



Welcome to Art Link

The Frederick Arts Council welcomes your ideas and support as it continues to bring together the community's arts organizations to strengthen our region's arts and culture.

[Become a member of the Frederick Arts Council today to join us.](#)

Aid for the Arts in light of COVID-19: **The Frederick Artist Relief Fund**

The Frederick Arts Council is closely following the updates regarding COVID-19 (coronavirus) in Frederick County, the State of Maryland, and further abroad.

As a result of the likely impact to our local creative community, we are launching a GoFundMe page to provide grants to Frederick artists in need. If you love the arts in Frederick, please consider pitching in to our relief fund. The arts have been very good to this community. If you take care of the arts, the arts will take care of you.

The Frederick Artist Relief Fund will award grants of \$250-\$500 to individual artists who live in Frederick County and whose creative practices and incomes are being adversely impacted by Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19). This fund is for individual artists only, not organizations or nonprofits.

With events of all types being cancelled to reduce spread of COVID-19, people who

make income partially or fully through gigs and freelance work are losing critical opportunities to support their well-being in our community. We want to help as many people as possible, this means that we will likely be unable to provide the full amount of larger requests. Requests cannot exceed \$500. The amount we can provide is based on our donations received, the amount of requests we have, and the requests we project will come in the future.

We urge community members who are able to be generous.

Please [follow this link](#) to donate to the fund and find eligibility details and funding application.

[Additional Resources](#)

The following resources can provide aid and guidance to artists and creative professionals in light of the significant disruption the pandemic has caused:

Rauschenberg Emergency Grants Program

The New York Foundation for the Arts (NYFA) has partnered with the Robert Rauschenberg Foundation to administer a new medical emergency grant program called Rauschenberg Emergency Grants. This marks the first phase of a program that will be in the tradition of Change, Inc., a non-profit foundation established in 1970 by Robert Rauschenberg to assist professional artists of all disciplines in need.

Beginning in late May/early June 2020, the program will provide visual and media artists and choreographers with one-time grants of up to \$5,000 for medical emergencies. Eligible expenses include, but are not limited to: hospital and doctor bills (including insurance co-pays), tests, physical/occupational therapy, prescription drugs specifically for the emergency medical condition, and emergency dental work. Applications will be accepted on an ongoing basis and panels will meet monthly to ensure funds are distributed on a timely basis.

[More Info](#)

Guidance from Americans for the Arts

Like most of you, Americans for the Arts has been watching the breaking news about Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) and we are seeing inquiries coming in from the field and through our national service organization colleagues. While gathering and sharing pertinent information, we are also working to understand the long-term effect on arts and culture activities from performance to festivals, touring artists, and school field trips.

[Read more](#)

[AFTA COVID-19 Response and Resource Center](#)

[AFTA COVID-19 Arts Impact Survey](#)

This survey will measure the impact of the coronavirus on the national arts and culture sector -- please respond if you feel so inclined.

[Resources from Maryland Citizens for the Arts](#)

[A Comprehensive List of Tips, Tools, and Examples for Event Organizers During the Coronavirus Outbreak](#)

[Comcast offering 'Internet Essentials' package free for low-income customers for 60 days](#)

Golden Mile in Focus **Submit Your Photos!**



Photographer Wing Young Huie on Frederick's Golden Mile

The Frederick Arts Council has launched a public art project on the Golden Mile with award-winning photographer [Wing Young Huie](#) along with many local photographers, including nationally recognized photographer Ira Wexler.

Young Huie is known for innovative photography projects which actively engage the community portrayed. He has received national and international recognition for his work and he was featured in two major exhibitions at the Walker Art Center. In 2018 the artist was awarded the McKnight Distinguished Artist Award by the McKnight Foundation.

Last week Young Huie led a master class in Frederick for fellow photographers, guiding participants in taking photographs of people, places and events on the Golden Mile. He also conducted interactive workshops at schools, cultural centers, ESL classes, and other locations throughout the Golden Mile of Frederick, MD.

Local photographers are encouraged to send their Golden Mile photos in to info@frederickartscouncil.org or upload them to <https://tinyurl.com/photo-project>. Please also fill out and submit the [Nonprofit Media Consent Form](#).

Even if you were not at one of the workshops or the master class, we invite you to send in your images of people and places on the Golden Mile for "Golden Mile In Focus," an exhibit that will take place in many locations on the Golden Mile.

In Young Huie's workshops the artist asked participants to photograph neighbors, family members, and students, and share their stories and images about culture. He asked about the lives we aspire to have - and asked the question 'What is something someone would not know by looking at you?'; The goal of his artistic approach is to enhance understanding of others and to connect people.

The photographs taken at these workshops along with the photographs sent in to the Frederick Arts Council will be exhibited in Golden Mile In Focus, which will take place throughout the Golden Mile.

If you are business or property owner on the Golden Mile and would like to partner on this project by offering space as part of this community-wide exhibition, please contact info@frederickartscouncil.org.

The deadline for submitting images is April 20, 2020.

[Read the Frederick News Post article on Golden Mile in Focus](#)

Golden Mile in Focus will open in June, 2020.

