

Celebration of the Arts 2016

Arts CALENDAR

Spring 2016

**Saturday
March 19, 2016**
Peter and Elizabeth Horowitz
Visual and Performing
Arts Center at
Howard Community College
6–10 pm

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**2015 Display Award Winners

HELP US CELEBRATE 35 years of fostering the arts by joining us March 19th at the *Celebration of the Arts in Howard County*! Bid on wonderful works of art by local artists, sample culinary delights from area restaurants and caterers, and enjoy musical performances during the reception, then take your seat for the main event—the live presentation of the Rising Star Competition and the 2015 Howie Awards.

The Rising Star Competition gives emerging performers an opportunity to vie for a no-strings-attached professional development award of \$5,000. Audience members will enjoy performances by ten finalists, then vote for their favorite. The votes will be tallied and a winner announced on stage that evening!

This year's talented finalists will present an eclectic mixture of vocal and instrumental performances:

Monica Albizo, *Musical Theatre*
Mark Edwards, *Classical Guitar*
Crystal Freeman, *Musical Theatre*
Joshua Hughes, *Musical Theatre*
Jenny Lehtonen, *Flute*
Esther Oh, *Classical Voice*
Cody Quattlebaum, *Classical Voice*
Elizabeth Rayca, *Musical Theatre*
Luke Spence, *Classical Trumpet*
Shing Ann Yeh, *Cello*



At left: Elizabeth and Kenneth Lundeen are the Honorary Chairs for the 2016 Celebration of the Arts (Photo: Lee Waxman)

Below: 2015 Rising Star winner Sola Fadiran performs at last year's Celebration (Photo: Lee Waxman)

The Howie Awards are presented annually by the Arts Council to individuals and businesses in recognition of their significant impact on the arts in Howard County. The 2015 Howie Award recipients are:

Outstanding Artist, Maureen Berry,
Dancer & Choreographer, Teelin Irish Dance
Outstanding Arts Educator, Pamela Land, Theatre Arts
Teacher, River Hill High School

Outstanding Business Supporter of the Arts, Pixel Workshop

Elizabeth and Kenneth Lundeen, long-time residents of Howard County and active consumers and supporters of the arts, will serve as Honorary Chairs for the *Celebration*. Richard W. Story, Senior Vice President, Community Relations and Government Affairs, and Business Development Liaison for Howard Bank, will reprise his role as Event Emcee.

The 2016 *Celebration of the Arts* will be an evening to remember, so get your tickets now! Tickets are available online at hocoarts.org.

Sponsorship and volunteer opportunities are available. Celebration tickets are \$100 (reception and live performance in Smith Theatre) and \$50 (reception and simulcast in Studio Theatre). For more information, visit us online at hocoarts.org or call 410-313-ARTS (2787). ★

Register Now for Summer Camp!

