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## An Extraordinary Evening

## Celebration of the Arts in Howard County 2014

The 17th annual *Celebration of the Arts*, presented by Howard Bank, was an evening that highlighted not only the extraordinary artistic talent in our community but also the exceptional level of dedication and commitment that keeps the arts thriving here.

Returning once again to Howard Community College's Peter and Elizabeth Horowitz Visual and Performing Arts Center, the *Celebration* began with a reception featuring a luscious assortment of culinary delights provided by area restaurants and caterers, amazing works of art by local artists, and musical entertainment by Howie Award honoree Bruce Casteel and pianist Brian Simms.

Following the reception, guests took their seats for the live presentation of the Rising Star Competition and the 2013 Howie Awards. Kevin Kelehan, 2012 Howie Award winner for Community Supporter of the Arts, served as Honorary Chair for the evening. Richard W. Story, Senior Vice President, Community Relations and Government Affairs, and Business Development Liaison for Howard Bank, reprised his role as event emcee.

The audience enjoyed the marvelous performances of ten Rising Star finalists, then voted for their favorite, selecting opera singer and Atholton High School graduate Steven Eddy as the 2014 Rising Star. Steven delighted the crowd with his energetic and amusing performance of *Largo al factotum* from Gioachino Rossini's *The Barber of Seville*. The other talented finalists were Curtis Bannister (Musical Theatre), Leiland R.W. Charles (Contemporary Dance), Joe Duffey (Irish Step Dance), Annie Gill (Classical Voice), Yoshiaki Horiguchi (Double Bass), Benjamin Lurye (Musical Theatre), Carolyn Rosinsky (Cello), Maya Shivani Thakar (Classical Indian Dance), and Trent D. Williams, Jr. (Contemporary Dance).

Intermingled with the Rising Star performances were presentations of the Howie Awards, given for outstanding contributions to the arts in Howard County.

Raissa Howera, an art teacher at Oakland Mills Middle School, was presented with the Howie Award for Outstanding Arts Educator. Through innovative classroom projects and special initiatives such as the One Million Bones project she organized to support families devastated by genocide, Raissa provides a dynamic learning environment in which her students can build skills, reflect on issues that are relevant to their own lives, and come to realize they can make a positive impact on the world. Raissa explained her teaching philosophy, saying, "My goal as a teacher is to show my students that they can effect change and that their voices will be heard. My hope is that this will become a state of mind for them as they grow and find their own callings."

The Howie Award for Outstanding Artist went to Bruce Casteel, a multi-talented performer, instrument designer, and instructor who has taught at Howard Community College since 1987. An accomplished musician who performs in a wide variety of styles, Bruce is best known for playing the 8-string guitar, a skill he demonstrated during the *Celebration* reception. Accepting his award, he acknowledged the many friends and colleagues who have supported him through the years, fittingly using song lyrics to express his gratitude: "As The Beatles once said," he quipped, "I get by with a little help from my friends."

Toba Dobkin Barth, named Outstanding Community Supporter of the Arts, is a lifelong arts advocate who has been personally involved with the arts in Howard County for nearly forty years. She introduced a generation of Howard County children and their parents to live theater and live music through her work at the Columbia Festival of the Arts, Candlelight Concert's Children's Series, Toby's Youth Theatre, and the Columbia Center for Theatrical Arts. Toba's ultimate goal as an advocate for the performing arts was "to create and support the audiences of the future." In doing so, she helped weave the arts into the fabric of community life in Howard County, learning along the way that "there's always something artistic happening when people gather to celebrate."

*Celebration* guests also enjoyed performances by pianist Douglas Lawler and by brothers Alex and Zach Brown, who closed the program with their smooth jazz sounds. ★



Vinnie Rege, Joanne Davis, Elizabeth and Ken Lundeen, and Michael Davis (Photo: Lee Waxman)



Steven Eddy is named the 2014 Rising Star (Photo: HCAC)

## 2014 Columbia Festival of the Arts: Bringing it Home June 13-28

Over a 16-day period each June the Festival presents a diverse array of events, embracing a cornucopia of artistic disciplines. With such variety, it has been well over a decade since the organization has had a theme for its season offerings. That is changing this year.