For more information on Wing's practice please visit his blog at <http://www.wdys.blog>.

Help Us Name the Frederick Arts Council Center at 5 E 2nd Street!

What are your best ideas? [Submit them here!](#)



The Frederick Arts Council's historic property located at 5 E 2nd Street formerly served as a church and was built in 1871.

The Arts Council's intent for the property is to use it as a home base for the County's Public Art Program, as outlined in "[Connections, Frederick's Public Art Master Plan](#)"; as a location for resident organizations; as an artist in residence site; as an indoor location for the variety of community arts programs and performances such as those found at Sky Stage.

The converted church and community arts center will house public art projects as well as administrative offices for many of the arts council's programs.

Do you have an idea for a public art project in Frederick?



If you have a project idea that you would like to see considered for FAC's annual plan, please fill out the nomination form linked below, and email to info@frederickartscouncil.org with "Public Art Nomination" in the subject line.

Feel free to get in touch with FAC for any questions. Please refer to the [Public Art Master Plan](#) for information about the public art execution process as well as categories of art FAC is looking for.

[Public Art Nomination Form](#)

Now Available (Deadline March 30th, 5pm): K-11 Music Scholarships

Thelma Gross Music Scholarship and The Frederick Arts Council Fund

Scholarship monies are available for students ages 5 to 17, who are pursuing vocal or instrumental instruction in a group or individualized setting.

Applications are being sought from Frederick County Public School students attending kindergarten through 11th grade, who are in need of financial assistance to pursue training in vocal or instrumental performance.

- Applications will be considered from elementary, middle and high school students who have demonstrated talent and commitment to pursuing private music instruction.
- Applications must request funding for private instruction, only.

[Click Here to Download Application Instructions](#)

Application Updated: **Visual Arts Student Scholarships** Michael Campagnoli & Brittany Nicole Shiben Memorial Visual Arts Scholarships

Scholarship monies are available for students K - 12, who are pursuing visual arts instruction in a group or individualized setting.

Applications are being sought from students 5-17 years of age in Frederick County who are in need of financial assistance to pursue their training in visual arts.

- Applications will be considered for primary and secondary school students who have demonstrated talent, commitment, and aspiration in visual arts instruction.
- Applications must request funding for visual arts instruction only.
- Applications are accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

[Click Here to Download Application Instructions](#)

Evita at Other Voices Theatre

A representative from the Frederick Arts Council recently attended Other Voices Theatre's production of Evita, which is playing to sold-out audiences! Congratulations on an amazing show featuring incredible talent.



Need rehearsal or studio space?

Many local businesses and organizations offer space for rent. If you have space available that you would like to rent or offer in kind, please send details to info@frederickartscouncil.org.

[Click Here for a List of Rental Space Info](#)



Coming Up at Sky Stage



Stay tuned for info on our 2020 Season!

Follow [Sky Stage on Facebook](#) for updates

59 South Carroll Street
skystagefrederick.com



Hood College News & Events

Visiting Artist Joseph Norman Celebrates Black History Month



WHAT

Visiting Artist Joseph Norman Celebrates Black History Month

WHEN

Art Exhibit: Feb. 5 to April 12
Gallery open 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily

Public Lecture: Feb. 5, 7 p.m. (Whitaker)
Live Drawing: Feb. 6, 5 p.m. (Hodson Gallery)

WHERE

Hood College
Hodson Gallery, Tatem Arts Center
Whitaker Campus Commons

401 Rosemont Ave.
Frederick, MD 21701

DETAILS

Joseph Norman's exhibition in the Hodson Gallery will include mural-sized drawings and intimate lithographs exploring the Middle Passage, the sea journey by slave ships from West Africa to the West Indies.

He will present a lecture open to the public Feb. 5 at 7 p.m. in Whitaker Campus Commons. Titled "Dancing in Picasso's Shadow: From Ghetto to Guernica-Joseph Norman's Middle Passage," his talk will discuss his artwork, his thought processes when creating, and how he was inspired by the Beast of Burden concept.

Feb. 6 at 5 p.m., Norman will create a live drawing of the Zong Affair from 1781 on the wall of Hodson Gallery in front of a public audience.

MORE INFO

Elizabeth McFadden
Art Gallery Director
mcfadden@hood.edu
301-696-3285

Art Exhibit Celebrates Career of Joyce Michaud



Frederick, MD 21701

WHAT

High Point: A Retrospective of Joyce Michaud's Work

WHEN

Feb. 13 through April 5
Gallery open 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily
Reception: Feb. 14, 5-7 p.m.

WHERE

Hood College
Whitaker Campus Center Gallery
401 Rosemont Ave.