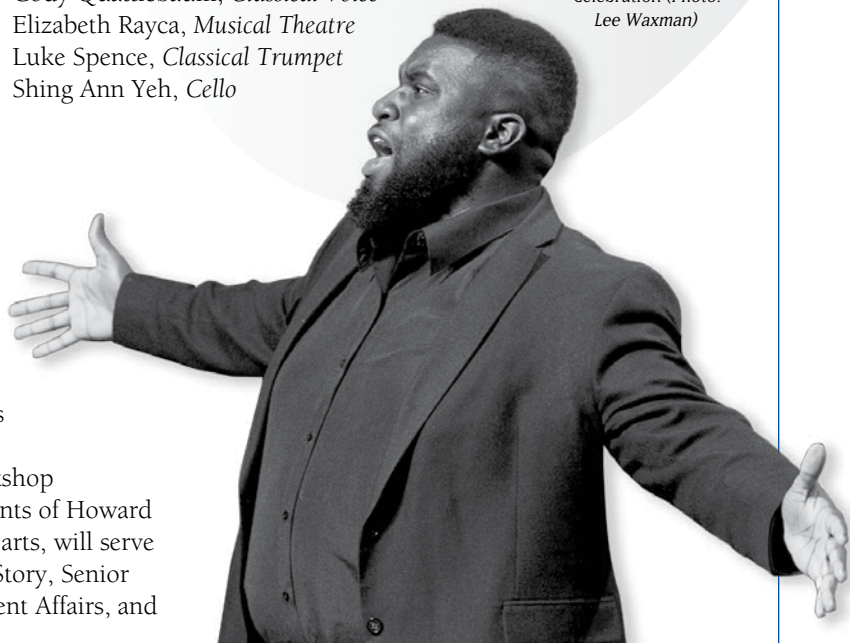
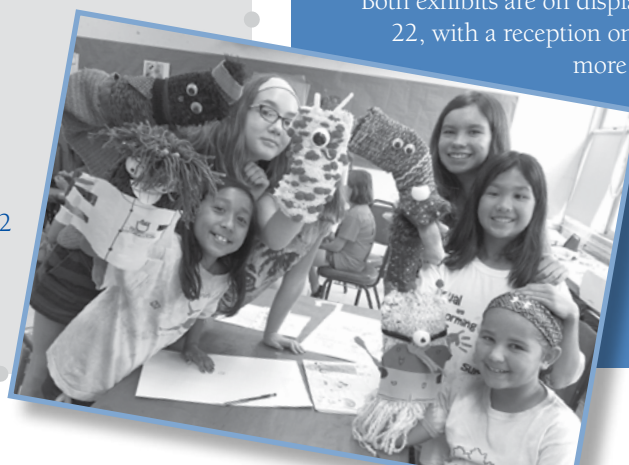
Get ready for a fun and creative summer by registering your child for HCAC's Visual and Performing Arts Camps! Choose from 8 one-week-long, full- or half-day sessions for students entering grades K-7. Before- and after-care are also available. Camp classes include: *Meet the Monsters*, *Puppetry*, *Embroidery for Everyone*, and much more. Space is limited, so don't delay!

Visit hocoarts.org for complete camp descriptions and registration.

Summer Arts Camp 2016 Schedule

Session 1:	June 20–24
Session 2:	June 27–July 1
Session 3:	July 5–8
Session 4:	July 11–15
Session 5:	July 18–22
Session 6:	July 25–29
Session 7:	August 1–5
Session 8:	August 8–12

2015 summer campers show off their puppet creations (Photo: HCAC)



Gallery I: *Gamechangers: Collaboration, Play, and the Search for New Ideas* | Gallery II: *No Boundaries*

Upcoming Exhibits March 11–April 22

Each year the Arts Council and the Howard County Public School System celebrate Youth Art Month with a special themed exhibit of artwork created by Howard County public school students in grades K–12. This year's theme, *Gamechangers: Collaboration, Play, and the Search for New Ideas*, was the inspiration for hundreds of amazing works in a variety of media. The annual *No Boundaries* exhibit showcases artwork created by individuals with disabilities in art classes run by the Howard County Recreation and Parks' Department of Therapeutic Recreation and Inclusion Services.

Both exhibits are on display at HCCA from March 11–April 22, with a reception on April 14 from 5–7pm. To learn more about Arts Council programs and exhibits, call 410-313-ARTS (2787) or visit hocoarts.org. ★

Above: Guests enjoy the reception for the 2015 Youth Art Month exhibit (Photo: HCAC)



of events

Events are subject to change and advance registration may be required. Please contact each organization to verify event information.

