

LEHIGH VALLEY *Arts* COUNCIL

Jan ■ Feb 2017

Calendar

DANCE

1/6, 2/3, 3/4

DANCE ETHOS PERFORMANCE COMPANY, *First Friday Dance Series*. Contemporary dance performed by company with range of engaging and athletic works; includes excerpts from company repertory and fresh new pieces and works-in-progress. At: ArtsQuest Center, SteelStacks Arts Campus, Bethlehem. Fri, Sat (in March) 6:45pm. Free. 610/332-3378.

1/27 & 1/28

LEHIGH VALLEY CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS, *Dance Soup*. At: LV Charter High School, 321 E. Third St., Bethlehem. Fri 7pm; Sat 2 & 7pm. Ticket info. at charterarts.org. 610/868-2971.

1/29

NAKOTAH LARANCE. Hoop dancer, world champion, principal dancer for Cirque Du Soleil's *Totem* show. Accompanied by percussionist Steve LaRance. At: Moravian College, Foy Hall, Bethlehem. Sun 7pm. \$15; \$10/seniors and students. 610/861-1650.

2/8

PILOBOLUS, *Shadowland*. Surreal journey into a young girl's world as she comes of age. World-renowned dance company performs a dance and storytelling spectacle that merges live dancers and projected images (on multiple screens). At: Kutztown Univ., Schaeffer Auditorium, Kutztown. Wed 7:30pm. \$40; \$20/students. 610/683-4092.

2/9–2/11

MASTER CHOREOGRAPHERS. Ballet, contemporary and jazz dance, and



Grammy-winner David Holt, who is dedicated to performing and preserving traditional American music and stories, performs a family-friendly concert at Williams Center for the Arts at Lafayette College in Easton on February 25.

tap choreographed by guest artists Orion Duckstein, Cristina Perera, and Trinette Singleton, and by faculty members Heidi Cruz-Austin, Jeffrey Peterson, Randall Anthony Smith, and Shelley Oliver. At: Muhlenberg College, Baker Center for the Arts, Allentown. Thu & Fri 8pm; Sat 2 & 8pm. \$15; \$8/ages 17 and under. 484/664-3333.

2/10

TAJ EXPRESS, *The Bollywood Musical Revue*. Family-friendly dance romance from Mumbai fuses east and west, classical dance and

new moves, traditional and modern Indian instruments. At: Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh Univ., Bethlehem. Fri 8pm. \$54; \$49; \$39. 610/758-2787.

3/4

COMPANY WANG RAMIREZ, *Monchichi*. French duo challenges tightly held notions of identity with humor, poetry, and sociopolitical commentary delivered via kaleidoscopic new forms. At: Lafayette College, Williams Center for the Arts, Easton. Sat 8pm. \$25. 610/330-5009.

EXHIBITIONS

ALLENTOWN ART MUSEUM, 31 N. Fifth St., Allentown. Wed, Fri, Sat 11am–4pm; Thu 11am–8pm; Sun noon–4pm. 610/432-4333.

Ongoing: Transcultural—A Mural by Rigo Peralta. Dominican-born, Allentown-based artist's mural that incorporates imagery from Taino and Mayan architecture and builds on the tradition of heroic figures in murals; the work addresses both personal and regional identity and history.

Thru 1/22: Warren Rohrer—The Language of Mark Making. Works by one of Philadelphia's leading abstract painters of the late 20th century; the language of his paintings and drawings is poetic in its ambiguity, an ambiguity filled with field and furrow, pictograph and palimpsest, rhythm, nature, and abstraction.

Thru 1/29: The Arts and Crafts Movement in the American West. Color relief prints and pottery made in California and the western U.S. between 1910 and 1930.

Thru 2/5: Allentown X 7: Photographic Explorations. Work by seven area photographers who were commissioned to create pieces that represent Allentown. *Holiday Cards by Artists*. Hand-printed cards made from the 1920s to the 1970s. *Building Bridges*. Photographs submitted by the community in response to an open call to "Show Us Your Allentown." Each image has a distinct voice and illuminates social issues, community needs, or concerns that are central to the city.

Thru 3/26: Anthony Viscardi—Shadow Landings. Monumental

three-dimensional mural is the centerpiece of this art installation that builds on the artist's prior exploration of the shadow as a mapping of space and time. Visitors become part of the work as their own shadows mingle with those created by the installation.

2/1-4/20: Japonisme: Landscapes. Landscape woodcuts and decorative arts objects from the late 19th and early 20th centuries.

2/5-5/14: Made in America—Industrial Photography from the Ungar Collection. Photos that celebrate machinery and industrial workers.

3/5-5/28: Above the Fold—New Expressions in Origami. Traveling exhibition brings origami installations from around the world to North American audiences.

A AMERICA ON WHEELS, 5 N. Front St., Allentown. Wed–Sat 10am–4pm; Sun noon–4pm. 610/432-4200.

Ongoing: Fender Skirts & Poodle Skirts, Cruising in the Fabulous '50s. Tribute to the cars that represent the decade during which Americans were benefiting from the post-war boom, the economy was growing, the “king” gyrated on the *Ed Sullivan Show*, suburbs were expanding, and interests were connecting them all.

ARTSQUEST CENTER, SteelStacks Arts Campus, 101 Founders Way, Bethlehem. Call for hours. 610/297-7100.

Thru 1/13: George Kalinsky—Capturing the World's Greatest Icons. Photos by the official photographer for Madison Square Garden and Radio City Music Hall.

ARTSQUEST'S BANANA FACTORY, 25 W. Third St., Bethlehem. Mon–Fri 8:30am–9pm; Sat & Sun 9am–5pm. 610/332-1300.

1/6, 2/3, 3/3: First Friday Open House. Banana Factory and other galleries, merchants, and restaurants open their doors to the community. Fri 6–9pm.

Thru 1/9: PA Photographers Juried Exhibition. Highlights the many talented photographers living and working in Pennsylvania.

1/14-3/12: ArtPop Student Exhibition.

1/15-3/5: Compendium Juried Exhibition. Juried exhibit of 2-D and 3-D (fitting within an 18" x 18" footprint) works by regional artists.

2/18-4/9: Robert Walch—Southwest Panoramas.

BAUM SCHOOL OF ART, 510 Linden St., Allentown. Call for hours. 610/433-0032.

1/12-2/8: Studying Artists—Photographs by Marco Calderon. Large-format photographs by lens-based photographer. Exhibition highlights Baum School students and brings together text and images to celebrate the special connection students have with the school, their art, and the community. Reception: Thu 1/19, 6–8pm.

2/16-3/8: The Adult Student Exhibition. 2-D and 3-D works in all media by adult students currently attending classes at the Baum School. Reception: Thu 2/16, 6–8pm.

BETHLEHEM FINE ARTS COMMISSION, CITY HALL ROTUNDA GALLERY, 10 E. Church St., Bethlehem. Mon–Fri 8:30am–4pm. bfac-lv.org.

Thru 1/15: Bethlehem Palette Club Members Exhibition. Reception: Sun 1/15, 1:30–3:30pm.

1/19-2/24: Tom Burke Retrospective. Paintings by the late local artist. Reception: Sun 1/22, 2–4pm.

3/2-4/7: Bethlehem Area School District. Student exhibition. Reception: Sun 3/5, 2–4pm.

BETHLEHEM PALETTE CLUB. At: City Hall Rotunda Gallery, 10 E. Church St., Bethlehem. Mon–Fri 8:30am–4pm. bethlehempaletteclub.org.

Thru 1/15: Members Exhibition. Reception: Sun 1/15, 1:30–3:30pm.

FOX OPTICAL & GALLERY, 28 E. Third St., Bethlehem. Tue & Fri 9am–5pm; Wed & Thu 11am–7pm; Sat 9am–2pm. 610/332-2400.

1/6-2/25: Praise Song for Winter. Anna Kodama's paintings of Iceland, Greenland, and the far North. Receptions: Fri 1/6 & 2/3, 7–10pm.

3/3-4/29: Pearl Rosenberg. Drawings and paintings. Reception: Fri 3/3, 7–10pm.

HISTORIC BETHLEHEM MUSEUMS & SITES, Visitor Center, 505 Main St., Bethlehem. Get information, including tour schedules, at the Visitor Center. 800/360-8687.

KEMERER MUSEUM OF DECORATIVE ARTS

427 N. New St. Thu–Sun 11am–5pm.

Thru 1/8: Baby, It's Cold Outside. Collection of winter wear, quilts, and warming devices that helped keep people cozy during the coldest months of the year. Demos by the Knitters' Edge group. *Silent Stars.* Paintings of Bethlehem by Diane Hutchinson.

LUCKENBACH MILL

459 Old York Rd. Call for hours.

Thru Feb: Winter Back When. Travel back in time and discover enchanting winter scenes from Bethlehem's past in B&W photographs donated by Bethlehem Steel.

MORAVIAN MUSEUM OF BETHLEHEM

66 W. Church St. Thu–Sun 11am–5pm.

Thru 1/8: Bethlehem's Christmas, 1741. Explores the first Christmas in Bethlehem and how the traditions of 1741 are adapted and practiced by Moravians today.

MULTI-SITE Call for hours.

Thru 1/15: Holiday Putz. Miniature replicas depict various settings of the Nativity story. At: Moravian Museum; 1810 Goundie House (501 Main St.); Single Sisters' House (44 W. Church St.); and Central Moravian Church (Main & Church Sts.). *Trees of Historic Bethlehem.* Decorated trees inspired by popular Christmas carols; carefully chosen ornamental themes are prepared and applied by the Bethlehem Garden Club. At: Kemerer Museum; Moravian Museum; 1810 Goundie House; and Luckenbach Mill.