*Bringing It Home* captures the essence of the season in a variety of ways. The Festival kicks off with the traditional hometown favorite, LakeFest Weekend—three days of free outdoor activities on the lakefront in Columbia Town Center, Friday, June 13 through Sunday, June 15. Highlights include Melbourne-based performing arts troupe Strange Fruit, performances by local and regional bands, a multitude of hands-on activities, Maryland winery

samplings, and more than 50 artisans displaying and selling their original works of art. Finale Weekend features the Griffin Theatre Company's performance of *Letters Home*, which brings to life the experience of the soldiers that have served in the Middle East, as well as a performance by country a cappella group Home Free, winners of the NBC hit show *The Sing-Off*.

In between the Festival's opening and closing weekends will be film, literature, live art, art exhibitions, concert performances, a carnival, and an Intergalactic Nemesis! For details visit [www.columbiafestival.org](http://www.columbiafestival.org). ★

Fresh from their victory on NBC's *The Sing Off*, country a cappella group Home Free will perform during the Festival's Finale Weekend (Photo courtesy of Columbia Festival of the Arts)





# of events

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

## Exhibits

**Artists' Gallery.** *All Member Summer Show*, featuring more than 20 artists working in a variety of media. 6/2–6/27. Reception: 6/6, 6–8pm. *Flowers and Figures.* Floral oil paintings by Marian Gliese and figure drawings by Cathy Sawdey. 6/30–8/1. Reception: 7/11, 6–8pm. *Local Color: Annual Juried Show.* Open to area artists 18 & over; call or see website for details. 8/4–8/29. Reception: 8/8, 6–8pm. Gallery hours: Mon–Fri 10am–5pm, Sat 9:30am–3:30pm, or by appt. Free. Columbia. 410-740-8249. [www.artistsgallerycolumbia.com](http://www.artistsgallerycolumbia.com)

**Bernice Kish Gallery at Slayton House.** *Al Biegel & Sarah McKnett.* 6/19–8/9. Reception: 6/22, 3–5pm. Gallery hours: Mon–Thu 3:30–9pm, Fri 3:30–5pm, Sat 9am–12pm. Free. Columbia. 410-730-3987. [www.wildelake.org](http://www.wildelake.org)

**Columbia Art Center.** *Things That Scare Me.* In partnership with **Columbia Festival of the Arts** and **Howard Community College**, this multimedia invitational exhibition explores the concept of fear. 6/12–6/29. Reception: 6/17, 6–8pm. Gallery hours: Mon–Thu 9:30am–9pm, Fri 9:30am–5pm, Sat 9am–6pm, Sun 12–6pm. Free. Columbia. 410-730-0075. [www.columbiaartcenter.org](http://www.columbiaartcenter.org)

**Howard Community College.** Rouse Company Foundation Gallery: *Things That Scare Me.* In partnership with **Columbia Festival of the Arts** and **Columbia Art Center**, this multimedia invitational exhibition explores the concept of fear. Art Department Gallery: *Leah Sarah Bassett.* An exhibition of paintings by a former HCC student. 6/5–7/27. Reception: 6/24, 5:30–7:30pm. Gallery hours: Mon–Sun 10am–9:30pm. Free. Columbia. 443-518-4189. [www.howardcc.edu](http://www.howardcc.edu)

