

Noteworthy

Gallery exhibits, art shows, classical concerts

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ART FAIRS & FESTIVALS

BIRMINGHAM FINE ART FESTIVAL
10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, May 10. Shalin Park, and adjacent streets in downtown Birmingham; (248) 644-0866.

GARDEN CITY ARTS EXHIBIT/SALE
Annual art show featuring original works. 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Monday, May 11 & 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, May 16. Sheridan Square, 30000 Ford Road, Garden City; (734) 277-2697.

GREENTOWN ARTS FESTIVAL
135 artists from across the country. 5-10 p.m. Friday, 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Saturday, noon-6 p.m. Sunday, May 15-17. Greentown, along Monroe, Beaubien and St. Antoine streets; (313) 963-5445.

HOUSE & GARDEN SHOW
Pewabic Pottery presents "For the House and Garden Show and Sale." May 15-17 at the Community House in Birmingham, 380 S. Bates; (810) 775-8793.

ART IN NORTHBVILLE
"Discover Art in Northville," a walking tour of downtown Northville galleries, restaurants and cafes. Noon-2 p.m. Sunday, May 17. Sponsored by the Northville Arts Commission and the Northville Central Business Association; (248) 349-1213.

AUDITIONS, COMPETITIONS & SCHOLARSHIPS

BBAC
Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center Calligraphy Study Grant for students, teacher or practitioners of calligraphy. Deadline: June 1. Submit proposals to Janet Torno, executive director, BBAC, 1515 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham, 48009; (248) 644-0866.

CALLING ARTISTS TO "CELEBRATE LIFE"
The Congregational Church of Birmingham, United Church of Christ is calling artists working in diverse media to enter its annual juried art show, "Celebrate Life." Applications are due: Friday, May 29. Fee: \$10. For entry forms, call (248) 649-4511.

LYRIC CHAMBER ENSEMBLE
Summer Music Camp Auditions for musicians age 9-17 years old on May 13-16 at four locations. Positions open for strings, brass, winds, percussion and piano. A \$10 non-refundable audition fee is required. All students should be prepared to play one solo work (min. 2-3 minutes), plus one major and one minor two-octave scale. Faculty members include members of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra. For list of dates, location and tuition, call (248) 357-1111.

MICHIGAN THEATRE & DANCE TROUPE
Open auditions through August. Dancers 16 years old and older. Auditions by appointment on Saturdays beginning at 2 p.m.; (248) 552-5001.

TROY COMMUNITY CHORUS
Seeks a chorus director for its new season beginning in September. Candidates must be available for Tuesday evening rehearsals from 7:30-9:30 p.m., two formal concerts in May and December, and various other local community engagements. Candidates should send their resume and salary requirements to the chorus, P.O. Box 165, Troy, MI 48069; (248) 879-0138.

WORKSHOP ON SHAKESPEARE
7-9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, May 10-28. Preview selected plays in production at Canada's 1998 Stratford Festival. Leading the workshop will be Neils Herold and Bruce Mann of Oakland University. Fee: \$250.

BENEFIT

PRINCESS DI DRESSES
"Dresses from the Collection of Diana, Princess of Wales" will be held Friday, May 15-Sunday, May 17. Meadow Brook Art Gallery, Wilson Hall, Oakland University campus, Rochester. Tickets: \$10, general; \$5, students; children under free. Proceeds go to Meadow Brook Theatre's educational outreach programs. (248) 377-3300.

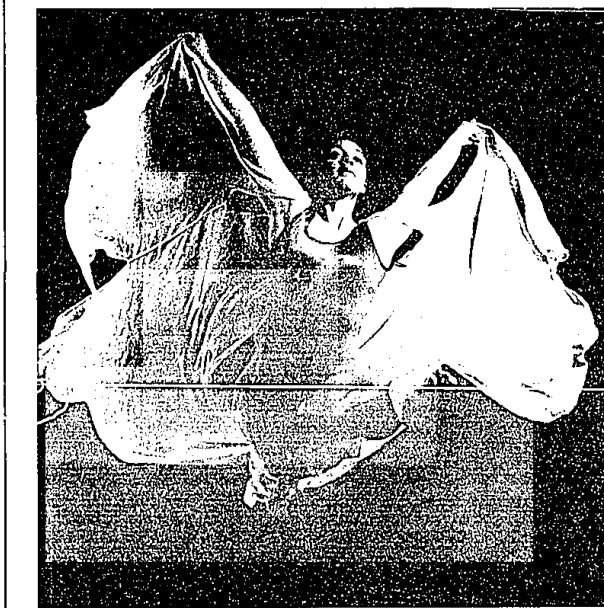
CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

