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AANNH Notes

We're currently working on a **visual arts map and guide** to the North Country. Please contact us if you have a visual arts or craft business or gallery and would like to participate in this project.

Interested in the **Creative Economy**? The connection between the **Arts, Health & Healing**? Programs for **young children and families**? Contact us to learn about new Alliance initiatives addressing these important issues.

Let us know if you'd like to receive our **Fall/Winter Roster**



Promoting, Supporting and Sustaining Arts, Culture and Heritage in the North Country

The Arts Alliance is pleased to present our ArtsNorth e-bulletin for you and your guests, arranged by sub-regions from north to south. For the complete ArtsNorth Calendar, with additional details, visit our website at www.aannh.org. Please be sure to confirm event details prior to attending.

Use our new "jump to" function (in the column to the left), which allows you to go directly to your geographical areas of interest.

To view events beyond the dates in this bulletin, you can use the Plan-Ahead Arts Calendar. Links to both calendars are available under our new Quick Links section. If your organization is presenting a cultural event, email the details to us at events@aannh.org so that we can include it in the online ArtsNorth Calendar and in our email bulletins, which will cover three weeks at a time starting with the next bulletin.

Arts Alliance News

Special Alert for Nonprofits

NH Center for Nonprofits Offers North Country Workshops

This fall the NH Center for Nonprofits has vastly increased its workshop offerings. For details on all NHCN programs, go to www.nhnonprofits.org

Arts Alliance Featured Events

Drawing from Nature: Arts, Peacemaking & the Environment 2006 Statewide Arts in Education Conference October 6-8, Sargent Center for Outdoor Education, Hancock

of Programs for Schools & Communities. It will be available by email and in hard copy at the end of October.

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We're proud to once again be a presenting partner in the NH State Council on the Arts' annual celebration of arts, learning, and community. Interdisciplinary school teams, Integrated Arts teams, environmental educators, community activists, and teams of artist-educators with their artist-in-residence coordinators are especially encouraged to attend. Check our website at www.aannh.org for details.

Workshops for Teachers

We're pleased to work with North Country Education Services to provide a wide array of cultural workshops for educators during the **North Country Professional Development Day** on Friday, October 6, at White Mountains Regional High School. Workshops include Teaching Place-Based Poetry Writing, Dyeing Wool with Plants, Making Paper by Hand, Motivating Elementary Writers, Creating a Story Cloth in the Hmong Tradition, Heritage Scavenger Hunt, The Art of Reading Aloud, and Making a Music CD: A Model of Art & Commerce. The workshops are free to teachers and paraeducators in SAUs 3, 7, 20, 35, 36 and 58; those registering from other districts pay an \$85 registration fee for the day. Details can be found at www.ncedservices.org/documents/ncpdd2006.pdf

The Franconia Heritage Council will hold an **Old-Time New England Barn Dance** on Saturday, October 7 at 7:30pm in the Franconia Town Hall. Dudley & Jacqueline Laufman will be providing the music and instructions. No experience is needed and all are welcome. Adults \$10, children under 12 are free, whole family for \$25 The event is co-sponsored by the Arts Alliance.

Senior Moments Theatre Troupe presents "There Is a Tomorrow" on Tuesday, October 10, 12:45pm at the Littleton Area Senior Center. This presentation by the Seacoast-based Senior Moments Theatre Troupe is a collection of five brief plays written for, by and about older adults. Each play is designed to help senior citizens recognize the challenges of growing older. There is no charge for the performance, presented by the Senior Center in partnership with the Arts Alliance, as part of our new Arts & Health initiative. Call 444-6050 for details.

"Preserving Community Landmarks: Information and Resources for Restoring and Maintaining Historic Buildings" will be held Wednesday, October 11, 1- 5pm at the Rocks Estate, Route 302, Bethlehem. All those involved in local preservation efforts are invited to this free workshop presented by the Arts Alliance and the NH Preservation Alliance. It will highlight the new Shared Field Service Program of the NH Preservation Alliance and the National Trust for Historic Preservation, and is designed for non-profit groups, municipal agencies and other organizations who own an old building and need assistance in maintenance and restoration. Participants will have an opportunity to share their

stories of building preservation projects, receive on-the-spot advice, sign up for a one-on-one field service visit, and take home new information and handouts on resources. At the end of the workshop, a group mentoring and problem-solving session will address real North Country preservation projects. Refreshments served. Advance reservations are requested; for more information or to reserve a space, call the Arts Alliance of Northern New Hampshire at 323-7302, or email info@aannh.org.