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER OF ALLENTOWN GALLERY, 702 N. 22nd St., Allentown. Mon–Thu 6am–9:30pm; Fri 6am–6pm; Sat & Sun 8am–4pm. Call to check if open. 610/435-3571.

1/5-3/3: Andrea Deimel and Tina Madonia—Visions of Nature.

Deimel's paintings and embroidery have ideas that come from the outdoors, other artists, Islamic and Indian art, ethnic textiles, and botany. Madonia's paintings tap into the rich currents of nature and have representational images infused with a subtle poetic flair. Reception with music by Just So duo of Mickey Freeman and Jon Fields: Thu 1/5, 6:30–8pm.

LAFAYETTE COLLEGE ART GALLERIES, Easton. 610/330-5361.

GROSSMAN GALLERY Williams Visual Arts Bldg., 243 N. Third St. Tue–Fri 1–5pm; Sat noon–5pm.

3/3-4/22: William Wegman—Videos and Drawings.

WILLIAMS CENTER FOR THE ARTS GALLERY

High & Hamilton Sts., Tue–Fri 11am–5pm; Sat & Sun noon–5pm.

1/3-1/29: Charles Stonewall—Paradox. Photographs by Easton native, a keen observer of the human drama, explore and juxtapose the exhilaration and freedom of dance with the social circumstances of impoverishment and misfortune.

2/5-3/10: Windows to Heaven—Treasures from the Museum of Russian Icons. Collection of Eastern Orthodox Christian icons dating from the 16th century to the present.

LEHIGH UNIVERSITY ART GALLERIES, Bethlehem. 610/758-3615.

MAIN GALLERY, ZOELLNER ARTS CENTER

Wed, Fri, Sat 11am–5pm; Thu 11am–8pm; Sun 1–5pm.

1/25-5/28: Area Artists 2017. Biennial exhibition showing the works of established artists and art educators of the eastern Pennsylvania region. Includes ceramics by Deborah Slahta, paintings by Ed Kerns, photographs by Judith Joy Ross, and works by the collaboration team of Pat Badt (painting and book-making) and Scott Sherk (sculpture and sound art).

Opens 1/25: The Art of Collecting: New Acquisitions from the LUAG Teaching Museum Collection, 2011–2016. Part of multi-site exhibition; see below.

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MULTI-SITE EXHIBITION Call for hours.
Opens 1/23: *The Art of Collecting: New Acquisitions from the LUAG Teaching Museum Collection, 2011–2016.* At: DuBois Gallery, Maginnes Hall; Siegal Gallery, Mountaintop Campus; and Rauch Business Center Gallery.

LEHIGH VALLEY HERITAGE MUSEUM, 432 W. Walnut St., Allentown. Tue–Sat 10am–4pm; Sun noon–4pm. 610/435-1074.

Ongoing: Permanent exhibit explores the Lehigh Valley’s history from the time before European settlement to the present in exciting and innovative ways. From the Lenni Lenape, through the settlement of the Pennsylvania Germans, to the development of nationally important industries such as iron, cement and silk, and into the present, the exhibit examines the Valley’s rich history.

Ongoing: *The American Presidency.* Presidential portraits, campaign buttons, commemorative pieces, and original items related to individual presidents such as Abraham Lincoln, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, and Harry Truman.

MORAVIAN COLLEGE, PAYNE GALLERY, South Campus, Bethlehem. Tue–Sun noon–4pm. 610/653-5555.
1/19–3/5: *Seymour Chwast—Poster Power.*

MUHLENBERG COLLEGE, Baker Center for the Arts, Allentown. 484/664-3467.

MARTIN ART GALLERY

Tue–Sat noon–8pm.

Thru 1/7: *Natural Philosophy.* Exploration of the ways in which artists hope to gain an understanding of natural processes by describing and exploring the nature of truth. Highlights creative researchers whose investigations explore sex, death, the environment, and our relationship to the natural world.
2/8–3/11: *George Afedzi Hughes.* Paintings and performance. Reception: Wed 2/8, 5–6:30pm.

GALLERIA SPACE Daily 9am–11pm.
1/30–3/27: *AM DeBrincat—Speculative Fiction.* Paintings and mixed media. Reception: Wed 2/8, 5–6:30pm. Artist’s talk: Wed 2/22, 5–6:30pm.

1/30–5/26: *Patricia Saterlee.* Paintings. Reception: Wed 2/8, 5–6:30pm. Artist’s talk: Wed 3/1, 5–6:30pm.

MUSEUM OF INDIAN CULTURE, 2825 Fish Hatchery Rd., Allentown. Fri–Sun 10am–4pm. 610/797-2121.
Ongoing: *Mystery Unearthed—The Extraordinary Story of Two Lenape Rock Shelters.* Stone and bone tools, pendants, decorated ceramic fragments, and European trade goods excavated in 1942 from the Broomall Rock Shelter sites. Exhibit also has life-sized replicas of the shelters. *Tropical Storm Unearths Upper Saucon’s Ancient Past.* Evidence of the Lehigh Valley’s earliest inhabitants shown through Robert Kufrovich’s collection of artifacts excavated from a Lenape settlement (dated 8,000 B.C. to 1,500 A.D.) in 1972 after Tropical Storm Agnes. *Native American Dance Regalia, Customs, and Tradition—Let’s Powwow!* History of American Indian powwows and social dancing shown through a display of handmade dance clothing, or regalia, made by tribal dancers from throughout North America.

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF INDUSTRIAL HISTORY, 602 E. Second St., Bethlehem. Wed–Sun 10am–5pm. 610/694-6644.

Ongoing: Housed in a 100-year-old former Bethlehem Steel facility, the Lehigh Valley’s newest museum is dedicated to preserving America’s rich industrial heritage. Has over 200 unique artifacts—the first-made, oldest-surviving, longest-operating, or last-produced; first-hand accounts of workers, entrepreneurs, and activists; interactive exhibits where visitors can turn a flywheel, lift pig iron, or carry a bobbin board.

NEW ARTS PROGRAM. 610/683-6440.

NAP SPACE 173 W. Main St., Kutztown. Fri–Sun 11am–3pm.

1/6–4/2: *The Project Wall—Sculptor / Installation Artist Lisa E. Nanni.* A different artist works out ideas on the wall over a 12-week period. Reception: Sun 4/2, 1–3pm.

1/20–3/5: *Lisa Eshleman Foster—Held Back.* Mixed-media installation corresponding to the artist’s residency at the New Arts Program this winter. Reception and gallery talk: Fri 1/20, 6–9pm. Individual hour-long meetings with artist: 1/20 & 1/21, 9am–4:30pm by appt.

OFF-SITE Northampton Community College, 3835 Green Pond Rd., Bethlehem. Mon–Fri 8am–9pm; Sat 9am–5pm.

2/13–3/24: *Michael Winkler—Works from 2011–2017.* Works by painter and conceptual artist. Gallery talk: Thu 3/9, 11am–noon. Reception: Thu 3/9, 3:45–5pm. Student one-to-one conversations with the artist: 3/9, 9am–3:30pm by appt.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY HISTORICAL & GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, SIGAL MUSEUM, 342 Northampton St., Easton. Wed–Sat 10am–4pm; Sun noon–4pm. 610/253-1222.

Thru 2/1: *Spirits of Easton.* Celebration of Northampton Co.’s rich brewing and distilling history.

Thru Aug: *Cabinet of Curiosities.* Eerie, weird, and curious objects from the collection vault.

THE OLD VIC ART GALLERY, 131 S. Main St., Alburtis. Call for hours. 610/967-6618.

Ongoing: Original works in watercolor by William Wentz, in pastel by Marianne Knipe, and in egg tempera by Colini. Limited edition prints by various artists.

PENN STATE LEHIGH VALLEY, 2809 Saucon Valley Rd., Center Valley. Mon–Thu 11am–5pm; Fri 11am–3pm; Sat 10am–2pm. 610/285-5261.

RONALD K. DE LONG GALLERY

1/16–3/18: *Michael Brolly—Redux.* Works by wood-turning artist who has exhibited internationally. The exhibit highlights his distinctive wood-turning style and his unique combination of diverse sculptural materials such as glass, metal, and repurposed objects. Reception: Thu 1/26, 5–7pm.

COMMUNITY GALLERY

1/16–3/18: *Students from Moravian Academy.* Reception: Thu 1/26, 5–7pm.

ROSEMARY REMEMBRANCES II GALLERY, 10 Hill Rd. on Opera House Square, Jim Thorpe. Sat & Sun noon–5pm. 570/325-4452.

Ongoing: Shadow boxes, shrines, collages, and assemblages by “Treasure Maker” Marj. Reppert.

SNOW GOOSE GALLERY, 470 Main St., Bethlehem. Tue, Wed, Fri 10am–5:30pm; Thu 10am–7pm; Sat 10am–5pm; Sun 11am–4pm. 610/974-9099.

Ongoing: Original works and limited edition prints by Thomas Arvid, Ton Dubbeldam, Edward Dyas, Richard William Haynes, Ray Hendershot, Mary Serfass, Alexander Volkov, Chuck Zovko.

TANGENT CRAFTS GALLERY, 304 Main St., Emmaus. Call for winter hours. 484/553-1840.
1/15–2/28: *Eric Gregory—Photographs.*

TMD GALLERY, 10 S. 13th St., Allentown. Tue & Thu noon–5pm; Sat noon–3pm. 610/740-3031.

Ongoing: Showing local artists Michelle Neifert, Jon Roylance, Maggie Price, Jeanne Burger Krantz, Elaine Eckert, Carol Garger, Georgine Miller, Sylvia Roth, Wendy Bussard, Pam Smith, and Susan Weaver.

TOUCHSTONE THEATRE, 321 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem. 610/867-1689.

