A Santa Clara Ave. All levels. Group and private lessons. Teachers training and certification available. Details/registration: 510-261-9691.

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ACB Ballroom Dance School -- American Social Style wedding, ballroom, Latin, swing and nightclub dance classes for ages 10 and older at 454 Santa Clara Ave. Student discounts available. Details: 510-839-9875, www.acbballroom.com.

Black Adoption Placement and Research Center -- Recruits families to provide loving, stable and permanent homes for waiting children. Details: 510-839-3678.

Board of Equalization -- A basic sales and use tax seminar offered at the Oakland District Office, 1515 Clay St., Suite 303. Free. Details: 510-622-4100.

Oakland 88 Toastmasters -- 7 a.m. Mondays. Meetings help people speak, listen and discuss their communicative skills in a supportive, friendly and nonthreatening environment. Guests welcome. Summit Medical Center, 3012 Summit St., South Pavilion, fifth floor. Details: 510-452-0151.

DIESEL, A Bookstore -- Monthly reading group. Fiction/nonfiction books. 5433 College Ave. Details: 510-653-9965.

German dance classes -- 7:30 p.m. Thursdays. Learn to waltz, folk dance and polka. Montclair Recreation Center, 6300 Moraga Ave. Free. Details: 510-967-6942.

Internet and computer workshops --Internet Skills and Computer Basics Class 6:30-7:45 p.m. first Wednesdays monthly; tutoring Mondays and Saturdays 10-11 a.m., Thursdays 6-7:30 p.m. Main Library Computer Lab, 125 - 14th St. Register: 510-238-3176.

Computer Basics Classes -- in Cantonese, Mandarin and Korean, Mondays-Thursdays, Saturdays. For Asian elderly and new Americans. Registration in-person required. Asian Branch Library, 388 Ninth St., Suite 190. Register: 510-238-3400.

Bilingual Computer Basics Class -- in Spanish and English, 10-11:30 a.m. Saturdays, Caesar Chavez Branch Library, 3301 East 12th St. Register: 510-535-5620.

Spanish-Speaking Computer Tutor -- Mondays and Saturdays 10-11 a.m. Main Library Computer Lab, 125 - 14th St. Register: 510-238-3176.

Kaiser Permanente Oakland --Health education classes: "Life Balance and Relaxation" and "Lifestyle and Weight Management." Details: 510-752-6150.

Modiera West -- Entrepreneurs have an opportunity to attend free monthly seminars 3-5 p.m. fourth Saturdays monthly. Participants may compete for \$12,000 in free services in a Modiera West Public Relations and Publicity Grant Competition. Limited seating. Free food and business gifts. Barnes & Noble Booksellers, 98 Broadway, Jack London Square. Details and registration: 510-663-3390.

Oakland Adult Education --Instruction in watercolor, 2-5 p.m. Tuesdays. All levels welcome. Northgate Terrace, 550 - 24th St. Free. Details: 510-879-4090.

Oakland Adult Education -- Free classes in computers, physical fitness, knitting and more. For adults 50 and older, throughout Oakland. Stop by Pleasant Valley School office for a complete listing or send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to 920 53rd St., Oakland, CA 94608. Details: 510-879-4090.

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Oakland Adult Education -- "Swing Band" class meets 7:30-9:30 p.m. alternating Thursdays at F.M. Smith Recreation Center, 1969 Park Blvd. Free. Instrumentalists interested in joining call Gordon, 510-537-2575.

Oakland Lawn Bowling Club -- 4-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, 9 a.m.-noon second and fourth Saturdays monthly. Flat-soled shoes required; equipment provided. 660 Bellevue Ave. Details: 510-625-9937.

Oakland Hills Toastmasters --Meets 7-8 p.m. second and fourth Tuesdays monthly. Hosted meetings to help people improve their public speaking, critical thinking and leadership skills. East Hills Community Church, 12000 Campus Drive. Details: 510-482-5937.

Rockridge Toastmasters -- Meets at 7-8 p.m. Tuesdays. Hosted meetings to help people improve their public-speaking skills in a friendly and supportive atmosphere. Guests welcome. Veterans Building, Hall Three, 200 Grand Ave. Details: [www.rockridgetoastmasters.org](http://www.rockridgetoastmasters.org).

Support group development meetings -- Meets 1-4 p.m. second Saturdays monthly. Provides free introduction, ongoing peer support and facilitation training to interested individuals and groups. Harbor House, 1811 11th Ave.

"Way of the Self Portrait" -- Bookmaking workshops for women taught by Heath Frost are given days, evenings and weekends. Details: 510-655-5090, [www.heathfrost.com](http://www.heathfrost.com).

Wild Goose Qi Gong classes -- 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Learn ancient Chinese movements to enhance health and reduce stress. The Taoist Center, 3824 MacArthur Blvd. Details: 510-482-2278, [www.thetaoistcenter.com](http://www.thetaoistcenter.com).

Kundalini Yoga -- 8 week Chakra Awareness Series, 10 a.m. Saturdays. Beginners welcome. Wear loose clothing; bring a mat or towel and an empty stomach. Plymouth United Church of Christ, 424 Monte Vista Ave. Details: 510-841-4339.

Qigong classes -- 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays. Qigong is ancient Chinese tradition of self-care that decreases stress and aims to generate health, vitality and well-being. For all ages and levels. Cerebral Palsy Center, 4500 Lincoln Ave. Details: 510-533-2891.

Yoga classes -- 5:30-6:45 p.m. Wednesdays. Former instructor under U.S. Olympic Committee. All levels welcome. Mills College, Haas Pavilion, Room 3, 5000 MacArthur Blvd. Details: 925-254-0193.

Jazzercise-- Classes 6 p.m. Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays and 8:15 and 9:30 a.m. Saturdays. Personal Training 10:45 a.m. Saturdays. Each 60- to 70-minute class offers a blend of dance and exercise set to music. Glenview Elementary School, 4215 La Cresta Ave. \$8 weekly for 6-week minimum; \$48 monthly for unlimited classes. Details: 510-530-2159.

Body Sculpting by Jazzercise -- Classes 6 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays. Thornhill Elementary School, 5880 Thornhill Drive. Cost: \$8 weekly for 6-week minimum; \$48 monthly for unlimited classes. Details: 510-530-2159.

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T'ai Chi Chih -- Classes 9 a.m. Fridays. Optimize your health, balance and well-being. People of all ages can perform 20 gentle, nonimpact movements; beginners welcome. Highlands Country Club, 110 Hiller Drive. Details: 510-540-8062.

Piedmont Yoga Studio -- Weekly yoga class for people living with cancer, 4-5:30 p.m. Thursdays. No yoga experience or registration needed. 3966 Piedmont Ave. Free. Details: 510-652-3336 , www.piedmontyoga.com.

Yoga for a Cause -- Hatha Yoga classes, noon-1 p.m. Wednesdays. Proceeds benefit conservation and world peace. Suitable for all levels. No registration needed, just show up. Piedmont Yoga Studio, 3966 Piedmont Ave. Details: 510-652-3336, www.piedmontyoga.com, www.quietmind.com/cause.

Adult 4-on-4 Full Court Basketball League -- Organized by Oakland Parks and Recreation. Details: 510-238-3494.

Aerobics classes -- 6:10-7:10 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, Redwood Heights Recreation Center, 3883 Aliso Ave. Drop-ins welcome. Details: 510-482-7827.

Ballet Stretch for Adults -- 11:15 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Class for beginners or any dancer who wants to stay in shape. All ages welcome. Redwood Heights Recreation Center, 3883 Aliso Ave. \$30 monthly; \$8 for drop-ins. Register any time. Details: 510-601-0451.

Body sculpture classes -- 5:10-6:10 p.m. Wednesdays. Drop-ins welcome. Redwood Heights Recreation Center, 3883 Aliso Ave. Details: 510-482-7827.

Kaiser Permanente Oakland -- Health education classes, "Life Balance and Relaxation;" and "Lifestyle and Weight Management." Details: 510-752-6150.

Nia mind-body-fitness classes -- 9-10 a.m. Wednesdays and Fridays. Technique based on martial arts, dance, healing arts. Glenview Performing Arts Center, 1318 Glenfield Ave. First class free; drop-in fee \$10. Details: 510-385-8858.

Pilates and yoga -- Weekly classes at Upaya Center for Wellbeing, 478 Santa Clara Ave. Details: 510-444-8729, www.upayacenter.org.

T'ai Chi classes -- 9 a.m. Fridays, Highlands Country Club, 110 Hiller Drive. Everyone, regardless of age, condition or agility, can perform the 20 gentle, nonimpact movements. Beginners welcome. Details: 510-540-8062.

Yoga Classes -- 9 a.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. Tuesdays and 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays. All levels welcome. Bring a yoga mat and beach towel or small blanket. Redwood Heights Recreation Center, 3883 Alison Ave. Details: 510-482-7827.

Kundalini Yoga -- Workshops 6:45 p.m. Wednesdays and 10 a.m. Thursdays. Lakeshore Avenue Baptist Church, 3534 Lakeshore Ave.; 10 a.m. Saturdays, Plymouth United Church of Christ, 424 Monte Vista Ave. Fee: \$40 for eight weeks. Details: 510-841-4339.

Free Math Help -- 2-4 p.m. Saturdays. For students in grades 1-11. Oakland Library's Eastmont Branch, Eastmont Town Center, 7200 Bancroft Ave., Suite 211.

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Details: 510-615-5726.

Lakeview Chess Club -- 3:30-5:30 p.m. Wednesdays and Saturdays. All ages and experience levels welcome to come play. In good weather, we meet outside. Oakland Library's Lakeview Branch, 550 El Embarcadero. Details: 510-238-7344.

Tenant Workshops -- noon-1 p.m. third Tuesdays monthly. Free answers to housing questions offered by an expert from East Bay Community Law Center. Learn about evictions, repairs, subsidized housing, rent increases, deposits, lead poisoning, etc. Oakland Library's Eastmont Branch, 7200 Bancroft Ave., Suite 211. Details: 510-615-5726.

Book discussion group -- 6:30 p.m. fourth Tuesdays monthly. Come and share your enjoyment of reading with others in the community. Oakland Library's Golden Gate Branch, 5606 San Pablo Ave. Details: 510-597-5023.

Cesar Chavez Chess Workshop -- Meets 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays. Come to play and learn. All levels and ages are welcome; free instruction provided. Oakland Library's Chavez Branch, 3301 East 12th St. Details: 510-535-5620.

Golden Gate Youth Chess Club -- Meetings 3-7 p.m. Mondays, 1-3 p.m. Saturdays. Learn the game and stretch your strategy muscles. Open to players in grades K-12. Oakland Library's Golden Gate Branch, 5606 San Pablo Ave. Details: 510-597-5023.

Dimond Book Club -- Meets 4 p.m. first Fridays monthly during school year. Book lovers ages 9-13 invited. Dimond Branch Library, 3565 Fruitvale Ave. Details: 510-482-7844.

Book Discussion Group -- Meets 6:30 p.m. fourth Mondays monthly. Oakland Library's Golden Gate Branch, 5433 San Pablo Ave. Details: 510-597-5023.

Poetry Diversified -- 7:30-10:30 p.m. first and third Tuesdays monthly. Open mic sessions and featured readers. Open mic sign-ups start at 7:15 p.m. World Ground Caf  , 3726 MacArthur Blvd. Details: 510-261-6792, www.worldgrounds.com.

Poetry Readers and Writers -- Meet 7 p.m. first and third Wednesdays monthly. Walden Pond Bookstore, 3316 Grand Ave. Details: 510-530-9599.

Rockridge Fiction Writers Group -- Meets 7-9 p.m. alternate Tuesdays. Details: 510-655-8003.

Distaff Singers -- Rehearsals 7:15-9:15 p.m. Tuesdays. Established East Bay women's chorus seeks new members. No auditions required, just a love of singing. Classical, pop, sacred, Broadway. Details: Rosemary, 510-635-4575 or Michele, 510-601-5624.

German Singing Group -- Meets Wednesday evenings in Oakland and takes an annual tour. Group seeks new members, men and women, with the ability to speak some German. Details: 510-339-6941.

Aplastic Anemia and Myelodysplasia -- Support group meets bimonthly. Patients and caregivers welcome. Details: 510-654-5368.

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Bereavement support group -- Meets 3-4:30 p.m. Thursdays. Group sponsored by Sinai Memorial Chapel and Jewish Family and Children's Services of the East Bay. Jewish Family and Children's Services, Walnut Creek. Free; donations accepted. Preregistration required. Details: 925-927-2000, Ext. 740.

Children's Support League of the East Bay -- Meets 9:30-11:30 a.m. third Thursdays monthly. Piedmont Community Center, 711 Highland Ave., Piedmont. Details: 510-273-9109.

Christian meditation -- Schedules available at Hesus Community, 3745 Elston Ave. Details: 510-482-5573.

Couples counseling group -- Meets with a husband-and-wife psychotherapy team, 8-9:30 p.m. Thursdays in Montclair. Learn how to overcome negative, repetitive patterns and develop new, mutually enriching ways of communicating. Details: 510-482-4343.

Downtown Oakland Senior Center -- Tap dance classes Tuesdays. Beginners 9-10 a.m.; intermediate 10-11 a.m. 200 Grand Ave. Details: 510-238-3284.

East Bay Genealogical Society -- Meetings 10 a.m. second Wednesdays monthly. Library Conference Room, Family History Center, 4766 Lincoln Ave. Details: 510-635-6692.

East Bay Men's Network -- Maintains men's peer support groups in the Oakland and Berkeley area for support, friendship, camaraderie and growth. Support groups are self-led; regular attendance is expected. Details: 510-568-8669.

Forty-Plus Free Introduction and Orientation -- 8:30-9:30 a.m. Mondays. Forty-Plus is a non-profit volunteer organization offering a comprehensive career transition program uniquely suited to needs of mature managers, executives and professionals. 7700 Bridgewater Drive, Suite 626. Details: 510-568-7587, [www.fortyplus.org](http://www.fortyplus.org).

Friendship Circle -- Meets 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Wednesdays. A non-denominational group for older adults. Group offers day trips, holiday celebrations, entertainment and speakers. Oakland Senior Center, 200 Grand Ave. Details: 510-530-1725.

