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SUMMER 2015

Essex



MOVIES BY MOONLIGHT



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A MESSAGE FROM THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE



Dear Friend:

Now that the warmer weather is here, and the ice and snow of winter are just a distant memory, it's time to throw open the doors and venture out into Essex County to enjoy the variety of outdoor activities and cultural experiences that will stimulate and inspire people of all ages and interests.

Throughout the summer, come visit our historic Parks System, for evenings of fun, family entertainment. You can dance, groove, swing and sway to a diverse musical line-up and wonder at our spectacular fireworks displays in parks throughout the County. The sounds of summer include Doo Wop, Rock N Roll, Latin, Jazz and much, much more. So, bring your lawn chair or blanket and enjoy our free concerts under the stars! If out-of-doors movies are more to your liking, bring your chairs and blankets to Essex County Kip's Castle, or to the top level of the new Parking Deck at Essex County Turtle Back Zoo, for an old-fashioned "drive-in" experience.

Use the pages of this newsletter as your guide to uncover the many exciting events happening throughout our community. You can choose among a multitude of enlightening and entertaining opportunities found in the concert halls, art galleries, playhouses, museums and theaters in Essex, for a wonderful summer adventure

Together, we will continue *Putting Essex County First*.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Joseph DiVincenzo, Jr." The signature is fluid and cursive.



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Outdoor summer movie series have risen in popularity over recent years. Local municipalities throughout Essex County invite residents to their local parks to enjoy blockbuster films on the big screen under the stars. Reminiscent of a drive-in theater, outdoor movies are family oriented, bringing together neighbors and friends for a night of entertainment on the lawn.

This year's movie line ups are varied and appeal to all audiences, ranging from animated features such as the "Lorax" and "Big Hero 6" for kids, films for tweens and teens featuring "The Princess Bride" and films for adults. Essex County will offer its movie series at historic Kip's Castle Park and a new series in the parking deck at Turtle Back Zoo.

Each venue will offer a unique setting for residents to enjoy, allowing for a brief escape from the sweltering sun while continuing to bask in the seasonal temperatures of summer. This summer Montclair is introducing a "Flick and Float" series, where residents can first take a swim in two of the township's pools followed by a feature film in the adjacent park.

AT KIP'S CASTLE PARK

FRIDAY NIGHT FLICKS

Essex County Kip's Castle Park
22 Crestmont Road, Verona
www.essexcountynj.org

Fridays at dusk. Gates open at 7pm. Pre-movie entertainment. Free admission. Concessions for sale.

Frozen

Friday, June 5
(Rain date: Saturday, June 6)

The Lego Movie

Friday, June 12
(Rain date: Saturday, June 13)

Divergent

Friday, June 19
(Rain date: Saturday, June 20)

Eat, Pray, Love

Friday, June 26
(Rain date: Saturday, June 27)



AROUND TOWN

CEDAR GROVE TOWNSHIP

www.cedargrovenj.org

Morgan Farm
903 Pompton Avenue, Cedar Grove
Tuesdays, June 23, July 7,
and July 21
All movies begin at 7:30pm

CITY OF NEWARK

Military Park

www.militarypark.com

Located between Park Place,
Rector and Broad Streets, Newark
Films will be shown on Tuesday
evenings for six weeks at dusk from
July 7 through August 11.

MONTCLAIR FILM FESTIVAL SUMMER SERIES

www.montclairfilmfest.org

Little Shop of Horrors

Friday, May 29
(Rain date: Saturday, May 30)
Essex County Presby Memorial
Iris Gardens, 474 Upper Mountain
Avenue, Montclair



Festival Express

Friday, June 12
(Rain date: Saturday, June 13)
Van Vleck House and Gardens
21 Van Vleck Street, Montclair

Big Hero 6

Friday, July 17
(Rain date: Saturday July 18)
Montclair Public Library
50 South Fullerton Avenue, Montclair

Princess Bride

Friday, August 14
(Rain date: Friday, August 21)
Church Street, between Fullerton
Avenue and South Park Street

MONTCLAIR TOWNSHIP

www.montclairnjusa.org

Alexander and The Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day

Friday, June 26, Edgemont Park
Valley Road, Montclair

"Flick and Float"

Nishuane and Mountainside
Pools are open until 8:30pm.
Movies begin at 8:45pm.

Dolphin Tale 2

Friday, July 10, Mountainside Park,
501 Upper Mountain Avenue, Montclair

Earth to Echo

Friday, July 24, Nishuane Park,
48 High Street, Montclair

SOUTH ORANGE

Flood's Hill, Meadowland Park

5 Mead Street, South Orange
www.sopacnow.org
Wednesday, August 5, 12, 19 & 26
All movies begin at 7:30pm.
Sponsored by the South Orange
Performing Arts Center (SOPAC)



ZOO-VIES

Essex County Turtle Back Zoo (Parking Deck 2)

560 Northfield Avenue, West Orange
www.essexcountynj.org

Come to the zoo Wednesdays at dusk for Family Fun
Night and stay for the Zoo-vies! Bring your own lawn
chair. Free admission. Refreshments for sale.
Rain cancels.

June 24	Dolphin Tale 2
July 1	Into the Woods
July 8	Yogi Bear
July 13	The Lorax
July 22	ET
July 29	101 Dalmations
August 5	Jurassic Park
August 12	Madagascar
August 19	Curious George
August 26	A Bug's Life

ESSEX COUNTY SPOTLIGHT

ESSEX COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER

621-B Eagle Rock Avenue
Roseland ~ 973.228.8776
www.essexcountynj.org

Butterfly Tent Safari

Saturday, July 11 to

Saturday, July 25

**Open tent hours Monday to Friday
from 12pm to 3pm; Saturday from
10:30am to 1:30pm**

Special programming on Saturdays,
July 11, 18 and 25.

Suggested \$2 donation per person to
Essex County Parks Foundation during
open tent hours; fees are \$8/child and
\$10/adult during special topics and
Saturday programming.

ESSEX COUNTY RIKER HILL ART PARK

284 Beaufort Avenue
Livingston, NJ

www.essexcountynj.org

Open House and Art Sale

Saturday, June 6 and

Sunday, June 7; 12noon to 5pm

Free admission, but artwork is for sale.
Get an inside glimpse of the art world
by attending the Essex County Riker Hill
Art Park Open House. While visiting a
variety of different art studios, guests
will have the opportunity to talk to the
artists, purchase art work, and stop
by the gallery to view a compilation
exhibition. Artists in residence work in a
variety of disciplines, including clay, jew-
elry, glass blowing, painting, sculpture,
printmaking and photography.

ESSEX COUNTY KIP'S CASTLE PARK

22 Crestmont Road
Verona, NJ ~ 973.268.3500
www.essexcountynj.org

*Seasonal events sponsored by the Essex County
Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs*



Essex County Riker Hill Open House and Art Sale. Carla Howitz studio.

