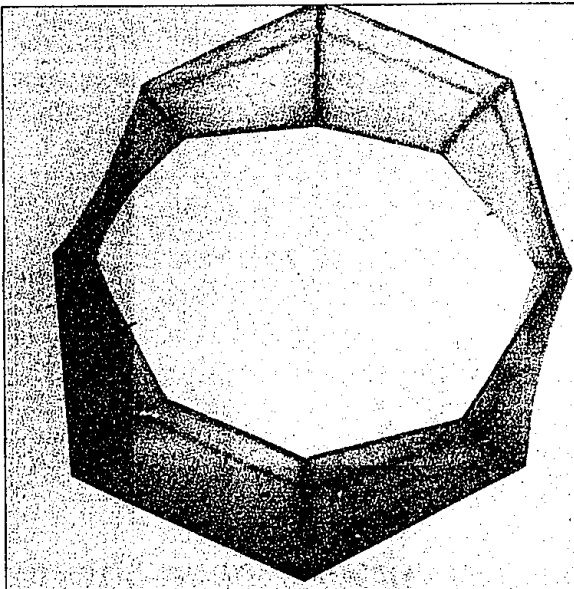


Noteworthy

Gallery exhibits, art shows, classical concerts

MAKING CONTACT: Please submit items for publication to Frank Provenzano, The Eccentric! Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009 or fax (248) 644-1314



Spatial: The contemporary sculptures of John Duff are on exhibit through April 3 at the Hill Gallery, 407 W. Brown, Birmingham, (248) 540-9288.

ANTIQUES SHOWS & ART FAIRS

CHURCHILL HIGH SCHOOL
11th Annual Spring Craft Show 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, March 13, located on Newburgh Road just south of I-96 and north of Joy Road. Sponsored by the Churchill High Parent Teacher Student Association; (734) 422-4507.
COMMUNITY HOUSE ANTIQUES SHOW
Leotards, garden boutique, silent auction and raffle. Preview night - 6 - 10 p.m. Thursday, March 18; General show - 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Friday, March 19 and Saturday, March 20; noon - 5 p.m. Sunday, March 21. 380 S. Bates, Birmingham; (248) 644-5832.

MICHIGAN WILDLIFE ART FESTIVAL
60 artists, stone, metal, wood art work of wildlife, environmental and nostalgic Americana. 4 p.m. Friday, March 26, 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Saturday, March 27, and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday, March 28.
NATIVITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS
Juried art show featuring 50 artists. 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Sunday, March 14. 21220 W. 14 Mile Rd., Bloomfield Township; (248) 646-4100.

AUDITIONS / CALL FOR ARTISTS

BOHEMIAN MUSIC COMPETITION
Second annual Solo Concerto Competition, open for orchestral instruments. High school and college students (between 16-22 years old), must submit performance tape by April 2, 1999. For application: Herbert Couf, c/o The Bohemians, 37685 Russett Drive, Farmington Hills; (248) 737-6936.
CANTON CALL FOR ARTISTS
Open invitation to all artists for the 1999 Fine Art and Fine Craft Show at Liberty Fest '99, June 19-20. Deadline: April 15; (734) 453-3740.

CALL FOR ENTRIES
Michigan Watercolor Society's 52nd annual exhibition, to be held May 16-June 25. Slide deadline: March 15, 1999. For information, call Janet Hamrick, (248) 398-4089.

CALL FOR GLASS ARTISTS
The Art Museum Project at the University of Michigan-DeARBORN, in cooperation with the Alfred Berkowitz Gallery and the Fine Art Associates support group, is sponsoring an exhibit titled "Glass: Its Substance and Attributes," to be held May 15-June 27. Slide deadline: March 6. For information, call (313) 593-5058 or (313) 593-5087.

HARBOR SPRINGS SUMMER SHOW
Applications are being accepted for the 24th annual 4th of July Art Show in Harbor Springs. Deadline: April 10. For an application, call the Harbor Springs Community School office and leave your name, address and phone number: (616) 526-5385.

BIRMINGHAM MUSICALS
Auditions for Charlotte Ruppel Memorial Voice Scholarship, 10 a.m. Saturday, March 27, First Baptist Church, Willis Street, Birmingham. Requirements: one section from an R.E. foreign language art song and 20th-century art song. Total performance time: 10 minutes. Applicants must provide their own accompanists. Application deadline: March 20, 1999. For information, (248) 375-9534.

METROPOLITAN SINGERS OF SOUTHFIELD
An adult choir of mixed voices is looking for new singers, especially men, to sing blues, pop, hit tunes and folk tunes. Choir meets Monday, 7:30 p.m., Birney Middle School vocal room, 27000 Evergreen Rd., Southfield.
MICHIGAN OPERA THEATRE
Auditions for Spring seasons of productions - "Madame Butterfly," "Eugene Onegin" and "Samson and Delilah" - 8 p.m. Monday, March 15, 1526 Broadway at Grand Circus Park; (313) 237-3274.