Ongoing: *The Tree in the Mirror.* Cross-culturally inspired mural adorns the north wall of the theatre. Designed by international artists Deng Dafei and He Hai and created in collaboration with local artist Jim Gloria. Completed as part of a community-based project, *Journey from the East*, which explored the history, heritage, and future of the Chinese community in the Lehigh Valley and America.

KIDS & TEENS

AMERICA ON WHEELS, 5 N. Front St., Allentown. All events included in museum admission: \$10; \$7/ seniors; \$5/ages 6–16; free/ages 5 and under. Reservations recommended. 610/432-4200.

2/12: *Cars, Corks & Chocolates.* Activities for all ages. Sun 12:30–3:30pm.

2/18: *Little Wheeler Day.* Design whitewall tires with chocolate donuts and frosting. Sat 1–2:30pm.

ARTS ACADEMY CHARTER MIDDLE SCHOOL, Allentown. Purchase tickets at arts-cs.org. 610/351-0234.

1/12: Instrumental music students perform winter concert. At: Cedar Crest College, Alumnae Hall, Allentown. Thu 7pm. \$5 in advance; \$6 at door.

1/14: Vocal music students perform winter concert. At: William Allen High School, 106 17th St., Allentown. Sat 2pm. \$5 in advance; \$6 at door.

LEHIGH VALLEY STORYTELLING GUILD CHILDREN’S STORYTELLING SERIES. At: Godfrey Daniels, 7 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem. Sun 2pm. \$4.50; free/ages 5 and under.

Cops 'n' Kids hands out free books. 610/867-2390.

1/15: *Native American Tales of Animals, Heroes & Magic*, with Rob Aptaker.

2/5: *Kids Open Mic*, with Karen Maurer.

2/19: *Stories of Love, Fun, and Friendship*, with Larry Scurman.

3/5: *Stories in Action*, with MaryAnn Paterniti.

MILLER SYMPHONY HALL, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. 610/432-6715.

1/4, 1/5, 1/6, 1/8: *Disney's Beauty and the Beast*, performed by Sing for America. In commemoration of the 25th anniversary of the film, the classic fairy tale comes alive on stage. Wed & Thu 11am & 7:30pm; Fri 7:30pm; Sun 2pm. \$18; \$12/ seniors, students; \$9/ages 6 and under. **1/28:** *The Berenstain Bears LIVE!* Adapted from the classic children's book series. Everyone's favorite bear family is brought to life in a thrilling theatrical experience Sat 2pm. \$22; \$17.

WILLIAMS CENTER FOR THE ARTS, Lafayette College, Easton. 610-330-5009.

2/25: *Songs and Stories of Appalachia*, told by folk musician, multi-instrumentalist, and champion of American traditional culture David Holt, who shares the voices of the people of the Southern mountains. Sat 2pm. \$19; \$6/under age 16.

LECTURES

LEHIGH VALLEY PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB. Lectures by guest professional photographers. At: Banana Factory, 25 W. Third St., Bethlehem. Thu 7pm. \$10. Further information at lvphotographyclub.org. 610/332-1300.

1/19: "The Simple Approach to Portraits that Flatter," with Joe Edelman, award-winning advertising and editorial photographer, author, and educator, who demonstrates using a model and real-time video projection. **2/16:** Guest speaker to be announced. Check website for information.

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF INDUSTRIAL HISTORY, 602 E. Second St., Bethlehem. 610/694-6644.

1/21, 2/18: "Meet the Experts." Monthly discussions that introduce visitors to different aspects of the

industrial story and complement the museum exhibits. The experts span many fields, from archaeologists and historians to former steelworkers and model-makers. Sat 11am. \$12; \$11/seniors; \$9/ages 7-17; free/ages 6 and under.

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY HISTORICAL & GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, Sigal Museum, 342 Northampton St., Easton. 610/253-1222.

1/18: First meeting of Lehigh Valley American Revolution Round Table, which is dedicated to the study of the American Revolution. Andrew Zellers-Frederick lectures on his American Revolutionary War Generals' Project. Wed 6:30pm. **2/4:** "Tragedy at Chu Lai: Reconstructing a Deadly Grenade Accident in a U. S. Army Classroom in Vietnam, July 10, 1969." Lecture and book signing with David Venditta, retired *Morning Call* editor and author of the *War Stories* series. Sat 1pm. Lecture included with \$7 museum admission (\$5 for seniors). Reservations required.

STATE THEATRE CENTER FOR THE ARTS, 453 Northampton St., Easton. 610/252-3132.

1/26: Fran Lebowitz. Author, purveyor of urban cool, witty chronicler of the "me decade," and cultural satirist offers insights on timely issues. Thu 8pm. \$40. **2/25:** Christopher Lloyd. Stories and Q&A with the actor who portrayed "Doc Brown" in *Back to the Future*. The classic film will be shown. Sat 7pm. \$125; \$45; \$40.

MEDIA ARTS

ARTSQUEST CENTER, SteelStacks Arts Campus, 101 Founders Way, Bethlehem. 610/332-3378.

1/7, 2/4, 3/4: Horror Series. *The Shining* (1/7); *Nekromantik* (2/4); *Alien* (3/4). Sat 9:45pm. \$10; \$8/ seniors and students.

CIVIC THEATRE OF ALLENTOWN, 514/527 N. 19th St., Allentown. 610/432-8943.

1/12, 2/9: Thursday Classics Series. *Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid* (1/12); *A Streetcar Named Desire* (2/9). Thu 7pm. Call for ticket prices.

NEW ARTS PROGRAM presents live cable-TV programs on BCTV; either New Arts Alive (artist pro-

file) or NAP Connection (panel discussion) is broadcast every first Wed (6pm) and every fourth Wed (7pm). newartsprogram.org.

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1/3-3/5

GODFREY DANIELS, 7 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem. Check godfreydaniels.org for schedule updates. 610/867-2390.

1/3, 2/7: *Old-Time Jam*. Tue 7pm. Free.

1/4, 2/1: *Irish Seisiún*. Wed 7:30pm. Free.

1/6: Jim Weider and PROJECT PERCoLATO. Fri 8pm. \$27.50 in advance; \$32.50 day of show.

1/7: The Suitcase Junket. Sat 8pm. \$19.50.

1/10, 2/14: *Bluegrass Jam*. Tue 7pm. Free.

1/13: David Mallet. Fri 8pm. \$18.50.

1/14: The Manatawny Creek Ramblers. Sat 8pm. \$17.50.

1/15: *Open Mike*, featuring Leon Bonam. Sun 7pm. \$3.50.

1/17, 2/21: *Swing Jam*. Tue 8pm. Free.

1/18, 2/15: *Improv Comedy Jam*. Wed 7:30pm. Free.

1/19, 1/26, 2/16, 2/23: LV Charter Arts Students, *Vocalists Café*. Thu 7pm. \$10.50; \$5.50/students.

1/20: Beppe Gambetta. Fri 8pm. \$20.50 in advance; \$25.50 day of show.

1/21: The Youngers. Sat 8pm. \$18.50.

1/24: *Acoustic Blues Jam*. Tue 7pm. Free.

1/27: Steve Brosky & Li'l Big Band. Fri 8pm. \$18.50 in advance; \$23.50 day of show.

1/28: The Electric Farm. Sat 8pm. \$19.50.

1/29: *Open Mike*, featuring Mike Holliday. Sun 7pm. \$3.50.

2/3: Peter Mulvey. Fri 8pm. \$18.50.

2/4: Bill Staines. Sat 8pm. \$18.50.

2/5: *Open Mike*, featuring Dina Hall. Sun 7pm. \$3.50.

2/10: Low Lily. Fri 8pm. \$18.50.

2/11: Professor Louie & The Crowmatix. Sat 8pm. \$20.50 in advance; \$25.50 day of show.

2/19, 3/5: *Open Mike*. Sun 7pm. \$3.50.

2/24: Serene Green. Fri 8pm. \$18.50.

3/4: Rebecca Loebe. Sat 8pm. Ticket price TBD.

1/6

EASTON AREA HIGH SCHOOL BAND.

At: Easton Area High School, 2601 William Penn Hwy., Easton. Fri 7pm. Free. 610/250-2481, ext. 32213.

1/6-3/7

MUSIKFEST CAFÉ, ArtsQuest Center, SteelStacks Arts Campus, Bethlehem. Buy tickets at tix.artsquest.org. 610/332-3378.

1/6: The Nerds. Fri 8pm. In advance: \$10; \$7. Day of show: \$13; \$10.

1/13: Splintered Sunlight. Fri 7:30pm. In advance: \$15; \$10. Day of show: \$17; \$12.

1/20: The Box Tops. Fri 7:30pm. \$29; \$24.

1/21: Eaglemania. Eagles tribute band. Sat 8pm. \$30.

1/25: Marc Broussard. Wed 7:30pm. In advance: \$32; \$25. Day of show: \$35; \$28.

1/27: The Amish Outlaws. Fri 8pm. In advance: \$10; \$7. Day of show: \$13; \$10.

1/28: Blues Brotherhood. Sat 8pm. \$20 in advance; \$25 day of show.

2/3: The Stranger, *Billy Joel Tribute*. Fri 7:30pm. \$25.

2/9: Justin Hayward of the Moody Blues. Thu 7:30pm. \$75; \$65.

2/24: Strawberry Fields. The ultimate Beatles tribute band. Fri 7:30pm. \$24; \$19.

3/3: Bastard Bearded Irishmen. Fri. 7:30pm. In advance: \$12; \$8. Day of show: \$15; \$10.

3/7: Ladysmith Black Mambazo. Tue 7:30pm. \$45; \$35.

1/8, 2/12

APPALACHIAN FIDDLE & BLUEGRASS ASSOCIATION, *Monthly Shindig*.