ANN ARBOR ART CENTER
Spring classes, including watercolor, collage, weaving, bead stringing, photography and stained glass. Summer classes begin June 15. 117 W. Liberty, downtown Ann Arbor; (313) 994-8004, ext. 113.

THE ART STUDIO
Adult art classes in oils, pastels and drawing. Children's after-school classes in drawing, painting and crafts. 4417 S. Commerce Road, Commerce Township; (248) 360-5772.

BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART CENTER
Spring classes include non-objective painting, floral still life, Art Deco painting: 1920s-1930s. For children: Drawing for teens, stone sculpture, bookbinding. Art Camps for children grades 1-9, from June 22-July 3 and August 10-21. Sessions 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Mon.-Friday. Formerly known as the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association. 1515 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham; (248) 644-0866.

CREATIVE ARTS CENTER OF PONTIAC
Spring classes, including drawing, sculpture and painting. Children's class



Taking flight: The choreography of Jessica Sinclair and 50 student-dancers, including Kelly Snyder (above) are featured in "An Evening of Dance." The performance will be held 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, May 14-15 at Cranbrook School's Lerchen Hall, 550 Lone Pine Road. Admission free; (2 48) 645-3064.

as included drawing and cartooning, painting, mask-making, arts and crafts and printmaking. Teen and adult classes include beaded jewelry, ceramics, photography, Chinese brush painting and blues guitar. 47 Williams Street, Pontiac; (248) 333-7849.

D & M STUDIO'S SUMMER ART CAMP
This year's theme, "North to Alaska." Explore Alaskan Territory through drawings, paintings, paper mache, ceramics and more. Camp runs June-August 14. All classes at Once Upon an Esel, 8691 N. Lilley Road, Canton; (734) 453-3710.

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER
Registration for Spring Session, including creative dance, theatrical play, wood carving, wood burning, six steps to basic Judaism, and basic Hebrew reading. 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield; (248) 661-1000.

LONGACRE HOUSE - ART CLASSES
Range of art classes, including watercolor, drawing and collecting pottery. The Longacre House of Farmington Hills, 24705 Farmington Road, between 10 Mile and 11 Mile roads. To register, (248) 477-8404.

MARYGROVE COLLEGE
"Kindermusik Beginnings," a program for children ages 18 months-3 years. Spring term through June 27. 8425 W. McNichols Road, Detroit; (313) 927-1230.

MSU MUSIC SCHOOL FOR YOUNG
"First Music" classes for children birth to age 5. Children and parents move to music, learn songs and chants, play percussion instruments. Classes meet Friday mornings through May 22. Cost: \$100. Antioch Lutheran Church, Farmington Hills; (800) 548-6157, (517) 355-7661.

PAINT CREEK CENTER FOR THE ARTS
Spring classes for adults and children. Adult courses include basketry, ceramic bead-making, clay, collage, drawing, painting, photography, sculpture, tapestry and watercolor. 407 Pine Street, downtown Rochester; (248) 651-4110.

UM DEARBORN
Non-art studio art classes and workshops over 14 weeks begin on May 16. Instructors include Susan Kell, Electra Stamelos, Donna Vogelheim, Grace Serra, Kitty Green, Mary Stephenson. For more information, (734) 593-5058. 4901 Evergreen Road, 3165 AB, Dearborn.

HAMMILL MUSIC CONCERTS
Pianist Sue Downs in a program of pop favorites and light jazz 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 12 at Hammill Music in Livonia. 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 13 at Hammill Music's new Bloomfield Hills store on

Telegraph Road; (248) 594-1414.