Exhibits:

Artists' Gallery. *Howard County High School Art Teachers Invitational.* 2/29–3/25. Reception: 3/4, 6–8pm. *Jing-Jy Chen: Chinese Brush Paintings.* 3/28–4/29. Reception: 4/1, 6–8pm. *Two World Views.* Oil paintings by Nancy Davis & paintings and photos by Diane Dunn. 5/2–6/3. Reception: 5/6, 6–8pm. Gallery hours: Mon–Fri 10am–5pm, Sat 9:30am–3:30pm, or by appt. Free. Columbia. 410-740-8249. artistsgallerycolumbia.com

Bernice Kish Gallery at Slayton House. *Yolanda Koh & David Pumplin.* Watercolors, photography. 2/18–3/26. *Charles Bowers & Paul Kerris.* Hand-pulled pigment ink image transfers, graphite & colored pencil works. 3/31–5/7. Reception: 4/3, 3–5pm. *Elaine Weiner-Reed & Tom Fretz.* Acrylic & mixed-media, photography. 5/13–6/11. Reception: 5/14, 2–4pm. Gallery hours: Mon–Fri 9am–5pm, Sat 9am–2pm. Free. Columbia. 410-730-3987. wildelake.org

Columbia Art Center. Main Gallery: *Hooked Images.* Fiber show curated by Roslyn Logsdon. Window Gallery: *Kathy Daywalt.* Paintings. 3/3–3/27. Reception: 3/6, 2–4pm. *Blossoms of Hope: Moving Forward.* Annual exhibition. 4/7–5/1. Reception: 4/8, 6–8pm. *Annual Faculty/Student Exhibition.* 5/12–6/5. Reception: 5/17, 5:30pm–7:30pm. Gallery hours: Mon–Sat 9:30am–5pm, Sun 11am–5pm. Free. Columbia. 410-730-0075. columbiaartcenter.org

Howard Community College. Rouse Company Foundation & Art Department Galleries: *Fahimeh Vahdat Mixed Media Installation.* Vahdat's work addresses human rights abuses, particularly violations against women in the Middle East. 1/14–3/13. Art Department Gallery: *Janice Crum: Ceramics.* Crum addresses feminine identity through small ceramic figures. 4/4–5/8. Reception: 4/14, 5–7pm. Rouse Company Foundation Gallery: *HCC Student Invitational.* 5/12–5/20. Reception: 5/12, 5:30–7pm. Gallery hours: 10am–9:30pm daily. Free. Columbia. 443-518-4189. howardcc.edu/galleries

Howard County Arts Council. Gallery I: *Game Changers: Collaboration, Play, and the Search for New Ideas.* Youth Art Month exhibit featuring hundreds of works created by K–12 students. Gallery II: *No Boundaries.* A collection of artwork created by individuals with disabilities. 3/11–4/22. Reception: 4/14, 5–7pm. Gallery I: *Resident Visual Artists Exhibit 2016.* A showcase of recent work in a variety of media by HCAC's resident artists. Gallery II: *The List.* Howard High School student photography exhibit curated by Matthew Hansen. 5/6–6/17. Reception: 6/16, 6–8pm. Gallery hours: Mon–Fri 10am–8pm, Sat 10am–4pm, Sun 12–4pm. Free. HCCA, Ellicott City. 410-313-ARTS (2787). hocoarts.org

The Meeting House Gallery. *Congregational Members Show.* Artwork by members of Oakland Mills and Wilde Lake Interfaith Centers. 1/30–4/2. Gallery hours: 8am–9pm daily except Federal holidays. Free. Columbia. 410-730-4090. themeetinghouse.org

Perspectives Art Gallery. *Katherine Dilworth.* Mixed-media photography. 3/4–5/1. Reception: 3/5, 5–8pm. *Andrea Caplan Jensen.* Imaginative animal portraits. 5/7–6/26. Reception: 5/7, 5–8pm. Gallery hours: Mon by appt., Tues–Sat 11am–5pm, Sun 12–5pm. Free. Ellicott City. 410-461-7763. perspectivesartanddesign.com

Theatre

Howard Community College's Arts Collective presents *House*, a workshop production of an original play written and directed by Daniel Johnson. Follow ten contestants on TV's hottest new reality show. 8pm. 3/11–3/12. \$10–\$15; recommended for ages 12 & up. *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee.* Cheer on everyone's favorite kids as they compete for the Bee championship of a lifetime. Thu–Sat 8pm, Sun 3pm 5/19–6/5. \$10–\$20. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/artscollective