FRIDAY NIGHT FLICKS

Friday nights just got more exciting! This
June, visit Essex County Kip's Castle
Park for weekly screenings of family
friendly films on the lawn and under the
stars. Arrive early for some pre-movie
entertainment. Free admission. Gates
open at 7pm; movies begin at dusk.
Concessions will be available for sale.

Frozen

Friday, June 5

(Rain date: Saturday, June 6)

After the kingdom of Arendelle is cast
into eternal winter by the powerful Snow
Queen Elsa, her sprightly sister Anna
teams up with a rough-hewn moun-
taineer named Kristoff and his trusty
reindeer Sven to break the icy spell.

The Lego Movie

Friday, June 12

(Rain date: Saturday, June 13)

A lowly Lego figure joins a group intent
on battling an evil force after a case
of mistaken identity in this computer-
generated comedy.

Divergent

Friday, June 19

(Rain date: Saturday, June 20)

In a world where the population is
divided into factions by personality
types, Tris Prior is classified as Diver-
gent. When she uncovers a conspiracy
to eliminate all Divergents, she teams
with the mysterious Four to find out
what makes the powers-that-be so
frightened of them.

Eat, Pray, Love

Friday, June 26

(Rain date: Saturday, June 27)

Liz Gilbert had everything a modern
woman is supposed to dream of hav-
ing – a husband, a house, a success-
ful career – yet like so many others,
she found herself lost, confused and
searching for what she really wanted
in life. Newly divorced and at a cross-
roads, Gilbert steps out of her comfort
zone, risking everything to change her
life and embarking on a journey around
the world that becomes a quest for
self-discovery.

ESSEX COUNTY TURTLE BACK ZOO

560 Northfield Avenue
West Orange ~ 973.731.5800
www.turtlebackzoo.com

World Oceans Day

Sunday, June 7; 12 noon to 4 pm

Included with Zoo admission. An international celebration of the Earth's oceans and their value to us as well as the wildlife that call the oceans their home. Find out how humans impact oceans and how we can protect this very important resource.

National Pollinators Week

Sunday, June 15 to Saturday, June 21

Included with Zoo admission. Activities vary each day. Check website for complete daily schedule of events.

Native Animal Day

Saturday, July 11; 11am to 4pm

Included with Zoo admission. North American animals are the stars of the day. From bison to bog turtles, we will be celebrating them all over the zoo with special keeper talks, animal enrichments and activities for folks of all ages.

World Snake Day

Thursday, July 16; 11am to 4pm

Included with Zoo admission. Slither into Essex County Turtle Back Zoo and swallow some natural "hiss-story" about our legless reptiles. Children can coil around a craft or two, wriggle into a game or play in our "snake pit."

National Moth Week

Sunday, July 19 to Saturday, July 25

Included with Zoo admission. Activities vary each day. Check website for complete daily schedule of events.

Big Cat Day (World Lion Day)

Saturday, August 8; 11am to 4pm

ROAR! for the big cats, including some of the most highly endangered animals on the planet. Bring the pride in for keeper talks, special enrichments and even a sneak peek at our plans for our newest big cat exhibit – lions!

World Honey Bee Day

Sunday, August 16; 12 noon to 4pm

What's the buzz about honeybees?

Come join our professional staff of wildlife and habitat specialists for exciting and informative conservation education you can use right in your own backyard. Walk and Talk subjects range from bats, birds and reptiles with workshops on wildlife habitat and bee "keeping". Learn more and register online at www.turtlebackzoo.com

Discover the importance of bees in our ecosystem, our food supply and economy. Explore the amazing lives of honey bees through interactive stations.

Night Moves

Join us for a guided tour of some of the zoo exhibits. Learn about animal senses and adaptations. Pre-registration and payment in advance is required.

Cost is \$7 per person.

Organized groups: Thursday, August 20

Public session: Thursday, July 16 &

Friday, August 14

Family Fun Nights

NEW Thursday dates in 2015!

Turtle Back Zoo has extended hours
Wednesdays and Thursdays from June

25 to August 27 to 8:30pm. Visit when the temperatures are cooler and the work day is over. Last admission at 8pm.

June 24 & 25

July 1 & 2, 8 & 9, 15 & 16, 22 & 23, 29 & 30

August 5 & 6, 12 & 13, 19 & 20, 26 & 27

FISHING DERBIES

Saturday, June 6 –

Monte Irvin Orange Park, Orange

Center Street and South Harrison Street,
Orange

Saturday, June 13 –

Irvington Park, Irvington

Grove Street and Lyons Avenue, Irvington

Registration begins at 8am, Derby
begins at 9am, Awards given at 11:15am

SENIOR CITIZEN ART SHOW

Essex County Hospital Center, 204 Grove Avenue, Cedar Grove
For more information please contact Lisa Payne, 973.239.7056.

Visual artists, professional and non-professional, over the age of 60 and currently residing in Essex, are invited to participate in the Essex County Senior Citizens Juried Art Show.

Art Drop: Friday, August 7 from 10am to 12 noon

Exhibition: Monday, August 10 through

Wednesday, September 9

Awards Ceremony: Thursday, September 10 at 10 am.

Eligibility: Any visual artist, age 60 or over, currently residing in Essex County may submit two entries completed within the past 3 years to the Essex County show. The show is open to amateur and professional artists.

Professional classification requires you to meet two of the following:

1. Sold artwork entered in the contest/exhibition through commercial channels
2. Exhibited in a professional gallery
3. Held professional membership in a guild or association

Non-professional classification is a person who does not meet the above criteria.

Artwork may be submitted in one of the following categories:

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| 1. Acrylic | 7. Pastel (pastel, chalk, charcoal and oil pastel) |
| 2. Craft-NO craft kits or molds will be accepted | 8. Photography-Any image created using a light-capturing device during any part of the process |
| 3. Computer imagery-Art work created using a pixel-based painting or graphics program | 9. Print |
| 4. Drawing | 10. Sculpture |
| 5. Mixed Media/Collage/Assemblage | 11. Watercolor/Gouache |
| 6. Oil | |





The Essex County Free Summer Music Concert Series offers a diverse lineup of performers who will take center stage throughout our historic Parks System. Pack a blanket, enjoy the cool evening breeze, and dance to the sounds of summer.