**Howard County Arts Council.** Gallery I: *Resident Visual Artists Exhibit 2014.* In its 30th year, this exhibit showcases recent work in a variety of media by HCCA's resident artists. Gallery II: *Weaving Outside the Box: Exploring Idioms in Fiber.* Work by the Weavers Guild of Greater Baltimore. 5/9–6/27. Reception: 6/19, 6–8pm in conjunction with Columbia Festival of the Arts; Resident Artists' Open Studios, 7–8pm. Gallery I: *Paint It! Ellicott City*, juried *plein air* paint-out and exhibit. Watch as artists take to the streets to paint Historic Ellicott City or set up your own easel and join the fun! Paint-Out: 7/11–7/13. Gallery II: *Overtones: Tales Told Through the Eyes of Peruvian Children.* A photography exhibit curated by HCAC resident artist Andres Gomez. 7/14–8/22. Reception: 7/14, 6–8pm. Gallery hours: Mon–Fri 10am–8pm, Sat 10am–4pm, Sun 12–4pm. Free. HCCA, Ellicott City. 410-313-ARTS (2787). [www.hocoarts.org](http://www.hocoarts.org)

**Howard County Arts Council** presents *ARTsites 2014*, a year-long exhibit of twelve outdoor sculptures at twelve different sites throughout the county. Free. 5/2014–7/15/2015. Howard County. 410-313-ARTS (2787). [www.hocoarts.org](http://www.hocoarts.org)

**Howard County Historical Society Museum.** *Bootlegger's Paradise: Ellicott City During Prohibition.* Come see how Ellicott City earned its reputation as a 'Bootlegger's Paradise' in an otherwise dry county during the Prohibition era. 4/4–12/31. Hours: Fri & Sat 1–5pm. Free. Ellicott City. 410-480-3250. [www.hchsm.org](http://www.hchsm.org)

**The Meeting House Gallery.** *Picture Windows: The Painted Screens of Baltimore.* In conjunction with Columbia Festival of the Arts, an exhibition of the hundred-year-old tradition of screen painting including works by the Painted Screen Society of Baltimore. 6/7–8/9. Reception: 6/22, 1:30–3:30pm. Gallery hours: 8am–9pm daily. Free. Columbia. 410-730-4090. [www.themeetinghouse.org](http://www.themeetinghouse.org)

## Theatre

**Chesapeake Shakespeare Company** presents *As You Like It*, Shakespeare's delightful, family-friendly play about exiles who disguise themselves as they flee to the forest, where love is in the air. 6/13–7/20. Show dates, times, and prices vary; see website or call for details. Patapsco Female Institute Historic Park, Ellicott City. 410-313-8661. [www.chesapeakeshakespeare.com](http://www.chesapeakeshakespeare.com) ♦

**Columbia Center for Theatrical Arts.** CCTA's Teen Professional Theatre presents *The Addams Family: A New Musical Comedy.* 7/24–7/27. Show times and pricing vary; see website for details. Location TBA. 410-381-0700. [www.cctarts.com](http://www.cctarts.com) ♦

**Slayton House Theatre Conservatory** presents its summer production, *Seussical.* 7/31–8/2. Thu & Fri 7pm, Sat 3pm. \$8–\$10. Columbia. 410-730-3987. [www.wildelake.org](http://www.wildelake.org)

**Toby's Dinner Theatre** presents *SHREK, The Musical.* The hilarious story of everyone's favorite ogre brought to life on stage. 3/28–6/22. *The Pirates of Penzance.* A fresh take on one of Gilbert and Sullivan's most popular comic operas. 6/26–8/31. \$37.50–\$56. Advance ticket purchase required. Show times vary; call for details. Columbia. 410-730-8311. [www.tobysdinnertheatre.com](http://www.tobysdinnertheatre.com)

## Summer Classes & Camps

**Ballet Royale Institute of Maryland** offers summer dance programs including Intensive Classical and Young Dancers Elite. A complimentary summer program will also be offered for local community dancers in August. See website for details. Columbia. 410-997-8443. [www.balletroyale.com](http://www.balletroyale.com)

**Drama Learning Center** offers 1-day, 1-week, 2-week, and 3-week summer Dramatic Arts Camps for grades pre-K–12. Offerings include *Broadway Babies: Beach Stars*, *How to Be a Pirate*, *Hogwarts School of Witchcraft & Wizardry*, *Annie*, *Hunger Games: Stage Combat Camp*, and more! Most camps run 9am–3pm with extended care available. See website for pricing and details. Advance registration required. Columbia. 410-997-9352. [www.dramalearningcenter.com](http://www.dramalearningcenter.com)