MUSICA VIVA INTERNATIONAL
"An Evening at the Ford House with Flutist Theodor Spassky," 8 p.m. Saturday, May 16. Benefit performance on behalf of the American Cancer Society of Childhood Cancers. Tickets: \$15. Ford House, 1100 Lakeshore Road, Grosse Pointe Shores; (313) 884-4222.

GRAMMY-WINNING TENOR
Jerry Hadley in a benefit performance 8 p.m. Saturday, May 16, Michigan Theater, 603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Tickets: \$25-\$100; (734) 763-7875.

RYAN TEMPLE
The Morning Tie 8 p.m. Saturday, May 16. Tickets: \$15, general; \$14, seniors/students. 28611 W. 12 Mile Road between Inkster and Middlebelt, Farmington Hills; (248) 768-9338.

CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY OF DETROIT
8 p.m. Tuesday, May 19, pianist Yefim Bronfman, Tickets: \$5-\$39. Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Avenue, Detroit; (313) 576-5111.

DANCE

ORIGINAL CHOREOGRAPHY
"An Evening of Dance," featuring choreography by Upper School dance instructor Jessica Sinclair. More than 50 dancers perform 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, May 14-15. Cranbrook School's Lerchen Hall, 550 Lone Pine Road. Admission free; (2 48) 645-3064.

LECTURE
AUTHOR/ACTIVIST PAT MORRIS
Poet, memoirist and children's author Pat Morris 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 20 as part of the Emily Fisher Lecture. Kingswood Auditorium, Cranbrook Educational Community, 1221 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 645-3492.

SING IN THE SPRING
"Opera, Operetta & All that Jazz," a lecture by Karen D'Chiera of the Michigan Opera Theatre, noon Thursday, May 21. Information Technology Auditorium, 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac; (248) 858-0415.

MEETING
FARMINGTON ARTISTS CLUB
7 a.m. Wednesday, May 13, featuring guest speaker Mary Stephenson, teacher and watercolorist. Admission free. Farmington Community Library on 12 Mile Road, Farmington; (248) 478-9243.

MUSEUMS (ON-GOING)
MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY
Through June 21 - "Affirmations," the sculpture of Richard Hunt, through June 30 - "The Life & Times of Paul Robeson," Coleman A. Young Exhibitions Room, 315 E. Warren, Detroit; (313) 259-4109.

(OPENING)

MICH ASSOC. OF CALLIGRAPHERS
May 11 - in celebration of their 20th Anniversary, the Michigan Association of Calligraphers is sponsoring an exhibit "Calligraphic Continuum," through June 29. Exhibit includes juried exhibit of work by instructors from around the country. Opening reception 6 p.m. Thursday, May 14. The Galleria, Oakland County Executive Offices, 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac.

HABATAT GALLERY
May 15 - The geometric, glass sculpture of Jon Kuhn. Opening reception 7:30 p.m. 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 333-2060.

SHAWQUID GALLERY
May 15 - 7 p.m., "One of the Ways," works by Leo Stollar. 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 333-1070.

STUDENT EXHIBIT/CCS
May 15 - 5 p.m., annual Student Exhibition, Center for Creative Studies, 201 E. Kirby, Detroit; (313) 664-7464.

UZELAC GALLERY
May 15 - 7 p.m., "Nancy Raitt," Uzelac Gallery, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 333-1070.

DAVID KLEIN GALLERY
May 16 - "Recent paintings by Michigan artist David Klein." Through June 6, 163 Townsend, Birmingham; (248) 433-3700.

GALLERY BLUE
May 16 - 2 p.m., The sculptures of Bruce Garner. 568 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 594-0472.

UM DEARBORN/BERKOWITZ GALLERY
May 16 - "Botanicals II: Florals & Landscapes by Michigan Artists." Opening reception 1 p.m. Saturday, May 16. Alfred Berkowitz Gallery, third floor, Marginal Library, 4901 Evergreen, Dearborn; (734) 593-5058.

GALLERY EXHIBITS (ON-GOING)
GALLERY BLU
Through May 15 - "Works by Lenore Gimpert," 568 N. Old Woodward Avenue, Birmingham; (248) 594-0472.

POSNER GALLERY
Through May 15 - New paintings by Nathaniel Mather and Barbara Coburn. Wood sculptures by Leslie Struggs. 523 N. Old Woodward Avenue, Birmingham; (248) 647-2552.