Fruitvale Presbyterian Church -- 11 a.m.-noon second Saturdays and fourth Tuesdays monthly. Community Outreach Pantry for its emergencies program. Program participants receive supplementary groceries. Details: 510-530-0723.

Lesbian therapy group -- Meets Thursday evenings in Montclair. Meet with other lesbians to discuss issues including impact of being "out," self-esteem and family of origin influences directly affecting identity. Details: 510-466-5669.

Mandana Community Recovery Center -- Educational and informational events given by community practitioners and educators on a voluntary basis. A \$3 fee is requested for Tuesday education and meditation session; no one turned away for lack of funds. 3989 Howe St. Details: 510-595-9690.

Montclair 4-H -- Meets 6:30 p.m. third Mondays monthly at Montclair Recreation Center, 6300 Moraga Ave., Oakland. Details: 510-330-3020.

Mothers & More of the East Bay -- Meets 7:30 p.m. third Thursdays monthly, Zion Lutheran Church, 5201 Park Blvd., Piedmont; and 7:30 p.m. first Tuesdays monthly, College of Alameda, 555 Atlantic Ave., Room C-113, Alameda. Details: 510-339-8563, <http://mothersandmoreeb.tripod.com>.

Narconon -- Nonprofit public benefit organization specializing in helping people with drug or alcohol addictions offers free professional assessments, advice, referrals to more than 11,000 treatment centers nationally. Details: 800-556-8885, [www.drugrehab.net](http://www.drugrehab.net).

Naranon Support Group -- For those struggling with drug addiction or coping with friends and/or family members who are addicts. Details: 510-526-2455, [www.naranoncalifornia.org](http://www.naranoncalifornia.org).

Narconon Arrowhead -- Do you know how to cope with an addict? Narconon Arrowhead offers free addiction counseling, assessments and referrals to rehabilitation centers nationwide and locally. Details: 800-468-6933, [www.stopaddiction.com](http://www.stopaddiction.com).

National Alliance on Mental Illness-East Bay Chapter -- Free support group for families of children with mental illness. Meetings offer parents and other family members a chance to talk, share information and get emotional support. Details: 510-524-1250, [www.nami.org](http://www.nami.org).

Oakland/East Bay Chapter of the National Organization for Women -- Meets 6 p.m. first Mondays monthly, Oakland YWCA, 1515 Webster St. Details: 510-287-8948.

Peripheral Neuropathy Support Group -- Meets 7-9 p.m. second Mondays monthly. Details: 510-527-3568.

Single parents -- Monthly child-friendly potluck gatherings at Grand Lake Neighborhood Center, 530 Lake Park Ave. Call 510-663-1425 to let group know what dish you will bring and how many children to expect. A \$1 donation requested, or \$5 without dish to share. Details: 510-238-2301.

Soul Sistah's Kitchen -- A monthly open-mic poetry reading, singing and other creative works, 8 p.m. first Mondays monthly at Jahva House, 3306 Lakeshore Ave. Donations requested. Details: 510-836-5282.

Stagebridge -- Storytelling classes for seniors on Wednesdays and Fridays. New students can join at any time. Arts First Oakland, 2501 Harrison St. Details: 510-444-4755, <http://stagebridge.org>.

Support group development meetings -- Meets 1-4 p.m. second Saturdays monthly. Provides introductions and ongoing peer support facilitation training. Harbor House, 1811 11th Ave. Free.

Chemical Dependency workshops -- 10 a.m.-noon Saturdays. Merritt Peralta Institute Treatment Services offers free workshops about alcohol and other drug dependencies. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center, Health Education Center, Room 201,

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400 Hawthorne Ave. Details: 510-652-7000.

Dress Best for Less -- Marking Room Resale shop has Bag Sales last Saturdays monthly at 799 Magnolia Ave. Donations of gently used clothing, sporting goods, household items welcome. Please no computers. Proceeds benefit Piedmont schools. Store located at 3861 Piedmont Ave. Donations and volunteering details: 510-658-8525.

Piedmont Montclair Rotary Club -- Meets at noon Fridays, Grand Oakes Restaurant, 3701 Grand Ave. Visitors welcome. Details: 510-420-3073.

Children Dance/After School Program -- 5:45-5:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Children improve coordination and cooperation skills, gain confidence and learn culture. Patty Chu instructs basic ballet and Chinese folk dancing. Oakland Asian Culture Center, Pacific Renaissance Plaza, 388 9th St., Suite 290. Details: 510-637-0455.

Three Wishes Inc. -- Free electric wheelchairs available to senior citizens and permanently disabled if they qualify -- those who cannot walk and cannot self-propel a manual wheelchair in their home -- and meet program guidelines. No deposit required. Details: 800-839-5715.

Cancer in Other Words for Men -- Men's writing group. Alta Bates Summit Medical Center, 450 30th St., second floor. Details: 800-870-8705.

Lakeview Toastmasters -- Meets 7-8 a.m. Thursdays. For men and women who would like to improve their public speaking skills. Providence Pavilion Cafeteria Conference Room, Summit Medical Center, 3100 Summit St. Guests welcome. Details: Bill, 510-451-2989, <http://lakeview2767.home.comcast.net>.

Coping and Thriving with a Diagnosis of Cancer -- Support group meets 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. second and fourth Tuesdays monthly. Peralta Pavilion, 450 30th St. Free. Details: 510-869-8833.

DCIS Breast Cancer Support Group -- Meets 5:30-7 p.m. second and fourth Thursdays monthly. For those with a diagnosis of Ductal Carcinoma In Situ. Share experiences, address fears, share resources. Peralta Pavilion, 450 30th St. Free. Details: 510-869-8833.

Harmony Center for the Joyful Spirit -- Celebrations & Youth Program, 11 a.m. Sundays. Join in creating a spiritual community where music is lively, messages are uplifting and practical, and the community is open and affirming. Veteran's Hall, 200 Grand Ave. Details: 510-451-3009, <http://JoyfulHarmony.org>.

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**September 1, 2006**

You can rock out to country at two fall concerts. (Neighbor) (Local beat)

Byline: Emily Ngo

Brace yourselves.

The chilly weather of fall is just another the corner, but let the thought of dancing to two rocking bands keep you warm.

Bartlett's own Cadillac Ranch has scheduled two live concerts for the fall with country music recording artists.

The Mason Rivers Band will perform on Oct. 6, at the Ranch, 1175 W. Lake St.

Voted "best country band" by Suburban Nitelife magazine, The Mason Rivers Band, which specializes in both new and traditional country music, will take the stage at 9:30 p.m.

Next up, The Billy Childers Band will return to the Cadillac Ranch on Nov. 10, also taking the stage at 9:30 p.m.

The six-piece, high-energy group plays songs of artists ranging from Kenny Chesney to Elvis Presley to Dwight Yoakam.

Admission to each concert costs \$4 before 8:30 p.m. and \$7 afterward.

For more information on the shows, contact the Cadillac Ranch at (630) 830-7200 or visit [www.cadranch.com](http://www.cadranch.com).

New computer lab opens: With its grand opening held Wednesday, the newest computer lab at the Hanover Park Park District is ready for business.

Named for state Rep. Terry Parke, the facility was made possible by a wealth of contributors.

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Parke, Palatine-Schaumburg High School District 211 and Comcast all had a hand in presenting the computer lab, located in the Ahlstrand/Rinne Fieldhouse, 6900 Catalpa Road, said park district Marketing Director Lily Garcia.

Also, the Alexian Brothers Medical Center donated money to purchase printers for the lab, Garcia said.

For the benefit of the community, several groups pooled their resources to make this possible.

Great job!

Run, Bartlett, run: Don't forget to line the streets of downtown Bartlett to cheer on the runners and walkers in the Bartlett Lions' Labor Day Dash on Sunday.

The 5K and 10K races start at 8 a.m. at Town Center, opposite Bartlett village hall, 228 S. Main St.

The Kids and Family Dash starts at about 9:15 a.m.

Spectators can park in the municipal parking lot of village hall to watch the participants make their way down the tree-lined streets of Bartlett.

Future artists? Future performing artists? Summer is coming to a close, but keeping the children of Hanover Park entertained shouldn't be a problem with all the **kids' art** programs that the park district offers.

From "Kids on Canvas" to "Cartooning," children of all ages with all types of interests can sign up and learn new skills.

The Hanover Park Park District is also hosting Tot Rock and Kid Rock I and II programs for budding rock stars.

Registration has already begun, but it's not too late.

For more information on art and music programs, call the park district at (630) 837-2468. More information and schedules are also available in the park district's fall brochure.

- If you have news you want to share with Bartlett, Hanover Park or Streamwood, share it with me at [engo@dailyherald.com](mailto:engo@dailyherald.com) or (847) 427-4472.

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ACD Festival highlights

ACD Festival highlights

Here are some of the highlights of the ACD Festival:

Ongoing events

\*37th annual antique show and sale

Dealers offering antique paintings, porcelain, jewelry, china, furniture, prints, glassware, textiles, toys, stoneware and more will set up at Kruse International on DeKalb County Road 11-A. Hours are until 7 p.m. today and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday. Cost: Kruse International admission fees vary from day to day.

\*Quilt show and sale

Displays of old and new quilts, a judged contest of quilts and wall hangings, and a merchandise mall of quilt-related items. Hours are until 7 p.m. today and 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday at the World War II Victory Museum, 5634 DeKalb County Road 11-A. Cost: \$5 adults; free ages 11 and younger.

Today

\*2006 Parade of Classics

Beginning at 1 p.m. at Eckhart Park in Auburn, the parade of vintage vehicles goes north on Jackson Street, east on Second Street and south on Main Street to the courthouse square. Free admission.

\*Kids Art Tent

Children ages 2-10 can enjoy storytelling, music and crafts 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at Eighth Street, near Main Street. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Free

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admission.

Sunday

\*27th annual Arts and Crafts Show and Sale

Artisans will offer stained glass, dolls, ceramics, dried flowers, woodworking and more 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at the courthouse square in Auburn and on Main Street. Free admission.

At Kruse International

Auctions and events include the Collector Car Auction, Car Corral and Swap Meet. Gates open at 8 a.m. daily through Tuesday, and auctions start at 9 a.m. Admission is \$20 today and Sunday, \$10 Monday, and free Tuesday. Children ages 12 and younger are \$5 on paid-admission days.

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EVENTS Still funny

With bits such as "Pinata Full of Bees" and "Holy War, Batman," Second City has been bringing satire to the stage since 1959.

Born from the musings of a group of University of Chicago students, the comedy troupe has been the launching pad for many a career. Alan Arkin, Stephen Colbert, Tim Meadows, George Wendt and some of the biggest names from "Saturday Night Live," including Bill Murray and Mike Myers, are Second City alumni.

On Sept. 14, Second City will be on the stage at Albert Taylor Hall at Emporia State University for a fundraiser for the Emporia Arts Council.

"If your parents asked you not to speak about it at the dinner table, chances are it will be made fun of in an evening with The Second City," says Melissa Windsor, executive director of the Arts Council.

Tickets are \$25 for adults, \$20 for students; they are available at the Emporia Arts Council, 618 Mechanic, or by calling (620) 343-6473.

The Arts Council serves a seven-county area with classes for students from preschool on up in visual arts, drama, music, literature and art history. It has a **Kids Art Club** and sponsors Gallery Discovery Days.

The current exhibit in the EAC gallery is "Homage to the Flint Hills: A Gathering of Art Inspired by the Tallgrass Prairie of Kansas," mixed media. The exhibit, curated by Don Lambert, features the work of 37 artists, working in a variety of media, depicting various times of the year, perspectives, and subject matter of the Flint Hills.

INFORMATION: Learn more about the Emporia Arts Center by calling (620) 343-6473 or seeing [www.emporia.com/eac/](http://www.emporia.com/eac/).

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GO! For Kids

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\*\* BEGINS SEPT. 8

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. "Explore," is for ages 7-10 and begins Friday, Sept. 8 from 3:30-5 p.m. The session is on Fridays for six weeks and is \$60 for a session. Three-dimensional art working with clay, glue guns, fabric and mixed media. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, [www.pgartcenter.org](http://www.pgartcenter.org).

\*\* SEPT. 9-30

Creative animal and bird drawings.

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## LITERARY EVENTS

## \*\* ONGOING MONDAYS

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## \*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

Book talks at Lewis & More The British Store. 8-9 p.m. ongoing Tuesdays at the store on the Alvarado Mall in downtown Monterey. Professor Slughorn is the host. Children are encouraged to dress as their favorite Harry Potter character and bring a copy of "Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince." The group will listen to a chapter of the book narrated by Jim Dale, then the group will talk about it afterward. 372-3158.

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The Monterey Public Library storytimes. Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m. for ages 18-36 months; 11 a.m. Tuesdays for children ages 3-6. On the second Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., children are encouraged to wear their pajamas for a special storyhour. All story hours are free, but groups need to call ahead for reservations. 625 Pacific St., Monterey. 646-3934.

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Musikids! 5-5:45 p.m. ongoing Mondays, at Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For ages 3-5. Movement, vocal play, signing, listening, sound exploration. Sessions are four weeks in length and continue through Oct. 23. Susan Hayes is the instructor. 646-3866.

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Audition for the Monterey Peninsula Youth Chorus. 4-6 p.m. Wed-Thu, Sept. 6-7 at the Lutheran Church of Our Savior, 1230 Luther Way, Salinas. Directed by Diana Rosett. Open for students in grades 3-12. 754-2440 or e-mail: mpyouthchorus@yahoo.com.

ONSTAGE

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Auditions for Saltshaker Theater's "The Borrowers: The Musical." 6:30-8:30 p.m. Mondays, Sept. 11 and Sept. 18 at the First Baptist Church, Main St., Salinas. Actors and singers, men and women needed. All roles open. Bring a Broadway-type song (bring CD or music-- no a capella auditions); 3-minute monologue helpful). 422-9872, ext. 11 to schedule an appointment. Information: www.1stbaptist.net.