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ESSEX SUMMER MUSIC 2015

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ESSEX COUNTY BROOKDALE PARK

All performances begin at 7:30pm

"SIMPLY DIAMOND"

A TRIBUTE TO NEIL DIAMOND
 Wednesday, July 1

AN EVENING WITH DARLENE LOVE
 Friday, July 10

MARC ANTOINE, JAZZ UNDER THE STARS
 Friday, July 17

"MJ INVINCIBLE"

MICHAEL JACKSON TRIBUTE
 Friday, July 24

"ABBAMANIA" TRIBUTE TO ABBA
 Friday, July 31

THE CAMEOS & THE INFERNOS
 Friday, August 7

FIREWORKS CELEBRATIONS

NEW JERSEY SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
 Friday, June 26 ~ 7:30pm

Branch Brook Park, Heller Parkway, Newark
 In case of rain, the concert will be held at an indoor
 location and the fireworks will be rescheduled.

SHADOWS OF THE 60's

Tuesday, June 30 (RAIN DATE: JULY 2) ~ 7:30pm
 Weequahic Park, Newark

"SIMPLY DIAMOND"

A TRIBUTE TO NEIL DIAMOND
 Wednesday, July 1 (RAIN DATE: JULY 2) ~ 7:30pm
 Brookdale Park, Bloomfield/Montclair



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LIVE AT YOUR ESSEX COUNTY PARK

All performances begin at 7pm.

AIR NATIONAL GUARD BAND

Wednesday, June 24
 Veterans Memorial Park, Newark

BRICK CITY JAZZ ORCHESTRA

Thursday, June 25 ~ Yanticaw Park, Nutley

FRANK VALDES QUINTET

Tuesday, July 7 ~ Independence Park, Newark

CARRIE JACKSON

Wednesday, July 8 ~ Irvington Park, Irvington

GRADIE STONE

Tuesday, July 14 ~ Monte Irvin Orange Park, Orange

JUNIOR VEGA

Wednesday, July 15 ~ Riverbank Park, Newark

**MALCOLM X: A COMMENTARY WITH
TRIOLOGY AN OPERA COMPANY**

Thursday, July 16 ~ Weequahic Park, Newark

JERSEY SOUND

Tuesday, July 21 ~ Kip's Castle Park, Verona

BRADFORD HAYES

Wednesday, July 22 ~ West Side Park, Newark

DENISE HAMILTON

Wednesday, July 29 ~ Watsessing Park,
 Bloomfield/East Orange

SYMPHONICS

Tuesday, August 4
 Grover Cleveland Park, Caldwell/Essex Fells

GORDON JAMES

Wednesday, August 5 ~ Ivy Hill Park, Newark

RICHARD REITER

Tuesday, August 11 ~ Vailsburg Park, Newark

LATIN SPLENDOR

Wednesday, August 12 ~ Riverfront Park, Newark

COUNT BASIE TRIBUTE BAND

Friday, August 14
 Eagle Rock Reservation, West Orange

FESTIVALS*

HOUSE MUSIC FESTIVAL

Saturday, June 20 ~ 12noon-8pm
 Weequahic Park, Newark

GOSPEL FESTIVAL

Saturday, June 20 ~ 12noon-5pm
 Monte Irvin Orange Park, Orange

CARIBBEAN FESTIVAL

Saturday, August 8 ~ 11am-8pm
 Monte Irvin Orange Park, Orange

21st ANNUAL FOOD & MUSIC FESTIVAL

Saturday, August 8 ~ 4pm-9pm
 Ivy Hill Park, Newark

OLD SCHOOL MUSIC FESTIVAL

Saturday, August 15 ~ 11am-8pm
 Monte Irvin Orange Park, Orange

LATINO FESTIVAL

Sunday, August 16 ~ 10am-8pm
 Monte Irvin Orange Park, Orange

ESSEX COUNTY TALENT SHOWCASE

Sunday, August 23 ~ 2pm-7pm
 Monte Irvin Orange Park, Orange

MIKE GRIOT'S ESSEX COUNTY SOUTH MOUNTAIN INTERNATIONAL BLUES FESTIVAL

Sunday, September 13 ~ 11am-8pm
 South Mountain Reservation, West Orange

*These events are co-sponsored by the Essex County
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For more information, please call 973-268-3500 or visit www.essexcountynj.org

ESSEX COUNTY CULTURAL EXHIBITIONS

The following events are offered for the public's enjoyment by Essex County-based arts and history organizations.

MONTCLAIR ART MUSEUM

3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair
973.746.5555
www.montclairartmuseum.org

Basket Mania: Collecting Native American Basketry in the Late Victorian Era

Ongoing

This installation is the second phase of what will be a major reinstallation of the existing Rand Gallery of Native American Art. It focuses on Native American Basketry.

NEWARK MUSEUM

49 Washington Street, Newark
973.593.6550
www.newarkmuseum.org

Hassan Haajaj: My Rock Stars

Through August 9

A video installation and related photographs by artist Hassan Hajjaj. The video features nine separately filmed performances by an international group of musicians and singers.

Royals and Regalia: Inside the Palaces of Nigeria's Monarchs

Through August 9

Portraits by Nigerian photographer George Osodi of kings (and a queen) of modern-day monarchies. Shown along with dress and regalia from the museum's collection.

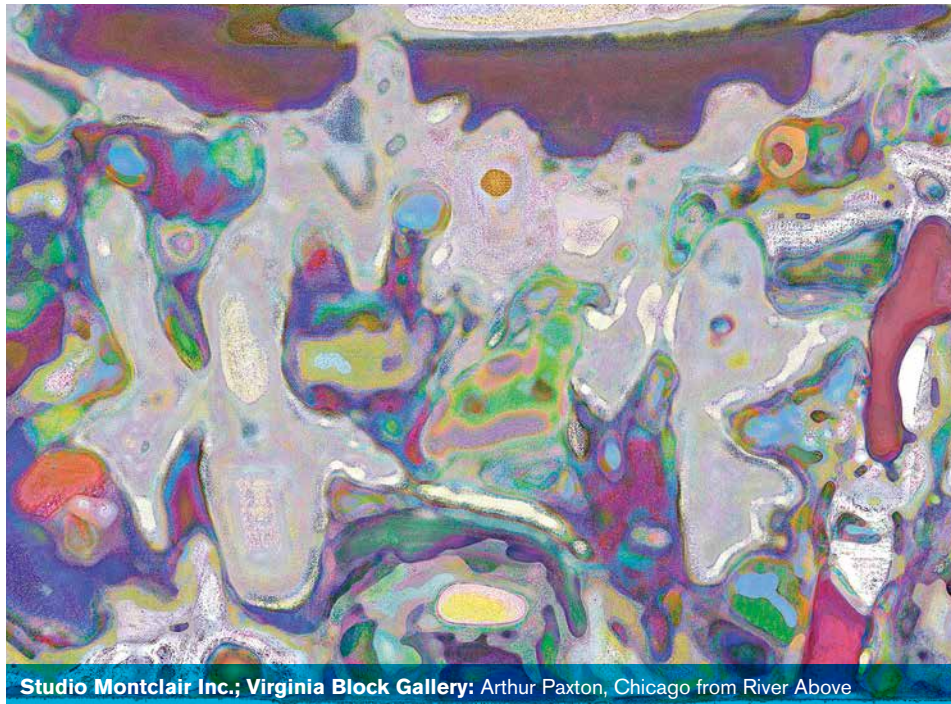
PAUL ROBESON GALLERIES

Located at Rutgers University
350 Martin Luther King Blvd., Newark
973.353.1610
www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu

Dahlia Elsayed

Through July 2015

A mural installation by artist Dahlia Elsayed, who writes: "For over a decade, I have been making text and image based work that synthesizes an internal and external experience of place, connecting the ephemeral to the



Studio Montclair Inc.; Virginia Block Gallery: Arthur Paxton, Chicago from River Above

concrete. Visually, the work pulls from conceptual art, comics, cartography and landscape painting."