Red Branch Theatre Company presents *Sweeney Todd.* Stephen Sondheim's thrilling musical masterpiece will have you sitting on the edge of your seat. Thu–Sat 8pm, Sun 3pm. 4/8–4/23. \$22–\$30. Columbia. 410-997-9352. redbranchtheatrecompany.com ♦

Rep Stage presents *Antigone Project: A Play in 5 Parts.* Five award-winning female playwrights bring five very different explorations of Sophocles' tragedy to life. 2/17–3/6. *Hunting and Gathering.* Four New Yorkers seek both physical and spiritual shelter in a variety of temporary abodes and in one another in this smart, sexy comedy. 4/6–4/24. \$15–\$40. Show times vary;

call or see website for details. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1510. repstage.org ♦

Silhouette Stages presents *Noises Off.* Hilarity ensues as a traveling theatre company desperately tries to get a production together. 3/4–3/20. *Next to Normal.* An award-winning pop-rock musical following one suburban family's struggles with crisis and mental illness. 5/13–5/22. Fri & Sat 8pm, Sun 3pm. \$10–\$20. Slayton House, Columbia. 410-637-5289. silhouettestages.com ♦

Toby's Dinner Theatre presents *South Pacific.* The lush, exotic musical featuring the passion of wartime romance and the challenge of overcoming prejudice for love. 1/14–3/20. *Peter Pan.* Travel to a place where dreams are born and no one ever grows up! 3/26–6/12. \$41.50–\$60. Show times vary; call for details. Columbia. 410-730-8311. tobysdinnertheatre.com

Ongoing

Ballet Mobile, Inc. offers inspiring ballet and modern dance classes for ages 11 to adult. Modest fees; drop-ins welcome. See website for schedule & details. HCCA, Ellicott City. 410-382-1377. balletmobile.org

Drama Learning Center offers acting and production classes for elementary through high school students, including *Beginning Acting: Under the Sea Adventures* and *Musical Theatre: Disney's The Little Mermaid.* Call or see website for pricing and schedule. *Spring Break Camp.* Register for one day or the entire week as we take a tour around the world, exploring favorite stories and the characters who bring them to life. 3/28–4/1, 9am–4pm. Advance registration required. Columbia. 410-997-9352. dramalearningcenter.com

Howard County Poetry and Literature Society presents *The Writing Life*, a 30-minute writer-to-writer talk show featuring authors from around the corner and around the world who have read for HoCoPoLitSo. Debuting this spring are conversations with *Room* author and playwright Emma Donoghue and performance poet Taylor Mali. *The Writing Life* can be seen on HCC's Dragon Digital TV channels 41 (Verizon) or 96 (Comcast) on Mondays at 7am & 1pm, or online at howardcc.edu/TWL. 443-518-4568. hocopolitso.org ♦

Misako Ballet Company offers dance classes and camps for ages 3 to adult. Ballet, point, modern, and more! See website for schedule & pricing. Columbia. 410-884-9690. misakoballet.com ♦

ShowTime Singers is a mixed voice chorus performing in Howard County and surrounding areas, specializing in Broadway, pop, and patriotic music. Weekly rehearsals, Thu 7–9:30pm. See website for upcoming performances. Linwood Center for Autism, Ellicott City. To schedule an audition, call 410-747-1208. showtimesingers.net ♦

Still Life Gallery Fine Art & Custom Framing features a large revolving collection of original art by top local and regional artists as well as museum-quality custom framing at reasonable prices. Gallery hours: Wed–Sun 11am–6pm. Free. Ellicott City. 410-461-1616. stilllifegallery.net

March

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Howard Community College Women's Studies Program presents *Salon: The Seasons of a Woman's Life.* 9:30am. Free. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. howardcc.edu/salon

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Howard Community College Music Department presents *Faculty Concert: HCC Jazz Concert.* 7:30pm. \$7–\$17. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Columbia presents *Chalice Concert Series: The Gemini Trio.* 8pm. \$15–\$20; 14 & under free. Owen Brown Interfaith Center, Columbia. 410-381-0097. uucolumbia.net