January bands: Raven Hill, Mason Dixon Bandits. February bands: Big Valley Bluegrass, Heavy Traffic. Check afbawindgap.org for up-to-date schedule. At: Plainfield Twp. Volunteer Fire Co., 6480 Sullivan Trail, Wind Gap. Sun 12:30-5pm. \$10; free/under age 13. 610/838-2700.

1/10, 2/14

BACH CHOIR OF BETHLEHEM, *Bach at Noon*. Lunch-hour concerts. At: Central Moravian Church, Main & Church Sts., Bethlehem. Tue 12:10-1pm. Free-will offering. 610/866-4382.

1/10: *Music for the Nativity* by Johann Walter, Johannes Brahms, Max Drischner; Bach's Cantata 96, with Tricia van Oers on recorder.

2/14: Warren Martin's *The True Story of Cinderella* for 12 solo voices, narrator, piano, and chime.

1/12–2/3

LEHIGH VALLEY CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS, 321 E. Third St., Bethlehem. Ticket information at charterarts.org. 610/868-2971.

1/12: *Piano Recital*. Thu 7pm.

1/24: *Advanced Jazz Ensemble Concert*. Tue 7pm.

1/31: *Jazz Cafe*. Tue 7pm.

2/2: *Wanda & Leo DeLong Honors Piano Recital*. Thu 7pm.

2/3: *Music Faculty Recital*. Fri 7pm.

1/13, 1/27, 2/10, 2/24, 3/10

CATHEDRAL ARTS presents Stephen Williams, *The Complete Organ Works of J. S. Bach*. At: Cathedral Church of the Nativity, 321 Wyandotte St., Bethlehem. Fri 8pm. \$10 suggested donation. 610/865-0727.

1/13, 2/17

JAZZ UPSTAIRS CABARET SERIES.

Jazz concerts with light fare (included in ticket price) and cash bar. At: Miller Symphony Hall Rodale Room, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. Fri 7:30pm. \$25 in advance; \$30 at door. 610/432-6715.

1/13: Co-op Bop.

2/17: Simon Mulligan Trio.

1/14–3/10

STATE THEATRE CENTER FOR THE ARTS, 453 Northampton St., Easton. 610/252-3132.

1/14: Craig Thatcher Band & Friends, *An Eric Clapton Retrospective*. Sat 7:30pm. \$25.

1/28: The Orchestra. Former members of the Electric Light Orchestra. Sat 7:30pm. \$45; \$40.

2/10: Michelle Berting Brett, *We've Only Just Begun: Carpenters Remembered*, with seven-piece Nashville band. Fri 7:30pm. \$35.

3/3: Chris Collins and Boulder Canyon, *A Tribute to John Denver*. Fri 7pm. \$30; \$25.

A 3/10: The Five Irish Tenors. Fri 7:30pm. \$45; \$40.

1/15–2/26

A MORAVIAN COLLEGE MUSIC DEPT., Bethlehem. Unless shown otherwise, concerts are at Foy Hall. 610/861-1650.

1/15: Violet Mandic, soprano. Music of Martini, Hahn, Quilter, Gluck, Scarlatti, and Offenbach. At:

West Side Moravian Church, Third Ave. Sun 7pm. Free.

1/22: H. Carl Hess, trumpet. At: Peter Hall. Sun 4pm. \$15; \$10/seniors and students.

2/11: Kimberly A. Leamon, soprano, and Kurtis Reif, tenor. Vocal music from Baroque to contemporary, plus original chamber music by Mr. Reif. At: Peter Hall. Sat 7:30pm. Free.

2/17: Patrick Kerssen, jazz piano. Tour through jazz history from 1920s Dixieland music to contemporary music. Fri 7:30pm. Free.

2/18: Sean O'Boyle AM, clarinet, and his all-star band, *Sounds of New Orleans*. Music inspired by the Big Easy. Sat 7:30pm. \$15; \$10/seniors and students.

2/19: Gamelan Gita Semara. Balinese gamelan ensemble from Gettysburg College. Gamelan is the traditional ensemble music of Indonesia and is performed primarily by percussive instruments. Sun 2pm. \$10.

2/24: Charlotte Finnerty, soprano, and Kristen Weaver, cello, *Wonderland of Music*. Repertoire with nuances of winter. At: Peter Hall. Fri 7:30pm. Free.

2/25: Henry McCormack and Josh Mercado, classical guitars. At: Peter Hall. Sat 7:30pm. Free.

2/26: Gary Rissmiller, drum set, and Co-op Bop, *An Afternoon of Jazz*. Sun 4pm. \$15; \$10/seniors and students.

1/21

BRIA SKONBERG, *Trumpet & Song*. On-stage cabaret with trumpeter/vocalist who specializes in American hot jazz, world rhythms, and modern jazz. At: Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University, Bethlehem. Sat 6pm (dinner and show), 7 & 9pm (show only). \$62/dinner and show; \$25/show only. 610/758-2787.

JIM BRICKMAN AND ALLENTOWN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA. The pianist takes the audience on a musical journey with the sounds of chart-topping songs. At: Miller Symphony Hall, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. Sat 7:30pm. \$25–\$60; free/students, ages 21 and under. 610/432-6715.

1/28

CATHEDRAL ARTS presents the Essence of Joy gospel choir from Penn State University. Choir sings sacred and secular music from the African and African American

choral traditions. At: Cathedral Church of the Nativity, 321 Wyandotte St., Bethlehem. Sat 7:30pm. \$10 suggested donation. 610/865-0727.

SATORI. Telemann's Paris Quartet in D Major, No. 1; Piazzolla's *Invierno/Primavera/Verano/Otoño/Porteño*; Brahms's Clarinet Quintet in B Minor, Op. 115. At: Moravian College, Foy Hall, Bethlehem. Sat 7:30pm. (Snow date: 2/4.) Tickets only at door. \$15; \$5/under age 12. 610/435-6036.

1/29

COMMUNITY MUSIC SCHOOL, *Faculty Recital*. At: Miller Symphony Hall, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. Sun 3pm. 610/435-7725.

PENNSYLVANIA SINFONIA ORCH., *Winter Vivaldi*, with pianist Father Sean Brett Duggan, oboist Cheryl Bishkoff, and flutist Robin Kani. Telemann's Oboe d'amore Concerto in G Major, TWV 51:G3; Vivaldi's Trio Sonata in D Minor, RV 64; Leclair's Flute Concerto in C Major, Op. 7, No. 3; Bach's Piano Concerto No. 1 in D Minor, BWV 1052. At: Wesley Church, 2540 Center St., Bethlehem. Sun 3pm. \$20–\$35; free/students. 610/434-7811.

2/3

ORPHEUS CHAMBER ORCHESTRA, with violinist Vadim Gluzman. Chabrier's *Idylle* and *Danse Villageoise*; Tchaikovsky's Violin Concerto, Op. 35; new work by Hersch; Mendelssohn's Symphony No. 3, Op. 56. At: Lafayette College, Williams Center for the Arts, Easton. Fri 8pm. \$33. 610/330-5009.

2/4

POSTMODERN JUKEBOX. Group that wraps Taylor Swift, Lady GaGa, and John Legend songs in vintage doo-wop, ragtime, and jazz melodies with snazzy instrumentation and tap dancing. At: Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University, Bethlehem. Sat 8pm. \$23–\$49. 610/758-2787.

2/10

SIGNUM QUARTET, presented by the Chamber Music Society of Bethlehem. Mozart's Adagio and Fugue in E Major, K. 405/3, and String Quartet No. 17 in B-flat Major, K. 458; Widmann's String Quartet No. 3; Beethoven's String Quartet No. 9 in C Major, Op. 59,

No. 3. At: Moravian College, Foy Hall, Bethlehem. Fri 7:30pm. \$27. 610/435-7611.

2/10–3/1

MUHLENBERG COLLEGE MUSIC DEPT., Baker Center for the Arts, Allentown. All concerts are free. 484/664-3363.

2/10: Students of Applied Music. Fri 5:15pm.

2/12: Sean Fowley, tenor. Sun 2pm.

2/21: *German Vocal Literature Master Class*, presented by voice faculty. Tue 7pm.

3/1: Students of Applied Music. Wed 5:15pm.

2/11

THE DUSTBOWL REVIVAL. California band merges old-school bluegrass, gospel, jug-band, swamp blues, and the hot swing of the 1930s to form a spicy roots cocktail. At: Fowler Blast Furnace Room, ArtsQuest Center, SteelStacks Arts Campus, Bethlehem. Sat 7:30pm. \$12 in advance; \$15 day of show. 610/332-3378.

MARIANNE SOLIVAN & THE BIG

BAND. Jazz vocalist interprets standards and scintillates on her own originals. At: Lafayette College, Williams Center for the Arts, Easton. Sat 8pm. \$21. 610/330-5009.

2/11 & 2/12

ALLENTOWN SYMPHONY ORCH., *Viennese Nights*, with pianist Katie Mahan, soprano Jessica Lennick, and the Bel Canto Children's Chorus of Bach Choir of Bethlehem. Nicolai's *Merry Wives of Windsor*; ballet music from Schubert's *Rosamunde*; Suppé's *Morning, Noon, and Night in Vienna*; Mozart's Piano Concerto No. 17; Lehar's *Merry Widow Waltz*; several Strauss works. At: Miller Symphony Hall, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. Sat 7:30pm; Sun 2pm. \$25–\$60; free/students, ages 21 and under. 610/432-6715.

2/11–3/5

LEHIGH UNIVERSITY MUSIC DEPT., Zoellner Arts Center, Bethlehem. 610/758-2787.

2/11: NY Jazz Rep Orchestra, *Classic to Contemporary Big Band*. Sat 8pm. \$18.

2/12: Andrea and Samantha Wittchen, *Duo Nouveau—From Baroque to Bowie*. Mother and daughter harpists celebrate 20 years of performing together with a

concert featuring original works for two harps. Sun 3pm. \$12.