STUDIO MONTCLAIR INC. VIRGINIA BLOCK GALLERY

33 Plymouth Street, Montclair
973.744.1818
<http://studiomontclair.org>

Body & Soul

June 2 to 28

Opening reception is Saturday, June 10. Studio Montclair's exhibition "Bodies & Soul" presents the work of artists whose use of the human figure or animal forms intends to deliver emotional or expressive impact, rather than in simply creating a likeness.

Viewpoints

June 4 to 30

Opening reception is Saturday, June 6. The 18th Annual Open Juried Exhibition, "ViewPoints 2015," features the work of 105 artists from all over the United States, along with artists from Japan, Canada and Norway.

"ViewPoints 2015" is co-sponsored by Aljira, A Center for Contemporary Art.

Water/Color

May 20 to August 14

Opening reception is Friday, May 22. The "Water/Color" exhibit is an exploration of water using color to direct the viewers' experience of the art work. This exhibit is curated by Marcie Cooperman, author of "Color: How to Use It."

Altered Images

May 20 to August 14

Opening reception is Friday, May 22. "Altered Images" gives viewers an insight into the creativity of the photographer's eye and mind beyond the initial inspirational subject that was photographed. This exhibit is curated by Bill Westheimer and Virginia S. Block.

WALSH GALLERY AT SETON HALL

University Libraries
400 South Orange Avenue, South Orange
973.275.2033
www.shu.edu/walshgallery

Thunder Enlightening – Rituals of Past and Present

June 1 to July 30

In "Thunder Enlightening," artist/curator Darren Jones notes the seismic evolution of human rites by juxtaposing ritualistic objects from contemporary secular society, with traditional motifs from the Seton Hall archives.

YEMA GALLERY

540B Freeman Street, Orange

973.699.3269

www.artsetc.now.org

Window Dressing #2

June 1 to 28

"Window Dressing #2" features a sculptural installation by Haitian-American artist Dominique Duroseau.

1978 MAPLEWOOD ARTS CENTER

1978 Springfield Avenue, Maplewood

973.272.7154

[www.1978artscenter.org/
exhibitions](http://www.1978artscenter.org/exhibitions)