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Audition for Monarch Theatre's "You Must Have Made a Mistake... This Can't be Christmas," a musical comedy. Parts available for child actors ages 6-12 with or without experience but must have a good attitude. Looking for non-singing principles, singing principles, chorus, and singers who can dance. All roles are open. Auditions are ongoing until parts are filled. Rehearsal held after school at Monarch

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and Stage Combat for Adults. Fall session runs Aug. 28-Nov. 18. Spring session runs Jan. 8-March 31. All classes held at All Saints Church, Carmel. College credit available. Classes at All Saints Episcopal Church, Seccombe Hall, Ninth and Lincoln, Carmel. Directed by MaryAnn Schaupp-Rousseau. 656-9730, www.pacrep.org.

## TOURS &amp; OUTDOORS

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Wild Things Halloween Flashlight Tour. 7-8:30 p.m. Fri-Sat, Oct. 13-14; Saturday, Oct. 14; Fri-Tue, Oct. 27-31 at 400 River Road, Salinas. Refreshments, photo opportunities. \$14 adults/\$12 age 3-14. Not recommended for ages 3 and under. Reservations required. 455-1901, ext. 3.

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\*\* ONGOING WED-THU

Carmel Academy of Performing Arts. Creative kids program from 9:15-11:45 a.m. ongoing Wed-Thu for ages 3-4. Dancers get lessons in movement, singing, dramatic play, ballet, jazz and tap. 624-3729.

\*\* ONGOING SATURDAYS

The city of Seaside sponsors "Imagine Dance in Motion." This program is designed to explore the world of dance with emphasis on ballet, jazz, lyrical and contemporary forms. 9:30 a.m.-1:45 p.m. Saturdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby St., Seaside for ages 3-13. Pick from any of the four classes offered (45-minute classes). \$20 for Seaside residents; \$25 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

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## FILMS

\*\* SEPT. 15, SEPT. 22, SEPT. 29

Films at the planetarium. 7 p.m. Fridays, Sept. 15, Sept. 22 and Sept. 29 at Hartnell College, 156 Homestead Ave., Salinas. "Moon Dreams," and "Hubble Vision" will be shown. \$6 general/\$4 for youths. No late seating. Program is about one hour. 755-6880.

\*\* OCT. 9-13 AND OCT. 16-20

Fall film camp for kids. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. or 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Mon-Fri, Oct. 9-13 and Oct. 16-20 at Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman St., Monterey. \$135. Movie preview night will be Nov. 4. 375-7774, [www.MonarchTheatreMontereyBay.com](http://www.MonarchTheatreMontereyBay.com).

## FUN STUFF

\*\* SEPT. 16

International Family Fund Day at the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16 at 165 Forest Ave., Pacific Grove. World stories, marketplace of unique crafts, dances. Free. 648-5716, [www.pgmuseum.org](http://www.pgmuseum.org).

\*\* THROUGH SEPT. 30

Science under sail at the Monterey Bay Aquarium. 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Sat-Sun, through Sept. 30 at 886 Cannery Row, Monterey. Step aboard a state-of-the-art 65-foot research sailboat for the adventure of a lifetime. In the program, you'll work alongside aquarium naturalists in a three-hour science expedition on Monterey Bay. Details: [www.montereybayaquarium.org](http://www.montereybayaquarium.org) for more information.

\*\* SEPT. 19

Tour the Californian in Salinas. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19. Tour the editorial, advertising, newspaper, graphic and prepress departments. \$10 (parent/guardian must remain on site during tour). Sponsored by the Lyceum of Monterey County. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* SEPT. 14 AND SEPT. 21

Tour the Monterey County Herald. 3:30-4:15 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 14 and Sept. 21. Be a reporter and bring your notepad to The Herald and tour the editorial, advertising, newspaper, graphic and prepress departments. \$10 (parent/guardian must remain on site during tour). Sponsored by the Lyceum of Monterey County. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* SEPT. 16

Kids flea market at Hilltop Park Center. 9 a.m.-noon on Saturday, Sept. 16 at 871 Jessie St., Monterey. Children ages 6-17 will sell used toys, books and games. Free. 646-3975.

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## \*\* SEPT. 24

Ham radio with Rick Lagerstrom. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 24 at the Lyceum of Monterey County, 1073 Sixth St., Monterey. Lagerstrom will introduce you to the world of ham radio. Explore the differences between broadcast radio and amateur radio as you try your hand at talking to other radio operators around the country. For grades 3 and up. \$10. 372-6098, www.lyceum.org.

## \*\* SEPT. 26

All about astronauts with Daniel Bursch. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 26. View pictures and video from astronaut Daniel Bursch's most recent trip to space as part of Expedition Four to the International Space Station (ISS). Topics include what astronauts do and where they go; how to become an astronaut and more. \$12. 372-6098.

## \*\* ONGOING

Kids Club at the Oldemeyer Center in Seaside. 2:30-5:30 p.m. Mon-Fri at 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Homework help, craft projects, outdoor games, special events. \$16 a month for city residents; \$22 for nonresidents. The club follows the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District schedule. 899-6805.

## \*\* ONGOING

Cooking classes for youth. 4-6 p.m. ongoing Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. The classes are open to children ages 7-12. \$47 for residents/\$58 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

## \*\* ONGOING MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

Youth gymnastics. Ongoing Mondays and Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. For ages 4-14 (various classes offered). \$28 for city residents/\$35 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

## MUSIC

## \*\* THROUGH OCT. 23

Musikids! 5-5:45 p.m. ongoing Mondays, at Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For ages 3-5. Movement, vocal play, signing, listening, sound exploration. Sessions are four weeks in length and continue through Oct. 23. Susan Hayes is the instructor. 646-3866.

## \*\* SEPT. 21-DEC. 21

Beginning guitar with Steve Fox. 8-9 p.m. Thursdays. Sept. 21-Dec. 21 at Casanova-Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona, Monterey. For ages 13 and older. 646-5665. \$125 for Monterey city residents; \$163 for nonresidents. 646-3866.

## \*\* ONGOING

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JazzMaster Workshops. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Mondays at Tularcitos School in Carmel Valley; 7-8:30 p.m. Mondays at the Carmel Youth Center, Fourth and Torres, Carmel; 3:30-4:30 Tuesdays at the Boys & Girls Club in Seaside; 3-4 p.m. Wednesdays at Captain Cooper School, Highway 1, Carmel; 3:30-4:30 p.m. Thursdays at the Boys & Girls Club in Salinas. All sessions are free to students on a drop-in basis. Information: [www.jazzmastersworkshop.org](http://www.jazzmastersworkshop.org).

## ONSTAGE

\*\* THROUGH SEPT. 24

PacRep presents "Disney's Beauty and the Beast." 7:30 p.m. Fri-Sat and 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sundays through Sept. 24 at the outdoor Forest Theater, Mountain View and Santa Rita in Carmel. Produced for PacRep by Stephen Moorer, directed by Walt deFaria, with choreography by Sherri Beck and musical direction by Steve Tosh, this family musical features Maggie Roesser as Belle and Jason Champeau as The Beast. \$22-\$36 general/\$6-\$10 for ages 12 and under/discounts available for seniors over 65, students, teachers and active military. Tickets are available from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Tue-Sat at the Pacific Repertory Theatre Box Office, Monte Verde Street between Eighth and Ninth, Carmel. 622-0100, [www.pacrep.org](http://www.pacrep.org), [www.ticketguys.com](http://www.ticketguys.com).

\*\* SEPT. 18

Auditions for Saltshaker Theater's "The Borrowers: The Musical." 6:30-8:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 18 at the First Baptist Church, 1130 San Vicente, Salinas. Actors and singers, men and women needed. All roles open. Bring a Broadway-type song (bring CD or music-- no a capella auditions); 3-minute monologue helpful). 422-9872, ext. 11 to schedule an appointment. Information: [www.1stbaptist.net](http://www.1stbaptist.net).

\*\* ONGOING

Pioneers of the Future presents "Fanny and Robert or The Teller in Monterey," an interactive youth theatrical workshop. 3:30-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at California First Theater, Scott and Pacific streets, Monterey. The workshop will culminate in performances on Nov. 4-5, Nov. 11-12 and Nov. 18-19. \$200. 424-2568, [www.montereypioneers.com](http://www.montereypioneers.com).

\*\* ONGOING

Audition for Monarch Theatre's "You Must Have Made a Mistake... This Can't be Christmas," a musical comedy. Parts available for child actors ages 6-12 with or without experience but must have a good attitude. Looking for non-singing principles, singing principles, chorus, and singers who can dance. All roles are open. Auditions are ongoing until parts are filled. Rehearsal held after school at Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman Ave., Monterey, 375-7774, [www.MonarchTheatre](http://www.MonarchTheatre)

[MontereyBay.com](http://MontereyBay.com).

\*\* ONGOING

Theater classes at Monarch Theatre. 4:30-5:30 p.m. Mon-Fri. Includes instruction

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in how to audition, acting technique, improvs, musical theatre, monologues, comedy and more. All actors must start at beginning level regardless of previous experience. Master level by invitation only. Actors are encouraged to audition for ongoing play productions. Runs in a 12-week session at \$125 a session or enroll in 2-5 classes a week pay \$80 monthly. Held at the Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman Ave., Monterey. 375-7774, www.MonarchTheatre

MontereyBay.com.

GO!

\*\* ONGOING

PacRep Theatre's School of Dramatic Arts (SoDA). Classes for tots, children, teens and adults including Pre-Musical Theatre (ages 4-6) and Sing! Dance! Act! (ages 7-13). New classes include Shakespeare for Teens, Radio Theatre (ages 8 and up) and Stage Combat for Adults. Fall session runs Aug. 28-Nov. 18. Spring session runs Jan. 8-March 31. All classes held at All Saints Church, Carmel. College credit available. Classes at All Saints Episcopal Church, Seccombe Hall, Ninth and Lincoln, Carmel. Directed by MaryAnn Schaupp-Rousseau. 656-9730, www.pacrep.org.

TOURS & OUTDOORS

\*\* OCT. 13-14, OCT. 21, OCT. 27-31

Wild Things Halloween Flashlight Tour. 7-8:30 p.m. Fri-Sat, Oct. 13-14; Saturday, Oct. 14; Fri-Tue, Oct. 27-31 at 400 River Road, Salinas. Refreshments, photo opportunities. \$14 adults/\$12 age 3-14. Not recommended for ages 3 and under. Reservations required. 455-1901, ext. 3.

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Fifth Annual International Route 66 Mother Road Festival highlights

\* Friday, Sept. 22:

6:30 p.m.: Parade of cars starting at the Illinois Department of Transportation on Dirksen Parkway. The cruise follows Old Route 66 and winds up downtown.

7-9 p.m.: Michael Wallis, voice of the sheriff in "Cars," and Dean Walker, the basis for the character Tow Mater in the film, will be on Seventh Street between Monroe Street and Capitol Avenue. They also will be there from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday.

7:45 and 9:45 p.m.: Danny & the Juniors, Fifth Street and Capitol Avenue stage.

\* Saturday, Sept. 23:

Noon to 4 p.m.: **Kids Art** Station sponsored by the Springfield Area Arts Council on the Old State Capitol grounds.

4:30 and 6:30 p.m.: Suzann Paris as Cher and Barry Manilow, stage on Seventh Street between Monroe Street and Capitol Avenue.

5:30 and 8 p.m.: The Grass Roots, Fifth Street and Capitol Avenue stage.

Ongoing: Winston Cup NASCAR vehicles driven by Dale Earnhardt Sr. and Rusty Wallace. Sixth Street and Capitol Avenue.

\* Sunday, Sept. 24:

11 a.m. and noon: Suzann Paris as George Michael and Rod Stewart, stage on Seventh Street between Monroe Street and Capitol Avenue.

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2 p.m.: Car show awards at Fifth Street and Capitol Avenue stage.

\* For more information: route66fest.com.

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Section: z\_Calendar

GO! For Kids

ART

\*\* THROUGH SEPT. 30

Creative animal and bird drawings.

2-4 p.m. Saturdays through Sept. 30. Join Julie Heilman at the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History, 165 Forest Ave. and use the museum's resources to enhance your drawing skills of wildlife by using colored pencils, charcoal and other mediums. For grades 5-8. \$65. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* THROUGH SEPT. 30

Drawing, painting and collage art class with Charlsie Kelly. 10 a.m.-noon Saturdays, Sept. 23 and Sept. 30 at Grand Avenue Art Works! in Pacific Grove. For grades 1-3. \$55. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* SEPT. 23 AND SEPT. 30

The art of mask decorating with Vanila Helm. 9-10 a.m. Saturdays, Sept. 23 and Sept. 30 at the National Steinbeck Center, 1 Main St., Salinas. For grades 2-5. \$25. 372-6098, [www.lyceum.org](http://www.lyceum.org).

\*\* ONGOING

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. "Focused" is for ages 7-10 ongoing Mondays from 3:30-5 p.m. \$60. Two-dimensional painting, pastels and colored pencils will be used. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, [www.pgartcenter.org](http://www.pgartcenter.org).

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**Kids' art.** 3:30-4:30 p.m. ongoing Mondays in four-week sessions at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Sponsored by the city of Seaside. For ages 6-10. \$45 for Seaside residents; \$56 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. "Explore" is for ages 7-10 from 3:30-5 p.m. The session is on Fridays for six weeks and is \$60 for a session. Three-dimensional art working with clay, glue guns, fabric, and mixed media. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, [www.pgartcenter.org](http://www.pgartcenter.org).

DANCE

\*\* BEGINS SEPTEMBER

Salinas School of Dance. Irish dance class for ages 4-12. Ballet, tap and jazz classes for ages 2 ½-18. 424-4655 or [www.salinasdance.com](http://www.salinasdance.com)

\*\* THROUGH NOV. 27

Creative dance for little feet. Sessions: 10:15-11 a.m. or

11-11:45 a.m. Mondays and/or 11-11:45 a.m. Tuesdays at the Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For boys and girls ages 3-4. Each session is one month. Carol Benton Richmond is the instructor. 646-3975.

\*\* ONGOING TUE-WED

The Peninsula Ballet Center. Ballet lessons for ages 6-8 on Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. and for teens at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays at Peninsula Ballet Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 372-0388.