Marketing Arts & Culture in Northern NH, an informal Arts Alliance roundtable for cultural organizations and artists, will be held Tuesday, October 17, 1:30-3:30pm at the Rocks Estate, Bethlehem, with guest Shelly Angers, Public Relations and Marketing Coordinator for the Northern Forest Center. Free and open to arts, culture and heritage organizations and interested artists, artisans and crafters. We'll talk about the challenges of cultural marketing and the opportunities available to us through collaborative marketing approaches.

The meeting will be followed by a discussion of our work with member organizations and businesses on the Northern New Hampshire Visual Arts Map & Guide. Pre-registration requested: call 323-7302, email info@aannh.org

Colebrook Area

Poore Family Homestead Historic Farm Museum

Sunday-Saturday, Through October 1, see hours below

The Poore Family Homestead

Route 145, Stewartstown (7 miles north of Colebrook) (603) 237-5500

www.poorefamily.homestead.com

The Poore Family Homestead Historic Farm Museum is an historic and educational site illustrating life in the northernmost region of NH prior to rural electrification.

Hours: Monday-Friday, 11am-1pm; Saturday & Sunday 11am-3pm

Colebrook Area Historical Society Exhibit & Programs

2nd floor at the Colebrook Town Hall

17 Bridge Street, Colebrook 603) 237-4070

www.colebrookmainstreet.org/Colebrook.htm

Maps, photographs, manuscripts, court records, business/organizational records and local history items. Approximately 15,000 artifacts including fine arts, folk arts, costuming, textiles, household goods and more. Handicap accessible. Bi-annual newsletter.

Friday, October 6 - Program on Fraternal Organizations

Lancaster/Whitefield Area

Lancaster Historical Society Flea Market

Saturday, October 8, 7am-2pm or later depending on weather

Located at the southerly intersection of Routes 2 and 3 in Lancaster

Antiques, collectibles, fine crafts. Refreshments available on the grounds, with proceeds supporting the Lancaster Historical Society and the Holton House Museum. Free to visit; small fee to exhibit.

William Rugh Gallery Exhibit

June-October

Evergreen Drive, off Route 2 East, Lancaster, (603) 788-4889

www.rughgalleries.com

William Rugh Gallery Representing fine artists Ed Widmayer (original oils), Fletcher Manley (photography), Philip Jacobs (hand-blown glass) and Steve DeTurk (digitally-manipulated photographs).

Old Mill Studio Artisans Classroom Schedule

Old Mill Studio

On the Common, 36 King Square

Whitefield (603) 837-8778

www.oldmillstudio.org

Featuring original art & contemporary crafts of northern NH & VT artists, and classes to capture the creative spirit in each of us!

Beginner Basket: Individual lesson per your schedule Basic techniques to complete a simple basket; required for advanced baskets. \$20/one session.

Open Pottery: 3rd, 4th & 5th Sundays of each month, 11am-5pm; Other times by appointment

Once familiar with classroom routines, you are welcome to use the equipment with guidance available. \$3 hour + \$1 per pound of clay, includes firing and glazes.

Saturday Afternoon Crafts: Learn something new in an afternoon! Make it! Take it home! Today!

Most sessions are two hours (Decorative Painting and Woodcarving are four hours) and cost \$10-20, depending on the materials needed. Reservations are required. Tea/coffee included.

Violin & Guitar: Saturday mornings Call Jay Labore directly to arrange @ 869-3473

Guitar: Call David Glover directly to arrange @ 837-2083

Berlin/Gorham Area**Monthly Hymn Sing**

Sunday, October 1, 8am (1st Sunday of each month, May-October)

Chapel Arts New England

13 Glen Road (At the corner of Routes 2 & 16 by Gorham Town Common), Gorham (603)

723-1849

www.chapelartsne.com

Thousands of hymns can be selected from the Cyber Hymnal, as well as favorites from the traditional Methodist Hymnals. All denominations welcome, no church affiliation or membership is required. Visit our Fine Arts Gallery Friday, Saturday & Sunday, noon to 6pm (or by appointment).