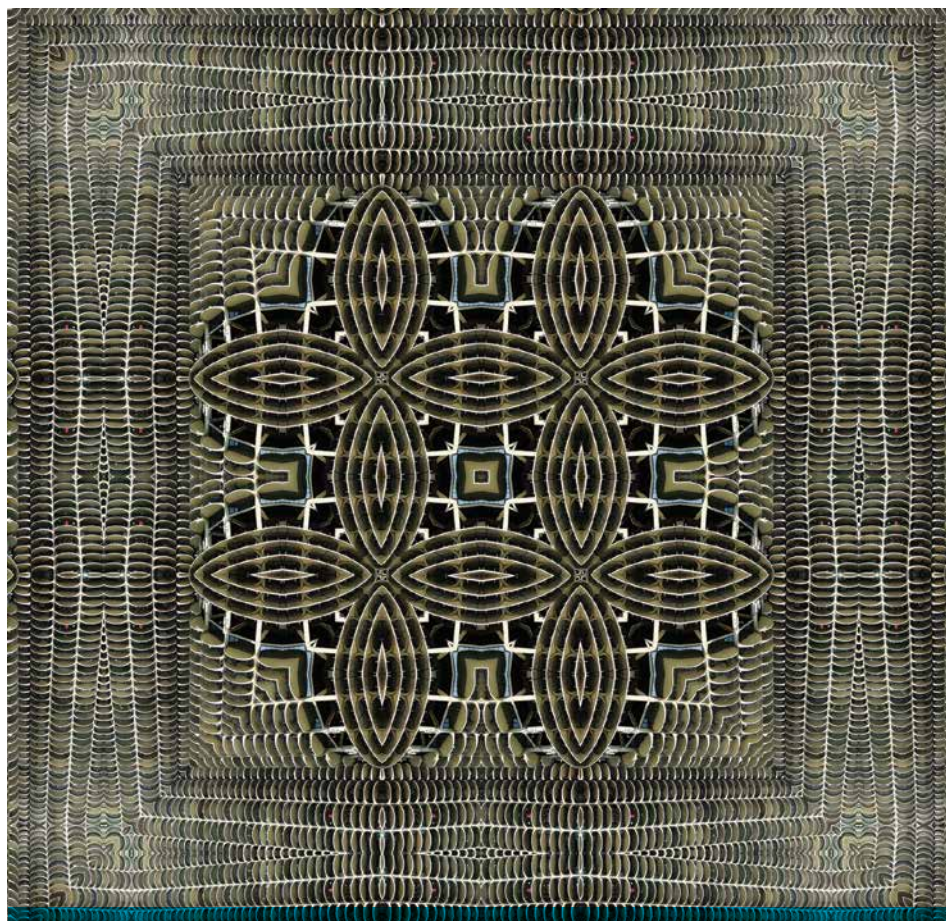
Chairs of Inclusion

August 2 to 28

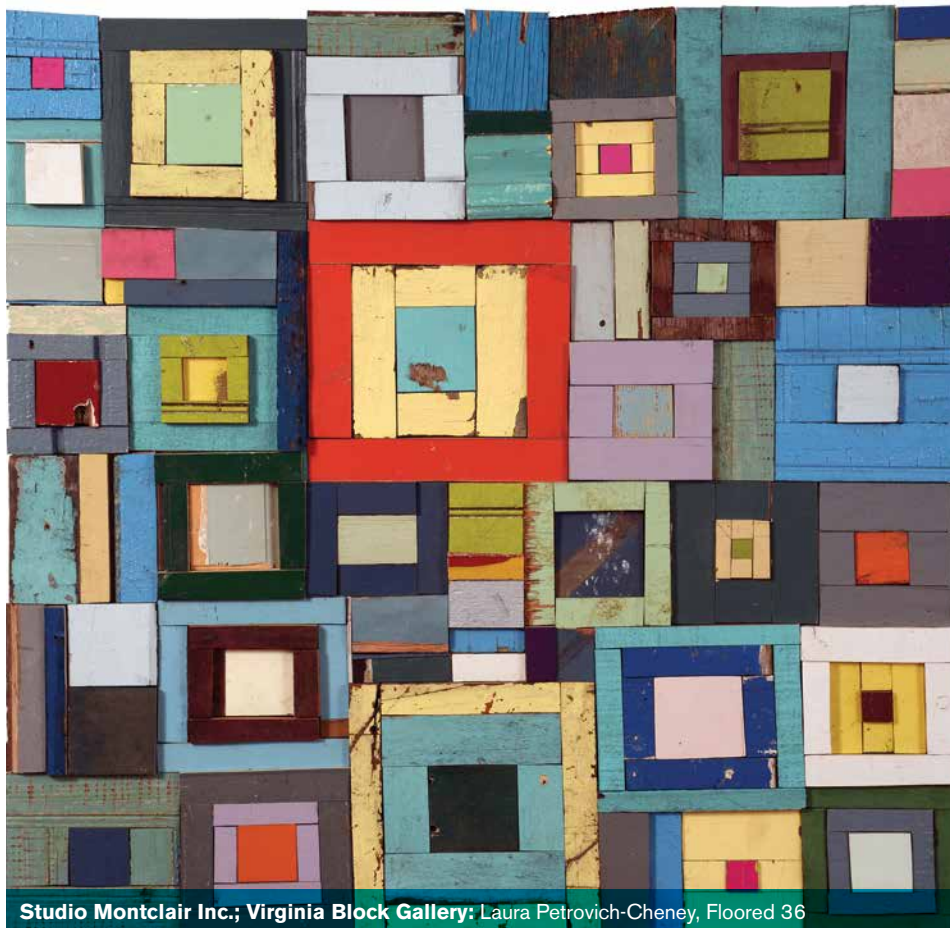
Opening reception is Sunday, August 2. Chairs of Inclusion from JSDD's WAE Center are exhibited at the gallery. Professional New Jersey artists collaborated with the center's member-artists to create imaginative chairs based on the theme of inclusion.



Newark Museum: Royals and Regalia



Studio Montclair Inc.; Virginia Block Gallery: Sharon Libes, Marina City II



Studio Montclair Inc.; Virginia Block Gallery: Laura Petrovich-Cheney, Floored 36

ESSEX COUNTY SUMMER EVENTS

June 1 & 8: Youth Orchestra

Auditions. The Youth Orchestra is dedicated to providing a diverse group of musically talented young people (ages 8-18) with the opportunity to participate in an affordable, high-level orchestra experience and cultivate a lifelong love of music. For specific requirements, visit www.yoec.org. South Orange Middle School, 70 North Ridgewood Road, South Orange. Reservations required. 4-9 pm. \$35. 973.506.9632. admin@yoec.org

June 5, 6, 7, 12, 13 & 14: Hands on a

Hardbody. The musical, based on the documentary of the real annual event, takes place at a Nissan dealership in Longview, Texas, where 10 contestants try to outlast each other to win a brand new truck by keeping at least one hand on the vehicle as long as they can. Every character needs the truck to help change their lives for the better and to win their American dream. Westminster Arts Center at Bloomfield College, 449 Franklin Street, Bloomfield. Friday and Saturday at 8pm, Sunday at 3pm. \$25 general admission, \$22 seniors, \$18 students. 973.566.9255. www.4thwalltheatre.org

June 6: A Woman About Town.

This walking tour through Montclair begins in front of a typical upper middle class home on Prospect Terrace, from the vantage point of a woman who lived there in the early 20th century. Learn about Montclair's history, focusing on the late 1800s to mid-1900s, a period of great growth and change, as it would have likely been experienced by this Montclair family. The tour shines a special spotlight on a woman's experience during that time and typical activities and interests. A tour also will be given inside the First Congregational Church. A mile walk tour begins at 15 Prospect Terrace and ends at 58 South Fullerton Avenue, the current Mills Social Services building, with a viewing of the gardens in back. Led by MHS Board of Trustee member Helen Fallon and MHS Manager of Audience Engagement Angelica Diggs. 10:30am. \$5. 973.744.1796. mail@montclairhistorical.org

June 6: Richard Nader's 26th Annual Summer Doo Wop Concert.

Doo Wop rocks its way onto the stage at Prudential Center for the first time. The lineup features Mary Wilson of the Supremes, The Duprees, the Heartbeats and more from the '50s and '60s. Prudential Center, 25 Lafayette Street, Newark. 6pm. \$33.75-\$108.75. 973.757.6600.

June 7: Pictures 10th Anniversary Concert.

This annual spring event is a

unique concert experience as New Jersey students explore the intersection of music and visual art. Students compose music inspired by works of art found in the MAM collections. This year's selected artwork is Chaim Gross' Three Acrobats (1928). Guest musicians perform pieces written by students, and student honorees discuss their art-inspired music in a pre-concert talk. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. Pre-concert Panel Discussion 2:15 pm; Concert 3 pm. \$10 MAM members, seniors & students with ID; \$15 non-members. 973.746.5555.

www.montclairartmuseum.org

June 7: Antique Fire Apparatus Muster & Parade.

A parade of antique fire apparatus will be led by the Newark Firefighters Pipe Band. Visitors can participate in intergenerational activities and tour the Newark Fire Museum. Newark Museum, 49 Washington Street, Newark. Noon-4:30pm. Free. 973.596.6550.

www.newarkmuseum.org

June 7: Blues in the Loft, Mike Griot & Friends. The South Mountain International Blues Festival presents a "blues/soul" cavalcade of premier musicians and performers – all heavyweights in their own regard. Cash bar available. South Orange Performing Arts Center, 1 SOPAC Way, South Orange. 7pm. \$15. 973.313.2787.

www.sopacnow.org



The Broadway Show Choir at SOPAC



Antique Fire Apparatus Muster & Parade at Newark Fire Museum

June 12: Well-Strung in Concert; Mozart meets Lady Gaga. Well-Strung features classical musicians who sing put their own vocal and musical spin on the works of Mozart, Vivaldi, Beethoven, Rihanna, Adele, Pink, Kelly Clarkson, Britney Spears, and more. South Orange Performing Arts Center, 1 SOPAC Way, South Orange. 8pm. \$35-\$65. 973.313.2787. www.sopacnow.org

June 12: Film Screening: The Elders. Through the eyes of an aging generation, this documentary tells a universal story and reveals a complex portrait of our shared humanity. Newark Museum, 49 Washington Street, Newark. 1pm. Free. 973.596.6550. www.newarkmuseum.org

June 13: Pine Street Walking Tour. This walking tour of the historic Pine Street neighborhood focuses on the Italian immigrant experience of the late 1800s to early 1900s. The tour is led by Montclair Historical Society Board of Trustee member Helen Fallon and lifelong Montclair resident Donato DiGeronimo. 10:30am. \$5 suggested donation. 973.744.1796. For reservations and starting location, e-mail to mail@montclairhistorical.org.