OC'S WOMEN IN ART EXHIBIT
Call for entries for the 13th annual "Our Vision: Women in Art." "Our Vision: Women in Art" is a biennial for entries in visual arts and poetry is April 1, 1999. Exhibit runs May 10-28 at the Oakland Community College, Orchard Ridge Campus. For information, (248) 471-7602.

PAINT CREEK CENTER SCHOLARSHIPS
Two \$1,000 merit scholarships offered to graduating high school seniors in Macomb, Oakland or Wayne counties who plan to major in visual arts. Application deadline: April 17. To obtain an application, or for more information, call (248) 651-4110.

CLASSES

ART & CALLIGRAPHY STUDIO
Calligraphy, bookbinding and beading classes through March. 8156 Cooley Lake Rd, White Lake, Call (248) 360-6429 for more information.

ART MUSEUM PROJECT, U/M DEARBORN
Non-credit studio art classes and workshops through March. Programs led by instructors from the area, including Bill Girard, Grace Serra, Mary Stephen, Donna Vogelheim. For information, (734) 593-5058.

BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART CENTER
Offers a range of art classes. All-day art activities for children April 5-9. 1516 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham. Call for more information, (248) 644-0866.

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS
Classes for adults, educators and youth. Call for details, (313) 833-4249. 5200 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

EISENHOWER DANCE ENSEMBLE
Classes for age 3 and up. All levels of classes for recreational and professional students, including modern, ballet, pointe, tap and jazz. 1541 W. Hamlin Road, between Coonick and Livermore, Rochester Hills; (248) 852-5850.

GEIGER CLASSIC BALLET ACADEMY
Newly refurbished dance studio opening for new enrollment. 782 Denison Court, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 334-1300.
JINGLE BEL INC.
Winter classes include participation in the Rochester/Troy Youth Community Show Chorus; ages 6-10 - 6:15-7:45 p.m. Wednesdays through March 30; ages 11-16 - 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, through March 30. Drama, singing, choreography classes, ages 6-14, 5:15-6:30 p.m. Tuesdays, through March 30. Other classes include drama for children, instruction in range of media, and instrumental lessons. For details, call (248) 375-9027.
KAMMUELLER DANCE CLASSES
Advanced and professional classical ballet program, 9:30 a.m. Monday-Friday; intermediate level Tuesday, Thursday & Fridays at 11:30 a.m. 5526 W. Drake, West Bloomfield, (248) 932-8699.

FAIR LANE MUSIC GUILD AND THE DEARBORN COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL.
7 - 10 p.m. Wednesday, March 17. School of Management lecture theater at the University of Michigan-DeARBORN campus, DeARBORN; (313) 943-3095.
DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
Music Director Neeme Jarvi conducts a performance of Arvo Part's Symphony No. 5, Shostakovich's Symphony No. 1, and Sibelius' Concerto for Violin. 8 p.m. Friday, 8:30 p.m. Saturday, March 20. Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit; (313) 576-5111.
JCC INTERGENERATIONAL CHOIR
Senior citizens and youth from the former Servit Union perform 4 p.m. Sunday, March 21 at the Jimmy Prentis Morris Building of the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield; (248) 661-1000.
OAKLAND SINGERS/TYNER CHORALE
Fernande Music Series presents vocal concert 3 p.m. Sunday, March 14, Zion Lutheran Church, 143 Albany, Ferndale; (248) 546-2503.
ORION LIBRARY
The Schuster Piano Trio performs 2 p.m. Sunday, March 14, 825 Joslyn Road, just north of Clarkston Road; (248) 693-3001.
PERFORM-A-THON
School-aged string musicians from S.R.O. Institute of Music perform to raise money for student music scholarships. 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, March 20, Oakland Mall center court, Troy; (248) 545-8386.
PALM SUNDAY CONCERT
The Archdiocesan Chorus and Orchestra performs "Requiem" by Maurice Durufle, and two works for two organs and choir, 7 p.m. Sunday, March 28, The Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament, 9844 Woodward Ave., Detroit; (313) 865-6300.
ST. MARY'S COLLEGE
Pianists Yuki and Tomko Mack 3 p.m. Sunday, March 14, St. Mary's College, 353 Indian Trail, Orchard Lake, tickets \$15 and \$25. (248) 683-1750.
ST. PATRICK'S DAY
"Blackthorn," music of Ireland, 6 p.m. Sunday, March 28, First Baptist Church, Willis at Bates Street, downtown Birmingham.
TEMPLE BETH EL
Third-annual Jazz Sabbath Service featuring the "New Orleans Klezmer All-star Band, cantor Stephen Dubov and the Temple Beth El Choir, 8 p.m. Friday, March 26, on Telegraph at 14 Mile Road. (248) 851-1100.