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Howard Community College Music Department presents *Faculty Concert: Deborah Brown Piano Solo Recital.* 4pm. \$7–\$17. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

Sundays At Three presents *Wan-Chi Su/Ismar Gomes Piano & Cello Duo.* 3pm. \$10–\$15; 17 & under free with adult. Christ Episcopal Church, Columbia. 443-288-3179. sundaysatthree.org ♦

8

Candlelight Concert Society presents *Lecture: Approaching Late Beethoven.* 7pm. Free; advance registration required. East Columbia Branch, Howard County Library System. 410-997-2324. candlelightconcerts.org ♦

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Howard Community College Music Department presents *Spotlight Concert: Haerin Jee Violin Recital.* 7:30pm. Free. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

11

Oakland Mills Community Association presents *Lively Arts for Little Ones: Mr. Gabe.* 10am. \$5, ages 2 & up. The Other Barn, Columbia. 410-730-4610. oaklandmills.org

12

Candlelight Concert Society presents *Quatuor Ebène*, performing Beethoven's late quartets. 8pm. \$12–\$35; free youth ticket with adult purchase. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-997-2324. candlelightconcerts.org ♦

13

Columbia Pro Cantare presents Duruflé: *Requiem.* 3pm. \$10–\$17. First Evangelical Lutheran Church, Ellicott City. 410-799-9321. procantare.org ♦

Howard Community College Music Department presents *Faculty Concert: Ottava Piano Duo—An American Treasure: Who is Mrs. H.H.A. Beach?* 4pm. \$7–\$17. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

15

Columbia Festival of the Arts presents *PostSecret: The Show.* A breakthrough in audience-sourced storytelling based on the popular blog. 7pm. \$35–\$45. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-715-3044. columbiafestival.org ♦

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Bain 50+ Center's Enjoying the Arts Program presents *Maceo Leatherwood: Reflections on Family, Life & Culture.* 1pm. Free. Bain 50+ Center, Columbia. 410-313-7213.

Wilde Lake Community Association presents *Rainbow Theatre.* Puppet shows and entertainment for children. 10am. \$5. Slayton House Theatre, Columbia. 410-730-3987. wildelake.org

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The Columbia Orchestra presents *Symphonic Pops.* Family-friendly concert featuring blockbuster hits from Broadway, the silver screen, popular song, classical favorites, and more, as well as music and dance from the Emerald Isle as the incredible Teelin Irish Dancers help us celebrate St. Patrick's Day. 7:30pm. \$10–\$25. JRT, Columbia. 410-465-8777. columbiaorchestra.org ♦

Greenbridge Pottery presents *Artist Paint-Out.* Paint on location at Greenbridge Pottery with local artist Karen Isailovic. 1–3:30pm. Free; RSVP to karenisailovic@gmail.com. Dayton. 410-531-5920. greenbridgepottery.com

Howard County Arts Council presents the 19th annual *Celebration of the Arts in Howard County* gala. A reception from 6–8pm will feature culinary delicacies from area restaurants and caterers, a silent auction of artwork by local artists, and live musical performances. From 8–10pm guests will enjoy the popular Rising Star Competition and the presentation of the 2015 Howie Awards. Event proceeds benefit HCAC and HCC's Peter and Elizabeth Horowitz Visual and Performing Arts Center. 6–10pm. Tickets: \$50 & \$100. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-313-ARTS (2787). hocoarts.org

20

Candlelight Concert Society's CandleKids presents *Tchaikovsky's Sleeping Beauty* by National Marionette Theatre. 2pm & 4pm. \$11–\$12. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-997-2324. candlelightconcerts.org ♦

Howard Community College Music Department presents *Spotlight Concert: Elena Medina Viera Voice Recital.* 4pm. Free. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

Abbreviations:
HCCAHoward County Center for the Arts
HCACHoward County Arts Council
HCCHoward Community College
JRTJim Rouse Theatre
♦HCAC Grantee