June 13: Lucky 7. Gallery Aferro's 7th Annual Art Auction and Party features hundreds of artworks by emerging and

established artists, live jazz, surprise performers, refreshments, fresh food, and raffle prizes. 73 Market Street, Newark. Auction 7-9:30pm. \$25. **973.353.9533.**

June 13: Artist Talk with Haitian-American artist Dominique Duroseau. Yema Gallery, 540b Freeman Street, Orange. 7-8:30 pm. Free. 973.699.3269. www.artsetcnow.org

June 13: Knitting Circle. This monthly gathering of knitters and crocheters provides assistance and instruction to all level of crafters. Yema Gallery, 540b Freeman Street, Orange. 2-4pm. \$5. 973.699.3269. www.artsetcnow.org/classes.html

June 14: Flag Day. In honor of National Flag Day, tours presented by the Montclair Historical Society incorporate real flags from different periods of history starting from 1796 through 1945. Children will learn what states became part of our nation in different time periods and make their own windmill flag to take home. 973.744.1796. For reservations and starting location, contact mail@montclairhistorical.org

June 14: Paper Mill Playhouse Show Choir. The award-winning Paper Mill Playhouse Broadway Show Choir,

in their Season Finale Concert, will perform songs from "Newsies," "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," "Carousel," "Kiss Me, Kate," "Annie" and "Sister Act;" showstoppers from the big screen including "Pitch Perfect," "Disney's Cinderella" and "High School Musical;" and pop favorites by Michael Jackson, Bruno Mars, Lady Gaga, Pharrell and The Beatles. South Orange Performing Arts Center, 1 SOPAC Way, South Orange. 7pm. \$22-\$27. 973.313.2787. www.sopacnow.org

June 14: Chickens En Plein Air.

Peg Kenselaar will lead a drawing and watercolor painting class of the Montclair Historical Society chickens en plein air. Guided demonstrations will be given to capture the likeness of a chicken with watercolor. The audience will be able to gather outside to observe the chickens from life. Class includes a historical introduction to the importance of farming and livestock. Ages 8 and up. Montclair Historical Society, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 1-3 pm. \$35 for MHS members, \$40 non-members. 973-744-1796. mail@montclairhistorical.org

June 15: A Conversation with Billy Porter. Midtown Direct Rep and NY1's Budd Mishkin present an intimate conversation with Billy Porter, the Tony and Grammy Award-winning singer, composer, actor, playwright and director who currently stars as Lola in the smash-hit Broadway musical "Kinky Boots." South Orange Performing Arts



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7:30pm. \$30-\$75. 973.313.2787.
www.sopacnow.org

June 18 to August 6: Doll Making with Faith Valentinetti. Learn the basics of doll making in this eight-week class series. The class meets every Thursday and class includes machine and hand sewing. Yema Gallery, 540b Freeman Street, Orange. 1-4pm. \$150. 973.699.3269.
www.artsetcnow.org/classes.html

June 18 to August 6: Explore Quilting with Faith Valentinetti. Learn how to design and assemble a quilt in this eight-week class series. The class meets every Thursday beginning June 18 and includes machine and hand sewing. Yema Gallery, 540b Freeman Street, Orange. 10am-12:30pm. \$150/person. 973.699.3269.
www.artsetcnow.org

June 19: Jazz in the Garden at 50! Looking Back, Reaching Forward with DeeDee Bridgewater. Winner of three Grammys and a Tony Award, Dee Dee Bridgewater is widely recognized as one of the greatest female jazz vocalists working today. Newark Museum, 49 Washington Street, Newark. 7-9pm. \$25 museum members, \$35 non-members. 973.596.6613.
www.newarkmuseum.org

June 20-21: Spring Fine Art and Crafts Show. 140 juried, professional



Dee Dee Bridgewater at Newark Museum



Ede Walker Pottery at Spring Fine Arts and Crafts – Essex County Brookdale Park

fine artists, photographers, sculptors, and craftspeople will display and sell their unique work. Essex County Brookdale Park. Watchung Avenue and Bellevue Avenue entrances. 10am - 5pm. Free admission.
www.rosesquared.com

June 24: Newark Black Film Festival: Half of a Yellow Sun. This film is based on the award-winning novel by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie. The NBFF continues on Wednesdays, July 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29. Newark Museum, 49 Washington Street, Newark. 7pm. Free with suggested admission. 973.596.6550.
www.newarkmuseum.org

June 25: The Bacon Brothers. In 1995, Michael and Kevin formed a band and, now, 20 years later, any cynical preconceptions about well-known actors “dabbling” in music can safely be discarded. As The New Yorker observed: “This duo shakes off the burden of fame with sharply executed rock that has a blue-collar, rootsy edge.” South Orange Performing Arts Center, 1 SOPAC Way, South Orange. 7:30pm. \$58-\$78. 973.313.2787.
www.sopacnow.org

June 27: Jewelry Discovery Day: Buried Treasure? Enjoy a day-long celebration to launch the newly installed Lore Ross Jewelry Gallery. Newark Museum, 49 Washington

Street, Newark. 10:30am-3pm. \$25 museum members, \$35 non-members. 973.596.6550.
www.newarkmuseum.org

June 28: Create a Clay Herb Pot. Peg Kenselaar will lead a demonstration on how to create a clay pot with herb impressions. The audience will learn how to shape the clay, make an impression and glaze the finished piece before being kiln fired. All pieces are decorative and functional. The class includes an introduction to historic cooking and use of herbs in decoration. Ages 8 and up. Montclair Historical Society, 108 Orange Road, Montclair. 1-3pm. \$40 MHS members, \$50 non-members. 973-744-1796.
mail@montclairhistorical.org

July 1: Concert in the Park, Mark Murphy and Friends. Flood's Hill, Meadowland Park, 5 Mead Street, South Orange. 7:30PM. Free admission. 973.313.2787. www.sopacnow.org

July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30 and August 6: Jazz in the Garden Concert Series. Celebrate 50 great years of Jazz in the Garden at the Newark Museum. Newark Museum, 49 Washington Street, Newark. 12:15-1:45 pm. \$3. 973.596.6550.
www.newarkmuseum.org

July 6 to August 14: Camp Newark Museum. Hands-on classes take place in child-friendly art studios, well-equipped

science labs and spacious program halls and galleries. Newark Museum, 49 Washington Street, Newark. \$240; \$220 for museum members and Newark residents, late registration fees after July 1, including families adding additional weeks. 973.596.6550. www.newarkmuseum.org.