DETAILS

Joyce Michaud is the former director of ceramic arts at Hood College. She started the ceramic arts program at Hood and recently retired after 25 years of service to Hood. "High Point" looks at Michaud's development as an educator and artist as she has made her mark in the field of ceramic arts. Curated by Natalia Kormeluk, the exhibit covers a broad time frame in Michaud's artistic career, including her undergraduate work in painting and printmaking; her thesis work in ceramics, with research on structural strength in the wheel-thrown form; and her teaching and professional career as a ceramic artist. Her journey has taken her across the globe to Aberystwyth, Wales, and Yixing, Jiangsu Province, China, where she presented her research and taught workshops. Her work is found in collections worldwide. It is at Hood, though, where students experienced her passion and tenacity in building the ceramics program that impacted many and created a touchstone, or standard of excellence, in the field of ceramic arts.

MORE INFO

Natalia Kormeluk
Gallery Curator
kormeluk@hood.edu

hood.edu

"Inspired by Claire" Exhibit Opens April 19
A Collaboration of the Frederick Art Club, Heritage Frederick, and
Hood College

Sunday, April 19th, 3-5 pm
Heritage Frederick
24 E Church Street



An exhibit featuring original artwork inspired by the life and work of iconic fashion designer Claire McCardell will open Sunday, April 19 at Heritage Frederick, 24 E. Church Street in downtown Frederick, Maryland. The artists behind the works on display-representing a variety of mediums-are all members of the Frederick Art Club, one of the oldest organizations of its kind in the nation. The art exhibit, managed by art club member Marion Griffin, will continue through May 30.

The public is invited to the opening reception, 3-5 p.m., which for that afternoon only will also feature original McCardell fashions and memorabilia from Heritage Frederick, Hood College and private collections. Wine, non-alcoholic beverages, and light refreshments will be offered. Admission to the opening is free.

The opening will be preceded, at 2 p.m., by a special appearance by Elizabeth Evitts Dickinson, award-winning writer and McCardell aficionado who has been published in the New York Times and the New Yorker. Dickinson will share insights and anecdotes about McCardell gained through extensive research for her definitive Washington Post Magazine story "A Dress for Everyone" that tells the designer's story from her youth in Frederick through her rise to renown in the fashion industry. Limited seating is available for this program. To reserve, email mccardellproject@gmail.com by April 15. A \$20 donation is payable at the door.

Call to Artists: Academy for Fine Arts Children's Summer Camp



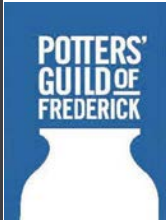
The Academy for the Fine Arts is partnering with City Youth Matrix to host a Summer Arts Camp for children going into grades 3-5 at Gov. Thomas Johnson High School from June 29th-July 2nd.

Each day of camp will feature one 45 minute assembly with a featured artist or performance. We would love to have each day focus on different art focus like dance, music, visual art, or

theatre.

If you are interested in presenting or performing as part of this camp, please contact jonathan.kurtz@fcps.org. To find out more about the camp, please visit www.cityyouthmatrix.com and feel free to spread the word!

Presentations should be appropriate and engaging for late elementary students, be approx. 45 minutes in length. A \$150 honorarium will be provided.



The Potters' Guild of Frederick -- Monthly Events

'Take a Turn At The Wheel' -- Try out the potter's wheel! We're offering 3-hour classes so you can see what it's like, and whether you want to learn more. This is an excellent investment in fun, creativity, & learning a new craft! Classes are the 2nd Saturday of each month. \$100 per person. All of the supplies, firings, & equipment needed for the event are provided.

Location:
Frederick Clay Studio
119 N. East Street
Frederick, MD 21701

The Potters' Guild holds monthly General Membership meetings the first Monday of every month. These meetings are open to the public and provide opportunity to meeting local artist, find out about the Guild, and participate in different activities each month. Meetings are held at the Common Market on Buckeystown Pike and start at 6:30pm. Please visit the Potters' Guild website (www.pottersguildoffrederick.com) for details and explanation of scheduled activities.

pottersguildoffrederick.com

Free Range Humans to Open Kids' Performing Arts Space



Free Range Humans is opening a new kids performing arts space in the mall. We and our partners will be offering a range of performing arts classes and performances. The space consists of a 27'x14' classroom and a 38'x88' multi-purpose room. We'll have a 12'x20' stage, lobby space, flexible seating, and a dance floor. We haven't had the fire marshall out yet, but we expect the capacity for the stage space to be @250.

Teachers - if you have a class you'd like to offer to kids, let's talk. We do have availability.

Music/Dance/Other Studios - We are saving Friday and Saturday evenings, as well as some weekend daytime, for recitals, rentals, and performances. Let us know if you'd like to come check it out.

Everybody - both rooms are available as rentals, with the classroom having the greatest availability. It's a great size for meetings. Keep us in mind.

Parents - I hope you'll check out our classes, and let us know if there's something you'd like us to offer that you don't see!

We do still have three unclaimed weeks available for summer camps this week, so talk to us if you'd like to host one in our space.

