





The Lamorinda Arts Alliance and the Concord Art Association are delighted to present a joint Art Show and Sale from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, June 2 at the Lafayette Christian Church at 584 Glenside Dr., Lafayette. There will be 24 artists who work in many mediums including ceramics, jewelry, printmaking, painting, photography, weaving and sculpture. There will be art demonstrations, live music, and light refreshments. https://laa4art.org, http://concordartassociation.blogspot.com

Moraga Art Gallery's new exhibit "Precision Beauty" will feature interpretations of nature in the form of jewelry by member artist Kuniko Kay Nitta of Walnut Creek and watercolor paintings by Berkeley's Karen Kramer. An opening reception, to which the public is invited, will take place from 5-7 p.m. on Saturday, June 9. The Gallery is located at 522 Center Street in the Rheem Shopping Center. For more information visit www.moragaartgallery.com or call (925) 376-5407.

MUSIC

Stanley Middle School presents Jazz Café from 6 to 10 p.m. on Friday, June 1 in the Stanley Multi-purpose room. This is a collaborative performance of Jazz student musicians from Stanley, Campolindo and Acalanes. Support the fundraising efforts of the Stanley Middle School Jazz Program and enjoy a memorable evening of music. General admission \$10; elementary students \$5; free for children under 6. Food, raffle drawings and silent auction (cash only). Tickets at stanleymusic. org or at the door (cash only).

Free Rock concerts in Lafayette Plaza Park every Friday in June, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Rock the Plaza line up: D. Band on June 1; Sona on June 8. More information at www.lafayettechamber.org.

Berkeley Festival and Exhibition offers a weeklong feast of music, music events, and festivities from June 3-10. The concerts and music events are all within walking distance of each other. Park your car and walk from one musical feast to another. Buy tickets online at www. berkeleyfestival.org or call the Box Office at (510) 528-1725. Children and students will have free admission to the Young Artists Series concerts at St. Mark's Episcopal Church.

Diablo Choral Artists presents a free event. For information call their concert "Variations on (925) 283-8722. Love and Laughter" at 7 p.m. on Universalist Church, 55 Eckley Lane, Walnut Creek. There will on June 7 at the Orinda Library. Admission: Adults \$25, Seniors her experience in remote Alaska. 5-12 free. Details and ticket cabin in the middle of the Alaska purchase on website: www.dcachorus.org. Tickets are available the nearest road! Please join us from choir members, or through Brown Paper Tickets, 800-838-2006.

Carol Trio with Amy Likar, presenting chamber concert of Beethoven String Trio, Mozart "Kids and Flute Quartet, Duos by Martinu and Srinivasan. Brooke Aird [violin], Linda Green [viola], Cathy ive Leaf Pediatrics and a snack Aird [cello], Amy Likar [flute]. Presented at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, June 13 at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 451 Moraga Way, Orinda. Suggested donation: \$20. More info at smumcorinda@gmail.com or stmark- event via cheflyndak@aol.com. sumcorinda.

4th annual Music on the Lawn joy "Wonder" at Moraga Comfrom 6 to 9 p.m. on Friday, mons Park starting at 8:50 p.m. June 15 at Saint Mary's Col- on Friday, June 1. Bundle up lege Chapel Lawn. Bring your with blankets under the stars. whole family and a blanket for a Concessions will be sold by fun evening listening to alumni the Moraga Youth Involvement bands, dining on Damian's famous taco buffet, and drinking beer and wine. Tickets: \$20 in The Contra Costa County Liadvance; \$25 at the door; \$10 Kids. Tickets at the door are cash only. Beer and wine can be purchased separately, cash only. For more information, visit: www.stmarys-ca.edu/4th-annual-music-on-the-lawn.

THEATER

Town Hall Theatre Company Presents "Sense & Sensibility," based on the novel by Jane Austen, from June 2-23, with previews at 8 p.m. on May 31 and June 1. The play follows the adventures (and misadventures) of the Dashwood sisters - sensible Elinor and hypersensitive Marianne - in gossipy late 18th century Regency England. As the play opens, their father's unexpected demise leaves the Many Faces of Skin Cancers family in dire financial straits; and both sisters must learn to navigate the rising societal pressures, preserve reputations and somehow find happiness and true love. Tickets: \$18 Previews, \$27-30 Thursday, Friday, and Saturday evenings, \$25-27 Sunday matinee. Discounts available for seniors and youth. Box Office: (925) 283-1557; www. townhalltheatre.com.