July 8: Concert in the Park, Max Headroom & The Counterfeiters.

The 1980s tribute and cover band will perform. Flood's Hill, Meadowland Park, 5 Mead Street, South Orange. 7:30pm. Free admission. 973.313.2787. www.sopacnow.org

July 11: Knitting Circle. A monthly gathering of knitters and crocheters. Assistance and instruction is provided to all level of crafters. Yema Gallery, 540b Freeman Street, Orange. 2-4pm. \$5. 973.699.3269. www.artsetcnow.org/classes.html

July 11, 18 & 25 and August 1: Community Art Workshop. This mentoring program will partner youth between the ages of 10 and 18 years



Monthly knitting circle at Yema Gallery

with a professional artist to learn how to knit, crochet, sew and/or weave. Yema Gallery, 540b Freeman Street, Orange. 1-4 pm. Free. Supply kit \$10. Space is limited. 973.699.3269. www.artsetcnow.org

July 12: Caribbean American Family Day. Family fun day celebrating

Caribbean culture. Essex County Branch Brook Park, Lake Street and 2nd Avenue entrance, Newark. 10am-7pm. Free. **973.951.9898.**

July 12: Solarplate Etching.

Experience printmaking in a contemporary non-toxic environment using solarplates and Akua waterbase inks. Create etching plates from personal photographs, drawings, collages, or digital images. Learn exposure techniques with a UV light source to achieve editionable, archival prints on rag papers. The process uses a water washout of etched areas with fast curing of the plate surface. The plates can be printed with intaglio or relief methods and easily combined with monotype and other printmaking plates. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 10am-4pm. \$90 MAM members, \$110 non-members. 973.259.5139. www.montclairartmuseum.org

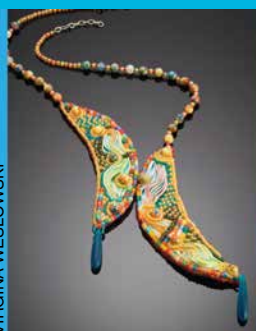
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Flood's Hill, Meadowland Park, 5 Mead Street, South Orange. 7:30pm. Free. 973.313.2787. www.sopacnow.org

July 19: Graphic Design Basics.

Through project-based learning, students will learn the essentials of graphic design in Adobe InDesign and Illustrator, focusing on understanding three key ideas: composition, components and concept. Students will be able to practically apply these new skills on resumes, business materials, artwork, invitations and much more. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 10am-4pm. \$90 MAM members, \$110 non-members. 973.259.5139. www.montclairartmuseum.org

July 19: Mosaics: Beautiful Pictures from Tiny Pieces. Learn the exciting art of mosaics. In this one-day workshop, students will design, cut, glue, and grout vitreous glass tiles to create an original 6x8 inch work ready for hanging or framing. Students can make their own simple design or pick one of the designs provided in class. Learn about the picasiette (broken plate) method and other techniques. All materials are included in tuition. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 10:30am-4:30pm. \$120 MAM members, \$140 non-members. 973.259.5139. www.montclairartmuseum.org

July 19: Portrait Drawing. The foundation of a painted portrait is a solid understanding of rendering a likeness through drawing. In this one-day workshop, students will work from a live model as they explore the major forms of the head and the individual features of the face. The goal of the workshop is for each student to gain stronger control of form and value as they complete a realistic portrait sketch in one session. Students will be creating heightened drawings using hard and soft pencils and white chalk on toned paper. Visit montclairartmuseum.org for a list of supplies. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 10am-3pm. \$105 MAM members, \$125 non-members. 973.746.5555. www.montclairartmuseum.org



Montclair Center Stage concerts throughout the summer — www.montclaircenter.com

July 22: Concert in the Park, Rave On & Bottle Cap Rockets. Rock and roll and rockabilly. Flood's Hill, Meadowland Park, 5 Mead Street, South Orange. 7:30pm. Free. 973.313.2787. www.sopacnow.org

July 25 & 26: Portrait Oil Painting. In this fast-paced portraiture workshop, students will work from a model to capture a painted likeness in two sessions. For painting students new to portraiture, as well as those with more experience, this workshop will focus on challenges such as proportion, rule-of-thirds, value control, and color mixing. Demonstrations given throughout the process will encourage students



Workshops at Montclair Art Museum

to progress at an even pace. Visit montclairartmuseum.org for a list of supplies. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 10am-3pm. \$175 MAM members, \$200 non-members. 973.746.5555. www.montclairartmuseum.org

July 29: Concert in the Park, Rock the Hill. Garage bands. Flood's Hill, Meadowland Park, 5 Mead Street, South Orange. 7pm. \$15. 973.313.2787. www.sopacnow.org

August 2: Essex County Summer Players Orchestra. A concert conducted by Karen Pinoci with Roger Verdi, trombone soloist. Cesar Franck D Minor Symphony with music by Edward Elgar, Ferdinand David, and Irving Fine. Livingston High School, 30 Robert Harp Drive, Livingston. 3pm. Free. 973.783.1125

August 2: Introduction to Wheel Throwing. Is learning the potter's wheel on your bucket list? This one-day workshop is a basic introduction to the fundamentals of the potter's wheel. Students learn basic pottery techniques that will help them to create unique and personal pieces from stoneware. Students select glazes and return to pick up their fired pots three weeks from the workshop date. All supplies are provided. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 12-3pm. \$60 MAM members, \$80 non-members. 973.259.5139. www.montclairartmuseum.org



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August 9: Photographing Your Artwork for the Web. You have worked hard to hone your craft and created art that you want the world to see. Now you need high-quality digital photos so that you can share your talent online. Bring your artwork to the Digital Media Lab and learn to photograph it like a professional to ensure that your hard work and talent are captured. Students may bring paintings, sculptures, and ceramic artwork. 2D art should be no larger than 30x40 inches and 3D art no larger than 30x20x20 inches. Limit of five 2D pieces and two 3D pieces of art per student. Please bring a flash drive to store digital photos. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 12-3pm. \$40 MAM members, \$60 non-members. 973.746.5555.
www.montclairartmuseum.org

August 15: Jazz House Kids. Hosted by four-time Grammy Award winner Christian McBride and produced by Jazz House Kids, the Montclair Jazz Festival features more than 100 multi-generational performers including

exciting headliners, today's top regional performers and the award-winning Jazz House Big Band. The festival features family activities, food concessions, a beer tent and great music. 12-9pm. Free. 973.744.2273.
www.montclairjazzfestival.org

August 16: Raku Firing. This workshop will explore the concept of post-fire reduction known as Raku. Led by Montclair Art Museum Ceramics Studio Manager Steve Jaskowak, students will explore techniques such as traditional Raku, tinfoil sagger, horsehair