METRO DANCE
Preschool and adult classes, 541 S. Mill, Plymouth. (734) 207-8970.
PAINT CREEK CENTER
Open registration for spring classes begins March 22. Spring semester runs April 19 through June 12. Classes for preschoolers to adults. 407 Pine Street, Rochester; For a brochure, call (248) 651-4110.
PEWABIC POTTERY
Winter classes, including tile making, basic ceramics, wheel throwing, for ages 13 and up. Call for fees. 10125 E. Jefferson, Detroit, (313) 822-0954.
PHOTOGRAPHIC GUID
36th annual photographic seminar, March 19-21 at Henry Ford Community College, Dearborn. For information, (734) 563-4210.
PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL
Winter classes & workshops for all ages, including sculpture, watercolor, dance, decorative painting, pottery, film, drawing, children's theater, creative writing and more. 774 N. Sheldon Road. For schedule, call (734) 416-4278.
SWANN GALLERY
Free life-drawing art classes, open to anyone. Other classes on oil and acrylic painting, pencil, watercolor, pastels and sculpture 1-4 p.m. Sundays, 1250 Library Street, Detroit; (313) 965-4826.
TINDERBOX PRODUCTIONS
Classes for students grades 1-12 in scene study, Broadway dance, hip hop, improvisation, Saturdays, through May 15, Cathedral Theatre, Masonic Temple, 500 Temple, Detroit; (313) 535-8962.

CONCERTS
BIRMINGHAM UNITARIAN CHURCH
The Kathleen Landis Trio, 7 p.m. Sunday, March 28, 651 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 476-5733.
B'JAZZ VESPER
Straight Ahead, the female award-winning Jazz group, 6 p.m. Sunday, March 21, First Baptist Church, Willis at Bates, Birmingham; (248) 644-0550.
CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY OF DETROIT
Grigory Sokolove 8 p.m., Thursday, March 18, Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit. For information, (248) 737-9980.
CHRIST CHURCH CRANBROOK
Organ concert by Don Cook, professor of organ at Brigham Young University, 4 p.m. Sunday, March 14, Christ Church Cranbrook, 470 Church Road, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 644-5210.
DEARBORN COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL
Blackthorn will perform the music of Ireland for the fourth annual Irish Celebration, a fundraiser for the

DANCE
MICH BALLETT THEATRE
"Sleeping Beauty" 2 p.m. Sunday, March 14 at the Macomb Center for the Performing Arts, Garfield Road at M-59; (810) 286-2222.
LECTURE
BBAC
Lecture series: March 16 - "Cass Corridor Revisited" by Dennis Nawrocki; March 23 - "Glass art" by Fred Hampson, 1516 S. Cranbrook, Birmingham; (248) 644-0866.
LAWRENCE TECH
The architectural designs of Robert Gehry will be discussed 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 18, Lawrence Tech, College of Architecture & Design, Architecture Auditorium, A-200, 21000 W. 10 Mile, Southfield.
TROY PUBLIC LIBRARY
"The Ajanta Caves of India," a slide lecture by Dr. Walter Spink of the University of Michigan, 2 p.m. Sunday, March 21, Troy Library, Big Beaver at I-75.
TOUR
DSO SHOWCASE HOUSE "BARE BONES" SNEAK PREVIEW TOUR
Self-guided tours of the DSO's 1999 designer showhouse and gardens. "Great Candles Sale Gala," 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Saturday, March 20 and Sunday March 21, 1771 Balmoral Drive, Detroit; (313) 576-5155.
VOLUNTEERS
ANIMATION NETWORK CLUB
Looking for artists such as animators or comedians who would like to be featured on cable. For more information, contact Jane Dabish, president, P.O. Box 251651, West Bloomfield, MI, 48325-1651, (248) 626-2285.
FAIR CONSERVATORY
Needs volunteers to assist with leisure, creative and therapeutic arts programs for infants through adults with disabilities, weekdays, evenings, Saturdays. Call (248) 646-3347
LIVONIA HISTORICAL COMMISSION
Greenmead Historic Village seeks volunteers to assist in school tours, Sunday tours, special events, special projects and gardening. Open May-October & December. Eighth Mile Road at Newburgh, Livonia; (734) 477-7375.
MOTOR CITY BRASS BAND
Seeks volunteers to help with non-performing activities. Web site: mcb.org, or contact MCBB. Southfield Centre for the Arts, 24350 Southfield Road; (248) 349-0376.