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Columbia Art Center presents *Classical Indian Dance to Bollywood*. Demo and discussion. 7pm. Free. Columbia. 410-730-0075. columbiaartcenter.org

26

Howard County Ballet presents *Young Choreographers' Showcase*. 7pm. \$6–\$10. HCCA, Ellicott City. 410-465-9414. howardcountyballet.org ♦

April

2-10

Greenbridge Pottery presents its *Annual Spring Bargain Sale*. Enjoy spring flowers, live folk music, bargain sale in the garden, and new pots in the gallery. Wed–Sat 10am–5pm, Sun 1–5pm. Free admission. Dayton. 410-531-5920. greenbridgepottery.com

2

Misako Ballet Company presents ballet performances at Light City Festival, celebrating the bicentennial of the introduction of street lights in Baltimore. 6:30pm (tentative). Free. Stone Lantern near Maryland Science Center, Baltimore. promotionandarts.org

3

Sundays At Three presents *Sokol-Albert, Bednarz, Minkler and Mutchnik Quartet*. 3pm. \$10–\$15; 17 & under free with adult. Christ Episcopal Church, Columbia. 443-288-3179. sundaysatthree.org ♦

8

Howard Community College's Arts Collective presents *W.I.G.NITION: Actors and Writers Fire It Up*. An intense collaboration among actors and writers from What Improv Group?, HCC's creative writing community, and HoCoPoLitSo. 8pm. \$10–\$15; recommended for ages 12 & up. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/artscollective

Oakland Mills Community Association presents *Lively Arts for Little Ones: Chris Campbell, Music for Kids*. 10am. \$5, ages 2 & up. The Other Barn, Columbia. 410-730-4610. oaklandmills.org

8-10

Columbia Festival of the Arts presents its *2016 Spring Festival: Viva La Vida*, a three-weekend celebration of life focusing on Hispanic and Latino artists. See website for schedule, venues & pricing. 410-715-3044. columbiafestival.org ♦

9

Candlelight Concert Society presents *Deviant Septet*, featuring Stravinsky's *L'Histoire du Soldat*, Josephine Baker favorites, and rags by Copeland and Gershwin. 8pm. \$12–\$35; free youth ticket with adult purchase. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-997-2324. candlelightconcerts.org ♦

Howard Community College Music Department presents *Faculty Concert: Guitars and Women*. 7:30pm. \$7–\$17. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

10

The Columbia Orchestra presents *Chamber Concert*. Phenomenal music played by orchestra members up close and personal. 3pm. Free. Christ Episcopal Church, Columbia. 410-465-8777. columbiaorchestra.org ♦

Howard Community College Music Department presents *Guest Artist Concert: Celebrate the 151st Anniversary of the Civil War's End Through Its Music*. 4pm. \$12–\$26. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

14

Howard County Arts Council hosts a reception for two exhibits. Gallery I: *Game Changers: Collaboration, Play and the Search for New Ideas*. Youth Art Month exhibit featuring works created by Howard County Public School students. Gallery II: *No Boundaries. A collection of artwork created by individuals with disabilities*. 5–7pm. Free. HCCA, Ellicott City. 410-313-2787. www.hocoarts.org

15-17

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Howard Community College Music Department presents *Faculty Concert: Mahsu Duo—Hidden Treasures: The Feminine Slant*. 7:30pm. \$7–\$17. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

17

Howard Community College Music Department presents *Faculty Concert: Music and the Maid of Orleans*. 4pm. \$7–\$17. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

Howard County Concert Orchestra presents *Perfect Pairs*, celebrating HCCO's partnerships with Howard County Public Schools and St. John's Parish Day School. 4pm. \$12–\$25; 17 & under free with adult. St. John's Episcopal Church, Ellicott City. 888-921-7230. hococo.org ♦

22-24

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23

Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Columbia presents *Chalice Concert Series: 25th Anniversary Concert with Patagonia Winds and Michael Adcock, Piano*. 8pm. \$15–\$20; 14 & under free. Owen Brown Interfaith Center, Columbia. 410-381-0097. uucolumbia.net