**Howard County Arts Council** offers Visual and Performing Arts Summer Camps for grades K–7. *Adventures in Painting*, *Hip Hop Stars*, *Amazing Art Race*, *Stuck on Shakespeare*, and more! Camps offered in one-week sessions, 6/23–8/15. Extended care available. Advance registration required. HCCA, Ellicott City. 410-313-ARTS (2787). [www.hocoarts.org](http://www.hocoarts.org)

**Kinetics Dance Theatre** offers summer dance classes and camps including Modern Master Series, Specialty Series, Dance Intensive, Junior Dance Intensive, and more. See website for pricing and details. Ellicott City. 410-480-1686. [www.kineticsdance.org](http://www.kineticsdance.org) ♦

## Ongoing

**The Music Institute at Howard Community College** offers many musical education options for students of all ages and experience levels, including comprehensive private lessons, fun ensembles, and group classes. See website for details. HCC, Columbia. 443-518-4297. [www.howardcc.edu/tmi](http://www.howardcc.edu/tmi)

**Columbia International Folk Dancers** is an ongoing drop-in group that meets weekly to teach and perform dances from the Balkans, Hungary, Greece, Israel, Turkey, Japan, China, and more. Most are circle dances, no partner necessary. Wed 8–10:30pm. \$5; seniors, \$3. Kahler Hall, Columbia. 410-997-1613. [www.columbiafolkdancers.org](http://www.columbiafolkdancers.org)

**ShowTime Singers** is a mixed voice chorus performing in Howard County and surrounding areas, specializing in Broadway, pop, and patriotic music. Weekly rehearsals, Thu 7:30–9:30pm. Low monthly dues. Linwood Center, Ellicott City. To schedule an audition, call 410-747-2108. [www.showtimesingers.net](http://www.showtimesingers.net) ♦

## June

I

**Sundays At Three** presents *Aeolus String Quartet Plays Beethoven, Purcell, and Theofinidis.* 3pm. \$10–\$15; 17 & under free with adult. 4222 Club Court, Ellicott City. 443-288-3179. [www.sundaysatthree.org](http://www.sundaysatthree.org) ♦

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**Columbia Art Center** presents *Off the Beaten Path Spring Gallery Tour Series.* Join local arts enthusiast Roberta Greenstein for a tour of galleries and artists' studios in the Baltimore, MD and Washington, DC regions, followed by lunch at a pre-selected restaurant. 10am–3:30pm. \$45 (lunch not included); advance registration required. Van departs from the Art Center. 410-730-0075. [www.columbiaartcenter.org](http://www.columbiaartcenter.org)

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**Columbia Art Center** presents *Uniquely You Journal: Teen & Parent Workshop.* Create two beautiful hand-crafted journals, one to keep and one to share. 1–3pm. \$40–\$50; advance registration required. Columbia. 410-730-0075. [www.columbiaartcenter.org](http://www.columbiaartcenter.org)

II

**Columbia Art Center** presents a *Salon Series Music Concert*, featuring Brian Gundersdorf, popular local musician and member of the group We're About 9. 7pm. Free. Columbia. 410-730-0075. [www.columbiaartcenter.org](http://www.columbiaartcenter.org)

13-15

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** presents *LakeFest Weekend*, featuring Melbourne-based performing arts company Strange Fruit, plus live music all weekend long, kids' entertainment and crafts, strolling performers, fine arts & crafts show and sale, Chalk It Up contest, fabulous festival food, and much more! See website for details. Free. Town Center, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

14

**Howard County Historical Society** presents a concert by John Emil. The accomplished singer/songwriter and guitarist brings his special brand of blues to the Historical Society Museum for a special show. 7pm. \$15; free for HCHS members. Ellicott City. 410-480-3250. [www.hchsm.org/events](http://www.hchsm.org/events)