7th Annual Lumberjack Festival & Competition

Sunday, October 1, 10am-6pm

Northern Forest Heritage Park

961 Main Street, Route 16, Berlin (603) 752-7202

www.northernforestheritage.org

Held in the perfect setting of the park's circa-1900 Logging Camp, the popular festival and competition offers a wide variety of activities for both the young and the young-at-heart, amid a day-long series of contests testing the skills of the competing professional lumberjacks, with the competition preliminaries starting at 11am, and the final awards ceremony taking place at 5pm. Food, games, exhibits, and demonstrations, as well as the thrill of watching some of the best in their field vying for cash prizes make for a fun day for the whole family.

Admission: Adults \$7, with children twelve and under admitted free, when accompanied by an adult.

French Heritage Meeting

Tuesday, October 3, noon-1:30 pm
St. Kieran Community Center for the Arts
155 Emery St., Berlin (603) 752-1028

French Heritage and the upcoming 2008 Quebec 400 Celebration will be the topics of conversation at a special "brown bag" discussion meeting with NH Commissioner of Cultural Resources Van McLeod. This meeting is free and open to all individuals, groups, and organizations interested in sharing information on current French Heritage activities or in developing new programs and partnerships. For more information, contact Kristen Harbaugh, at 603-271-3136 or the Arts Center.

Call for Quilters - North Country Quilt Show

Saturday, October 21, 9am-4pm
St Kieran's Community Arts Center
155 Emery Street, Berlin (603) 752-1028
www.stkieranarts.org

The first annual North Country Quilt Show is being developed as an open invitational event to encourage participation by anyone in the North Country region who quilts and would like to publicly showcase their creative work. Made possible by a community partnership between St. Kieran Arts Center and the Berlin Quilters Guild, the show organizers hope to fill the Arts Center with quilts of all sizes, shapes and types.

For more information and to obtain a registration form contact Barb Barbieri at (603) 752-1607 or BoBarb0104@aol.com or Sylvia Charest at (603) 752-6162 or rcharest@rr.ne.com. Information and a downloadable registration form is also available by visiting the Guild's Website at www.materialgirlsquilts.homestead.com/about.html

Berlin & Coos County Historical Society Museum

Tuesday-Saturday, 12noon-4pm & Wednesday 6-8pm (or by appointment)
Moffett House Museum & Genealogy Center
119 High Street, Berlin (603) 752-4590 or (603) 752-7337
www.aannh.org/heritage/coos/moffett.php

The Moffett House Museum serves as a nostalgic setting for exhibits on Berlin's rich history, encompassing its cultural, ethnic and industrial legacies. Reading Room is available for perusing through high-school yearbooks or doing research in the many "Brown Bulletins," City Reports, Antique Ledgers and various historical documents. Genealogy research available.

Gorham Historical Society & Railroad Museum

Monday, Wednesday & Friday, 1-5:30pm (main museum)
Saturday & Sunday, 11am-4pm (model train boxcar)
25 Railroad Street (behind town park), Gorham (603) 466-5338

In 1850 the railroad came to Gorham. Explore this rich history through artifacts, photographs, scrapbooks and more. Museum located within 1907 railroad station. A model railroad is housed in one of our boxcars. Admission by donation.

Berlin Public Library Children's Story Hour

Thursday mornings, 10-11am
Berlin Public Library
270 Main Street, Berlin (603) 752-5210
Children's Story Hour. Meet, greet & handout charts

Northern Forest Heritage Park: Celebrating the Working Forest

Tuesday-Saturday, June-October, 10am-6pm
961 Main Street, Route 16, Berlin (603) 752-7202
www.northernforestheritage.org

On the banks of the Androscoggin River, featuring circa-1900 logging camp and exhibits, Artisans Gift Shop & Gallery, Heritage Boat Tours, Moose & Wildlife Tours, Brown Company

House Museum, festivals and special events. Adults \$20, Ages 5-12 \$15, age 4 and under \$5.