SOUTH OAKLAND ART ASSOCIATION
Through May 15 - "Visual Images," American Center Building, 27777 Franklin Road, Southfield; (248) 855-5177.

THE WETSMAN COLLECTION
Through May 15 - "Repetitions Revisited," jewelry from the Netherlands, Germany, Denmark, England, Italy, Slovakia and Norway. 132 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 647-2552.

ARTSPACE II
Through May 16 - "New Master Prints by Claes Oldenburg," published by Gemini, G.E.L. of Los Angeles in 1997. 203 E. Maple, Birmingham; (248) 258-1540.

CARY GALLERY
Through May 16 - "Julie Sereny Mahoney, New Paintings," 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester; (248) 651-3656.

ELAINE L. JACOB GALLERY
Through May 16 - "Flux," an exhibition of ceramics by recent faculty, including David Belcher, Caroline Court, John A. Murphy, Rick Pruckler, Annette Siffen, Joe Zacc, 480 W. Hancock, Detroit; (313) 993-7813.

CUNIFF STUDIO GALLERY
Through May 17 - Sculpture of Dick Hatagami, 11 S. Broadway, Lake Orion; (248) 693-3632.

BBAC
Through May 22 - "Born in the BBA," artists nurtured by the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center (formerly the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association) who have achieved successful careers in the world of art. Featuring works by Barbara Dorchon, Todd Erickson, Thomas Humes, Carol Luc, Stephen Magid, Gail Maly Mack, Claudia Shepard, Mary Brecht Stephenson, Christine Welsh, 1515 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham; (248) 644-7904.

CREATIVE RESOURCE
Through May 23 - "River of Light: An Exhibit of Contemporary Impressions," oils and pastels by Anatoly Dyerin, N. Old Woodward at Maple, downtown Birmingham; (248) 647-3688.

ROBERT KIDD GALLERY
Through May 23 - "Bob Nugent: New Paintings," and "Christine Bothwell: New Sculpture," 107 Townsend Street, Birmingham; (248) 642-3909.

SUSANNE HILBERY GALLERY
Through May 23 - "New Works by John Rowland," 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 642-8250.

OBJECTS OF ART
Through May 23 - Students from Orchard Lake Middle School in West Bloomfield display and sell artwork including jewelry, clay, paintings, sculptures, drawings. 6243 Orchard Lake Road, East Bloomfield; (248) 539-3332.

HIGH SCHOOL ART COMPETITION
Through May 25 - Annual high school exhibition of 26 schools, Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, 1515 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham; (248)

KELSEY MUSEUM OF ARCHAEOLOGY
Through June 30 - "A Victorian's Passion for Egypt: David Roberts, 1796-1864." Roberts' drawings and paintings during his travels through the middle eastern country. University of Michigan, Ann Arbor; (313) 763-3559.

DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM
Through Sept. 30 - "A Community Through Two Worlds: Arab Americans in Greater Detroit," produced by the Michigan State University Museum and the Arab Community Center for Economic & Social Services. 5401 Woodward Avenue, Detroit; (313) 833-7934.

OPERA

MICHIGAN OPERA THEATRE
"The Elkie of Love" by Gennaro Donizetti 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 13; Friday & Saturday, May 15-16; 2 p.m. Sundays, May 10 & 17. Detroit Opera House, (at the corner of Madison Avenue and Broadway, one block east of Woodward Avenue), Detroit. Tickets: \$18-\$95, call (313) 874-7464, or (248) 645-6666.

OPERA'S GREATEST HITS
Featuring works from "Madame Butterfly," "Carmen," and "Porgy & Bess," performed by the Detroit Concert Chorus, 3 p.m. Sunday, May 17. St. Hugo of the Hills Church, 2215 Odyke Road, Bloomfield Hills. Tickets: \$12; (313) 862-0118.

TOURS

CRANBROOK HOUSE & GARDEN
1:30 & 3 p.m. every Sunday through summer. A self-guided tour through the gardens at the historic Cranbrook House, 380 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 645-3147.

VOLUNTEERS
MUSEUM DOCKETS
Volunteers to conduct school tours for grades 3-12, special pre-school tours and tours to the general public and adult groups. Volunteers receive extensive training, including one-and-a-half days of class per week from September-June. For information, (313) 833-9178.