Not to be missed p.m. in Fellowship Hall. This is

June 9 at Mt. Diablo Unitarian Orinda's Own REAL Alaska Reality Show from 4 to 5 p.m. be a drawing for a gift basket Join Miramonte High alumna at the concert, and a reception Laura (Melohn) Emerson for a following the concert. General fascinating presentation about 60+ \$15, Students \$5, Children Emerson moved to a small log woods, a 20-minute flight from for Emerson's presentation full of pictures about this very different and very intentional life.

KIDS, PARENTS & TEENS

Snacks-Setting Healthy Habits" a discussion by Dr. Nazia Sheriff from Oldemonstration by Chief Lynda from Cooking with Kids Foundation will be held from 4-5 p.m. on Thursday, May 31 at the Lafayette Library Community Hall. Please register for the free

Free Family Movie Night: en-Committee.

brary is proud to kick off Summer Reading on Monday, June 4. The program is the Library's yearly effort to keep kids reading during the summer months, preventing "brain drain." This year's theme is "Reading Takes You Everywhere" and the program is filled with activities, events and reading lists designed to show you that reading can take your imagination anywhere. Summer Reading runs through Saturday, Aug. 4. For more information on Summer Reading including a list of prizes, challenges and events, visit your local Contra Costa County Library branch or ccclib.org/summer.

OTHER

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St. Anselm's Episcopal Church A Loving Community

Sunday Services: 8 and 10 AM

In-church Youth Zone, 10 AM Nursery Childcare 682 Michael Lane, Lafayette, 284-7420, www.stanselms.ws

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24 Orinda Way (next to the Library) - 254-4212

Sunday Service and Sunday School 10 - 11 am Informal Wednesday Meeting 7:30 - 8:30 pm Reading Room/Bookstore M - F 11 - 4; Sat 11 - 2

www.christianscienceorinda.org

WomenSing presents 'Earth-Rise-choral concert for compassion and peace' from 8 to 10 p.m. on Wednesday, June 6 at St. Mary's Chapel, 1928 St. Mary's Road, Moraga. WomenSing presents a musical exploration of the joys, challenges, and fragility of life on Earth. Join us in a glorious ode to our planet! Cost: \$28 general admittance; \$10 for students. For more info visit https://womensing.org/Current-Season or call (925) 798-4875 or email info@womensing.org.

Piano Composers last of the season concert will be at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, June 8 at the lovely Grace Presbyterian Church, 2100 Tice Valley Blvd. in Walnut Creek. Original, delightful, and inspirational music with occasional reference to Broadway, Beethoven, and New Orleans — all this imaginatively performed on stage by composer pianists themselves. This free event is sponsored by the Contra Costa Performing Arts Society (www.ccpas.org).

MFA in Dance Thesis Concert Series: Unearthed at 3 and 7 p.m. on June 15 and 16 at the LeFevre Theatre, 1928 St. Mary's Road, Moraga. Presented by Saint Mary's MFA in Dance Class of 2018. Featured Lafayette, June 2-3. For more works by Surabhi Bharadwaj, information, see www.commu-Stephanie Brumer, KJ Dahlaw, Emily Denham, Summer Logan, Ashley Mott, Laura Natario, and Hilary Snider. Tickets: \$15 per concert, \$25 for both concerts. https://wwws.stmarys-ca.edu/ forms/mfa-dance-performances3/index.html

LECTURE & LITERATURE

"Refugees and Asylum Seekers: Historical Context and Night2018 Contemporary Issues in the Trump Era" is the title of Dr. Karen Musalo's lecture for First Friday Forum at 1:30 p.m. on June 1 in the sanctuary of Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian Church, 49 Knox Drive, Lafayette. Musalo is the director of the UC Hasting Center for Gender and Refugee Studies and a professor of Law at UC Hastings. Refreshments will be served at 1

from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on May 30 at the Lafayette Library Community Room. Join an engaging panel of medical experts including Drs. Kelly Hood, MD, Arash Mohebati, Susan Kao and Christine Chung, as they offer insights into the latest information on prevention, risk factors, new treatment options, and explore the unique issues of skin cancer survivors. Reservations recommended, call (925) 677-5041.

See Community Concern for Cats' new crop of kittens at a weekend adoption event from 1-4 p.m. at Pet Food Express in nityconcernforcats.org

Come break all the rules at the "Night at the Library" includes cocktails, vino, silent Disco (?!?!) and fun around every corner beginning at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, June 2 in the stacks of the Lafayette Library. Immerse yourself in merriment, while supporting the library and its programs. www.LLLCF.org/

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Please submit events: calendar@lamorinda weekly.com