Logging Camp Tours (self-guided) provide a glimpse into the lives of the lumberjacks who harvested timber from the mountains, lived in logging camps during the harsh winters, and drove logs to market in hazardous conditions each spring.

River Boat Tours on the Androscoggin River give the historical, cultural and geological story of the river on a 30 or 90 minute excursion, narrated by local historian Paul Tardiff.

Sunset Moose Tours feature wildlife talks at the Logging Camp Interpretive Center prior to viewing moose in their natural habitat. Learn about the region's wildlife, environment, local history and heritage on this 3-hour journey.

Mount Washington Valley

Art Is Where the Heart Is Fine Arts Show & Sale

Friday, Sept 29, 1-8pm; Saturday, Sept 30, 10am- 8pm & Sunday, Oct 1, 10am-4pm

The Brass Heart Inn

Chocorua (603) 323-7766 or (800) 833-9509

www.thebrassheartinn.com

Sponsored by the Mt. Washington Valley Arts Association and The Brass Heart Inn, featuring a selection of paintings, photography and 3- dimensional art.

Friday, 6-8pm - Opening Reception

White Mountain Art, Memorabilia and Book Sale & Show

Friday, Sept 29, 4-7pm; Saturday, Sept 30, 10am- 5pm & Sunday, Oct 1, 10am-3pm

Town Hall

Route 16/16A, Jackson (603) 383-4060

www.jacksonnhhistory.org/artshow.html

Jackson Historical Society presents its annual major sale of 19th century White Mountain School paintings, early White Mountain memorabilia and contemporary paintings of White Mountain scenes. A special feature of the event will be the addition of paintings by eighteen art students, aged 10-13, from the Josiah Bartlett School. These paintings will also be on sale with a portion of the proceeds going to a fund for the purchase of art history study materials.

Friday, 4-7pm - Preview showing, talk and reception with a cash bar. At 5:30pm, June McLeavy-Weeder, an art teacher at the Josiah Bartlett school, will give a talk on "White Mountain Art: Engendering an Appreciation in the Next Generation."

Admission free for show and sale on Saturday & Sunday.

Stone Mountain Arts Center presents Jay Ungar and Molly Mason

Friday, September 29, 8pm (doors open at 6pm)

Stone Mountain Arts Center

See website for specific directions

Brownfield, ME (866) 227-6523

www.stonemountainartscenter.com

Famous for their award winning music used on the PBS Civil War Documentary and other Ken Burns works.

M&D Productions presents "Voice of the Valley"

Saturday, September 30, 1-4pm & Sunday & Saturday, October 1 & 7

M&D Productions at Red Barn Outlet Center

Route 16, North Conway (603) 356-4449

www.yourtheatre.com

M&D Productions unique singing competition that includes ME/NH most talented singers. Will you be the next Voice of the Valley?

Auditions will be held September 30. Pre-registration is required; registration forms are available at the M&D Productions storage space located at the Red Barn Outlet Center, Route 16, North

Conway. PO Box 1147, Conway NH 03818

Return of the Pumpkin People to Jackson

October 1-22

Throughout greater Jackson area

Jackson (603) 383-9356

www.jacksonnh.com

Once again Mt. Washington Valley will be inhabited by dozens of playful pumpkin people, created by local businesses and homeowners. Visitors to the region are encouraged to take a self-guided tour and vote on their favorite pumpkin people display. Maps are available at the Jackson Area Chamber of Commerce and participants can take the self-guided tour at their leisure.

Genealogy Workshop

Wednesday, October 4, 10am-12pm or 1-3pm (first Wednesday each month)

First Monday each month, 1-3pm

Remick Country Doctor Museum Farm, Captain Enoch Remick House

26 Great Hill Road, Tamworth (603) 323-8002

www.remickmuseum.org

This program teaches participants how to use popular research tools such as town vital records, genealogy books and the internet. It also gives instruction in the best materials and methods for storing treasured old photographs so that they may be preserved for future generations to enjoy. Each class takes place in the Captain Enoch Remick House, which is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Class size is limited to 6 researchers. An initial registration fee of \$10 provides a starter packet with forms and charts. Individual classes are \$6.