24

Howard Community College Music Department presents *Faculty Concert: Made in America—Women (Mostly) in the Shadows of American Music*. 4pm. \$7–\$17. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

26

Drama Learning Center presents *School's Out Drama Workshop: Jungle Book*. Drama topics, arts and crafts, and a final performance! 9am–4pm. \$75. Advance registration required. Columbia. 410-997-9352. dramalearningcenter.com

28

Howard County Poetry and Literature Society presents *Blackbird Poetry Festival—Sunbird: Histories and HerStories*. Poet Marie Howe will host student readers and read from her most recent work, *The Kingdom of Ordinary Time*. 2:30–4:30pm. Free. *Nightbird: Histories and HerStories*. Poet Marie Howe reads from and discusses her most recent work. 7:30pm. \$15–\$20; advance purchase recommended. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-4568. hocopolitso.org ♦

30

Howard Community College Music Department presents *Faculty Concert: The Five-String Quintet*. 7:30pm. \$7–\$17. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

May

I

Columbia Bands presents a *Spring Concert*, featuring Columbia Band's flute choir, Flute Cocktail and the Columbia Brass Quintet. 3pm. Free; donations to host church welcome. Bethany United Methodist Church, Ellicott City. 443-266-7497. columbiabands.org ♦

Sundays At Three presents *Aeolus Quartet*. 3–5pm. \$10–\$15; 17 & under free with adult. Christ Episcopal Church, Columbia. 443-288-3179. sundaysatthree.org ♦

2

Howard Community College Music Department presents *Student Ensemble Concert: Small Jazz Group*. 7:30pm. \$7. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

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Wilde Lake Community Association presents *Rainbow Theatre*, featuring puppet shows and entertainment for children. 10am. \$5. Slayton House Theatre, Columbia. 410-730-3987. wildelake.org

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Howard Community College Music Department presents *Student Ensemble Concert: HCC Singers and HCC-Bain Center Senior Choir Concert*. 7:30pm. \$7. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

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Howard Community College Music Department presents *Spotlight Concert: Music Department*. 7:30pm. Free. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

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Howard Community College Music Department presents *Student Ensemble Concert: Jazz Ensemble*. 7:30pm. \$7. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

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Howard Community College Music Department presents *Student Ensemble Concert: Chamber Ensemble*. 7:30pm. \$7. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. howardcc.edu/concerts

14

Candlelight Concert Society presents *Harlem Quartet*. This quartet's virtuosity and diversity of programming solidifies that excellent music is not exclusive to one genre. 8pm. \$12–\$35; free youth ticket with adult purchase. St. John Baptist Church, Columbia. 410-997-2324. candlelightconcerts.org ♦

ShowTime Singers presents a concert of patriotic, pop, and Broadway songs with live accompaniment. 2pm. Free. Seating limited; call for reservations. Ellicott City Senior Center. 410-313-1400. showtimesingers.net ♦

15

Columbia Concert Band presents its *Spring Concert*, featuring diverse concert band repertoire for all ages. 3pm. Free. River Hill HS, Clarksville. 410-796-0510. columbiabands.org ♦

17

Columbia Art Center presents *Mike Giuliano & Marie Westhaver: Favorite Directors*. A presentation sharing film knowledge and expertise. 7pm. Free. Columbia. 410-730-0075. columbiaartcenter.org

20

Drama Learning Center presents *School's Out Drama Workshop: Descendants—Rotten to the Core*. Drama topics, arts and crafts, and a final performance! 9am–4pm. \$75. Advance registration required. Columbia. 410-997-9352. dramalearningcenter.com

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The Columbia Orchestra and **Columbia Pro Cantare** present *Mahler's "Resurrection"*. More than 150 musicians will take the stage to perform the work conductor Jason Love calls "a true heir to Beethoven's Ninth." Winners of the Young Artist Competition will also perform. 7:30pm. \$10–\$25. JRT, Columbia. 410-465-8777. columbiaorchestra.org ♦