\*\* ONGOING

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Section: SOUNDLIFE

Young at art

ROSEMARY PONNEKANTI

So your 5-year-old wants to throw pottery. Or your 8-year-old wants to create a Chihuly. Or maybe you just don't want paint all over the floor again. You decide to fork out for some quality **kids ' art** in a professional setting. Trouble is, you don't want to pay \$10 (or \$20, or \$150) without knowing just what bang you're getting for your buck.

Luckily, Tacoma offers quite a few options when it comes to art for young kids, and most go way beyond the finger-paint level. For an in-depth look at three of them, please turn to on page E4.

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SIDEBAR: (E04)

Tacoma Art Museum Open Art Studio

What: Open-access studio, plus summer camps and quarterly Family Days with drama, readings and festivities. Formal school tours.

Who: Pre-K through adult.

Media: Work stations vary, might include cellophane, stamp pads, charcoal, gouache paint, glue. Drawing suitcases include pencils, pastels, paints, embossing foil, beads and wire. Printmaking suitcase includes plexiglass sheet, ink, paper and rollers.

Where: Upstairs from main galleries, 1701 Pacific Ave, Tacoma.

When: During museum hours - Tuesday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; third Thursdays, 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Sunday, noon-5 p.m.

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Cost: Entry with museum admission. Adults \$7.50, seniors/military/students \$6.50, family (two adults and up to four children) \$25, under 6 free. Also free with membership and on third Thursdays.

Atmosphere: Smallish room, but well-organized resources.

Why it's special: Proximity to national and international exhibitions; handy art-making "suitcases"; four or five informative work stations focusing on creating art inspired by current exhibitions, with similar materials and techniques. Professional library of over 3,000 art books and 12 periodicals.

What the teachers say: "Kids have the opportunity to express their artistic abilities through many different kinds of media. I appreciate how it's self-directed; kids can have very different lenses on what they see as art." - James Leet, with students from Tacoma Rescue Mission program, third-12th grades.

Coming up: Family Festival, Oct. 7, noon-3 p.m., in conjunction with "The Art of Eric Carle," with collage-making, reading programs, drama performances, library partnership.

Information: 253-272-4258, [www.tacomaartmuseum.org](http://www.tacomaartmuseum.org).

Museum of Glass Education Studio

What: Open-access studio, plus monthly Family Days including special art project, storytelling, drama and dance performances. Formal school tours.

Who: Pre-K through adult.

Media: Regular studio includes pencils, paint, markers, glue, scissors, hole-punches and mixed media. Family Day projects vary but focus on recycled materials (paper bags, cardboard tubes, plates, raffia, buttons, fabric), hot glue gun.

Where: Off lobby next to Hot Shop, 1801 Dock St., Tacoma.

When: During museum hours - Wednesday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m.-8 p.m.; Sunday, noon-5 p.m.; Family Day, second Saturdays, 1-4 p.m.

Cost: Entry with museum admission. Adults \$10, seniors/military/students \$8, 6-12 years \$4, under 6 free. Also free with membership and on third Thursdays 5-8 p.m.

Atmosphere: Bright, energetic studio with orange walls, and glass wall overlooking lobby activity. Glass renditions of kids' art in window display.

Why It's Special: Proximity to national and international exhibitions and glass-blowing hot shop; daily resident artist; two visiting artists each Family Day; design competition for under-12. (Four winners picked each month by hot shop team, who create a three-dimensional glass vessel based on paper design. One copy given to child designer, one copy retained for future touring exhibition.)

What the parents say: "We definitely want to come back. It's neat to have stuff

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for little kids in a museum like this. And the artists are very helpful." - Porsche Blake, with Jasmine, 4.

Coming up: Family Day, Oct. 7, in conjunction with "Birds by Toikka," including bird and birdhouse-making projects, Audubon Society storytelling and waterfront bird walk.

Information: 253-284-4750, [www.museumofglass.org](http://www.museumofglass.org).

Open Arts Studio

What: A private teaching studio with ongoing six-week sessions of classes, plus spring and summer camps.

Who: 4-6-year-olds (drawing only), 5-8-year-olds, 9-14-year-olds, teens, adults, parent/child, and home-schoolers.

Media: Drawing (pencils, markers, charcoal, paint), clay, beading, also beginner piano.

Where: 109 Tacoma Ave. N., Tacoma.

When: Times vary, mostly after school hours.

Cost: \$105-\$150/session, with family and academia discounts.

Atmosphere: Bright, airy studio with engaging tutors and nice touches like snacks, calming music and footstools.

Why it's special: Direct tuition in small classes by highly trained instructors; holistic drawing method involving "whole brain" learning; eclectic library; eight pottery wheels and digital kiln; gallery show of students' work after each session.

What the parents say: "My son went to three drawing camps this summer. He loved it. I was really impressed with the small class sizes. (Director and art teacher) John Armstrong is very engaging and taught them wonderful technique, and he's put a lot of work into learning drawing methods for kids." - Maureen Peterson, with Tanner, 9.

Coming up: Future plans include weekend workshops, visiting artists, annual recital.

Information: 253-272-9033, [www.openartsstudio.com](http://www.openartsstudio.com).

Some other quality art encounters for kids

Metro Parks offers classes in painting and pottery, and a raft of art choices for the over-10 set at the School of the Arts, all at reasonable prices; 253-305-1022, [www.metroparkstacoma.org](http://www.metroparkstacoma.org).

For thrifty art, you can't go past the Children's Museum. More suitable for

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2-6-year-olds, their paint and drawing studio, along with the rest of the museum, is free on first Fridays, half-price from 3-5 p.m. Mon.-Fri., and only \$5 the rest of the time; 936 Broadway, 253-627-6031, [www.childrensmuseumoftacoma.org](http://www.childrensmuseumoftacoma.org).

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Section: Community

Briefs: Bair Foundation to hold foster parenting program

Staff Reports

The Bair Foundation will have an open house on Christian foster parenting from 3 to 5 p.m. Friday at its new location, 2921 E. 91st St.

The Foundation serves children from birth to age 18 who have been mentally, physically or sexually abused or neglected, according to a media release.

Free training and a Christian therapist is provided to each child and family on a regular basis, and a 24-hour support staff is available.

For more information, call John at 298-5059.

A Grantsmanship Training Program, conducted by the Grantsmanship Center, will be held Oct. 9 to 13 at the graduate center of Oral Roberts University, 7777 S. Lewis Ave.

The program teaches nonprofit organizations grant-writing techniques, through workshops focused on planning grant programs, researching funding sources, and writing winning proposals, according to a media release.

Registration in the program is limited to 30, with tuition being \$825 per person and \$775 for each additional person from the organization.

Tuition discounts of 50 percent are also available for qualified agencies, according to a media release.

For more information, call Kelly at 495-7225, or log onto [www.tgci.com](http://www.tgci.com).

Gilcrease Museum, 1400 N. Gilcrease Museum Road, will offer 'Crease Kids Art Series Sept. 23, Oct. 14 and 28, Nov. 11 and 18, and Dec. 9 and 16.

Ages 3 and older will be able to use their imaginations and express themselves by

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creating their own works of art, according to a media release.

By using the museum's exhibits, kids can explore different cultures, materials and time periods.

Cost is \$5 for members and \$8 for nonmembers.

For more information, call 596-1400.

Oral Roberts University will present William Shakespeare's "The Comedy of Errors" Oct. 6, 7 and 8.

Mistaken identities, chaotic interludes and romantic blunders will entertain audiences, according to a media release.

Performances will be 8 p.m. Oct. 6 and 7, and 2 p.m. Oct. 8.

Tickets are \$5.

To reserve tickets, or for more information on the show, call the Howard Auditorium Box Office at 495-6154.

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Section: Communities

NEWS TO USE: BCTC celebrates Hispanic Heritage Month

The traditions and customs of the Hispanic culture will be the focus of several events planned to celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month at Bluegrass Community & Technical College. The events are free.

Thursday: Doble Juego, a film presentation. 5 p.m.Cooper Campus, Oswald Building, Room 230.

Friday: "Expanding Your Horizons," Multicultural Leadership Training. 2 p.m.Cooper Campus, lobby.

Sept. 27: Enrique Gonzalez's mural paintings, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.Cooper Campus, Oswald Building lobby.

Sept. 28: Mi Familia, a film presentation. 5 p.m.Cooper Campus, Oswald Building, Room 230.

Sept. 29: Bluegrass Cup Soccer Tournament, 10 a.m.Cooper Campus lawn.

Oct. 2: Capoeira Workshop, Afro Brazilian Dance, 2 p.m. Leestown Campus, Building C Student Center.

Oct. 5: El Norte, a film presentation, 5 p.m.Cooper Campus, Oswald Building, Room 230.

#### BAGPIPES AT OPEN HOUSE

Kentucky United Pipes & Drums will have an open house with a mini concert, free beginner bagpipe lessons and beginner Scottish drumming lessons at 7 p.m. Tuesday at Central Christian Church, 205 East Short Street. Visit [www.kentuckyunited.org](http://www.kentuckyunited.org).

#### STRINGS INSTRUCTION

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The University of Kentucky String Project has begun a new school year. With support from the UK School of Music and Strings magazine, UKSP provides low-cost instruction on violin, viola, cello and bass for children 8 and older. The teachers are UK music students working with the assistance of experienced teachers. Instruction takes place on Saturday mornings in the UK College of Fine Arts. Students may enroll through Sept. 30, though enrollment is limited and is on a first-come basis. To reserve a place or for more information, call (859) 257-9683 or (859) 257-4900, or e-mail ukstring project@lsv.uky.edu.

#### CLASS FOR KICKING THE HABIT

Central Baptist Hospital's Community Education program will hold Ready When You Are smoking cessation classes from 5 to 6 p.m. Thursdays beginning Sept. 21 at 1740 Nicholasville Road. The eight-week program utilizes techniques developed by the American Lung Association and covers topics including addiction, identifying triggers, nicotine reduction therapy, weight management and relapse prevention. Cost is \$40. Call (859) 260-6419.

#### PHOTOGRAPHER LECTURES

National Geographic photographer and UK alumnus Sam Abell will discuss his work photographing the Lewis and Clark Trail as part of his collaboration on Stephen E. Ambrose's book *Undaunted Courage* at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Lexington History Museum, 215 West Main Street. The lecture is free. Call (859) 254-0530.

#### GHOST HUNT AT CONFERENCE

PsyTech, in conjunction with *Fantasma!* magazine, will host the first Kentucky Paranormal Conference at Nicholasville's historic Camp Nelson beginning at 6 p.m. Friday and ending at midnight Saturday. The cost of \$99 a person includes a campout at Camp Nelson on Friday evening and ghost hunting at the refugee cemetery and the old Civil War prison. For more information, contact Starr Chaney at (859) 885-5155, or go to [www.kyghosthunters.com](http://www.kyghosthunters.com).

#### MARRIAGE CELEBRATED

The Bluegrass Healthy Marriage Initiative presents "A Celebration of Marriage" on Friday from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at Marriott's Griffin Gate Resort. The dinner event features renowned author/presenter couple David and Claudia Arp, whose "10 Great Dates" series of programs has helped thousands of couples. They will offer attendees simple, lighthearted and humorous advice on raising the quality of relationships. Tickets are \$35 a person or \$60 per couple. Call (859) 257-8900.

#### KIDS ART FESTIVAL SATURDAY

The Explorium of Lexington will hold its annual Museum Go Round from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday. The art festival is a place for youth to exhibit and sell their arts and crafts. Activities this year will include works from 100 artists, dancers, storytellers and musicians, plus hands-on art and science activities. In addition, admission to the Explorium, 440 West Short Street, will be free. Call (859) 258-3253 or visit [www.explorium.com](http://www.explorium.com).

## UK GRAD AT CONCERT

Wilco drummer Glenn Kotche, a graduate of the University of Kentucky's percussion program, will perform with Wilco guitarist Nels Cline at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at the Singletary Center for the Arts Recital Hall. Tickets may be purchased at the Singletary Center ticket office at Euclid Avenue and Rose Street. Tickets are \$20 for adults; \$17 for UK faculty, staff and alumni; \$15 for students. Call (859) 257-4929 or visit [www.uky.edu/scfa](http://www.uky.edu/scfa).

## NEW EXHIBIT AT HORSE PARK

The American Academy of Equine Art, an exhibition and sale of contemporary equine art featuring new and emerging artists, will be on display at the Kentucky Horse Park, 4089 Ironworks Parkway, beginning Saturday and running through Oct. 31. A reception will be 6:30 to 9 p.m. Friday.

## BENEFIT FEATURES POKER

The Kidney Foundation of Central Kentucky will host a Texas Hold 'em Tournament from 1 to 7 p.m. Saturday in Malone's Banquet Room, above Sal's Restaurant, 3347 Tates Creek Road. Doors will open at noon. Buy-in is \$100 for \$5,000 in chips. Up to \$10,000 in cash and prizes will be paid to the top 10 winners (based on 150 players; total will be prorated if fewer than 150 players participate). For reservations, call (859) 277-8259 or e-mail [director@kfck.org](mailto:director@kfck.org).

## ANNUAL ANIMAL BENEFIT SET

The Bluegrass Animal Welfare League Inc. will host its annual Picnic with the Pups from noon to 5 p.m. Sunday at Keeneland. In case of rain, the event will be Oct. 1. The event will include pet contests, information booths, dog agility contests, a disc dog competition, raffles, silent auctions, prizes and live music. General admission is \$5, or \$2.50 for police and fire department personnel. Children younger than 10 are free with an adult. Proceeds support the Bluegrass Animal Welfare League's spay/neuter and humane education programs. Call (859) 494-6728.

## JOIN IN IRISH DANCING

McTeggart Irish Dancers of Kentucky will hold open classes at 4:15 p.m. Monday at ArtsPlace on Mill Street in downtown Lexington. Ages 5-18 are welcome to join classes at any level, from beginner to championship. Contact Colette Crown at (859) 335-5425 or visit [www.kyirishdancers.org](http://www.kyirishdancers.org).