Museum Admission: Free. Open year-round: Monday-Friday, 10am-4pm, except major holidays

An Evening of Original One-Act Plays

October 5-14, 7pm (matinees on Saturdays at 2pm)

Barnstormers Theatre

Tamworth (603) 323-8500

www.barnstormerstheatre.org

The Barnstormers Theatre solicited The Dramatist Guild for original plays that have never been produced. After reading over 1000 plays, we have selected for presentation an evening of plays that center around the family. The Barnstormers Theatre solicited The Dramatist Guild for original plays that have never been produced. After receiving and reading over 1,000 submissions, we have selected four wonderful pieces that center around "family". *Till Death Do Us Part* is a comedy about children dealing with a surprise at their parents' funeral service. *Pieces* is a fascinating tale of a woman meeting the people who are recipients of her mother's organ donations. *Christmas* is a funny look at a rich young couple who have decided to see what it is like to live on the street. *Uncle Sergei* is a take-off on another Russian uncle you may recognize by the name of Uncle Vanya. Tickets \$15 to \$20

Jackson Historical Society Museum & Art Gallery

Fridays & Saturdays, 12noon-5pm

Route 16/16A, Jackson (603) 383-4060

www.jacksonnhhistory.org

Museum of 19th Century White Mt art paintings, interesting artifacts, photographs, memorabilia and antique map collection depicting the life of Jackson residents and visitors. View an amazing 4 1/2 foot wide panorama photograph of Jackson. Free and open to the public.

Thursday, October 5, 7:30pm - William Marvel will discuss his recent book "Mr. Lincoln Goes to War" and the impact on and contributions made by our northern NH towns. Held at Christmas Farm Inn Barn. Free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.

Mt Washington Valley Arts Association Friday Painters' Group

Friday, October 6, 9am
Echo Lake, North Conway
(207) 935-4079 or (603) 356-0764 or (603) 603-356-2787
The MWVAA Friday Painters' Group meets to paint. All are welcome.
Call for more information and directions. Cancelled in the event of rain.

TGIF Book Discussion Group at North Conway Library

Friday, October 6, 10:30am (first Friday of each month)

North Conway Library

Main Street, North Conway (603) 356-2961

www.northconwaylibrary.com/events.html

The TGIF-book group meets at the Library and discusses both novels and popular nonfiction books with facilitator Jen Bella. The Met Coffeehouse sponsors the book group and donates coffee and baked goodies for the discussion. Everybody is welcome, whether you are a patron of the library or not, whether you have read the book or not. Copies of the book that is to be discussed are available at the North Conway Library.

"Creative Fridays" Pottery & Crafts at The Artery

Fridays, October 6 onward, 3:30-6pm

The Artery Ceramic & Craft Studio

Timberland Plaza, Route 16, North Conway (603) 356-7725

www.arteryinc.com

Children can create ceramics, beads, glass and scrap booking. Cost is \$5 for studio time and cost of materials, and if doing ceramics, \$2 for firing. There are so many new things for your children to create for gifts and treasures. Call ahead to reserve a spot, or just drop by after school.

Coffee House with Becky Close

Friday, October 6, 5-7pm (first Friday of each month)

The Majestic

Route 16, Conway

Come bring a friend and visit. Have a cup of coffee after work, and maybe a snack or two, and you can even make a request for the music!

Conway Contra Dance

Friday, October 6, 7:30-10:30pm (first and third Fridays of each month)

Salyards Art Center

110 Main Street, Conway (603) 383-4589

Beginners welcome! Live music of course! \$6 adults/ \$3 kids.

Remick Museum presents Fair Food

Saturday, October 7, 10am-12pm

Remick Country Doctor Museum & Farm

58 Cleveland Hill Road, Tamworth (603) 323-7591 or (800) 686-6117

www.remickmuseum.org

One of the many things we look forward to in the New England Fall season is a visit to an agricultural fair. And of all the exciting events and venues, we seem to anticipate the food the most. We'll make bread, dessert and pickles from the recipes of Blue Ribbon prize winners. Maybe we'll even make everybody's favorite - fried dough! \$15 per person.