We'll have an opening night party April 1st. Come check us out!

experience-human.com



Maryland Writers Association

Encouraging Maryland writers, poets, playwrights, and authors for over 30 years

February 19, 2020

For Immediate Release:

Jim Brewster – Communications Chair MWA - Communications@MarylandWriters.org, - 202-557-8097

From Brain To Bookshelf 2020 writers conference set for March 28-29, 2020

The Maryland Writers' Association announced that Janet Friedman, the former publisher of Writer's Digest, is the keynote speaker and presenter for their "From Brain To Bookshelf" annual writers conference being held March 28-29 at the College Park Marriott Hotel & Conference Center in College Park Maryland. Jane is the former publisher of Writer's Digest, a Great Courses professor, and an author with the University of Chicago Press. Jane will present insider sessions on both Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday: Today's Key Book Publishing Paths: What's New, What's Old, and What's Right for You? Jane discusses, in plain English, everything you need to know about how book publishing operates today so you will understand the pros and cons of every major publishing path available.

Sunday: The Art & Business of Author Platform. Platform building requires consistent, ongoing effort over the course of a career; the work is never really done, and your strategy will evolve over time. She'll discuss how to develop an approach and philosophy that fits your personality and the unique qualities of your work.

The two-day conference also offers writers the chance to improve their craft and pitch their projects through **Workshops, Panels, and Agent Pitch Opportunities**. Each day, writing and publishing experts will lead workshops on various aspects of writing and publishing. Industry panels with agents and insiders will give you the latest lowdown on getting an agent and being signed by a publisher.

Agents will be on site both Saturday and Sunday to hear book pitches, provide critiques, and participate in industry panels. Check out [agent profiles](#) at the MWA website to find agents who are looking for your genre and style of work. Pitch and critique session slots are limited and available first come, first served.

- Agent Pitch: \$20.00 each (first pitch free for MWA members) - pitch your submission-ready manuscript to agents
- Critique with Agent: \$60.00 each for critique of first 10 pages of your work in progress (after you sign up, we'll send information about how to submit your 10 pages ahead of the conference; you'll meet with the agent at the conference to receive feedback on your work)

The College Park Marriott Hotel & Conference Center is in College Park Maryland on the University of Maryland College Park Campus, at 3501 University Blvd East, Hyattsville, Maryland 20783. The Conference Center is 1.8 miles from the College Park Metro Station (long walk or short Uber).

[Click for more info](#)

marylandwriters.org

Call To Artists

DISTRICT Arts

Contemporary Art in the Historic District

CALL TO ARTISTS

"SPRING FLING"

Awakening, Renewal, Regeneration



Photo by István Mihály

Submit by 4/5

May 7 - June 7, 2020

Opening Reception May 9

DISTRICT Arts is pleased to announce "SPRING FLING" a juried exhibition that features art that welcomes Spring. It could be interesting takes on blooming flowers or trees, a barn dance, Spring Break in South Beach, or trout fishing in Idaho. Let's not forget pasta primavera.

Any 2D or 3D works that speak to the awakening, renewal, and regeneration that Spring brings each year are welcome for submission.

Entries must be received by end of day April 5.

For details, visit <https://districtarts.com/spring-fling-call/>

15 N. Market St

Frederick, MD

districtarts.com

Concerts

NEW SPIRE STAGES

15 W. Patrick St. Frederick, MD 21701

SPRING 2020

FEBRUARY

Washington Revels Jubilee Voices

Saturday, February 8th @ 2:00pm & 7:30pm
\$24 Youth/ \$32 Adult



WASHINGTON REVELS
JUBILEE VOICES

Kyshona and The Shonettes

Friday, February 14th @ 7:30pm / \$32



KYSHONA AND
THE SHONETTES

MARCH

Rivka Golani with Angela Park

Wednesday, March 25th @ 7:30pm / \$32



RIVKA GOLANI
WITH ANGELA PARK

APRIL

April Verch Band

Saturday, April 11th @ 7:30pm / \$32



APRIL VERCH
BAND

Get your tickets at...

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PRIDE DANCE COMPANY CONCERT 2020 SATURDAY MARCH 14, 1 PM & 6 PM



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24/7 STUDENT REPERTORY COMPANY

For Tickets:
301-600-2828
www.weinbergcenter.org
Info: www.24-7dancestudio.com

\$15 ADMISSION
\$20 AT THE DOOR
\$10 CHILDREN (10 & UNDER)
\$15 AT THE DOOR



Weinberg Center for the Arts, 20 W Patrick St, Frederick

[weinbergcenter.org](http://www.weinbergcenter.org)

THE AWARD WINNING
SPIRES BRASS BAND
OUR 26TH SEASON
PRESENTS

ROCKIN' BRASS

A CONCERT OF ROCK 'N ROLL AND SOUL MUSIC

FEATURING VOCALISTS
NICOLE BOUFFARD & CHRIS RETTIG



SATURDAY MARCH 14 8:00PM

KUSSMAUL THEATRE
FREDERICK COMMUNITY COLLEGE
ADMISSION \$15 & \$12



THIS CONCERT IS PARTIALLY FUNDED BY A GRANT
FROM THE FREDERICK ARTS COUNCIL AND MSAC

National String Symphonia presents Jazz String Concert

Sunday, March 15th @ 2 pm
New Spire Stages
15 W Patrick Street

The National String Symphonia begins its Spring season with an exciting collaboration with area saxophonist Howard Burns. Burns joins us to present a live performance of the 1960 Stan Getz album "Focus," featuring a suite composed specifically for Getz by Eddie Sauter. A noted example of "third stream" music, Focus beautifully blends classical and jazz elements into a unique sound that will thrill listeners.