15

**Candlelight Concert Society** presents *Chesapeake Gold Medal Winner Concert.* The winner of the renowned Chesapeake Competition performs. 3:30pm. \$12–\$32. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-997-2324. [www.candlelightconcerts.org](http://www.candlelightconcerts.org) ♦

**Oakland Mills Community Association** presents *Jazz in the Mills: Lori Williams.* 5pm. \$15 in advance; \$20 at door. The Other Barn, Columbia. 301-596-5128. [www.oaklandmills.org](http://www.oaklandmills.org)

## ARTsites2014



The Arts Council's outdoor public art exhibit, *ARTsites 2014*, is now in place at 12 locations throughout Howard County. *ARTsites* takes art outside of our gallery walls and brings it to community open spaces—making it accessible to everyone. This summer, make time for a self-guided road trip around the county to experience *Big Red*, *Triangle Tango*, *Aerial Delineation*, and nine other wonderful *ARTsites* sculptures for yourself!

*ARTsites* sculptures will be in place through July 15, 2015. For a complete list of sculptures and venues visit the Exhibits page at [www.hocoarts.org](http://www.hocoarts.org). ★

*Carl Billingsley's Blue Wedge, installed at the Elkridge Branch Library (HCAC photo)*

## It's Summer! Time for Camp!

### 16

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** presents *Movie Mondays: Sundance Festival Short Film Tour*. A diverse selection of eight standout short films from the 2014 Sundance Film Festival (may contain adult themes/explicit language). 7:30pm. \$15. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

### 18

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** and **Howard Community College** present *The Hampton "ROCK" String Quartet*. The Grammy-nominated and Juilliard-trained quartet specializes in serious chamber music arrangements of popular styles of music, including rock, playing recognizable tunes by artists like the Beatles, Rolling Stones, and Led Zeppelin. 7:30pm. \$35–\$45. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

### 19

**Howard County Arts Council** presents a special reception, exhibit, and showcase as part of the **Columbia Festival of the Arts**, featuring *Resident Visual Artists Exhibit 2014*, recent work by HCCA's resident visual artists, and *Weaving Outside the Box: Exploring Idioms in Fiber*, fiber art by members of the Weavers Guild of Greater Baltimore. 6–8pm. Entertainment by All County Improv, 6:30pm. Resident Artists' Open Studios, 7–8pm. Free. HCCA, Ellicott City. 410-313-ARTS (2787). [www.hocoarts.org](http://www.hocoarts.org)

### 20

**Columbia Art Center** presents *Girls' Night Out to Create: Race Day Memories*. Enjoy an evening of fun with friends as you create a unique display of your races or sports events. 6:30–8:30pm. \$25; advance registration required. Columbia. 410-730-0075. [www.columbiaartcenter.org](http://www.columbiaartcenter.org)

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** presents *Intergalactic Nemesis: A Live-Action Graphic Novel—Book One: Target Earth*. A spectacle unlike any other for the kid in all of us—a science fiction comic book comes to life on stage as a vintage-style radio play complete with actors, sound effects, and original musical score. 8pm. \$30–\$45. JRT, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

### 21

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** and **Howard County Public Library** present *Local Author Book Fair*. Meet and greet authors with local ties and discover new books. 11:30am–1:30pm. Free; books available for purchase and signing. Register online at [www.hclibrary.org](http://www.hclibrary.org) beginning 5/19. Miller Branch Library & Historical Center, Ellicott City. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** and **Little Patuxent Review** celebrate the publication of LPR's summer issue with a literary reading featuring contributing writers and a talk by experimental media artist Lee Boot. 2–4pm. Free. Oliver's Carriage House, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** presents an *Artist-in-Residence Exhibition and Champagne Reception*. Enjoy an exhibit featuring original artwork created by residents of Vantage House and a high tea and champagne reception. 4–6pm. Free. Limited seating; call for reservations. Vantage House, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** presents *The Peking Acrobats*. China's most gifted tumblers, contortionists, jugglers, cyclists, and gymnasts thrill audiences with their breathtaking, gravity-defying showmanship. Fun for the entire family. 8pm. \$35–\$50. JRT, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