Museum Admission: Free. Open year-round: Mon- Fri, 10am-4pm, except major holidays

9th Annual Oktoberfest with Mad Bavarian Brass Band

Saturday & Sunday, October 7 & 8, 12noon-5pm

Attitash Bear Peak

Route 302, Bartlett (603) 374-2368 or (877) 677- 7669

www.attitash.com/summer/events.html

The traditional Bavarian fete will feature music from the seven-piece Mad Bavarian Brass Band, the long-standing keg toss and stein holding contests and for children a barrel toss, pumpkin painting, a bouncy house and more. Beers from 7 different breweries will be available for sampling along with a wide array of German food and entertainment options. Admission is \$10 for adults (21+) and \$5 for kids (6-20). Children 5 and under, and guests of any age wearing lederhosen are free.

Stone Mountain Arts Center LIVE

Saturday & Sunday, October 7 & 8, 7pm

Stone Mountain Arts Center

See website for specific directions

Brownfield, ME (866) 227-6523

www.stonemountainartscenter.com

Stone Mountain LIVE Shows.....a Prairie Home Companion style show, with a variety of musical and comedic talent. We are doing a bit of a country theme this month...although we will stretch the boundaries of that word by adding some Mozart, folk and a few other tricks up our sleeves to make the night chock full of fun!! \$35 PP including hors d'oeuvres & sweets.

Open Mic for Poetry, Storytelling and Acoustic Music

Monday, October 9, 6:30-8:30pm (second Monday of each month)

Conway Public Library

Main Street, Conway (603) 447-5552

www.conway.lib.nh.us/index.htm

The Conway Public Library and host Tom Diegoli host an Open Mic featuring poetry, acoustic music and storytelling. Each month the program will include two featured performers, one musician and one poet, each performing two alternating 10 minute sets, then a 10-15 minute break, then Open Mic.

Regular library hours: Monday-Thursday 10am-8:30pm, Friday & Saturday 10am-5:30pm

Cook Memorial Library Events & Lectures

Ongoing, Hours listed below

Cook Memorial Library

93 Main Street, Tamworth (603) 323-8510

http://tamworth.lib.nh.us/Information_nbsp_and.5.0.html

Wednesday, October 11, 6:30pm - As part of the One Book One Valley program, Chris Canfield will lead a book discussion of "A Stranger in the Kingdom" by Howard Frank Mosher.

Refreshments will be served. Library Hours: Tuesday & Wednesday, 10am-8pm; Friday &

Saturday, 10am-4pm

History Room: Tuesdays, 2-5pm

One Book One Valley - A Stranger in the Kingdom

September-Mid November

Throughout Mount Washington Valley (603) 447-5552

Howard Frank Mosher's book "A Stranger in the Kingdom"

Mosher's title is the book of choice for "One Book, One Valley", a community-wide reading initiative modeled after the national program launched in Seattle in 1998. Conway Library, Granite State College, Kennett High School and White Birch Books chose Mosher's A Stranger in the Kingdom, unanimously picked for its multi-generational appeal. Copies of "A Stranger in the Kingdom" are available at libraries around the Valley. The book can also be purchased at White Birch Books. For further information about One Book One Valley, contact your local library.

Freedom Public Library Events Programs

Hours listed below

Freedom Public Library

Freedom (603) 539-5176

www.freedompubliclibrary.org

The paintings of Marge Kendrick are featured during September and October downstairs at the library. A versatile impressionist who resides in Tamworth, Marge won her first scholarship to the Boston Museum of Fine Arts School when she was only 12 years old.

Wednesdays, 10-11am - Preschool Story Hour

Library Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 2-7pm; Wednesday & Saturday 10am-1pm; Friday 12noon-5pm. Closed Sunday and Monday.

Mt. Washington Valley Woodturners Exhibit

Month of October

TD Bank North office

Route 16 (across from the League shop), North Conway Mt. Washington Valley Woodturners have an annual exhibit of work in the lobby of TD Bank North. Open during bank hours throughout October. Email for information: egood9088@hotmail.com

Heritage New Hampshire - FINAL SEASON!

Weekends through Columbus Day, 9:30am-6pm

Heritage NH

Route 16, Glen (603) 383-4186

www.HeritageNH.com

Heritage-NH is an indoor walk-through theatrical adventure of historic proportions! Theatrical sets, audio-visual and special effects, and costumed characters and guides depict New England life and progress from untamed wilderness to twenty-first century innovation.