Jazz House Kids at the Montclair Jazz Festival

embellishment, and slip resist. Students are to bring bisque fired pieces to glaze and fire during the workshop. For information, contact Steve at sjaskowak@montclairartmuseum.org. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 10am-4pm. \$100 MAM members, \$120 non-members. 973.259.5139.

www.montclairartmuseum.org

August 19: Chairs of Inclusion

Artist's Talk. Come meet artists who created these works of art. 1978 Maplewood Arts Center, 1978 Springfield Avenue, Maplewood. 7-9pm. Free. 973.272.7154.

www.1978artscenter.org/events

August 20: Jazz is Dead. The instrumental Grateful Dead cover band interprets classic Dead songs with jazz influences. South Orange Performing Arts Center, 1 SOPAC Way, South Orange. 7:30pm. \$40-\$55. 973.313.2787. www.sopacnow.org

August 23: Street League

Skateboarding World Tour. The second stop on the 2015 circuit, the full 25-man roster will take to the course at The Rock to compete to become the next SLS Nike SB Super Crown World Champion. Prudential Center, 25 Lafayette Street, Newark. 12:40-6:30pm. \$25-\$45. **973.757.6600.**

August 23: Video Editing: Intro to

Adobe Premier Pro. Learn to edit video footage like a professional. This one-day beginner workshop will cover the interface, controls and features of the industry-standard software, Adobe Premiere Pro. Whether aspiring to make simple home movies, YouTube shorts, or the next Hollywood blockbuster, Premiere Pro is an affordable and user-friendly way to get the job done. Students are encouraged to bring an external hard drive that stores footage they would like to edit, though it is not required. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair. 12-3pm. \$40 MAM members, \$60 non-members. 973.259.5139. www.montclairartmuseum.org

August 23: Introduction to

Printmaking. This workshop will introduce participants to printmaking



Printmaking Workshops at Montclair Art Museum

techniques, the art of transferring an image from a printing plate to paper, using the Montclair Art Museum's Charles Brand Etching Press. Students will explore processes that produce a wide variety of results, including monoprint, collagraph, drypoint and relief printing, among others. Choosing one or more techniques, students will complete a small edition of prints on artists' quality cotton paper. This workshop will cover basic printmaking principles, as well as aspects of design, to bring freshness and depth to the participants' creative process. All levels welcome. Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Avenue, Montclair.

10am-3pm. \$80 MAM members, \$100 non-members. 973.259.5139. www.montclairartmuseum.org

August 31 to September 2: Intense Collage Workshop.

Discover the art of collage in this three-day intensive workshop. Using magazine imagery, students will learn how to layer and design unusual compositions with surprising results. This process allows artists to tap into their subconscious and work more intuitively. Glue and gel collages on canvas also will be explored. Visit montclairartmuseum.org for a list of supplies. 12-3pm. \$120 MAM members, \$150 non-members. 973.259.5139.

www.montclairartmuseum.org

August 31 – September 1: Intensive Watercolor Workshop.

This intensive watercolor workshop offers the exciting opportunity to work toward a completed painting, large or small, or a series of studies from a vibrant and colorful still life arrangement that focuses on pattern, texture, and composition. Students will receive individual attention and see regular demonstrations of useful techniques to help develop their own creations. Visit montclairartmuseum.org for a list of supplies. 10am to 3pm. \$265 MAM members, \$295 non-members. 973.259.5139.

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Street League Skateboarding World Tour at The Rock

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June 1-30: Guided Tours of the Crane House and Historic YWCA.

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**June 10, 12, 17, 19, 24 & 26:
Homeschool Series: Craft Your
Way Through History!** Using artifacts from the Montclair Historical Society collection, discussion, and crafts, homeschool students discover the history of Montclair and New Jersey. Most classes begin with discussion, followed by a craft or activity associated with the area's rich history. The goal of the series is to expose children to history in a fun, interactive way. Ages 6 to 10. Registration required. Montclair Historical Society, 108 Orange Road, Montclair. 10:30-11:30am. \$60 per child for series. Individual class registration is not available. 973-744-1796.
mail@montclairhistorical.org

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Public Tour

**Third Sunday of the month
June 21, July 19, August 16
2pm**

Discover the museum's collection and special exhibitions through a docent-led tour.



Free First Thursday Night at Montclair Art Museum

Free First Thursday Night First Thursday of the Month: March 5, April 2, May 7 5-9pm

MAM invites guests for a night out at the museum. Enjoy dynamic programming, art activities, live music and a full-service bar. See montclairartmuseum.org for each night's programming.

Art in the Afternoon Second Wednesday of the Month June 10 (No program in July or August); 2-4pm

Participants enjoy an opportunity to learn about and creatively respond to art from the permanent collection and temporary exhibitions. Refreshments will be served.

MAM Family Art Adventure Third Saturday of the month June 20, July 18, August 15 2-3pm

Come to MAM for an hour-long, drop-in gallery program for children 5 years and up and their adult companions. Explore and discuss artworks and engage in fun activities in MAM's galleries and sculpture garden.

Park Bench Second Wednesday of the Month June 10, July 8, August 12 9:30-11:30am

Parents with young children will enjoy MAM Park Bench, a program that introduces children to the museum

and serves as an artistic social outing. \$18 per family, \$6 family members and above.

Home School Third Thursday of the Month June 18 (no program in July and August) 12-2pm

The Montclair Art Museum invites home school families for a fun and educational afternoon. Children are divided into two age groups, ages 4-10 and ages 11 and older. \$18 per family, \$6 family level members and above.

SummerART July 6 to August 28 9am-5pm

SummerART is a comprehensive eight-week summer program in the Yard School of Art including camp for children and studio classes and workshops for teens and adults. Students can choose between Studio Art Camp, SummerART at Van Vleck, Pottery Camp, and Digital Media Camp. SummerART is divided into four two-week sessions and offers three schedule options to provide extensive flexibility. Each session is themed and concludes with a student exhibit of the artwork done in the children's camps and teen courses. Teens can develop their skills in ceramics, digital photography, sculpture, and more media or try the new Fine Arts Intensive to explore a variety of different techniques.



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YOGA for Adults ~ 6:30-7:45pm

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Movies under the stars on the rooftop of our brand new parking deck. Bring your own lawn chair. Refreshments for sale. Rain cancels. Film schedule is subject to change and available at www.essexcountynj.org.

TUESDAYS

Jammin' in July ~ 7pm

Elevate your Waterfront experience with music. Take in a new sound every week such as jazz, steel drums and more!

THURSDAYS

Nature ART with the Montclair Art Museum ~ 5:30-7:30pm

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Friday, July 17
Montclair Public Library
(rain date of Sat. 7/18)

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Friday, August 14
Church Street
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