2/19: LU Jazz Faculty, *Great American Standards*. Sun 3pm. \$15.
2/24 & 2/25: LU Philharmonic, *Concerto Marathon*. Student soloists play concerto movements with the orchestra. Fri & Sat 8pm. \$12.
3/2: Ian Rosenbaum, percussionist. Works by Andy Akiho. Thu 8pm. \$12.

3/4: The Dalí Quartet, with percussionist Ian Rosenbaum. Works for percussion and strings; concert features Andy Akiho's *LigNEous* and a new work by Paul Salerni. Sat 8pm. \$15.

3/5: East Winds Quintet. Composition by Giuseppe Cambini and premiere of *Sinfonietta Italiana* by Paul Salerni. Sun 3pm. \$15.

2/12

CATHEDRAL ARTS presents soprano Lauren Smith and baritone Ian Murphy, *A Valentine's Day Concert*. Solos and duets. At: Cathedral Church of the Nativity, 321 Wyandotte St., Bethlehem. Sun 4pm. \$10 suggested donation. 610/865-0727.

UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH SECOND SUNDAY CONCERT SERIES presents pianist Clipper Erickson, *An All-American Celebration*. Music by American composers Dett, Beach, Barber, Copland, Finko, and Altman. At: Unitarian Universalist Church of the Lehigh Valley, 424 Center St., Bethlehem. Sun 3pm. \$15; free/students. 610/866-7652.

2/18

NATIONAL SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA OF UKRAINE. Dvořák's *Carnival Overture*, Op. 92, and Symphony No. 9 in D Minor; Schumann's Piano Concerto in A Minor, Op. 54. At: Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University, Bethlehem. Sat 8pm. \$48; \$43; \$36. 610/758-2787.

TANYA TAGAQ, *Nanook of the North*. Live concert with film. Vocalist, whose style may be rooted in the throat singing of her Inuit ancestors, performs soundscape to 1922 documentary film. At: Lafayette College, Williams Center for the Arts, Easton. Sat 8pm. \$25.

2/25

ALLENTOWN SYMPHONY ORCH., *Peter & The Wolf*. Annual family concert presents Prokofiev's classic. At: Miller Symphony Hall, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. Sat 2pm.

\$25; free/students, ages 21 and under. Preconcert activities begin at 12:30pm. 610/432-6715.

NIK GREELEY AND THE OPERATORS. Collective of some of the finest musicians in Philly. At: Fowler Blast Furnace Room, ArtsQuest Center, SteelStacks Arts Campus, Bethlehem. Sat 8pm. \$10 in advance; \$12 day of show. 610/332-3378.

SUMMIT HILL HERITAGE CENTER MUSIC SERIES. First in a series of four musical programs featuring local performers. At: Summit Hill Heritage Center, 1 W. Hazard St., Summit Hill. Sat 7pm. summithillheritagecenter.com.

2/25 & 2/26

LEHIGH VALLEY MUSIC TEACHERS ASSOCIATION, *Hannah Young Playathon*. Talented student pianists, instrumentalists, and vocalists perform at three different venues in the mall throughout the weekend. At: South Mall, Lehigh St., Allentown. Sat 10am–8pm; Sun noon–4pm. lvmusicteachers.org.

2/26

APOLLO'S FIRE, *An Afternoon at Bach's Coffeehouse*. Early music ensemble lends vivacious panache to the spirit of an 18th-century Leipzig coffeehouse where J. S. Bach held court. Bach's Brandenburg Concertos Nos. 4 and 5, and Allemande from Cello Suite No 6; Telemann's *Don Quixote* Suite; Vivaldi's *La Folia*. At: Lafayette College, Williams Center for the Arts, Easton. Sun 3pm. \$29. 610/330-5009.

BACH CHOIR OF BETHLEHEM. *The Nightingale*, with Mock Turtle Marionette Theatre. Family concert. Hans Christian Andersen's beloved fairy tale performed to live music and with puppetry and movement. At: Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University, Bethlehem. Sun 3pm. \$17; \$7/students. 610/866-4382.

COMMUNITY MUSIC SCHOOL, *Faculty and Students Recital*. At: Miller Symphony Hall Rodale Room, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. Sun 3pm. 610/435-7725.

3/3

ALLENTOWN COMMUNITY CONCERT ASSOCIATION presents *Andy Cooney's Irish Celebration*. Irish America's favorite son and his world-famous Irish band. At: Parkland High School, 2700 N. Cedar

Crest Blvd., Allentown. Fri 7:30pm. \$35. 610/395-8379.

JOEY ALEXANDER TRIO. Trio headed by thirteen-year-old Balinese jazz pianist. At: Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University, Bethlehem. Fri 7:30pm. \$38; \$33. 610/758-2787.

3/5

PENNSYLVANIA SINFONIA ORCH., *An Afternoon with Mozart*, with violinist Mary Ogletree. Divertimento in F Major, K. 138; Adagio in E Major for Violin and Orchestra, K. 261; Rondo in C Major for Violin and Orchestra, K. 373; Serenade No. 6 in D Major, K. 239; Symphony No. 41 in C Major, K. 551. At: Christ Lutheran Church, 1245 Hamilton St., Allentown. Sun 4pm. \$20–\$35; free/students. 610/434-7811.

3/7

KODO, *Dadan 2017*. Drumming troupe explores the limitless possibilities of the traditional Japanese drum, the taiko. The program also features other unusual percussive instruments: the O-daiko (big drum), the Grantang (bamboo instrument), and gongs. At: Kutztown Univ., Schaeffer Auditorium, Kutztown. Tue 7:30pm. \$40; \$20/students. Asian-cuisine dinner at 6pm. \$25. 610/683-4092.

READINGS & WRITINGS

GREATER LEHIGH VALLEY WRITERS GROUP. All events for ages 18+. At: Palmer Library, 1 Weller Pl., Easton. greaterlehighvalleywritersgroup.wildapricot.org.

1/12, 2/9: *Writers Café Craft Discussion with Read & Critique*. Participants invited to bring about 500 words to read to the group. Any genre—fiction, nonfiction, poetry, screenplays, memoirs—is welcome. Thu 7–9pm. Free.

1/28, 2/25: Guest-speaker program focused on some aspect of writing/publishing (part of monthly morning meeting, see **TO GET INVOLVED**). On 1/28, "Openings: Hooks and Lines" presentation by Kate Moretti; she covers what makes a good novel opening. On 2/25, Geoff and Judith Mehl give a presentation on writing non-fiction books. Sat 11am. Free.

2/25: *Marketing for Writers Workshop*, with Geoff Mehl. Sat 1:30–3:30pm. \$15. Preregistration required.

MORAVIAN COLLEGE WRITERS' CONFERENCE: WRITING AND SUSTAINABILITY. At: Moravian College, Haupt Union Bldg., 1200 Main St., Bethlehem. moravian.edu/writersconference.

2/3: Registration and reception (5–6:30pm), conference introduction, readings and book signings by conference faculty (6:30–9pm), open mic (9pm).

2/4: Full-day conference open to writers in all genres and at all stages. Writing workshops (9–11:30am) and craft talks (2–3:30pm) in fiction, poetry, nonfiction, documentary studies, and more. Workshop leaders: Kate Brandes, Julia Kasdorf, Ben Cohen, and Avi Setton. Craft-session leaders: Chuck Wendig, Paul Acampora, Mary Heather Noble, and Diane Husic. Luncheon keynote presentation by Alison Hawthorne Deming (11:30am–1:30pm) and concluding roundtable discussion and book signings (4–5:30pm). See website for detailed schedule. "Early Bird" registration (by 1/3): \$100/full conference; \$75/Saturday only. Registration after 1/3: \$125/full conference; \$100/Saturday only. Discounts available for seniors and Lehigh Valley Association of Independent Colleges (LVAIC) faculty and staff; free for LVAIC students.

SPECIAL EVENTS

1/1–2/28

HISTORIC BETHLEHEM MUSEUMS & SITES WALKING TOURS, Bethlehem. 800/360-8687.

Thru 1/8: *Christmas City Stroll*. Tour of downtown Bethlehem; guide in period dress leads walkers through centuries of Bethlehem history and explains the city's Christmas traditions. Departs from Historic Bethlehem Visitor Center, 505 Main St. Wed–Sun 11am & 4pm. \$15; \$9/children. *The Moravian Story*. Guided tour of the Moravian Museum of Bethlehem's 1741 Gemeinhaus, the 1742 Apothecary, the 1758/1765 Nain-Schober House, and the newly opened 1744/1752 sections of the Single Sisters' House; learn how the Moravians were innovators in medicine, architec-

ture, ministry, and music. Departs from Moravian Museum, 66 W. Church St. Thu–Sun 2pm. \$15; \$9/children.

Thru Jan: *Hoover Mason Trestle*. Learn how Bethlehem steel was used in the construction of America's famous landmarks. Departs from SteelStacks Visitor Center, 711 E. First St. Thu–Sun 11am. \$15. *Rise and Fall of Bethlehem Steel Walking Tour*. Explores the day-to-day life of a steelworker and how blast furnaces worked. Departs from ArtsQuest Center, SteelStacks Arts Campus. Thu–Sun 1pm. \$15.

Ongoing: *Heritage Trail*. Walk, run, or bike through three centuries of Bethlehem history. Stops include two National Historic Landmarks, Victorian homes, and Bethlehem Steel buildings. Guided by hand-held audio device, experience Bethlehem on your own time and at your own pace. Audio devices available at the Visitor Center, 505 Main St. \$12. *Seasonal Tours*. Led by professional guide, explore the National Historic Landmark District of Moravian Bethlehem. Topics vary by season. Call for schedule and fees.