[Purchase Tickets](#)

nssorchestra.org

Calvary's Community Concert Series

presented by the Music and Arts Ministry
of Calvary United Methodist Church



Meraki

Piano and Clarinet Duo

Sunday, March 15, 2020

3:00 p.m.

doors open at 2:30

Calvary United Methodist Church
131 West Second Street
Frederick, MD 21701

This concert is free and open to the public!

Don't miss Meraki, a dynamic piano and clarinet duo founded by Dr. Elizabeth G. Hill. Dedicated to bridging cultures through music, the program will feature their 2019 Consortium Commission piece, "Be Still My Child," by Anthony R. Green, as well as a newly commissioned work, "Heloha Okchamali" (Blue Thunder) by Jerod Tate, and other pieces by Horovitz and Whitmarsh.



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Concert dates are firm at the time of posting and rarely change, but changes or cancellations by the artist/group and/or inclement weather may happen due to circumstances beyond our control. Changes will be posted at www.calvaryumc.org/concerts.

Visit www.calvaryumc.org/concerts for information on these upcoming events:

Sunday, April 19, 2020, U. S. Air Force Heritage Winds Quintet

Sunday, April 26, 2020, Michael Adcock, pianist

calvaryumc.org/concerts

Unapologetic Songs of the Sea: Sublimely Deep to Seriously Silly



Friday, April 24 at 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, April 25 at 3 p.m.

Jack B. Kussmaul Theater at
Frederick Community College

Ticket information available at
casof.org

**CHORAL ARTS SOCIETY OF FREDERICK PRESENTS:
Unapologetic Songs of the Sea: Sublimely Deep to Seriously Silly**

April 24, 7:30 p.m. and April 25, 3 p.m.

Come aboard the good ship Jack B as we celebrate our seagoing heritage. Whether you are a British Tar or a passenger on the Titanic, we will welcome you with tales of great adventure, mermaids, and even a sea monster or two! The bottom of the deep blue sea comes alive to the sound of our lively sea chanters.

Ticket information available at casof.org.

Theater



****BELOW PERFORMANCES (THROUGH APRIL 1st) HAVE
BEEN POSTPONED****

The G. Frank Thomas Foundation presents
He Who Gets Slapped (1923)
SUN MARCH 15, 2020 | 3:00 PM

A silent film accompanied by the mighty Wurlitzer organ! [Learn more](#)



The Frederick Speaker Series presents
PJ O'Rourke
THU MARCH 19, 2020 | 7:30 PM

Spend an evening captivated by America's premier political satirist and best-selling author.
[Learn more](#)



Erth's Prehistoric Aquarium Adventure-The Mystery of the Dinosaurs of the Deep
FRI MARCH 20, 2020 | 7:00 PM

Take your family on an adventure to the bottom of the ocean in this all new immersive experience. [Learn more](#)



Wonder Book & Video presents
Animal Farm (1954) & Selected Shorts
SUN MARCH 22, 2020 | 3:00 PM

A brand new film series this season! Happy Hour begins at 2:00 PM! [Learn more](#)



Flying Dog Film Series presents
Apollo 13 (1995)
WED MARCH 25, 2020 | 7:30 PM

Happy Hour begins at 6:30 PM! [Learn more](#)



Neil Berg's 50 YEARS OF ROCK N' ROLL 2
FRI MARCH 27, 2020 | 8:00 PM

Broadway headliners and rock 'n roll icons pay tribute to five decades of musical legends.
[Learn more](#)



MAINSTAGE



Angels in America
Part One: Millennium Approaches

APRIL 3 – 26

A poster for the play "Angels in America, Part One: Millennium Approaches". It features a man in a dark suit and tie, looking down, with large white angel wings behind him. The background is a light teal color.

SPECIAL EVENTS



RETRO PROM
March 28

A poster for "Retro Prom". It features a silhouette of a person dancing on a golden disco ball. The text "RETRO PROM" is in large, bold, white letters. Below it, "March 28" is written. A small circular logo with "MET" is at the bottom right.

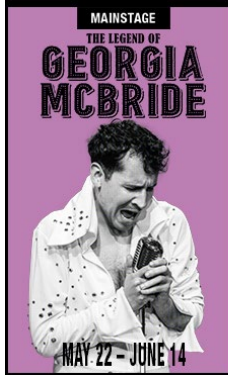
THE FUN COMPANY



Giggle, Giggle, Quack
March 21 – April 12

A poster for "Giggle, Giggle, Quack". It features a cartoon duck with a pencil in its beak. The text "Giggle, Giggle, Quack" is in a large, playful, black font. Below it, "March 21 – April 12" is written.


MAINSTAGE



THE LEGEND OF GEORGIA MCBRIDE
MAY 22 – JUNE 14

A poster for "The Legend of Georgia McBride". It features a man in a white, sequined jacket looking at a phone. The text "THE LEGEND OF GEORGIA MCBRIDE" is in large, bold, black letters. Below it, "MAY 22 – JUNE 14" is written.