**One World Coffeehouse** presents an evening of music in a comfortable, family-friendly setting. 7pm. \$6–\$15. Owen Brown Interfaith Center, Columbia. 410-381-0097. [www.uucolumbia.net/concerts](http://www.uucolumbia.net/concerts)

### 22

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** and **ManneqART** present the *ManneqART Hair & Makeup Competition*. Watch talented international hair sculptors and special effects movie makeup artists work on models clothed in 'sculpture on the human form' creations representing Organics, Robotics, Time, and Motion. Free. 8am–6pm. Historic Savage Mill, Savage. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

Register your child now for Summer Visual & Performing Arts Camps at the Howard County Center for the Arts. Week-long sessions, running June 23 to August 15, provide a fun and creative summer experience for students entering grades K-7. Full- or half-day sessions and extended care are available. New offerings this year include Meet the Sculptors, Improv!, and Hip Hop Stars. Visit our website at [www.hocoarts.org](http://www.hocoarts.org) for complete class descriptions and registration. ★

**ShowTime Singers** presents a free concert featuring Broadway, pop, and other musical favorites with live band accompaniment. 2pm. Free; donations welcome. Reservations required; see website for details. Shangri La, Columbia. 443-574-2040. [www.showtimesingers.net](http://www.showtimesingers.net) ♦

**Sundays At Three** presents *The Chagall Trio Plays Mendelssohn and Chausson*. 3pm. \$10–\$15; 17 & under free with adult. Christ Episcopal Church, Columbia. 443-288-3179. [www.sundaysatthree.org](http://www.sundaysatthree.org) ♦

### 23

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** and **The Arc of Howard County** present *Movie Mondays: Sprout Film Festival*. Poignant, humorous, and thought-provoking short films created by, for, and about individuals with disabilities. Post-screening Q&A with Sprout founder and executive director Anthony Di Salvo. 7:30pm. \$15. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

### 24

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** presents *The Stoop Storytelling Series: Things That Scare Me*. No professional storytellers, just everyday folks with astounding tales to tell. Visit website to learn how you can tell your tale. 7:30pm. \$15. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

### 25

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** and **HoCoPoLitSo** present *Katia D. Ulysse: Book Preview!* The Baltimore author reads from her debut novel *Drifting*, to be released in July. 7:30pm. \$15. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

### 26

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** presents *Natalie MacMaster and Donnell Leahy: Masters of the Fiddle*. Two of the world's most celebrated fiddlers—who also happen to be married—meld their virtuosity into a whirlwind of music, dance, and song, combining the best of French, Celtic, and American Bluegrass, and Cajun styles and making it their own. 7:30pm. \$35–\$55. JRT, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

### 27

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** and **Howard Community College** present *Letters Home*, performed by Chicago-based Griffin Theatre Company. Excerpts from actual letters written by and to soldiers serving in the Middle East are brought to life on stage, revealing the humanity that lies within the war as seen through the eyes of the men and women who fight it. 8pm. \$25–\$35. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

**Columbia Festival of the Arts** presents *Home Free*. The winner of season four of NBC's *The Sing-Off*, Home Free is also the world's first professional country a cappella band. Recreating an entire band sound with vocals, the group engages audiences with a rich blend of harmonies as well as some good, clean humor. 8pm. \$45–\$55. JRT, Columbia. 410-715-3044. [www.columbiafestival.com](http://www.columbiafestival.com) ♦

## July

### 10-14

**Howard County Arts Council** presents *Paint It! Ellicott City*, a juried *plein air* paint-out and exhibit. Come see artists in action as they paint Historic Ellicott City, or set up your own easel and join the fun! Juror Presentation: 7/10. Paint-Out: 7/11–7/13. Reception: 7/14, 6–8pm. Free. HCCA, Ellicott City. 410-313-ARTS (2787). [www.hocoarts.org](http://www.hocoarts.org)



