

WHERE CAN I FIND?

Through reader feedback, this interactive feature is dedicated to helping readers locate retail merchandise that's difficult to find...

Put your artistry to work in logo design contest

Wayne County Council for Arts, History and Humanities is sponsoring a logo contest open to all visual and graphic artists living, studying or working in Wayne County.

County Executive's Awards Ceremony in May. The work of the top five runners-up also will be on display at this event.

humanities), though not necessarily in a literal depletion. It should suggest vision, inspiration, elegance, gracefulness, perhaps spontaneity and fun.

various programs: Artists Among Us is a touring exhibition, unique in its collaboration between the visual, musical and literary arts.

Novi Theater offers open caption films

Imagine Entertainment, Inc. has been showing open captioned films for the hearing impaired at its Novi theater.

AT THE GALLERIES

Making contact: Please submit items for publication in At the Galleries to Linda Chomin, two weeks in advance of the event.

Ann Arbor Women Artists Showing a talk by James Cogswell at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 21, at the Ann Arbor Art Center.

noon or 1-4 p.m. April 21-25 for children ages 6-12. Lunch programs will not be available. (734) 994-8004

Ann Arbor Art Center Sculpture Invitational exhibit runs through Feb. 2. Sculpture workshop runs Jan. 31-Feb. 11.

CALL FOR ARTISTS

ArtFirst Searching for artists with physical and mental disabilities for an international juried exhibition of art and fine crafts, including works on paper, canvas or board, sculpture, jewelry, photography, pottery.

Michael Farrell Farrell, associate professor of art history, University of Windsor, lectures on Charles Russell at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 19 at Hillside Middle School, 445 H. Center, Northville.

Peabody Pottery The historic pottery offers classes in tile making, wheel throwing, glazes and more. Day adult and child-adult classes are available.

Cary Gallery Oil paintings by Lee Doezema through March 8, opening reception 6 p.m. Feb. 8 at 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester.

LECTURES

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Lawrence Street Gallery The gallery hosts an all-media competition that celebrates the figure. Exhibit will run Feb. 5-28. Gallery will receive work from Jan. 29 through Feb. 1. Bill will win the competition. Gallery hours are noon to 5 p.m., Wednesday through Saturday at 6 N. Saginaw St. in downtown Pontiac. (248) 644-5894.

Rockwell Rainforest Workshop offers two sessions from 9 a.m.-noon or from 4-6 p.m. Feb. 24-28 for children ages 6-12 at 220 Felch St., Ann Arbor (734) 994-8004.

A.C.T. Gallery New members' works on exhibit. Jan. 24-Feb. 22, with opening reception, 6 p.m. Jan. 24, at 35 E. Grand River, Detroit. (313) 961-4336.

AT THE ZOO

The Detroit Zoo's Wild Winter program continues through February in the Wildlife Gallery and at various locations inside the zoo. Here's the activities schedule for February:

Saturday, Feb. 8. Time to be arranged. Keeper talks - Every Sunday in February. Information will be available on the zoo Web site at www.detroitzoo.org.

blissing the boots A solo performance written and conceived by Sekou Sundiata. Today! 2pm Tuesday Theatre - Ann Arbor. Sekou Sundiata performs his one-man show, blissing the boots, a sequence of poems, prose and monologues with music and visual media that take the audience on a solo journey through three years of the poet's life.

Stay in town and have an artistic vacation! February 24 - 28, 2003 Register Now! Your children can combine creativity and fun, develop artistic talent and explore new media under the guidance of professional art instructors.

ENTER TO WIN! A \$95 Gift Certificate to Farmer Jack! Stop by the Farmer Jack booth at the 2003 Plymouth International Ice Sculpture Spectacular from January 18-19. Guess the number of Hills Bros Coffee beans in the ice sculpture and win a \$95 gift certificate to Farmer Jack!

Sekou Sundiata and Band with Khyri Khmal Turner and Detroit's Black Bottom Collective. Mon 1/20 8pm Michigan Theatre - Ann Arbor. Following a national tour with Ani DiFranco, urban poet Sekou Sundiata fuses soul, jazz, and hip-hop grooves with political insight and humor.

ArtCenter February 6-10. Tickets available at the Fox Theatre box office. Hockmeyer Entertainment in They (with-out service charges) and at all Michigan Theatre locations, including Marshall Field's. Charge by phone 313-433-1515 or order on-line at OlympiaEntertainment.com.