1/14, 3/4

SUMMIT HILL HERITAGE CENTER, 1 W. Hazard St., Summit Hill. summithillheritagecenter.com.

1/14: *Winter Princess & Me Tea*. Hosted by the Snow Princess and her court, lunch and activities for young princesses up to age 12. Sat 1–3pm. \$30/Mom and one princess; \$10/additional sibling; \$20/additional adult. Reservations required. Tickets: dinny@ptd.net.

3/4: *Spring Fling Flea Market*. Gift items, homemade jelly, jewelry, glassware, and more. Sat 8am–2pm.

1/20 & 1/21

STEELSTACKS IMPROV COMEDY FESTIVAL. Two days of almost-but-not-quite non-stop improv comedy. Each day features a marathon-style lineup of sets by performers from around the world. Performances by the Improvised Shakespeare Company and by Hunter Nelson and Terry Withers who perform *David Mamet's The New David Mamet Play*, a hilarious spoof of a modern classic. At: ArtsQuest Center, SteelStacks Arts Campus, Bethlehem. Full information, including times, to be posted at steelstacks.org/festivals. 610/332-3378.

2/3 & 2/4

SNOWBLAST WINTER ARTS FESTIVAL, presented by the Emmaus Arts Commission. Annual winter wonderland celebrating the arts and recognizing local artists. Kicks off Friday night (5:30–8pm) with indoor art demonstrations, music, and refreshments at Emmaus Borough Hall and various stores and restaurants. Continues on Saturday (noon–5pm) with indoor and outdoor activities at Triangle Park, Emmaus Borough Hall, Emmaus Public Library, and other downtown venues. The afternoon includes craft-making, artist demos, music, performance by the Burning Hearts Fire & Light Theater, wood sculptor Michael Blaine carving a life-sized sculpture, juried SnowBlast Winter Art Show & Sale, and Community Art Project that allows everyone to participate in creating a piece of public art. Complete schedule of events will be posted at emmausarts.org.

2/11

CHOCOLATE AND ROMANCE, hosted by Northampton County Historical & Genealogical Society at three sites in Easton. Participate in 18th- and 19th-century romantic customs; join a wine and chocolate tasting; sip hot chocolate and flower elixirs; read period romances; and make Victorian Valentines. At: Sigal Museum (342 Northampton St.); Mixsell-Illick House Museum (Fourth & Ferry Sts.); and Bachmann Publick House (Second & Northampton Sts.). Sat 11am–3pm. \$10; \$5/ages 6–12; free/ages 5 and under. 610/253-1222.

THEATRE

ACT 1, DESALES UNIVERSITY **A** **THEATRE**, Labuda Center for the Performing Arts, Center Valley. 610/282-3192.

2/22–3/5: *The Crucible* by Arthur Miller. Accusations of witchcraft set the town of Salem into a terrifying frenzy of paranoia, suspicion, and revenge—faith becomes an instrument of destruction as the witch-hunts of Colonial New England become a powerful morality tale about the politics of fear. For ages 13+. Wed–Sat 8pm; Sun 2pm. \$19–\$25.

ALLENTOWN PUBLIC THEATRE. 888/895-5645.

1/13–1/15: *The Island*. Two political prisoners on Robben Island labor by day, but at night they rehearse for a prison performance of the Greek tragedy *Antigone*. In their portrayal of Antigone's courage, they give voice to their own dissent. An ensemble representing modern-day American prisoners frames the South African story with music and dance, bridging the gap between then and now, and heightening the play's emotional resonance. For mature audiences. At: Charles Brown IceHouse, 56 River St., Bethlehem. Fri & Sat 8pm; Sun 2pm. Admission: "Pay-what-you-will."

THEATRE CAFE

Dramatic readings. At: Allentown Art Museum, 31 N. Fifth St., Allentown. Third Thu 6:30pm. Donation requested.

1/19: *Regret* by LV Charter High School graduate Willow Reichard-Flynn. Surreal-style drama about a lesbian couple with a disturbing past they can't escape.

2/16: *Fences* by August Wilson. An American classic, the story of Troy, a former baseball player struggling in the wake of a sports career tainted by prejudice and racism.

ARTSQUEST CENTER, SteelStacks Arts Campus, 101 Founders Way, Bethlehem. Some of the shows require that ages 13–18 be accompanied by an adult and do not allow ages 12 and under to be admitted. 610/332-3378.

1/11: *Dry Humor—Standup for Recovery*, with Liz Russo, Richard Francis Williams, and Patrick Holbert. Wed 8pm. \$15.

1/28: Myq Kaplan. Comedian. Sat 8pm. \$18; \$17/seniors and students.

2/10–2/18: *Tony 'n' Tina's Wedding*. Off-Broadway show staged as a festive celebration in which the audience participates. Two colorful and madcap Italian-American families come together as one. Tue, Fri, Sat 7pm. \$75; \$65.

2/25: Michael Ian Black. Comedian. Sat 8pm. \$39; \$35.

CIVIC THEATRE OF ALLENTOWN, 527 N. 19th St., Allentown. 610/432-8943.

2/10, 2/11, 2/16–2/26: *9 to 5, The Musical*, with music and lyrics by Dolly Parton. Based on the hit movie. Set in the late 1970s, the

hilarious story of three secretaries who unwittingly kidnap their sexist, egotistical, lying, hypocritical, bigoted boss and subsequently take over the office to extraordinary results. Thu–Sat 7:30pm; Sun 2pm. \$33; \$31/seniors and students.

LEHIGH VALLEY CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS,

321 E. Third St., Bethlehem. 610/868-2971.

1/20–1/22: *Pride & Prejudice*. Fri & Sat 7pm; Sun 2pm. Visit charterarts.org for ticket information.

MILLER SYMPHONY HALL, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. 610/432-6715.

THE METROPOLITAN OPERA IN HD
Transmitted live from NYC's Lincoln Center to the big screen at Symphony Hall. \$22; \$20/seniors; \$15/students.

1/7: *Nabucco* by Verdi. Sat 12:55pm.

1/22: *Roméo et Juliette* by Gounod. Sun 2pm.

2/26: *Rusalka* by Dvořák. Sun 2pm.

MORAVIAN COLLEGE THEATRE COMPANY, Hauptert Union Bldg., Main St. Campus, Bethlehem. 610/861-1489, ext. 3.

1/20: *God* by Woody Allen. Play reading. Peppered with meta-physical and philosophical questions and surprise characters, this absurdist play takes the audience on a ride that may or may not lead them to the answers to life's deepest questions. Fri 8pm. Free.

2/23–2/26: *Boeing-Boeing* by Marc Camoletti. This 1960s French farce features self-styled Parisian lothario Bernard who is juggling Italian, German, and American fiancées—each a beautiful airline hostess with frequent "layovers." He keeps "one up, one down and one pending" until unexpected schedule changes bring all three to Bernard's apartment at the same time. Thu–Sat 8pm; Sun 2pm. \$15; \$10/seniors; students "pay what you will."

MUHLENBERG COLLEGE DEPT. **A** **OF THEATRE**, Trexler Pavilion for Theatre & Dance, Allentown. 484/664-3333.

2/22–2/26: *Listen to Me* by Gertrude Stein. Cerebral frolic in the face of planetary crisis. Characters philosophize and laugh, celebrate the pleasure of the written word, and struggle to hold onto hope as their prospects dim. Wed–Fri 8pm; Sat 2 & 8pm; Sun 2pm. \$15; \$8/ages 17 and under.



Gertrude Stein and Alice B. Toklas

***Listen to Me* by Gertrude Stein is performed by the Muhlenberg College Dept. of Theatre, February 22–26.**

PENNSYLVANIA PLAYHOUSE, Illick's Mill Rd., Bethlehem. 610/865-6665. **1/27, 1/28, 2/3–2/12:** *The Explorer's Club* by Neil Benjamin. Lehigh Valley premiere of farce set in London in 1879. The prestigious Explorer's Club is in crisis. The acting president wants to admit a woman, and the bartender is terrible. Madcap mayhem develops as the members of the club grapple with their unique approach to science, the sexes, and the struggle to find a decent drink. Thu 7:30pm; Fri & Sat 8pm; Sun 3pm. \$25; \$22/seniors and students (except Sat).

PENNSYLVANIA YOUTH THEATRE. At: Charles Brown IceHouse, 56 River St., Bethlehem. 610/332-1400. **2/24 & 2/25:** *Senior Cabaret*. Showcase of advanced students who act, dance, and sing a variety of material. Fri & Sat 7pm. Ticket information at 123pyt.tix.com.

STATE THEATRE CENTER FOR THE ARTS, 453 Northampton St., Easton. 610/252-3132. **2/24:** *Annie*. New incarnation of the iconic original. Fri 7pm. \$65; \$59.

TOUCHSTONE THEATRE, Bethlehem. 610/867-1689. **2/18:** *Jakopa's Punch*, Touchstone's newly formed house band, previews its upcoming musical masterpiece, *The Jakopa's Punch Processional*. The evening features music, new and old; guest artists; and food and drink. At: Charles Brown IceHouse, 56 River St. Sat 7–11pm. Further

information, including ticket costs, to be posted at touchstone.org. **3/2–3/12:** *The Complete and Authoritative Tour of Holy Stuff*. One-woman show created and performed by Emma Chong. A labyrinthine pilgrimage about the things we hold sacred, the lengths to which we go for them, and the souvenirs we pick up along the way. At: Touchstone Theatre, 321 E. Fourth St. Thu–Sat 8pm; Sun 2pm. \$25; \$15/seniors and students.