## SEWING SEMINARS MONDAY

The Fayette County Cooperative Extension Service will have Come Sew With Us seminars from 1 to 5 p.m. and 6 to 9 p.m. Monday at its office, 1140 Red Mile Place. Select classes from Sewing Machine Know-How, Sew a Simple Skirt, Window Toppers to Ribbon Tote Bag, Serger Basics, Peasant Top/Blouse and Quick Perfect Pillows. Four classes will be taught each session by a master volunteer in clothing construction and county extension agents for the University of Kentucky. Cost is \$15 for one session or \$25 for both sessions. Fabric and supply lists are available upon registering. Participants must be 16 or older. The registration

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deadline is today. Call (859) 873-4601.

#### BONE DENSITY TEST OFFERED

Contours Express Hartland in Hartland Shopping Center will have free bone density testing for women from 2 to 4 p.m. Tuesday. Nan McMahan from Blue Grass Orthopedics will conduct the testing.

#### SCHOOL BOARD HOPEFULS TALK

A candidates' forum for Fayette County Board of Education Divisions 2 and 4 will be at 7 p.m. Tuesday at It's About Kids Service Center, 701 East Main Street, Conference Room C. The forum is co-sponsored by the 16th District PTA and the League of Women Voters of Lexington. The public is encouraged to attend and submit questions. Call (859) 335-8683.

#### NEW ADHD SUPPORT GROUP

Fayette County Public Schools is offering a support group for parents of students with ADHD. The group will meet from 7 to 8 p.m. the last Wednesday of each month to discuss issues relevant to parenting students who are inattentive, impulsive or hyperactive. All sessions will be at the It's About Kids Support Service building, 701 East Main Street, in Conference Room C or D. Refreshments will be served. Meeting dates are Sept. 27, Oct. 25, Nov. 29, Jan. 31, Feb. 28, March 28 and April 25.

#### ST. PAT'S FETE A BENEFIT

The fourth annual Halfway to Saint Patrick's Day celebration will be 4:30 to 7 p.m. Saturday at O'Neills Irish Pub, 2051 Richmond Road. The event will include Irish music by Liam's Fancy, Celtic Heart Irish Dancers and pianist Mayme Hamby, and lamb stew and brown bread by guest chef Mary Parlanti. Admission is \$10 at the door. Proceeds benefit the Lexington Sister Cities Program.

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75 YEARS OF PLAZA ART  
Exhibits and giveaways to commemorate fair's anniversary.

The Kansas City Star

The Plaza Art Fair 2006 is the 75th annual version, which means a little more celebration than usual.

Some of the facts and figures are familiar. It runs Friday through Sunday. There will be 230 artists from 35 states --presenting works ranging from the digital arts to ceramics. The fair will cover nine blocks, with 28 Plaza restaurants running outdoor food booths and with four stages of entertainment.

The **Kids Art** Workshop featuring Wonderscope Live! and the American Century Investments Community Arts Experience are back for the fourth time each, and about 40 of the area's other arts organizations will have informational booths to explain their current or upcoming seasons.

To honor the 75th anniversary, American Century will give away commemorative art fair prints, and there will be a historical exhibit of photographs. Plus, some of the artists have written their own memories, and those will be displayed in their booths.

One of those is Dana Forrester of Independence, who first showed his watercolors at the Plaza Art Fair in 1974. Since then he's missed just two fairs.

"My fondest memory was winning a major award in 1976, then again in 1979 and 1980," Forrester said. "I was especially proud of the Plaza Art Fair in 1977 two weeks after the Flood of 1977 as it helped the city heal from the devastation."

Mike Savage will be back as well. He was the 2005 showcase artist.

"I always have said, 'Art is simple. Either you like it or you don't,' " he said. "I've been blessed with patrons (here) who love my stuff."

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## PLAZA ART FAIR

Centered around 47th and Broadway

HOURS: 5-10 p.m. Friday

10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday

11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday

PARKING: All of the garages except the Plaza III will be open.

ADMISSION: Free.

## ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE

(subject to change)

## .MAIN STAGE

(Ward Parkway &amp; Broadway, on the Wornall Bridge)

Friday

5 p.m.: Candace Evans

6:45 p.m.: Sometimes Three

8:30 p.m.: Hot House

Saturday

10 a.m.: Brookside String Quartet

11:45 a.m.: Green Card

1:30 p.m.: ERV

3:15 p.m.: Wild Women of Kansas City

5 p.m.: Lonesome Hank &amp; the Heartaches

6:45 p.m.: Spontaneous Combustion

8:30 p.m.: Neon Blue

Sunday

11 a.m.: BCR

1 p.m.: Grand Marquis

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3 p.m.: Ida McBeth & Friends

. CLASSICAL CORNER

(Central and Nichols)

Friday

5 p.m.: Charles David Smart, guitar

6:45 p.m.: Lila and Don Gillett, dulcimer

8:30 p.m.: J-Band (violin, guitar, Japanese flute)

Saturday

10 a.m.: Lyra Harp Society

11:45 a.m.: Jim Palmer, Deendayal Dinakarbandian & Rebecca Dunnell (sarod, sitar, tabla)

1:30 p.m.: Jim Cosgrove (Children's entertainer)

3:15 p.m.: RD Frequency (Radio Disney group)

5 p.m.: Jonathan Ramsey (Celtic Guitar & Banjo)

6:45 p.m.: John Ong, Maria Dickson & Chris Vint, vocal, piano

8:30 p.m.: Michael O'Shiver, harpist

Sunday

11 a.m.: Jim Lammers, classic guitar

12:30 p.m.: Kevin Gilstrap, bagpipes

2 p.m.: Betty Jo Simon, accordion

3:30 p.m.: Continental Drift, world music

.PLAZA III STAGE

(Ward Parkway & Pennsylvania, in front of Plaza III)

Friday

5 p.m.: The Party Guise

8 p.m.: Krazy Kats

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10 a.m.: Klapton &amp; Chenille

1 p.m.: Coleen Cassidy

4 p.m.: Nine Mile Burn

7 p.m.: Michael Beers Band

Sunday

11 a.m.: Sol de Chiapas

2 p.m.: The Metropolitans

. PENGUIN COURTYARD

Friday

6 p.m.: Big Woody Blues Band

Saturday

10 a.m.: High Vibe

2 p.m.: Caribbean Steel

6 p.m.: Anna Lee &amp; The Lucky So &amp; So's

Sunday

2 p.m.: Sam Johnson Company

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Section: z\_Calendar

GO! For Kids

ART

\*\* THROUGH SEPT. 30

Creative animal and bird drawings. 2-4 p.m. Saturdays through Sept. 30. Join Julie Heilman at the Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History, 165 Forest Ave. and use the museum's resources to enhance your drawing skills of wildlife by using colored pencils, charcoal and other mediums. For grades 5-8. \$65. 372-6098, www.lyceum.org.

\*\* THROUGH SEPT. 30

Drawing, painting and collage art class with Charlsie Kelly. 10 a.m.-noon on Saturdays, Sept. 23 and Sept. 30 at Grand Avenue Art Works! in Pacific Grove. For grades 1-3. \$55. 372-6098, www.lyceum.org.

\*\* SEPT. 23 AND SEPT. 30

The art of mask decorating with Vanilla Helm. 9-10 a.m. Saturdays, Sept. 23 and Sept. 30 at the National Steinbeck Center, 1 Main St., Salinas. For grades 2-5. \$25. Paint and decorate fanciful and imaginative masks for your holiday costume, a gift for a friend, a decoration or just for fun. 372-6098, www.lyceum.org.

\*\* ONGOING

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. "Focused," is for ages 7-10 ongoing Mondays from 3:30-5 p.m. \$60. Two-dimensional painting, pastels and colored pencils will be used. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, www.pgartcenter.org.

\*\* ONGOING

**Kids' art.** 3:30-4:30 p.m. ongoing Mondays in four-week sessions at the Oldemeyer

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Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Sponsored by the city of Seaside. For ages 6-10. \$45 for Seaside residents; \$56 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. "Explore," is for ages 7-10 from 3:30-5 p.m. The session is on Fridays for six-weeks and is \$60 for a session. Three-dimensional art working with clay, glue guns, fabric and mixed media. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, www.pgartcenter.org.

DANCE

\*\* BEGINS SEPTEMBER

Salinas School of Dance. Irish dance class for ages 4-12 begins in September. Ballet, tap and jazz classes for ages 2 ½-18 also begin in September. 424-4655 or www.salinasdance.com

\*\* THROUGH NOV. 27

Creative dance for little feet. Sessions: 10:15-11 a.m. or 11-11:45 a.m. Mondays and/or 11-11:45 a.m. Tuesdays at the Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For boys and girls ages 3-4. Each session is one month. Carol Benton Richmond is the instructor. 646-3975.

\*\* ONGOING TUE-WED

The Peninsula Ballet Center. Ballet lessons for ages 6-8 on Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. and for teens at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays at Peninsula Ballet Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 372-0388.

\*\* ONGOING

SpectorDance. Ongoing classes in hip-hop, jazz, modern dance and jazz/musical theater and choreography. The studio also offers pre-ballet classes for ages 5-7, beginning, intermediate and advanced classes for pointe. 3343 Paul Davis Drive, Marina. 384-1050, www.spectordance.org.

\*\* ONGOING WED-THU

Carmel Academy of Performing Arts. Creative kids program from 9:15-11:45 a.m. ongoing Wed-Thu for ages 3-4. Dancers get lessons in movement, singing, dramatic play, ballet, jazz and tap. 624-3729.

\*\* ONGOING SATURDAYS

The city of Seaside sponsors "Imagine Dance in Motion." This program is designed to explore the world of dance with emphasis on ballet, jazz, lyrical and contemporary forms. 9:30 a.m.-1:45 p.m. Saturdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby St., Seaside for ages 3-13. Pick from any of the four classes offered (45-minute classes). \$20 for Seaside residents; \$25 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

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## FILMS

\*\* SEPT. 22, SEPT. 29

Films at the planetarium. 7 p.m. Fridays, Sept. 22 and Sept. 29 at Hartnell College, 156 Homestead Ave., Salinas. "Moon Dreams," and "Hubble Vision" will be shown. \$6 general/\$4 for youths. No late seating. Program is about one hour. 755-6880.

\*\* OCT. 9-13 AND OCT. 16-20

Fall film camp for kids. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. or 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Mon-Fri, Oct. 9-13 and Oct. 16-20 at Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman St., Monterey. \$135. Movie preview night will be Nov. 4. 375-7774, www.MonarchTheatre

MontereyBay.com.

## FUN STUFF

\*\* THROUGH SEPT. 30

Science under sail at the Monterey Bay Aquarium. 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. Sat-Sun, through Sept. 30 at 886 Cannery Row, Monterey. Step aboard a state-of-the-art 65-foot research sailboat for the adventure of a lifetime. In the program, you'll work alongside aquarium naturalists in a three-hour science expedition on Monterey Bay. Details: www.montereybayaquarium.org for more information.

\*\* SEPT. 24

Ham radio with Rick Lagerstrom. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 24 at the Lyceum of Monterey County, 1073 Sixth St., Monterey. Lagerstrom will introduce you to the world of ham radio. Explore the differences between broadcast radio and amateur radio as you try your hand at talking to other radio operators around the country. For grades 3 and up. \$10. 372-6098, www.lyceum.org.

\*\* SEPT. 26

All about astronauts with Daniel Bursch. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 26. View pictures and video from astronaut Daniel Bursch's most recent trip to space as part of Expedition Four to the International Space Station (ISS). Topics include what astronauts do and where they go, how to become an astronaut and more. \$12. 372-6098.

\*\* OCT. 14

Wizard training. 2-4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 14 at Casanova Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona Ave., Monterey. For ages 5-8. Make a wizard's hat, practice some magic and mixing up potions. Register at 646-5665.

\*\* OCT. 20

Tricks, treats and sweets. 6-10 p.m. Friday, Oct. 20 at Casanova Oak Knoll Park

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Center, 735 Ramona Ave., Monterey. For ages 6-12. Create creepy crafts, goulish goodies, play ghostly games and other surprises. Bring a sack dinner. Register at 646-5665.

\*\* OCT. 26

Monster mansions and tricky treats. 1:30-3:30 p.m. for ages 3-5 and from 3:30-5:30 for ages 6-9 on Thursday, Oct. 26 at Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. Register at 646-3866.

\*\* ONGOING

Kids Club at the Oldemeyer Center in Seaside. 2:30-5:30 p.m. Mon-Fri at 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Homework help, craft projects, outdoor games, special events. \$16 a month for city residents; \$22 for nonresidents. The club follows the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District schedule. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING

Cooking classes for youth. 4-6 p.m. ongoing Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. The classes are open to children ages 7-12. \$47 for residents/\$58 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING MONDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS

Youth gymnastics. Ongoing Mondays and Wednesdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. For ages 4-14 (various classes offered). \$28 for city residents/\$35 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

#### LITERARY EVENTS

\*\* ONGOING MONDAYS

Monday Morning stories and adventures. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Mondays at the Casanova-Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona Ave., Monterey, the Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey and at the Monterey Youth Center, 777 Pearl St., Monterey. The class is for ages 3-5 and will combine literature with arts, music, crafts and movement. 646-3866.

\*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

Book talks at Lewis & More The British Store. 8-9 p.m. ongoing Tuesdays at the store on the Alvarado Mall in downtown Monterey. Professor Slughorn is the host. Children are encouraged to dress as their favorite Harry Potter character and bring a copy of "Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince." The group will listen to a chapter of the book narrated by Jim Dale, then the group will talk about it afterward. 372-3158.

\*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

The Monterey Public Library storytimes. Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m. for ages 18-36 months; 11 a.m. Tuesdays for children ages 3-6. On the second Tuesday of the month

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at 7 p.m., children are encouraged to wear their pajamas for a special storyhour. All story hours are free, but groups need to call ahead for reservations. 625 Pacific St., Monterey. 646-3934.

\*\* ONGOING TUESDAYS

Storytime at the Marina Library. Tuesdays at 10 a.m. for babies (up to 18 months) and 10:30 a.m. for preschoolers. 266 Reservation Road, Marina. 384-6971.

MUSIC

\*\* THROUGH OCT. 23

Musikids! 5-5:45 p.m. ongoing Mondays, at Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For ages 3-5. Movement, vocal play, signing, listening, sound exploration. Sessions are four weeks in length and continue through Oct. 23. Susan Hayes is the instructor. 646-3866.