MET COMEDY



COMEDY NIGHT
EVERY FRIDAY
8:30PM \$12

A poster for "Comedy Night". It features a colorful, stylized illustration of a pig and a bird. The text "COMEDY NIGHT" is in large, bold, black letters. Below it, "EVERY FRIDAY 8:30PM \$12" is written.

MET LAB



PLAYS IN PROGRESS
FESTIVAL OF NEW WORKS
March 13 – 21

A poster for "Plays in Progress". It features the text "MET LAB" in large, bold, white letters on a blue background. Below it, "PLAYS IN PROGRESS" and "FESTIVAL OF NEW WORKS" are written. At the bottom, "March 13 – 21" is written.

SUMMER CAMP



FUN CAMP

A poster for "Fun Camp". It features a close-up of a young girl's face with a surprised expression. The text "FUN CAMP" is in large, bold, white letters on a red background.

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Music by
ANDREW LLOYD WEBBER

Lyrics and Book by
TIM RICE

EVITA



MAR 6, 7, 13, 14 at 8:00 p.m.

MAR 8 & 15 at 2:00 p.m.

Pre-show dinner on Mar. 7
Pre-show brunch on Mar. 8

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Theatre

301-662-3722
othervoicestheatre.org
244 South Jefferson St. Frederick, MD

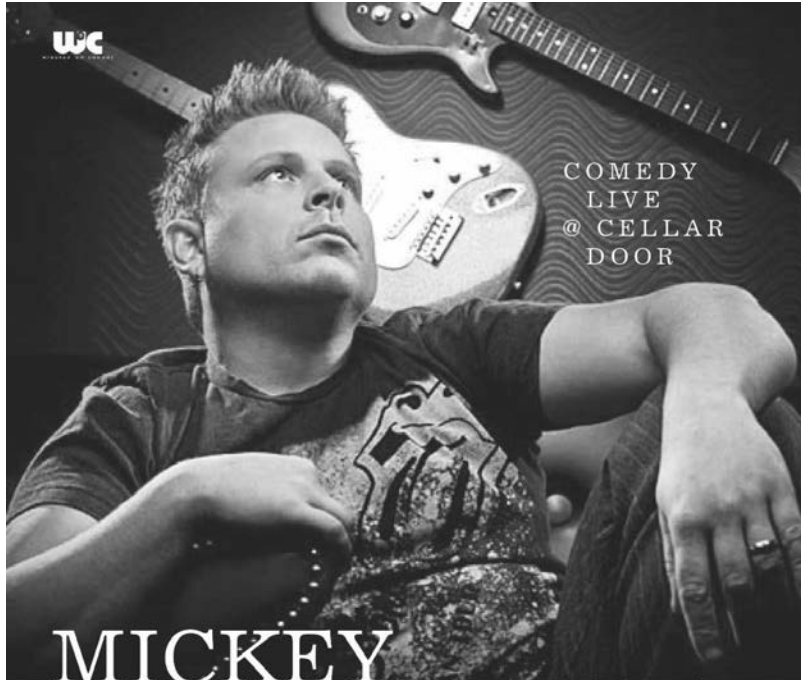
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Comedy @





COMEDY
LIVE
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DOOR

MICKEY CUCCHIELLA

98 Rock, Magoobys Joke House, Baltimore Comedy Factory

March 15
7:00PM

\$10 cover, 2 item minimum

Cellar Door
Church & Market St.
Frederick, MD

Comedy Live
at Cellar Door

MIKE RECINE

As seen on Conan & Comedy Central

March 22, 7:00pm

\$10 Cover, 2 Item Minimum

CELLAR DOOR - CHURCH & MARKET ST. - FREDERICK, MARYLAND



COMEDY LIVE AT CELLAR DOOR



Wendi Townsend

MAGOOBYS JOKE HOUSE, 98ROCK,
BALTIMORE COMEDY FACTORY, BIG TIMING COMEDY

MARCH 29, 7:00
\$10 COVER / 2 ITEM MINIMUM

CELLAR DOOR / CHURCH & MARKET STREET / FREDERICK, MD



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Visual Art Exhibits



FREDERICK COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ALL-COUNTY STUDENT ART SHOW

Works in a variety of media

Mar 7 - 29



FREDERICK COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
FACULTY EXHIBITION

Works in a variety of media

Mar 7 - 29



2020 BETTIE AWARD FINALISTS
EXHIBITION

Works in a variety of media

Mar 7 - Apr 24

MARCH 2020 EXHIBITIONS • PROGRAMS • WORKSHOPS

FIRST SATURDAY, MAR 7

2020 Bettie Award Presentation | 2:30 pm | FREE

Celebrate Frederick County's talented high school artists

Exhibitions Reception | 3-5 pm | FREE

See new exhibits and meet the artists

Creative Outlet | 3-5 pm | \$2 per artist

Celebrate the art of Anni Albers by weaving warm and cool colors

HIP HOP LECTURE SERIES: THE MOVEMENT

Thursday, **MAR 12** | 7 pm | FREE

Art meets music in this series of programs presented in partnership with Frederick Community College and Frederick County Public Libraries

ART AT NIGHT: MEDIEVAL IRISH ART

Friday, **MAR 13** | 6:30-8 pm | FREE

Join Dr. April Jehan Morris, Assistant Professor of Art History at Hood College, for a discussion of serpents, skelligs, legends, historical events, and works of art. Accompanied by whiskey and coffee tastings.