ZOELLNER ARTS CENTER, Lehigh Univ., Bethlehem. 610/758-2787. **1/24:** *42nd Street*. Broadway's comedy classic follows new chorus girl Peggy Sawyer, fresh off the bus from Allentown, PA, as she sings and dances to the top of the Great White Way. Tue 7:30pm. \$62; \$60; \$50. **2/24–2/26, 3/1–3/4:** *Clybourne Park* by Bruce Norris. Performed by Theatre Department. Pulitzer- and Tony-winning satiric comedy takes a fascinating look at how we talk about or avoid talking about race in America. Wed–Sat 7:30pm; Sun 2pm. \$12.

TO GET INVOLVED

ACE, ARTS COMMUNITY OF EASTON. Monthly meeting (membership meeting followed by guest speaker), open to artists, writers, patrons, musicians, and photographers who reside in PA or NJ, at Lafayette College, Williams Center for the

Arts, Easton. Second Tue 7–9pm. 610/250-7627.

PRIDE OF THE GREATER LEHIGH VALLEY. Monthly board meeting at 1101 W. Hamilton St., Allentown. Fourth Thu 7pm. 610/770-6200.

ARTISTS

BETHLEHEM PALETTE CLUB. Monthly meeting (business meeting and demo by artist) at Banana Factory, 25 W. Third St., Bethlehem. Third Wed 7pm. Meets Sept–May. Membership: \$25/year. Non-members may attend two meetings before paying dues. Join the club to participate in workshops, paint-ins, and paint-outs. bethlehempaletteclub.org.

CARBON COUNTY ART LEAGUE. Monthly meeting at Penn-Kidder Senior Center, Rte. 903 & Behrens Rd., Jim Thorpe. Open to ages 18+. Artists encouraged to bring recent work for sharing and critiquing. Second Wed 6:30pm. Meets March–Dec. 570/325-0216.

LEHIGH VALLEY PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB. Cultivates and broadens the photographic interests of its members and promotes photography for professionals, amateurs, and beginners through education, guidance, competition, and social interaction. Monthly meeting (with presentations by photographers) at Banana Factory, 25 W. Third St., Bethlehem. Third Thu 7pm. Meets Sept–June. lvphotographyclub.org.

LV CHAPTER OF THE PENNSYLVANIA GUILD OF CRAFTSMEN. Monthly meeting of traditional and contemporary artisans and craftspeople. Business meeting followed by guest speaker on topics ranging from using social media in your business to tips and tricks from fellow artists. At: Macungie Institute, 510 Main St., Macungie. Third Tue 7:30–9pm. Meets Sept–May. lvcraftsguild.org.

PARKLAND ART LEAGUE. Socialize with others who have an active interest in art. Membership includes opportunity to sell your work at eight community locations. Monthly meeting (business meeting and demo by artist) at Macungie Institute, 510 E. Main St., Macungie. Second Tue 7pm. Meets Sept–June. Membership: \$25/year. 610/967-4461.

DANCERS

VALLEY CONTRA DANCE SOCIETY hosts lively traditional American folk dancing with a caller, live acoustic music, and instruction for beginners. New and experienced dancers welcome; no partner necessary. Bring wood-floor-friendly shoes. At: Unitarian Universalist Church of the Lehigh Valley, 424 Center St., Bethlehem (entrance on Wall St.). Second and fourth Sat 7–10:30pm (introductory lesson at 7pm). Meets Sept–June. \$10; \$5/students. 610/868-7432. **1/14:** Caller Sue Gola; music by Gravel Hill Gambolers. **1/28:** Caller Ron Blechner; music by Disheveled Wandering Stars. **2/11:** Caller Sarah Van Norstrand; music by Herd O' Cats. **2/25:** *Twenty-first Anniversary Double Dance*. Challenging contras (4pm); potluck supper (6pm); evening dance (7:30–10:30pm) with caller Janine Smith and music by Coracree. Check valleycontra dance.org for special pricing.

MUSICIANS

ALLENTOWN MUSIC CLUB. Membership open to anyone who enjoys music/art. Audition required for performing artist membership. Monthly musical and performing arts programs—featuring artist members, young musicians, and guests—at Jordan United Church of Christ, 1837 Church Rd., Allentown. First Sun 3pm. Meets March–May, Oct–Dec. 610/261-4072.

REALLY TERRIBLE ORCHESTRA OF PA. Educating and entertaining since 2008, orchestra performs at benefits and at nursing homes. Membership open to anyone with an instrument. You must be willing to practice or feel guilty if you don't. Current members include folks who have dusted off instruments they haven't played in years, folks learning a new instrument, and folks looking for a place to play in a nonjudgmental environment and just have fun. Weekly rehearsal at Kirkland Village, 1 Kirkland Village Circle, Bethlehem. Thu 7pm. 484/894-8092.

SINGERS

THE LEHIGH VALLEY CHORUS, A CHAPTER OF SWEET ADELINES INTERNATIONAL. Award-winning show chorus performs four-part a cappella harmony, singing ballads, swing tunes, and pop hits enhanced

by choreography, comedy, and fun. Accepts women of all ages and sponsored teens, ages 13+. Become a member after trying the group out for a while and then auditioning in a non-intimidating, private atmosphere. Ability to read music not required; learning tracks used to learn four-part harmonies. Weekly rehearsal at St. George's Episcopal Church, 735 Delaware Ave., Hellertown. Mon 7pm. Call for directions and to say you are coming. 610/395-2997.

LEHIGH VALLEY MEISTERSINGERS. Choir gives two major concerts per year. Classical, folk, and contemporary selections sung in German or English; pronunciation and interpretation of German numbers provided. SATB voices with a love of singing are welcome. Weekly rehearsal at Muhlenberg College, Egner Chapel, Allentown. Fri 7:30–9:30pm. Meets Sept–May. 215/453-8809.

STORYTELLERS

LEHIGH VALLEY STORYTELLING GUILD. Monthly "Story Circle" at Godfrey Daniels, 7 E. Fourth St., Bethlehem. Second Wed 7:30pm. Meets Sept–July. Free. 610/417-7749.

WRITERS

GREATER LEHIGH VALLEY WRITERS GROUP. Monthly business meeting and program on some aspect of writing/publishing at Palmer Library, 1 Weller Pl., Easton. Fourth Sat 10am–noon. Annual membership: \$45/new members; \$35/renewals. Monthly "Writers Café" at Palmer Library. Second Thu 7–9pm. greaterlehighvalleywritersgroup.wildapricot.org.

WORKSHOPS & CLASSES

ALLEGRO DANCE STUDIOS, 4030 Chestnut St., Emmaus. 610/509-1313.

Ongoing: Classes in ballet, modern and contemporary dance, hip-hop, tap, and jazz dance for children, ages 3–17, and adults.

ALLENTOWN AREA SWING DANCE SOCIETY. Weekly swing dances preceded by lessons. No partner necessary. At: Starlite Ballroom, Fearless Fire Co., 1221 S. Front St., Allentown. Tue 7–8:30pm (group lesson), 8:30–10:30pm (dance).

\$10; \$5/students under age 21. At no extra cost, special beginner and advanced lessons are sometimes offered (6:30–8pm) by preregistration (call 610/844-2045). <http://allentownswing.org>.

GROUP LESSONS

1/3, 1/10: Hustle, with Donna Boyle.

1/17, 1/24: Country waltz, with Con Gallagher.

1/31, 2/7: West Coast swing, with Dave Kim.

2/14: Rumba, with Mike Walton.

2/21, 2/28: East Coast swing, with Con Gallagher.

3/7, 3/14: Nightclub two-step, with Alan Saperstein.

SPECIAL DANCES

1/7: *Winter Ball.* Dancing, demos, food, and festive fun. Music by Dave Kim. Bring a dessert to share. Sat 7–11:30pm. \$15; \$10/students under age 21.

2/14: *Valentine's Dance.* Disco atmosphere; disco attire encouraged.

ALLENTOWN ART MUSEUM, 31 N. Fifth St., Allentown. 610/432-4333. **Sundays:** *Artventures.* Free drop-in workshops with monthly art projects and in-gallery activities. Sun 12:30–3:30pm.

THE ART ESTABLISHMENT, 945 Broadway, Fountain Hill. Full class listings and fees at theartestablishmentstudios.com. 610/807-9201.

Ongoing: Classes for adults and children in various media, including printmaking, darkroom photography, oil painting, abstract painting, and watercolors.

Ongoing: *Special Needs Art Class,* all ages.

ART IS INN, 9868 Weiss Rd., Breinigsville. 610/395-0344.

Ongoing: B&B has studio space that hosts workshops. Full class information, fees, and registration at artisinn.biz.

ARTSQUEST'S BANANA FACTORY, 25 W. Third St., Bethlehem. Specific course descriptions at bananafactory.org. 610/332-1300.

ART CLASSES

Ongoing: For adults and children, art classes in various media, including cartooning, ceramics, computer animation, drawing, fiber arts, glass, jewelry, mosaics, painting, printmaking, photography, sculpture, stained glass. See website for schedule.

1/6, 2/3, 3/3: *First Friday Hot Glass Experience,* ages 6+. Twenty-minute time slots to make an item out of molten glass: an icicle (Jan); a heart (Feb); a snail (March). Sun noon–4pm. \$50/time slot.

1/8, 2/12: *Second Sunday Hot Glass Experience,* ages 6+. Twenty-minute time slots to make an item out of molten glass: an icicle (Jan); a heart (Feb). Sun noon–4pm. \$50/time slot.

1/21: *Nature in Glass.* Create glass designs through the process of burning away organic materials. Sat 10am–1pm. \$75.

1/22: *Wool Bead Making.* Use wet felting to create two different types of wool beads. Sun 1–4pm. \$55.

1/25: *Cracker Basket,* for beginners. Weave a basket to hold one sleeve of crackers. Wed 6–9pm. \$45.

1/28 & 1/29, 2/25 & 2/26: *Intro to Glass Blowing,* ages 13+. Sat & Sun 11am–2pm. \$145/two-day workshop.