\*\* SEPT. 21-DEC. 21

Beginning guitar with Steve Fox. 8-9 p.m. Thursdays, Sept. 21-Dec. 21 at Casanova-Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona, Monterey. For ages 13 and older. 646-5665. \$125 for Monterey city residents; \$163 for nonresidents. 646-3866.

\*\* ONGOING

JazzMaster Workshops. 3:30-4:30 p.m. Mondays at Tularcitos School in Carmel Valley; 7-8:30 p.m. Mondays at the Carmel Youth Center, Fourth and Torres, Carmel; 3:30-4:30 Tuesdays at the Boys & Girls Club in Seaside; 3-4 p.m. Wednesdays at Captain Cooper School, Highway 1, Carmel; 3:30-4:30 p.m. Thursdays at the Boys & Girls Club in Salinas. All sessions are free to students on a drop-in basis. Information: [www.jazzmastersworkshop.org](http://www.jazzmastersworkshop.org).

ONSTAGE

\*\* CLOSES SEPT. 24

PacRep presents "Disney's Beauty and the Beast." 7:30 p.m. Fri-Sat and 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday at the outdoor Forest Theater, Mountain View and Santa Rita in Carmel. Produced for PacRep by Stephen Moorer, directed by Walt deFaria, with choreography by Sherri Beck and musical direction by Steve Tosh, this family musical features Maggie Roesser as Belle and Jason Champeau as The Beast. \$22-\$36 general/\$6-\$10 for ages 12 and under/discounts available for seniors over 65, students, teachers and active military. Tickets are available from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Tue-Sat at the Pacific Repertory Theatre Box Office, Monte Verde Street between Eighth and Ninth, Carmel. 622-0100, [www.pacrep.org](http://www.pacrep.org), [www.ticketguys.com](http://www.ticketguys.com).GO!

\*\* ONGOING

Pioneers of the Future presents "Fanny and Robert or The Teller in Monterey," an interactive youth theatrical workshop. 3:30-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at California First Theater, Scott and Pacific streets, Monterey. The workshop will

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culminate in performances on Nov. 4-5, Nov. 11-12 and Nov. 18-19. \$200. 424-2568, www.montereypioneers.com.

\*\* ONGOING

Audition for Monarch Theatre's "You Must Have Made a Mistake... This Can't be Christmas," a musical comedy. Parts available for child actors ages 6-12 with or without experience but must have a good attitude. Looking for non-singing principles, singing principles, chorus, and singers who can dance. All roles are open. Auditions are ongoing until parts are filled. Rehearsal held after school at Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman Ave., Monterey, 375-7774, www.MonarchTheatreMontereyBay.com.

\*\* ONGOING

Theater classes at Monarch Theatre. 4:30-5:30 p.m. Mon-Fri. Includes instruction in how to audition, acting technique, improvs, musical theatre, monologues, comedy and more. All actors must start at beginning level regardless of previous experience. Master level by invitation only. Actors are encouraged to audition for ongoing play productions. Runs in a 12-week session at \$125 a session or enroll in 2-5 classes a week pay \$80 monthly. Held at the Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman Ave., Monterey. 375-7774, www.MonarchTheatreMontereyBay.com.

\*\* ONGOING

PacRep Theatre's School of Dramatic Arts (SoDA). Classes for tots, children, teens and adults including Pre-Musical Theatre (ages 4-6) and Sing! Dance! Act! (ages 7-13). New classes include Shakespeare for Teens, Radio Theatre (ages 8 and up) and Stage Combat for Adults. Fall session runs Aug. 28-Nov. 18. Spring session runs Jan. 8-March 31. All classes held at All Saints Church, Carmel. College credit available. Classes at All Saints Episcopal Church, Seccombe Hall, Ninth and Lincoln, Carmel. Directed by MaryAnn Schaupp-Rousseau. 656-9730, www.pacrep.org.

#### TOURS & OUTDOORS

\*\* OCT. 13-14, OCT. 21, OCT. 27-31

Wild Things Halloween Flashlight Tour. 7-8:30 p.m. Fri-Sat, Oct. 13-14; Saturday, Oct. 14; Fri-Tue, Oct. 27-31 at 400 River Road, Salinas. Refreshments, photo opportunities. \$14 adults/\$12 ages 4-14. Not recommended for ages 3 and under. Reservations required. 455-1901, ext. 3.

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Church puts artists in the frame

MERYL NAIDOO

KINGSTON'S City Light Church opens its doors to the public for an art exhibit and a workshop tomorrow.

The City Light Church will be decked out with 25 art pieces, featuring photography, visual art and multi-media exhibits.

Organiser and exhibitor Sally Patterson, 23, from Kingston, said starting creative arts at the church was important for the community.

Miss Patterson explained the theme of Moments Made for Worshipping by saying ``Worshipping is about lifestyle and covers any moment in life''.

She said the exhibition was gospel-based but contemporary and relevant for the whole community.

``The variety in this exhibition is great, making it an ideal showcase for the fine talent we have in Tasmania,`` Miss Patterson said.

Having spent four years studying at the School of Creative Arts and Ministry at Christian City Church at Oxford Falls on the northern beaches of Sydney, on returning to Tasmania she decided to work with the Kingston church to embrace the creative arts more.

``It's a fantastic medium and wonderful way of expressing yourself,`` she said.

There will also be a free **kids art** workshop from 2-4pm run by casual art teacher Patricia Harvey from Kingston Christian School and Liz Summerfield from the Outreach program. Miss Patterson said it would allow children to explore their creativity and create their own piece of art while parents browse.

Local writer Maz Gill-Harper will sell and sign her self-published book Logos.

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Section: z\_Calendar

GO! For Kids

ART

\*\* ONGOING

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. "Focused" is for ages 7-10 ongoing Mondays from 3:30-5 p.m. \$60. Two-dimensional painting, pastels and colored pencils will be used. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, [www.pgartcenter.org](http://www.pgartcenter.org).

\*\* ONGOING

**Kids' art.** 3:30-4:30 p.m. ongoing Mondays in four-week sessions at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside. Sponsored by the city of Seaside. For ages 6-10. \$45 for Seaside residents; \$56 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

\*\* ONGOING

Art classes for children at the Pacific Grove Art Center. "Explore" is for ages 7-10 from 3:30-5 p.m. The session is on Fridays for six weeks and is \$60 for a session. Three-dimensional art working with clay, glue guns, fabric and mixed media. Julie Heilman is the instructor. 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 646-1392, [www.pgartcenter.org](http://www.pgartcenter.org).

DANCE

\*\* ONGOING

Salinas School of Dance. Irish dance class for ages 4-12. Ballet, tap and jazz classes for ages 2½-18. 424-4655 or [www.salinasdance.com](http://www.salinasdance.com)

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Creative dance for little feet. Sessions: 10:15-11 a.m. or

11-11:45 a.m. Mondays and/or

11-11:45 a.m. Tuesdays at the Hilltop Park Center, 871 Jessie St., Monterey. For boys and girls ages 3-4. Each session is one month. Carol Benton Richmond is the instructor. 646-3975.

\*\* ONGOING TUE-WED

The Peninsula Ballet Center. Ballet lessons for ages 6-8 on Tuesdays at 3:30 p.m. and for teens at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesdays at Peninsula Ballet Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. 372-0388.

\*\* ONGOING

SpectorDance. Ongoing classes in hip-hop, jazz, modern dance and jazz/musical theater and choreography. The studio also offers pre-ballet classes for ages 5-7, beginning, intermediate and advanced classes for pointe. 3343 Paul Davis Drive, Marina. 384-1050, [www.spectordance.org](http://www.spectordance.org).

\*\* ONGOING WED-THU

Carmel Academy of Performing Arts. Creative kids program from 9:15-11:45 a.m. ongoing Wed-Thu for ages 3-4. Dancers get lessons in movement, singing, dramatic play, ballet, jazz and tap. 624-3729.

\*\* ONGOING SATURDAYS

The city of Seaside sponsors "Imagine Dance in Motion." This program is designed to explore the world of dance with emphasis on ballet, jazz, lyrical and contemporary forms. 9:30 a.m.-1:45 p.m. Saturdays at the Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby St., Seaside for ages 3-13. Pick from any of the four classes offered (45-minute classes). \$20 for Seaside residents; \$25 for nonresidents. 899-6805.

#### FILMS

\*\* OCT. 9-13 AND OCT. 16-20

Fall film camp for kids. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. (\$195) or 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. (\$135) Mon-Fri, Oct. 9-13 and Oct. 16-20 at Monarch Theatre, 320 Hoffman St., Monterey. Movie preview night will be Nov. 4. 375-7774, [www.MonarchTheatreMontereyBay.com](http://www.MonarchTheatreMontereyBay.com).

#### FUN STUFF

\*\* OCT. 9-13 AND OCT. 16-20

Fall camp break. 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Oct. 9-13 and Oct. 16-20 at the YMCA of the Monterey Peninsula, 600 Camino El Estero, Monterey. For kindergarten through sixth grade. Crafts, group games, field trips. \$145 per week. 373-4167.

\*\* OCT. 14

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Wizard training. 2-4 p.m.Saturday, Oct. 14 at Casanova Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona Ave., Monterey. For ages 5-8. Make a wizard's hat, practice some magic and mixing up potions. Register at 646-5665.

\*\* OCT. 16-20

Fall nature camp. The Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District and the YMCA will collaborate to give children in grades 5-7 a week of field trips to parks and preserves and lots of hands-on activities. Camp is from 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Mon-Fri, Oct. 16-20. 373-4167.

\*\* OCT. 20

Tricks, treats and sweets. 6-10 p.m.Friday, Oct. 20 at Casanova Oak Knoll Park Center, 735 Ramona Ave., Monterey. For ages 6-12. Create creepy crafts, ghoulish goodies, play ghostly games and other surprises. Bring a sack dinner. Register at 646-5665.

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This Just In  
Marie Blom  
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Oct. 1--Blood drive

The bloodmobile will be in the following locations:

Dickinson Park, at U.S. Highway 17-92 and East Graves Avenue in Orange City,  
from noon to 6 p.m. Oct. 4.

Deltona City Hall, 2345 Providence Blvd., from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Oct. 9.

Photo identification is required for all blood donors. All donors will  
receive:

50 percent off admission on a one-day, two-park ticket or two-day ticket to  
both parks at Universal Orlando.

Free Big Deal Meal from Sonny's Real Pit Bar-B-Q.

Club Red membership, entitling two-time donors to \$10 in Darden Restaurant  
gift certificates.

Buy-one, get-one-free admission to Silver Springs for up to six people.

Art competition

"Get Active at Your Library" is the theme for the 2006 Active Ingredients  
Teen Art Competition at the New Smyrna Beach Regional Library, 1001 S. Dixie  
Freeway.

Area middle and high school students can submit original works of art  
inspired by books that encourage them to lead active lifestyles with exercise,  
sports, volunteering, diet, outdoor hobbies or career goal setting.

Cash prizes of \$50 for first place, \$35 for second place and \$25 for third  
place will be awarded.

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The deadline for submissions is 7:30 p.m. Oct. 12.

Award-winning artists Jean Banas and Bruce Hammond will judge the entries. Winners will be notified by telephone. All entries will be displayed in the library.

Details and entry forms: 386-424-2910, Ext. 111.

#### Camp BeginAgain

Camp BeginAgain, a weekend retreat for children 6 to 18 years old who have experienced the death of a loved one, is taking applications for the next session, Nov. 10-12, at the Central Baptist Youth Camp in DeLand.

The cost is \$100 per child. Scholarships are available. Registration deadline: Oct. 20. Applications can be picked up from school guidance counselors or by calling the Lawrence E. Whelan BeginAgain Children's Grief Center at 386-258-5100.

#### Sierra Club

The Volusia-Flagler Sierra Club will meet at 7 p.m. Oct. 4 in the City Commission meeting room of Flagler Beach City Hall at Second Street and South Central Avenue.

A park guide from Princess Place Estate will be the speaker.

Car pools leave at 6 p.m. Details: Dennis Elster at 386-943-9415 from DeLand area; Pam Powell at 386-428-9312 from New Smyrna Beach area; Marsha Lewis at 386-258-1605 from Daytona Beach area.

#### Sandcastle Storytellers

Sandcastle Storytellers is planning a series of get-togethers for those who love to listen to or tell stories. The informal meetings will be an opportunity to get to know members and ask questions.

The first gathering will be Oct. 8 at a restaurant; the time and place will be determined by the number of participants.

Details: 386-789-4259 or 386-767-0435.

#### MOMS Club

The DeLand Chapter of the MOMS Club will meet at 10:30 a.m. Oct. 3 at the DeLand Area Public Library, 130 E. Howry Ave.

After the meeting, a 30-minute gymnastics class will be offered.

Details: Kristen Holland at 386-738-9134.

#### Port Orange Library

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The Port Orange Library, 1005 City Center Circle, offers the following activities:

Oct. 2 -- Afternoon at the Movies, 2 p.m.

Oct. 4 -- First Wednesday Health Series; call for topic and time.

Oct. 4 -- Spooky Stories and Such, for youngsters in elementary grades, 3:30 p.m.

Details: 386-322-5152.

#### Audubon Society

The Audubon Society will meet at 7 p.m. Oct. 4 at the Edgewater Library.

Linda Young, director of the Clean Water Network of Florida, will speak on the challenges that residents face today in protecting their communities' clean water supply.

A field trip to Turkey Creek Sanctuary in Palm Bay is planned for Oct. 7. Participants will depart at 7:30 a.m. from the Market Place Shopping Center on U.S. Highway 1 and State Road 442 in Edgewater. Participants should bring bird books and binoculars, lunch, drinks and insect repellent.

#### Welcome Wagon

Welcome Wagon Club of Seminole Spokes, a charitable and social club that welcomes newcomers, will have its monthly luncheon meeting at 11:30 a.m. Oct. 11 at Heathrow Country Club.

Cost: \$20. Reservations: 407-333-1378 or e-mail [seminolespokes@yahoo.com](mailto:seminolespokes@yahoo.com) by Oct. 6.