2013 summer campers proudly display their artwork (Photo: HCAC)

### 19

**One World Coffeehouse** presents *The Weathered Road and ilyAIMY in Concert*. A special evening of musical collaboration and eclectic humor. A portion of proceeds helps those in need through the charity outreach of the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Columbia. 7–9:30pm. \$6–\$15. Owen Brown Interfaith Center, Columbia. 410-381-0097. [www.uucolumbia.net/concerts](http://www.uucolumbia.net/concerts)

### 21

**Nature Art in the Park** presents the *Patapsco River Rock-Building Event*. This annual event on the Patapsco River at the Ellicott City bridge celebrates the Patapsco and the memory of river artist and watershed activist Ted Betts. Water-appropriate footwear recommended; prepare to get wet, or watch the art-making activities from the bridge. 1–4pm. Free. Ellicott City. 410-598-8409. [www.artandeffects.com/natureart](http://www.artandeffects.com/natureart)

### 25-27

**Little Patuxent Opera Institute** presents its summer performance. LPOI is an intensive and fun vocal workshop for singers who wish to participate in the exploration, study, and performance of operatic arias, scenes, musical theater repertoire, and shorter complete works. Fri & Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3pm. \$7–\$15. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. [www.howardcc.edu/lpoi](http://www.howardcc.edu/lpoi)

### 26

**The Music Institute at HCC** presents the *Gemini Piano Trio Chamber Music Workshop Performance*. Participants in GPT's five-week coaching workshop for chamber music ensembles present a full-length recital. 7pm. \$7. Horowitz Center, HCC, Columbia. 443-518-1500. [www.howardcc.edu/tmi](http://www.howardcc.edu/tmi)

## August

### 10

**Columbia Concert Band** presents the *Columbia Lakefront Summer Concert Series*. Community concert band performs a variety of music from marches, Broadway selections, Americana, classical, pops, and much more! 6:30pm. Free. Lakefront, Columbia. [www.columbiabands.org](http://www.columbiabands.org) ♦

### 13

**Columbia Jazz Band** presents the *Columbia Lakefront Summer Concert Series*. Community jazz band performs a variety of big band jazz repertoire and more! 8pm. Free. Lakefront, Columbia. [www.columbiabands.org](http://www.columbiabands.org) ♦



**One World Coffeehouse** presents *Sara Beck in Concert*. A performance by the locally grown, Nashville-based singer/songwriter, sure to be a sellout. A portion of proceeds helps those in need through the charity outreach of the Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Columbia. 7pm. \$6–\$15. Owen Brown Interfaith Center, Columbia. 410-381-0097. [www.uucolumbia.net/concerts](http://www.uucolumbia.net/concerts)

#### Abbreviations:

HCCA . . . . .Howard County Center for the Arts  
HCAC . . . . .Howard County Arts Council  
HCC . . . . .Howard Community College  
JRT . . . . .Jim Rouse Theatre  
♦ . . . . .HCAC Grant Recipient

# artists BLOCK

◆ **Paint It! Ellicott City 2014.** Be a part of the *Paint It! Ellicott City* open paint-out, July 11–13. Enjoy a summer weekend in historic Ellicott City as you paint alongside our juried artists! Work created by open paint-out artists will be part of a special one-night exhibit at the Center for the Arts on July 14 and later displayed at the Howard County Welcome Center in Ellicott City. For more information or to register visit the Exhibits page at [www.hocoarts.org](http://www.hocoarts.org).

*Paint It!* volunteers are needed to check in artists, answer questions, photograph the event, and install the exhibit. If you are interested in volunteering, please email [info@hocoarts.org](mailto:info@hocoarts.org).

◆ **The Rubys.** Applications in the category of Visual and Literary Arts are now being accepted for the Rubys, the Greater Baltimore Cultural Alliance's Artist Project Grants. The deadline for submissions is June 30. Visit [baltimoreculture.org](http://baltimoreculture.org) for more information.