WRITING

CRANBROOK RETREAT FOR WRITERS
Register for retreat with more than two dozen renowned authors in various length workshops, from 3-7 days. Areas include poetry, fiction, memoir, nonfiction, screenplay and children's book writing. Cost: \$630, 7-day workshop: \$450. 5-day workshops: \$250, 3-day workshop. On campus housing available. For information, (248) 645-3492. Cranbrook Educational Community, 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills.

GALLERY EXHIBITS

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LIVONIA CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY
Through May 27 - The glass sculpture of Theresa Pierzina, the watercolors of Donna Vogelheim, and a mixed media exhibit by members of the Visual Arts Association of Livonia. 32777 Five Mile Road; (734) 421-2000, ext. 351.

A.C.T. GALLERY
Through May 29 - "The New Member Show," 35 E. Grand River, Detroit; (313) 961-4336.

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL
Through May 29 - "Hanging by a Thread," fiber works by Cynthia Wayne Garfield, Chris Roberts-Anteaue and Kathy Zsuzsa. 714 W. Sheldon Road; Plymouth; (734) 416-4278.

ARIANA GALLERY
Through May 30 - "12th Annual Teapot Show," featuring a silent auction of a Warren MacKenzie teapot. Features over 60 artists. 119 S. Main, Royal Oak; (248) 546-8810.

ELIZABETH STONE GALLERY
Through May 30 - 6 p.m., "No Rhythms or Reason: Whimsical Nursery Rhymes, Fables and Tales," the art of Joel E. Tans. 536 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 647-7040.

LAWRENCE STREET GALLERY
Through May 30 - "Exposures: Photography '98," 6 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 333-6716.

9TH ANNUAL BASKETRY INVITATIONAL
Through May 30 - Internationally recognized basketry exhibit features work of 30 artists from the U.S. and Japan. The Sybana Gallery, 202 E. Third Street, Royal Oak; (248) 544-3388.

REVOLUTION
Through May 30 - "Cultural Containment: Works by Stephen Tourtelous," and the conceptual art of Jim Melcher. 23257 Woodward Avenue, Ferndale; (248) 541-3444.

BOOK BEAT
Through May 31 - "The Garden: Recent photographs, collages and paintings by Jeffrey Silverthorne," 26010 Greenfield Road, Oak Park; (248) 968-1190.

DECORATIVE ADDITIONS
Through May 31 - "Photography of Maureen Electa Monte," Adams Square Building, 725 S. Adams Road, Birmingham; (248) 594-0826.

DIA
Through May 31 - "Detroit Public Schools Student Exhibit," featuring works of 500 students. 5200 Woodward, Detroit; (313) 833-7900.

TROY LIBRARY
Through May 31 - Artwork of Kris Azelis Lamb. 510 Big Beaver, Troy; (248) 524-3538.

PAINT CREEK CENTER FOR THE ARTS
Through June 5 - "CHAINART," an exhibit in the main gallery, an installation by Mary Bates in the first floor gallery. 407 Pine Street, Rochester; (248) 651-4110.

HILL GALLERY
Through June 6 - "Wes Mills: Drawings," "Ken Price: Sculpture," 407 W. Brown Street, Birmingham; (248) 540-9288.

MOORE'S GALLERY
Through June 6 - "Images of Africa," paintings by Enock Ilunga, Bill Mucka, Shirley Howells and Peter Siekko. 304 Hamilton Road, Birmingham; (248) 647-4662.

PEWABIC POTTERY
Through June 6 - Works of Sally B. Brogren, Joyce Robins, Alec Karros. 10125 E. Jefferson, Detroit; (313) 822-0954.

THE ANDERSON GALLERY
Through June 20 - "New Sculpture" by Susan Aaron-Taylor. Opening reception 7 p.m. Friday, May 15. 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 333-6111.

ARNOLD KLEIN GALLERY
Through June 30 - "Heavens," featuring Birmingham artists Sargent Eckstein, Bob Jacobson, Karen Klein, Karin Klue, Donella Vogel. 32782 Woodward Avenue, Royal Oak; (248) 647-7709.

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