#### Wava's Hall

Wava's Hall, the senior center at 200 N. Holly Ave. in Orange City, is planning to attend the matinee performance of Singin' in the Rain at the Starlight Theater in Orlando.

Cost: \$60, which includes lunch and transportation.

Details: Rocio Thompson at 386-775-3121.

#### Art classes

The Deltona Arts Center, 682 Deltona Blvd., will offer the following art classes for youth beginning Oct. 3:

**Kids Art**, 3:30-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays

**Arts and Crafts**, 2:30-4:30 p.m. Wednesdays

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Teens Art, 4:30-6:30 p.m. Thursdays

The eight-week sessions are \$48 for members, \$54 for nonmembers.

Details: 386-860-5090.

SeniorNet

A free computer demonstration for seniors will take place every 15 minutes from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Oct. 13 at the SeniorNet Computer Learning Center, 524 S. Beach St., Suite A, in Daytona Beach.

The topic will be electronic greeting cards.

Details: 386-254-1688.

New Beginnings

Hospice of Volusia-Flagler will offer New Beginnings adult grief support groups in October for those coping with the death of a loved one. The groups are facilitated by professional counselors, and topics include adjusting a new way of life, identifying feelings and symptoms of grief and learning to manage loss and stress.

Sessions run for seven weeks and are open to the public. Group size is limited and advance registration is required. Details: 386-822-4851 in west Volusia; 386-322-4701 in east Volusia; 386-673-7770 in Ormond Beach or 1-800-272-2717.

On WCEU-Channel 15

Volusia Magazine, the county's weekly public-information television program on WCEU-Channel 15, focuses on the background of the seven charter-change proposals.

Stetson University political science professor T. Wayne Bailey provides background on the Volusia charter and the rationale for the proposed changes.

The 30-minute show airs at 5 p.m. Oct. 1 and repeats at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 2.

Clubs

Gator Club

The Gator Club is having a ticket raffle to the Florida-Georgia football game Oct. 28 in Jacksonville. Tickets are \$10. The drawing will be Oct. 19. Proceeds benefit the scholarship foundation.

Details: jimtobin@cfl.rr .com.

Dances

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Leisure Services of Daytona Beach sponsors a dance from 2 to 4 p.m. Fridays at the City Island recreation center on Orange Avenue across from Jackie Robinson Baseball Stadium. Dance to Talk of the Town playing oldies, Latin, swing and polka.

Cost: \$3.

Details: 386-676-2150.

Social and Dance Club

The All City Social and Dance Club meets from 5:30 to 9 p.m. Thursdays at the American Legion Hall, 470 Summerhaven Drive in DeBary.

Dinner and dancing is \$7 for members and \$8 for nonmembers. Dancing only is \$5.

Dance instructions are given by Antoinette Augustine from 3:45 to 5 p.m. Thursdays. Cost: \$4 per class.

Details: 386-668-8886 or 386-789-0532.

Sons of Italy

The Mike Accardi Lodge of the Sons of Italy, 1270 Doyle Road in Deltona, will have its annual Columbus Day dinner and dance at 6 p.m. Oct. 14.

The menu will include pasta, salad, prime rib, vegetables, Italian Casada cake and coffee.

Music will be provided by Saffi.

Dress is semiformal. Setups will be available for purchase.

Tickets are \$25 and must be purchased by Oct. 7. Details: 386-428-3396 or 386-574-1122.

Also, a trip to the Seminole Hard Rock Casino in Tampa is planned for Oct. 21.

Cost: \$25, which includes bus transportation from the lodge, \$20 toward slot play and a \$5 meal voucher.

The bus will leave at 9 a.m. and return about 6:30 p.m.

Reservations deadline is Oct. 7.

Details: 407-321-5481.

Woodcarvers Club

The Deltona Woodcarvers Club meets from noon to 3 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of the month at the Deltona United Church of Christ, 1649 Providence Blvd. New members are welcome.

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Details: 386-668-1349.

#### MOMS Club

The MOMS Club of West Deltona, a nonprofit support group for at-home moms in west Deltona, DeBary and Orange City, meets at 10:30 a.m. the last Monday of each month at the Community United Methodist Church, 100 W. Highbanks Road in DeBary.

#### Singles

Volusia County Singles is a group forming for those 30 to 50 years old. A variety of activities will be offered.

Details: volusiacounty singles.org.

#### PT Cruiser Club

Mid-Florida PT Cruiser Club meets at 7 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at Deltona Alliance Church, 921 Deltona Blvd.

Details: 386-801-5111 or 386-717-7151.

#### Arts, entertainment

##### 'Memory of Place'

Gibran Studio and Gallery, 102 S. Woodland Blvd., DeLand, will present "Memory of Place," an exhibit of paintings and photographs that depict the intersection of memories and landscape.

The show will feature works by painter Mary-Edith Alexander and photographers Kitty Hubbard and Tariq Gibran.

The free exhibit runs through Oct. 28.

Details: 386-734-1996.

#### Classes

##### Driving safety

AARP Driver Safety classes are scheduled as follows:

Oct. 2 and 3, 1 to 5 p.m., Wellington Place, 1050 Oceanshore Blvd., Ormond Beach. Details: 386-677-2347.

Oct. 3 and 4, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Senior Center, 980 Lakeshore Drive, Deltona. Details: 386-574-0060 or 386-775-9830.

Oct. 9 and 11, 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Piggotte Community Center, 504 Big Tree Road, South Daytona. Details: 386-383-2756.

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Oct. 16 and 17, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Florida Hospital DeLand, 701 W. Plymouth Ave. Details: 386-738-3084 or 386-775-9830.

Oct. 18 and 19, 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, 485 Turnbull Bay Road, New Smyrna Beach. Details: 386-426-6254.

Oct. 20, 12:30 to 4:30 p.m., and Oct. 21, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Ormond Beach Library, 30 S. Beach St. Details: 386-441-8627.

Oct. 23 and 30, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., DeBary Golf and Country Club, 300 Plantation Club Drive. Details: 386-851-0858 or 386-775-9830.

Oct. 26 and 27, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Disabled American Veterans, 605 Eighth St., Holly Hill. Details: 386-673-8086.

Classes are designed to improve driving skills among senior citizens and could qualify drivers for rate reductions on auto insurance.

Cost: \$10. Reservations are required.

Acting 101

Volusia County Leisure Services will have Acting 101 for middle and high school students from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Oct. 9 at DeLand Middle School, 1800 S. Aquarius Ave.

The six-week program costs \$20 per student and will be offered Mondays and Wednesdays through Nov. 15.

Registration deadline is 4 p.m. Oct. 5 at the Leisure Services office, 202 N. Florida Ave., DeLand.

Details: 386-736-5953.

Clogging

The Sugarfoot Family Cloggers offers beginning clogging classes from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. Mondays in Adams Hall at Central Baptist Church, 142 Fairview Ave., Daytona Beach.

Intermediate and advanced classes meet from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Mondays. Cost: \$5 per class.

Health

Blood donations

Donors are needed at Florida's Blood Centers. All blood types are in very short supply. Anyone at least 17 years old, weighing at least 110 pounds and in generally good health may be an eligible donor.

Donations can be made from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays; 9 a.m.

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to 5 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays; 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Fridays; and 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays at 1440 Nova Road, Suite 204, Holly Hill.

Details: 386-258-1910.

#### Libraries

##### Port Orange

The Port Orange Regional Library, 1005 City Center Circle, offers the following activities:

Weekly programs for children 3 months to 5 years old.

Chess Club, Tuesdays and Fridays.

Book donations are accepted during operating hours.

Details: 386-322-5152.

#### Miscellaneous

##### National Life Chain

Volusia County Right to Life will sponsor the National Life Chain from 2 to 3 p.m. Oct. 1 on International Speedway Boulevard in front of the Volusia Mall in Daytona Beach.

Details: 386-407-221-5973.

##### Recipe contest, pecan sale

The DeBary Garden Club is sponsoring a hometown-choice pecan recipe contest along with the annual pecan sale.

Contest applications may be picked up at Riverside Bank, U.S. Highway 17-92 in DeBary, at City Hall or from a club member. Recipes must be returned to the bank with a \$5 application fee per recipe before Oct. 15. Judging will be at 10 a.m. Nov. 4 at the bank.

Pecan halves or chocolate-covered pieces are for sale for \$8 a bag or \$15 for two bags. Each bag will be accompanied by the contest's winning recipe. Orders must be placed by Oct. 15.

Details or to place an order: Tess Bernier at 386-753-9177.

##### Casino night

The DeLand Area Chamber of Commerce is planning Viva Las Vegas Casino Night from 6:30 to 11 p.m. Oct. 7 at the Club at Victoria Gardens at Victoria Park, 1001 Garden Club Drive, DeLand.

Professional tables, an hors d'oeuvres buffet, entertainment, and silent and live auctions will be included.

Tickets are \$25 per person or \$45 per couple in advance, \$30 at the door.

Texas Hold 'Em Tournament tickets are \$20 and must be purchased in advance.

Tickets can be purchased at the chamber, 336 N. Woodland Blvd., or by calling 386-734-4331.

#### Deputy sponsorship

The Volusia County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for the deputy sponsorship program that provides full scholarships to low-income people who want to become deputy sheriffs. Qualification is based on personal or family income. Selected applicants will attend the Basic Law Enforcement Officer Academy at Daytona Beach Community College.

Applicants will also be hired by the Sheriff's Office and paid \$8.50 per hour for 40 hours per week while enrolled in the academy.

Application deadline is Oct. 20.

Details: 386-736-5961.

#### Family Days

Port Orange Family Days is accepting entries for its Community Expo planned for Oct. 7 and 8. Information and entry forms are available at family days.com.

Details: 386-566-4109.

#### seniors

#### 50+ Gathering

DeBary Parks and Recreation offers a Seniors 50+ Gathering with board games and cards from noon to 3 p.m. Mondays at the DeBary Civic Center, 38 S. Shell Road.

Details: 386-456-5150.

#### Singing seniors

Silver Saints Senior Singers rehearse from 1 to 2:30 p.m. Thursdays in the Wesley Room at Trinity United Methodist Church, 306 W. Wisconsin Ave. in DeLand. New members are welcome.

Details: 386-734-4425.

#### Outdoors

#### Farmers Market

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The Orange City Farmers Market is open from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays at Rotary Park, U.S. Highway 17-92 and Blue Springs Avenue.

Details: 386-775-5454.

#### Eco-buggy tour

Volusia County Land Acquisition and Management will lead a tour of Lake George Forest from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Oct. 5. The tour will be led by a forester and will include stops to observe and learn about plants, animals and land-management practices such as prescribed burns.

The tour begins at the end of Nine Mile Point Road, off County Road 3, Pierson.

Details: 386-736-5276 or [volusia.org/growth/outreach .htm](http://volusia.org/growth/outreach.htm).

#### Hike Wiregrass Prairie

Volusia County Land Acquisition and Management will sponsor a free guided hike of Wiregrass Prairie Preserve from 9 a.m. to noon Oct. 7.

Participants will learn about wildflowers of the pine flatwoods, wet prairie and other wetland areas of the preserve.

Wear comfortable hiking or walking shoes that can get wet and bring bottled drinking water, insect repellent and cameras.

The preserve is on Lopez Road, off Pell Road in Osteen.

Details: Bonnie Cary at 386-736-5276 or [bcary@co.volusia .fl.us](mailto:bcary@co.volusia.fl.us).

#### Support groups

##### Bereavement

Florida Hospital Memorial HospiceCare bereavement support groups meet the first and third Wednesday of the month at DeLand Area Public Library, 130 E. Howry Ave.

Details and registration: Gwen Kotler at 386-671-4762.

##### Council on Aging

The Council on Aging of Volusia County offers a Rainbow Day social respite program at several locations throughout the county.

The program offers the caregiver time to be free from the responsibility of a family member or friend.

Details: 1-888-252-6110, Ext. 225 or 226.

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## Youth

## Soccer Challenge

The DeBary Knights of Columbus and the city of DeBary are sponsoring a Youth Soccer Challenge Competition at 1 p.m. Oct. 1 at Rob Sullivan Field, 200 W. Highbanks Road, DeBary.

Boys and girls 10 to 14 years old are invited to participate in the local level of competition for the 2006 Knights of Columbus Soccer Challenge.

Competitors will each get 15 penalty kicks. The goals will be divided into five sections with a different point value assigned to each.

The top three scorers from each of the 10 divisions will advance to the regional competition.

Participation is free; registration will be taken the day of the event.

Proof of age and written parental consent are required.

Details: 386-668-5448.

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ART EVENTS

BLUE WOLF GALLERY: "Paintings for Paws." Art auction features framed works by Duffy. Benefits Animal Haven. 8 p.m.Oct. 6. Doors open at 5 p.m.

CEDAR CREEK SUBDIVISION LAKE: Hidden Glen Arts Festival. Juried art show and sale; music, food, children's tent and roving entertainers. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.Oct. 7; 10 a.m.-5 p.m.Oct. 8.

HOBB BUILDING ART STUDIOS: "30/30 Vision": Kansas City Artists Coalition 30th Birthday Blast. 8 a.m.-11 p.m.Oct. 6.

KANSAS CITY ART INSTITUTE, EPPERSON AUDITORIUM, VANDERSLICE HALL: Art lecture by Paula Wittner on photography; part of "Current Perspectives: It's Only Natural" series. 7 p.m.Oct. 5. Free. Cartune Xprez, multimedia performances with animated videos and dance. 8 p.m.Oct. 7. Free.

KEMPER MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART: "Black, White and Dragon Red: Ichiban Gala," 7-11 p.m.Oct. 14; \$150; tickets required. Egawa + Zbryk, Hugh Merrill, Robert Quackenbush, art slideshow, 5:30-6:30 p.m.Oct. 11; \$150.

LEAWOOD FINE ART: Johnson County Canvas. Hand-blown glass by Scott Hartley and open house at the Gallery at Hawthorne Plaza, 4845 W. 119th; the Rice Gallery of Fine Art, 7060 W. 135th; and Prairiebrooke Galleries, 13300 Metcalf. Opening reception, 5-9 p.m.Oct. 13; event continues Oct. 14. 5-9 p.m.Oct. 13; 10 a.m.-5 p.m.Oct. 14.