MUSEUMS
CRANBROOK ART MUSEUM
Through April 3 - "Weird Science: A Conflation of Art and Science," featuring four artists' projects representing an ongoing exploration of a specific area of science. 1221 North Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. \$5, \$3 students/ children/seniors; (248) 645-3323.
DIA
Through April 25 - "Hall Past Autumn: The Art of Gordon Parks"; through June 6 - "Treasures of Jewish Cultural Heritage from the Library of the Jewish Theological Seminary," 5200 Woodward Avenue, Detroit; (313) 833-7900.
GALLERY EXHIBITS (ON-GOING)
ANN ARBOR ART CENTER
Through March 14 - "Pushing the Envelope: New Developments in Photography," featuring the work of Marge Facer, Lisa Steichmann and John Harris, 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor; (313) 994-8004.
BIRMINGHAM UNITARIAN CHURCH GALLERY
Through March 15 - Landscape paintings and digital collages by Ken Graning, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 299-0677.
JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER
Through March 15 - "Memory and Vision," A Celebration of Jewish Community, 1899-1999. An extraordinary exhibition of artifacts and photos chronicles 100 years of the organized Jewish community of Detroit. 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield. Docents available for guided tours, call (248) 642-4260, Ext. 271.

EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY
Through March 19 - Graduate student exhibition. Ford Gallery, Eastern Michigan University campus, Ypsilanti; (734) 487-1268.
ARTSPACE II
Through March 20 - Nick Blosser's egg tempera paintings. 303 E. Meple, Birmingham; (248) 258-1540.
CREATIVE ARTS CENTER
Through March 20 - The art of Iwan Stewart. 47 Williams, Pontiac; (248) 333-7849.
MATRIX GALLERY
Through March 21 - "Man, Woman, House," an installation of paintings and ink drawings by Shaqa KalaJ. 111 S. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor; (734) 663-7775.
BBAC
Through March 25 - Michigan Fine Arts Competition, featuring work by 80 artists. 1516 Cranbrook Road, Birmingham; (248) 644-0866.
SOUTHFIELD CENTRE FOR THE ARTS
Through March 26 - Exhibition of paper weights from the Alfred Berkowitz collection; and, an exhibit of paintings by Farmington Hills resident Leon Scholich. 24350 Southfield Road, Southfield; (248) 424-9022.

MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART
Through March 26 - "Blümlay" the London Artworld from Bacon to Hirst. 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 334-6038.
CARY GALLERY
Through March 27 - New works by Marcia Freedman. 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester; (248) 651-3556.
DAVID KLEIN GALLERY
Through March 27 - Photo work of Bas Jan Ader, Dan Graham, Gordon Matta-Clark and Robert Smithson. 163 Townsend, Birmingham; (248) 433-3700.
ROBERT KIDD GALLERY
Through March 27 - New paintings by Sam Gilliam and Dele Duck, recent sculpture by Louise Kruger. 107 Townsend St., Birmingham; (248) 642-3909.
NETWORK
Through March 27 - "Horstory," featuring recent works by Hyung-Sook Koo. 7 North Saginaw St., Pontiac; (248) 334-9911.
GALERIE BLU
Through March 28 - The Birth of Matisse in Costructures IX. 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 454-7797.
SOUTHFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY
Through March 31 - Black and white photography by Kimberly A. Cook. Southfield Municipal Complex, 26000 Evergreen Rd., Southfield; (248) 948-0470.
MASTERPIECE GALLERY
Through March 31 - Artwork by Yvonne Azz W. Maple, Birmingham; (248) 594-0470.
ORCHARD LAKE SCHOOLS GALLERY
Through March 31 - Wood sculpture by Rita Miller of Muskogees. 3535 Indian Trail, Orchard Lake; (248) 682-1885.
GALERIE BLU
Through March 31 - The art of Franklin Jonas. 7 N. Saginaw St., Pontiac; (248) 454-7797.
GALLERY: FUNCTION ART
Through March 31 - "Vessels, Boxes and Baskets," featuring more than 100 works. 21 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 333-0333.
HABATAT GALLERIES
Through March 31 - New work by Jay Musler and Mary Shaffer. 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 333-2060.
SOMERSET COLLECTION
Through March 31 - "Wildflower Paintings," a photography exhibit of expressivity wildflowers. Home & Garden Collection, Somerset. Big Beaver at Coollidge, Troy.
JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER
Through March 31 - "Memory & Vision: A Century of Jewish Community 1899 - 1999," a museum-quality exhibition of artifacts and photos. 6600 W. Maple Rd., West Bloomfield; (888) 469-0100.

PAINT CREEK CENTER FOR THE ARTS
Through April 2 - "Words & Images" in the main gallery, and new work by Charlotte Weaver King in the first floor gallery. 407 Pine Street, Rochester; (248) 651-4110.
CREATIVE RESOURCE GALLERY
Through April 3 - "Notations," new abstract paintings and figurative sculptures by Carol Sams, Karen Jacobs and Carol Petersen, 162 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 647-3688.