22

Columbia Bands presents *Columbia Jazz Band Concert*. An afternoon of jazz, Latin, pop, and more. 1pm. Free. St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Fulton. 443-694-4829. columbiabands.org ♦

28

Misako Ballet Company presents a ballet performance featuring Japanese-themed dances and contemporary and classical ballet. 3pm. \$8–\$10. JRT, Columbia. 410-884-9690. misakoballet.com ♦

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Misako Ballet Company presents *Invitation to Ballet*. Japanese-themed dances and contemporary and classical ballet. 6:30pm. Free. Miller Branch, Howard County Library System, Ellicott City. 410-313-1950. misakoballet.com ♦

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◆ HCAC Gallery Exhibit Program

Applications are due April 1, 2016. Exhibits are selected and presented in the context of multi-disciplinary, thematic, juried, and invitational exhibits. Curators and artists are encouraged to apply. Applications are available at hocoarts.org.

◆ ManneqART

Wearable art entries are sought for the 2016 *ManneqART: Sculpture on the Human Form* exhibition. Annual *ManneqART* events include a Sculpture, Hair, and Makeup Challenge in June and a two-week countywide exhibit of wearable art in September. The themes

for *ManneqART 2016* are Flora, Fauna, Action, and Androids. Deadline to submit artwork is April 30. Visit manneqart.org for details.



Artist Deborah Lovelace Richardson takes part in Paint It! Ellicott City 2015
(Photo: Raymond F. Urena)

◆ Paint It! Ellicott City

Applications are due April 29, 2016 from artists who wish to be considered for the juried portion of the annual *plein air* paint-out, to be held July 7–11, 2016 in Historic Ellicott City. Applications are available at hocoarts.org. Open Paint artist registration will begin in May. Information and registration for the ‘quick draw’ competition will also be available in May. ★

FY17 Grant Deadlines

The application deadlines for several of HCAC’s grant programs are approaching. Applicants should register and apply online at <http://hcac.culturegrants.org>.

- **Baltimore City Arts & Cultural Organizations Grant: April 13, 2016**
- **Community Arts Development Grant: May 18, 2016**
- **Artists-in-Education Grant: June 8, 2016**

Spring Classes

Spring arts classes at HCAC begin April 11 for children and adults. A complete schedule of classes is available at hocoarts.org or by calling 410-313-ARTS (2787).



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In Memoriam

We were deeply saddened by the recent passing of **Sally Livingston**, a treasured member of Howard County’s arts community. A native of California, Sally moved to Columbia with her husband Richard Goldman in 1988, where they raised their two children, Andrew and Erica. She began teaching drama in the Howard County Public School System in 1996, teaching first at Wilde Lake High School and later Marriotts Ridge. In 2010, Sally was named HCPSS’s Arts Educator of the Year and received the Arts Council’s Howie Award for Outstanding Arts Educator. She was also the first manager of the James Rouse Theatre, working closely with the Arts Council in that capacity. The family asks that donations be made to the Cancer Support Foundation, the Epilepsy Foundation, or the Howard County Arts Council. If you would like to make a donation to the Arts Council in Sally’s honor, visit the Support the Arts page of our website at hocoarts.org or call 410-313-ARTS (2787). ★

testimonial

“I wanted to thank you for awarding me the 2015 Senior Art Show Award this past spring. . . I thought it would be important to let you know that the award was extremely important to my college career so far, as it really proved to my parents that committing to an art school (Rhode Island School of Design) was the right decision. It’s my belief that my parents would not be fully accepting of my artistic ambitions had I not won the award. If there is anything I can do to help out or get involved with the Howard County Center for the Arts/Arts Council, please feel free to let me know.” ~ Zachary Nguyen



Exciting News!

The Arts Council will soon unveil a beautiful new website featuring a state-of-the-art events calendar. We’re thrilled that hocoarts.org will soon be the go-to source for all that Howard County’s vibrant arts and cultural community has to offer!

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Howard County Arts Council will be closed on the following holidays:

Easter Sunday, March 27, 2016

Memorial Day, May 30, 2016