ART CARNIVAL

Saturday, **MAR 21** | 1-4 pm | \$10 per participant

Step right up for this self-directed drop-in art experience featuring fun and inspirational art projects that allow kids to explore the creative world!

SPRING CLASSES REGISTERING NOW AT DELAPLAINE.ORG

delaplaine.org



DISTRICT Arts

Frederick Community College



Student Watercolor Exhibit

Opening Reception: March 7, 5-7PM



March 4 - April 5

All artworks are available for purchase.

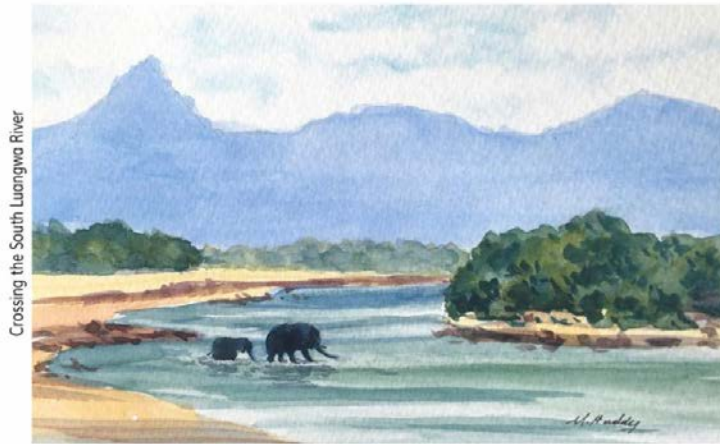
DISTRICT Arts, a contemporary art gallery located at 15 N. Market St in downtown Frederick, in conjunction with The Frederick Community College Visual Arts Program, is pleased to present Paintings from the Watercolor Studio Class taught by Ms. Behnaz Ghorbani. Works will include, Landscape, Portrait and Still-life.

The exhibition runs from March 4 to April 5, 2020, during which works by the other gallery artists will remain on display. An opening reception with the artists will be held on March 7 from 5-7PM. The exhibition is free and open to the public. All are welcome.

DISTRICT Arts

presents

"Have Brush, Will Travel"



Crossing the South Luangwa River

Small watercolor paintings from the travels of

Margaret Huddy

April 9 - May 3, 2020

Opening Reception April 11, 5-7p.m.

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TAG/The Artists Gallery



The Last Picture Show... ...at 216 N Market

TAG/The Artists Gallery is on the move! The group is in the process of securing a new space to display the work of its 21 full and associate members.

TAG will celebrate its 30th anniversary in October. The artists-owned gallery has been at 216 N Market Street since 2014.

The Last Picture Show features 2D and 3D art in a variety of styles and media by all its members.

TAG/The Artists Gallery is expected to reopen at its new location on May 1. Stay tuned for details!

March 6 through April 18

Opening Reception: March 7, 5 to 9

Closing Reception: April 18, 5 to 7

Colleen Clapp
Gillian Collins
Don Coomes
Luc Fiedler
Sandra Fritter
Sarah Higgins
Tina Lund
Bonny Lundy
Julie Maynard
Jan McIntyre-Creager
Jim Mitchell
Karen Peacock
Marie Riccio
Tom Ritchie
Cynthia Scott
Tom Semmes
Rhonda Smith
Patricia Stockman
Christine Stovall
Marc Weinberg
Cathy Wilkins
Karen Winston-Levin

TAG is the premier art gallery at 216 N. Market in the heart of Frederick's downtown district.
theartistsgalleryfrederick.com

TAG is open Friday-Saturday noon to 9 pm, and Sunday noon to 5pm
216 N. Market Street, Frederick



322 North Market Street, Frederick, MD 21701

Fridays 4-8PM, Saturdays & Sundays 12-5 PM

Chiaroscuro

March 7th to March 29th, 2020

Opening Reception: Saturday March 7th from 5-9 PM



Everlasting assemblage by M D Jones

Join Gallery 322 artists, Michael Douglas Jones, Jan Kaufman, Linda Kirvan, Ann Schaefer, Anne Gibson Snyder, Russell Schofield and Homer Yost as they explore the mysteries of light and dark in the new exhibition for March, **Chiaroscuro**. The Gallery will present an updated and contemporary slant on the classic formulas and approaches of the old masters. Paintings, sculptures and assemblages will highlight the contrasts of light and dark in new and dynamic rhythms. A fixture on North Market for over 10 years, **Gallery 322** continues to serve Frederick as a destination for fine art with inspirational and thoughtful contemporary realism presented in group and one person exhibitions. Join us for the March group show. For more information or appointment please call 240 815-7777.