LEGACY SCHOOL OF THE ARTS: Annual Design Faculty Exhibition. 1:30 p.m.Oct. 8.

MILL CREEK PARK: Art in the Park: Unveiling of Mackenzie Thorpe sculptures. Five,

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15-foot sculptures. 4 p.m.Oct. 7.

NELSON-ATKINS MUSEUM OF ART, ATKINS AUDITORIUM: Art in the Park: "From the Hanging Gardens of Babylon to Versailles." Second lecture in three-part series. 10:30-11:30 a.m.Oct. 14. \$3-\$9. Tickets required. Art in the Park: "The Evolution of the Kansas City Sculpture Park." Art lecture by Jan Schall, Sanders Sosland curator of modern and contemporary art. First in three-part series; 10:30-11:30 a.m.Oct. 7. \$3-\$9; continues Oct. 14.

NELSON-ATKINS MUSEUM OF ART: "The Exquisite Corpse": Exploration of hidden meanings in art using sounds, symbols and stories; by Dwight Frizzell, artist and musician, 6-7 p.m.Oct. 13. Meet at visitors desk. Tickets required. Program repeated 7:30-8:30 p.m. Walk-In Tours: Permanent Collection. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, noon-5 p.m. Sunday.

PARK UNIVERSITY, GRAHAM TYLER MEMORIAL CHAPEL: "Pink Flamingoes: Art@Park." More than 60 artists display and sell artwork in a variety of mediums, including jewelry, watercolors, paintings, drawings, ceramics, painted silk, sculpture and glass; live entertainment, food for sale, free **kids art** activities. On the lawn. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.Oct. 14; 10 a.m.-5 p.m.Oct. 15. Free admission.

SGI-KC: First Friday event. Local art, poetry, music, refreshments. 7-9 p.m.Oct. 6. Free.

SPENCER MUSEUM OF ART: Art into Art Lecture: "Looking Anew: Surrealism Today." 7 p.m.Oct. 5.

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS, ALDERSON AUDITORIUM: Hallmark Design Symposium Series: Kurt van Dexter. Program by landscape artist. 6 p.m.Oct. 9.

#### GALLERIES

\* ARTS INCUBATOR GALLERY: "Figuration: Adam Long and Benjamin Carlson." First Friday opening, 6-9:30 p.m.Oct. 6. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday; closes Oct. 27.

\* BARBERSHOP GALLERY: "Ten: A Decade of Vietnamese Photography." Opening artist's reception, 6-9 p.m.Oct. 6; 1-4 p.m.Oct. 7. Hours by appointment; closes Oct. 15.

BELGER ARTS CENTER: "American Dream: By Design" from collection of John and Maxine Belger Family Foundation and other local collectors. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, noon-4 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. First Fridays and by appointment; closes Oct. 6.

BLUE GALLERY: New Works by Kelly Porter. 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday; noon-9 p.m. Friday-Saturday; closes Oct. 24.

PARK UNIVERSITY, CAMPANELLA GALLERY: "Patricia Autenrieth: Contemporary Art Quilts." 8 a.m.-9:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Friday; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday; 4-9:30 p.m. Sunday; closes Oct. 20.

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\* CARNEGIE ARTS CENTER: "Healing Through the Arts III: Surviving and Thriving." Breast Cancer Awareness project. Opens Oct. 6; reception, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Oct. 13; closes Oct. 31. "Healing Through the Arts III: Surviving and Thriving." Reception, Oct. 13; closes Oct. 31. "The Shape of Things: Everett Ward." Opening reception, 6-8 p.m. Oct. 6; closes Oct. 28. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday; 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday.

CARTER ART CENTER, PENN VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE: "Rob Dohrmann: Graphic Design." Noon-6 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, noon-3 p.m. Saturday; closes Oct. 13.

BYRON C. COHEN GALLERY FOR CONTEMPORARY ART: Megan McGinnis and John Newman. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday; closes Oct. 29.

CORRIDOR ART SPACE AT GOULD EVANS: "Reflections and Refractions: Acrylic on Plexiglas" by Michael Woodard. 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Monday-Friday; closes Oct. 27.

CROSS GALLERY AT MIDWEST HOTEL: "Aquatica: Passion, Peace, Ecstasy: Photographs by Jennifer Cady." Hours by appointment; closes Oct. 14.

\* DOLPHIN: "Gold Standard: New Works by David Ford." Opening reception, 6-10 p.m. Oct. 6. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, noon-5 p.m. Saturday; closes Oct. 28.

ECLECTICS GALLERY: "Boo-oo-bs: Art to Support Your Fancies": Ayhn Moxley, wearable art; and Sheila Cooper, collage work. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Saturday; closes Oct. 31.

R.G. ENDRES GALLERY: Multimedia works by Senior Arts Council. 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

EPSTEN GALLERY AT VILLAGE SHALOM: "UrbanSuburban." Preview exhibition of art for fundraising auction. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 1-4 p.m. Saturday-Sunday; closes Oct. 21.

GRAND ARTS: "Michael Jones McKean: Riverboat Lovesongs for the Ghost Whale Regatta." 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday; closes Oct. 21.

\* GRAND GALLERY AND CAFE: Abstract Paintings by Anthony Butler. Opening reception, 6-9 p.m. Oct. 6. 8 a.m.-2 p.m. Monday-Friday; closes Oct. 31.

GREEN DOOR GALLERY: "Who's Your Daddy? New Works on Paper by Eric Bashor." 1-5 Saturdays and by appointment; closes Oct. 7.

\* GREENLEASE GALLERY: "Epic Paintings by Wayne Wildcat." Opening reception, 7-9 p.m. Oct. 13; gallery talk, 6:30 p.m. Noon-5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday; closes Nov. 11. "Whoop Dee Doo Performance Art": Jon Peck, Chloe Schempf, Jaimie Warren, curators. Closing and screening, 8 p.m. Oct. 6. Noon-5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday and by appointment; closes Oct. 7.

H&R BLOCK ARTSPACE AT KANSAS CITY ART INSTITUTE: 2006 Charlotte Street Foundation: New Work by Anthony Baab, Deanna Dikeman, Justin Gainan, Elijah Gowin and Aaron Wrinkle. Noon-5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday; 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday; closes Oct. 14.

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HARVEY GIRLS GALLERY: "Tim Northcutt: Original Jewelry." 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Saturday; closes Oct. 19.

\* HILLIARD GALLERY: "Guinotte Wise: Bird Watching in the Crossroads." Opening reception, 6-9 p.m. Oct. 6. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday and by appointment; closes Oct. 31.

\* IMAGES ART GALLERY: John Caton, painting; and Ellen Wolf, mixed media. Opening reception, 6-9 p.m. Oct. 6. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday; closes Oct. 28.

JENKINS MUSIC BUILDING: "Diane Henk: Stacked." By Urban Culture Project. Exhibit space always visible from street; closes Nov. 4.

\* KCAI CROSSROADS GALLERY: "For the Love of Blue": Fiber Department Sophomore Exhibition. Opening reception, 6-9 p.m. Oct. 6. Noon-5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday; closes Oct. 27.

KU ART AND DESIGN GALLERY: Design Faculty Exhibition. 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Friday, 1-4:30 p.m. Sunday; closes Oct. 6; "Post Millennium Exponent": Group exhibit of ceramics by LSU grad students from 2000-07. Opens Oct. 9. 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, 8:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Friday, 1-4:30 p.m. Sunday; closes Oct. 12-15 for fall break; closes Oct. 27.

LAWRENCE ARTS CENTER: Lawrence Indian Art Show. 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday-Saturday; closes Oct. 13.

SHERRY LEEDY CONTEMPORARY: "Woodblock Prints and Large Scale Drawing" by Mike Lyon and "New Paintings" by Philomene Bennett. 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and by appointment; closes Oct. 21.

\* MERCY SEAT GALLERY: "Grave Matters: Collective Show of Dark, Gruesome, Grieving and Vengeful Things" by Jen Fridy, Gear, Luke Rocha, Noah, Jacob Weller, Saint Jason and Jen Gennari. Opening reception, 7-11 p.m. Oct. 6. Noon-10 p.m. Sunday-Thursday, noon-midnight Friday-Saturday; closes Oct. 31.

MONARCH GALLERY: "Moonlight Requisition." 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday-Saturday; closes Oct. 21.

DENNIS MORGAN GALLERY: "Terry Karson: Fragments." 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday; closes Oct. 28.

908 GALLERY: Mamun Hashem. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday; closes Dec. 29.

\* NUMBER 8 ART GALLERY: Painting by Kwanza Humphrey. Opening reception, 6-10 p.m. Oct. 6. By appointment; closes Oct. 31.

\* OLIVE GALLERY: "Lilbits: Plush to Make You Blush" by Taylor Triano. Opening reception, 6-10 p.m. Oct. 7. Noon.-6 p.m. daily; closes Oct. 31.

\* PARAGRAPH GALLERY: "Aesthete: Reframing the Forlorn": Sarah Vandersall and Jessie Fisher. Opens Oct. 14. Noon-6 p.m. Thursday-Saturday; closes Nov. 4.

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\* PI: "New Work and Private Stock": Paintings by Jane Pronko. Opening artist's reception, 6-9 p.m.Oct. 6. Noon-4 p.m. Saturday and by appointment; closes Oct. 28.

\* RADISSON HOTEL SUITES CITY CENTER: Chameleon YA! Youth Arts Exhibit. Music by High Vibe and Horace Washington. 5-9 p.m.Oct. 6.

REVIEW STUDIOS: Lynus Young. Call for studio hours; closes Oct. 13.

\* MATTIE RHODES ART GALLERY: "Dia de los Muertos: Day of the Dead." Opening reception, 6-10 p.m.Oct. 6; street festival, 3-8 p.m.Oct. 7. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday; closes Nov. 17.

STOCKSDALE GALLERY: "Tom Nelson: Drawings and Paintings." 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Thursday-Friday; closes Oct. 6.

\* STOCKSDALE GALLERY: "Tunnel Visions: Drawings and Paintings" by Lonnie Powell. Opening reception, 2-3:30 p.m.Oct. 15. 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday; closes Dec. 8.

STUDIO 2131: "Images of Nature and Kansas City": Photographs by Kevin Sink. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday and by appointment; closes Nov. 3.

UNITARIAN GALLERY: "Through My Eyes": Photography by Tammy Putman. 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday and Wednesday-Friday; 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Tuesday; 7 a.m.-3 p.m. Sunday; closes Nov. 3.

\* UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL MISSOURI, ART CENTER GALLERY: Art Faculty Show. Opens Oct. 5; closes Nov. 2.

URBAN CULTURE PROJECT SPACE: "Fossil Media/Super Ocho": Kristine Diekman and Tony Allard Video Retrospective. Noon-5 p.m. Thursday and Saturday; closes Nov. 4. "Hip-Hop Arts Showcase II." By Urban Culture Project. Noon-5 p.m. Thursday and Saturday; closes Oct. 5.

\* JAN WEINER: "Roger Shimomura: Gottabees, Wannabees, and Gonnabees: New Paintings." Reception with artist, 5-8 p.m.Oct. 6. Saturdays and by appointment; closes Oct. 30.

\* ZONE GALLERY AND OUTDOOR SCULPTURE PARK: "Odds @ Culture." Opening reception, 6-9 p.m.Oct. 6. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday or by appointment; closes Oct. 31.

#### MUSEUMS

ALBRECHT-KEMPER MUSEUM OF ART: "Tim Schaffer: Cherries and Cream: Two Dimensional Mixed Media" and "Susan Shafer: Past Presence: Monoprint Portraits." 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 1-4 p.m. Saturday-Sunday; closes Nov. 3.

\* KEMPER MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART: "Lisa Sanditz: Flyover." Opening reception, 5:30-7:30 p.m., artist's talk, 6:30 p.m.Oct. 6; closes Jan. 7. "Zephyr: Paintings by Gajin Fujita"; closes Nov. 5. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday.

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KEMPER MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART, EAST GALLERY: "Sci-Fi Fermentation: Impact of Science on the Natural World." 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday-Friday; closes Oct. 27.

NELSON-ATKINS MUSEUM OF ART: "Enrique Chagoya: Return to Goya's Caprichos." 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, noon-5 p.m. Sunday; closes Dec. 31.

SPENCER MUSEUM OF ART: "Aaron Douglas and Harlem Renaissance"; closes Dec. 2. "Art Into Art: Inspired Responses"; closes Dec. 31. "John Steuart Curry: Agrarian Allegories"; closes Nov. 4. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday and Friday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Thursday, noon-5 p.m. Sunday.

## OTHER SPACES

BUTTONWOOD FINANCIAL GROUP, LLC, ART SPACE: "Oil Acrylic and Pastel Paintings" by Donna Aldridge and "Watercolor, Oil and Mixed Media Paintings" by Mike Rose. Oct. 5-15; closes Oct. 31.

GALLERY OF RURAL ART: Artworks by Senior Arts Council. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Sunday; closes Nov. 30.

GRANDVIEW COMMUNITY CENTER, THE VIEW: Artwork by Deanie Swindler. 5:30 a.m.-10 p.m. Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-8 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Sunday; closes Oct. 31.

\* JACOB'S WELL GALLERY: "An Elemental Faith: A Group Art Exhibition." Opening reception, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Oct. 13. Oct. 13-15; closes Nov. 29.

KC CONVENTION AND VISITORS ASSOCIATION: "Charlene Madden: Watercolors." During regular business hours; closes Oct. 31.

KANSAS CITY, KAN., PUBLIC LIBRARY, MAIN BRANCH: "Female Portraits: Paintings" by Mark Glover. 8:30 a.m.-8:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday-Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Sunday; closes Oct. 18.

MELBEE'S: "Lost & Found" by Kim Miller. Closes Oct. 14.

MR. AND MRS. F.L. SCHLAGLE LIBRARY ENVIRONMENTAL LEARNING CENTER: Photographs by Don Reck. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday; closes Oct. 13.

UNITY CHURCH OF OVERLAND PARK: "Arrangements: Oil and Pastels" by Laura Carriker. 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Sunday; closes Nov. 26.

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\* indicates an event opening this week.

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