2/13: *Heart Link Bracelet,* ages 11–18. Mon 6:30–8:30pm. \$65.

2/15: *Pet Portraits.* Wed 6–8:30pm. Call for fee.

2/18 & 2/19: *Hyacinth Basket.* Weave a basket that starts out square in shape and then turns round as the walls are built. Sat & Sun 1–4pm. \$80.

2/19: *Felted Wool Scarf.* Sun 1–4pm. \$55.

2/23: *Figure Drawing.* Thu 6–9pm. Call for fee.

3/5: *Birdhouse Wall Basket.* Intro to the techniques used in creating a wall basket. Sun 1–4:30pm. \$60.

COMEDY CLASSES

For adults.

1/8–2/26: *Improv 301.* Study of "The Harold," a long-form improv structure. Sun 3–6pm. \$159.

1/11–2/15: *Improv 201.* Builds on the basic principles of improv and helps you make strong comedic choices. Wed 7–9:30pm. \$119.

1/22–2/26: *Intro to Sketch Comedy Writing.* Sun 11:30am–2:30pm. \$119.

1/23–2/27: *Improv 101.* Learn the core principles of comedic improvisation: agreement, being active, and justification. Mon 7–9pm. \$119.

3/5–4/9: *Intro to Standup.* Stage presence, delivery basics, joke types, and insight into the comedy business. Sun 1:30–4:30pm. \$119.

BALLET GUILD OF THE LEHIGH VALLEY, 556 Main St., Bethlehem. 610/865-0353.

1/30–5/20: Community classes (unless shown otherwise, classes meet once per week). *Pre-Ballet,* ages 3 & 4. Wed 6–6:45pm or Sat 10:45–11:30am. \$235. *Introduction to Ballet,* ages 5 & 6. Tue 4:30–5:30pm or Sat 11:30am–12:30pm. \$270. *Youth Ballet I,* ages 5 & 6. Tue 5:30–6:30pm or Sat 9:30–10:30am. \$270. *Youth Ballet II,* ages 7–9. Tue 6:30–7:45pm or Sat 9:30–10:45am. \$280. *Youth Ballet III,* ages 10–12. Wed or Fri 4:30–6pm. \$295/one class per week; \$470/two classes per week. *Youth Jazz III/III,* ages 7–12. Fri 6–7pm. \$270. *Intermediate Ballet,* for teens and adults. Sat 10:45am–12:15pm. \$295. *Adult/Teen Ballet.* Offered several times per week; check bglv.org for schedule. \$295/one class per week; \$470/two classes per week.

BAUM SCHOOL OF ART, 510 Linden St., Allentown. Complete schedule and fees at baumschool.org. 610/433-0032.

1/16–5/6: Fifteen-week session for adults. Weekly classes in various media, including computer design, ceramics, drawing, 2-D design concepts, fashion, illustration, painting, and photography. Courses may be taken through LCCC for credit.

2/20–4/29: Ten-week session for adults and children. Weekly classes in various media, including drawing, painting, ceramics, sculpture, photography, jewelry, computer graphics, and fashion.

BLICK ART MATERIALS, 3152

Lehigh St. (South Mall), Allentown. 610/791-7576.

Begins 1/10 & 1/11: *Oil and Acrylic Painting,* for adult beginners and intermediates. Six-week sessions taught by Tina Madonia. Class details at tmadonia.net. \$95/six-week session. Class size limited. Preregistration required at 610/262-6844.

CIVIC THEATRE SCHOOL, 527 N. 19th St., Allentown. 610/432-8943. **1/5–3/2:** *Theatre Beginnings,* pre-K & K. Basic theatre skills, such as listening, following directions, stage direction, memorization, creative movement, and getting comfortable in front of an audience. Thu 4–5:30pm. \$200.

1/7–3/11: Acting studios for grades 1–12. *Studio I,* grades 1 & 2, explores the art of storytelling,

character development, stage movement, vocal control, and theatre terminology. Sat 9–11am. \$285. *Studio 2*, grades 3 & 4, covers theatre skill games and improvisation, creating unique characters, basic prop building, and theatre traditions from other cultures and time periods. Sat 9–11am. \$285. *Studio 3 & Studio 4*, grades 5–8, examine physicalization as a tool to enhance the script, using masks, scene work, and short monologues. Sat 12:15–2:15pm. \$285. *Studio 5*, grades 9–12, teaches character analysis, physical comedy, vocal manipulation, emotional context, voice and articulation, and the different schools of acting techniques. Sat 12:30–3pm. \$285.

COLOR ME MINE, 25 E. Third St., Bethlehem. Paint-it-yourself ceramics. Register for classes at lehighvalley.colormemine.com. 610/791-2228.

Ongoing: *Color Me Canvas*, for adults. Canvas painting. Different theme each time. BYOB. Sun 3–5:30pm; Thu or Fri 6–8:30pm. \$35.

COMMUNITY MUSIC SCHOOL, 23 N. Sixth St., Allentown. Classes also given in west Allentown, Bethlehem, Center Valley, and Reading. Visit cmslv.org for further information. 610/435-7725.

Ongoing: Private lessons in most instruments and voice, for all ages and abilities.

Ongoing: Group/ensemble instruction in most instruments and voice, for all ages and abilities. *Adult Jazz*

Ensemble, ages 18+, intermediate and advanced. Jam under direction of an experienced bandleader. Mon 7:30–8:30pm. \$12/class. *Silver Winds Flute Choir*, for advanced flute players. At: Penn State Lehigh Valley, Center Valley. Wed 7–8pm. \$12/class. *Kids Chorus*, ages 6–11. Basics of vocal performance, including ear-training techniques, music theory, and harmonization. Thu 5:30–6:15pm. \$12/class. *Impressions Jazz Ensemble*, ages 12+, intermediate and advanced. Thu 6:30–7:30pm. \$12/class. *Saxophone Ensemble*, ages 12+, intermediate and advanced. Thu 7:30–8:30pm. \$12/class.

GOOD SHEPHERD HEALTH & TECHNOLOGY CENTER, 850 S. Fifth St., Allentown. 610/776-8310.

Ongoing: Three programs for kids with special needs—fitness; creative movement / therapeutic dance; yoga. Meet one time per week. Call for information about next eight-week session.

LEHIGH VALLEY MARTIAL ARTS, 544 Jubilee St., Emmaus. 610/966-2234.

Ongoing: Martial arts for children, adults, families. Three locations: Breinigsville, Emmaus, Fogelsville. Schedules at lvmakungfu.com.

LEHIGH VALLEY MUSIC TEACHERS ASSOCIATION. lvmusicteachers.org.

Ongoing: LVMTA members offer high-quality musical instruction in various instruments and voice. The association encourages, inspires,

and assists students of all ages in their study and enjoyment of music. Visit website for more information and to find a music teacher for adults and children.

OUT OF OUR MINDS ART STUDIO, 65 Lea St., Macungie. 610/762-5694.

Ongoing: Classes in acrylics, pastels, pottery, mosaics, glass fusing, and more, for all ages. One-night workshops and three-class sessions. Schedule at faidley.net. Studio also offers art-themed private parties, ladies nights, “Mom and Me” classes, date nights, and summer art camps.

PARKLAND HIGH SCHOOL, 2700 N. Cedar Crest Blvd., Allentown. 610/351-5600, ext. 72411.

1/7 & 1/8: *Children’s Theatre Workshop—Imagine!* Grades K–2: Sat 9am & Sun 11am. Grades 3–5: Sat 12:30pm & Sun 2pm. \$45/two-day workshop. Register at parklandsd.org.

PENN STATE LEHIGH VALLEY ARTS PROJECT, 2809 Saucon Valley Rd., Center Valley. 610/285-5261.

1/16–4/13: Classes for adults and teens. *Advanced Metals and Jewelry*. Tue 10am–noon. *Beginning Metals and Jewelry*. Tue 1–3pm. *Ceramics for Beginners*. Tue 6–8pm. *Drawing and Painting Design Fundamentals*. Wed 10am–noon. Each class: \$350. 10% discount for ages 55+. Preregistration required.

1/26–3/2: *Introduction to 3-D Design*. Thu noon–2pm. \$185.

REYNOLDS ADVANCED MATERIALS / SMOOTH-ON, 5600 Lower Macungie Rd., Macungie. 484/860-3636.

2/3: *Let’s Talk About Being Successful with Materials*. Informal get-together, with discussion and hands-on presentation, for people who want to know more about mold-making materials and casting processes in order to turn an idea into physical reality. Fri 1–3pm. Free.

ROSE MAVIS, MFA. Independent Lehigh Valley art instructor. At: Hobby Lobby, 3750 Easton-Nazareth Hwy., Easton. rosemavis.com.

Ongoing: *Open Studio Art Classes*. Weekly instruction in oils, acrylics, and watercolors. Fri 1–4pm. Call 610/691-1617 for more info.

TAP TIES. Classes for ages 12+. Take full session (prices below) or drop in for a class anytime. \$15/class except advanced level, \$20/class. 610/217-5112.

CEDAR CREST COLLEGE

Steinbright Hall, Allentown.

1/20–5/12: *Intermediate Tap*. Fri 9:30–10:30am. \$188. *Advanced Tap*. Fri 10:30–11:45am. \$225.

1/23–5/15: *Beginner Tap*. Mon 6–7pm. *Advanced Beginner Tap*. Mon 7–8pm. *Intermediate/Advanced Tap*. Mon 8–9pm. Each class: \$188.

MORAVIAN COLLEGE Johnston Hall, Elizabeth Ave., Bethlehem.

1/17–5/9: *Beginner Tap*. Tue 6–7pm. *Intermediate Tap*. Tue 7–8pm. Each class: \$188.

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