◆ **Maryland Artist Registry.** The Maryland State Arts Council maintains an online statewide artists' registry that is open to all disciplines. For more information, visit [msac.org](http://msac.org). ★



Artist Olga Bolgar takes part in Paint It! Ellicott City 2013 (Photo: Laura Couch)

## HCAC Awards Arts Scholarships

The Arts Council's Arts Scholarship Program provides funding to exceptional college-bound seniors from Howard County who are committed to pursuing a career in the arts. Congratulations to the 2014 scholarship recipients!

Siena Allison • Hammond, Visual Art, \$1,000  
Sola Fadiran • Glenelg, Vocal Music, \$4,000  
Genevieve Ferris • Mt. Hebron, Dance, \$1,000  
Jennifer Hudson • Baltimore School for the Arts, Visual Art, \$1,000  
Anika Jensen • Oakland Mills, Literary Art, \$1,000  
Ilana Malkin • Wilde Lake, Instrumental Music, \$1,000  
Madeline Rodrigue • Marriotts Ridge, Dance, \$1,000  
Jessica Thomson • Long Reach, Visual Art, \$1,000  
Diane Yang • Mt. Hebron, Instrumental Music, \$4,000

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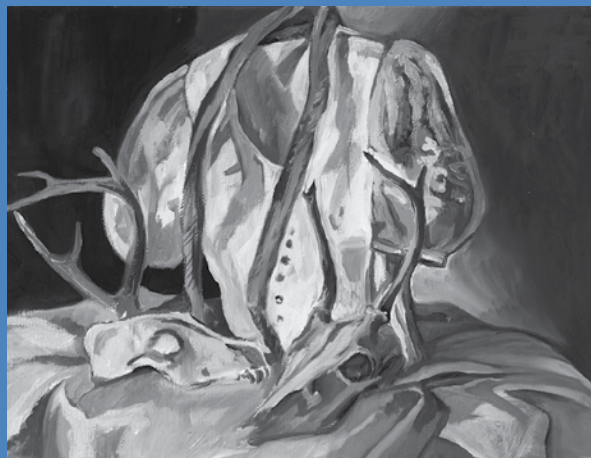
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Myth of Possession, Joan Bevelaqua (Photo courtesy of the artist)

### Gallery I: Resident Visual Artists Exhibit 2014 Gallery II: Weaving Outside the Box: Exploring Idioms in Fiber

In its 30th year, the *Resident Visual Artists Exhibit* showcases recent work in a variety of media created by artists with studios at HCCA: James Adkins, Joan Bevelaqua, Andres Gomez, Art Landerman, Diana Marta, Amanda Gordon Miller, Myungsook Ryu Kim, Jereme Scott, Alice St. Germain-Gray, Andrei Trach, Jamie Travers, Mary Jo Tydlacka, and David Zuccarini.

*Weaving Outside the Box: Exploring Idioms in Fiber* features a diverse collection of idiom-inspired fiber art created by members of the Weavers Guild of Greater Baltimore.

A reception will be held on June 19 from 6–8pm in conjunction with the Columbia Festival of the Arts, with entertainment by All County Improv at 6:30pm and Resident Artists' Open Studios from 7–8pm. To learn more, call 410-313-ARTS (2787) or visit [www.hocoarts.org](http://www.hocoarts.org). ★

## Current Exhibits at HCCA

Through June 27

**K**ongratulations to the following Howard County artists, recipients of 2014 Individual Artist Awards from the Maryland State Arts Council: James Patrick Crossland, Classical Music Solo Performance, \$3,000; Dave Eassa, Visual Arts: Sculpture, \$1,000; Sally Rosen Kindred, Poetry, \$3,000; and Ashwin Krishnan Subramanian, World Music Composition, \$3,000.

### Gallery Hours

Monday–Friday 10am–8pm, Saturday 10am–4pm  
and Sunday 12–4pm

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on the following holidays:

Independence Day, July 4, 2014

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