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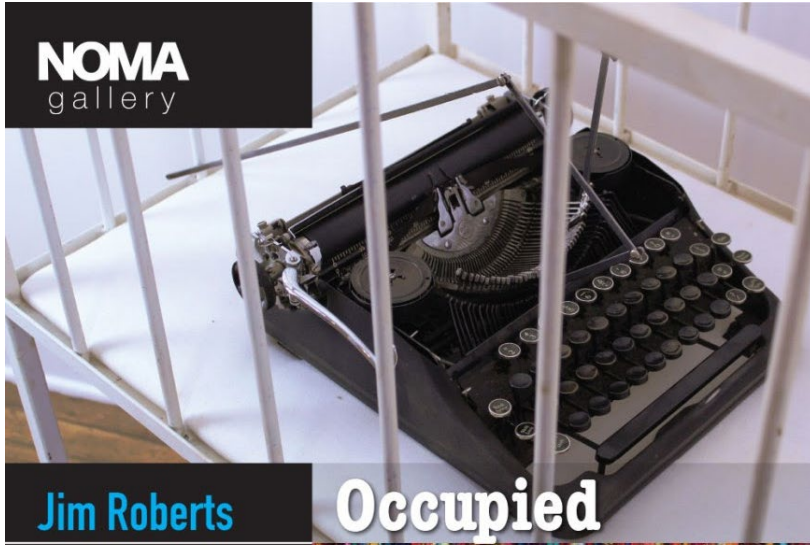


March Exhibition

**Virginia Sperry
& Jim Roberts**

"Occupied Space"

NOMA
gallery



Jim Roberts

**Occupied
Space**

Virginia Sperry



March 6-29, 2020

Opening Reception

Saturday, March 7 • 5-9pm

Artists' Talk

Thursday, March 19 • 7-8:30

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March 6-29, 2020

Opening Reception: Sat, March 7, 5-9pm

Artists' Talk: Thurs, March 19, 7-8:30pm

NOMA's March exhibition showcases the installation work of Virginia Sperry and Jim Roberts. The show, titled *occupied space*, will feature two separate installations, one by each artist.

Sperry's installation, *Filament*, takes a common material to a new level of experience.

From the detailed, abstract photography of tiny pieces of yarn to the bigger than life waterfalls made from strands of yarn hanging from the ceiling, this installation challenges the viewer's preconceptions of this medium.

Roberts' installation delves into the current political milieu with his work, *anatomy of a lie*.

Showing the various stages of how a lie can take form and spread, the piece is a 3-dimensional illustration of the attacking and discrediting of factual information by laying siege to the 4th estate.

April Exhibition

NOMA
gallery



Harriet

Trees on my Walk — A Visual Diary



Wise

April 3-26, 2020

Opening Reception **Saturday, April 4 • 5-9pm**

Artist's Talk **Thursday, April 16 • 7-8:30 • nomagalleryfrederick.com**

April 3-26, 2020

Opening Reception: Sat, April 4, 5-9pm

Artists' Talk: Thurs, March 16, 7-8:30pm

Harriet Wise is a longtime Frederick resident and photographer. Well known for 31 years of creating the Bach Calendar, she continues to be project- and idea-oriented and to devote part of every day to documenting the world around her.

The April Show at NOMA combines her love of light and shadow with a study of a number of trees seen on her daily walk in Baker Park. The importance of trees to our world and environment is well known. She has created a visual diary observing trees and their seasons. It is whimsical and in no way complete; a truly on-going daily discovery.

427 N. Market St. | Friday 4-8 pm, Saturday 12-8 pm, Sundays 12-4 pm | 240-367-9770
nomagalleryfrederick.com | nomagallery2@gmail.com

The Blanche Ames Gallery

"Three Generations of Andrex Art"



Wall Vase by Ann Andrex



"Owl" by Eryka Andrex



"Computer Guy" by Natalya Andrex

**Show opens Sunday, March 1
with a reception 12:30-2:00 p.m.**

Call 301-473-7680 for gallery hours.

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Show closes Sunday, March 29.

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Middletown, Maryland
Goldfinchstudio.org



Enroll: yellowbarnstudio.com
Info: alex.bartman@outlook.com, 240-626-4981

Spring Landscape on Location in Middletown Valley, Frederick County, MD \$295
Tuesday, 9:30am-1pm
April 14 - June 16

Cow Painting Workshop South Mountain Creamery- Frederick County \$220
Saturday, Sunday, 10am-4pm
May 30 - 31

Intensive Weekend Painting & Drawing the Figure
Middletown, MD \$250
Saturday, Sunday, 10am-4pm
April 25 - 26

Flower Painting Workshop \$230
Middletown, MD
Walt Bartman
Saturday, Sunday, 10am-4p
June 20 - 21

Paint the Historic Train Station in Point of Rocks, Maryland \$220
Saturday, Sunday, 10am-4pm
May 16 - 17

Summer Sunset Painting in Middletown Valley MD \$200
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June 22 - August 25

Goldfinch Studio 7215 Mountain Church Road Middletown, Maryland

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