Admission: \$11 for ages 13 and up; \$5 for ages 4 to 12; ages 1, 2 and 3 are always free.

Mountain Top Music Fall Session - Classes & Lessons

Ongoing

Various locations in Bartlett, North Conway & Conway (603) 356-5995

www.mountaintopmusic.org

Group classes and private lessons are offered for piano, voice, guitar, cello, violin, viola, flute and drums. Visit website for complete listings and details.

Jackson Public Library Programs

Tuesday & Thursday 11am-6pm; Wednesday 11am-2pm; Saturday 10am-1pm

Jackson Public Library

125 Main Street, Jackson (603) 383-9731

www.jacksonvilleage.net

Wednesdays, 10am - Fall Storytime

The Library's regular book group will be reading *The Stranger in the Kingdom* for its next selection and will meet on Tuesday, October 24 for a discussion. Anyone is welcome to join them. The library has a limited number of copies of the book available to borrow.

Bartlett Historical Society Celebrates Inaugural Season

Saturdays, 12noon-2pm

Bartlett Historical Society

Route 16, Glen (603) 383-4110

www.bartletthistory.org

Bartlett Historical Society celebrates the museum's inaugural season, just north of Heritage-NH in Glen. Through the generosity of Stoney Morrell, the Society now has a home in the little chalet on the hill. Visit an evolving historical display relating to the villages of Bartlett: Glen, Lower Bartlett and Bartlett Village.

Conway Public Library Fall Story Time Schedule

Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays

Through November 14, 10:30am & 1:30pm

Conway Public Library
Main Street, Conway (603) 447-5552
www.conway.lib.nh.us/index.htm

Tuesdays, 10:30am - Story Time for 2 year olds. "Get Up & Go!" is the theme with half an hour of age-appropriate stories, songs & finger plays about travel & transport.

Wednesdays, 10:30am - Story Time for Toddlers less than 2 years old. 20 minutes of songs, a story & baby signs.

Wednesdays, 1:30pm - Story Time today for infants not yet walking. 20 minutes of songs, a short story, lap rhymes & some simple yoga positions to do with your baby.

Thursdays, 10:30am - Story Time for 3 & 4 year olds. "Get Up & Go!" is the theme with 45 minutes of fun about travel & transport in stories, songs & finger plays.

Guests & older siblings are always welcome. Free & open to the public. No registration necessary.

Littleton Area

Film Series at the Colonial Theatre

Friday-Tuesday, 7:30pm & Wednesday, 5:30pm & 8pm (Early bird: 2 for 1, Wednesday, 5:30pm)
Colonial Theatre, Main Street, Bethlehem (603) 869-3422

www.BethlehemColonial.org

September 29-October 4 - Gabrielle: Marital breakdown that overwhelms a middle-aged bourgeois couple in turn-of-the-century France.

Thursday, October 5 - My Architect, A Son's Journey: Documentary examines the life and career of one of the century's most influential architects, Louis I. Kahn. Free, donations for WREN welcomed.

Check website for full descriptions of each film.

6th Annual Lisbon Fall Festival of the Arts In the Village

Saturday, September 30, 10am-4pm

Shared Ministry Brick Church

Main Street, Lisbon (603) 838-2300 or (603) 444-1785 or (603) 838-5149

The Ammonoosuc Region Arts Council hosts its 6th Annual Fall Festival of the Arts. Lots of fall foods, entertainment, demonstrations and interactive activities for all ages! Events include a pie contest, chili/chowder bake-off, quilt show, people's art show, dance troupe & musical performances, poetry contest, magic show, face painting and lots of fine arts and crafts vendors. Delivery Date for art: Thursday, September 28, 4-7pm. Bring up to 3 pieces, ready to hang. All mediums are welcome, there is no entry fee, and Peoples Choice Awards will be presented in several categories based on voting by people visiting the show.

36th Annual Sugar Hill Antiques Show and Sale

Saturday, September 30, 10am-4pm & Sunday, October 1, 10am-3pm

Village Meetinghouse

Main Street, Sugar Hill (603) 823-8478

www.franconianotch.org/antiqueshow.html

With a dozen dealers are participating, our show features a mix of large and small pieces in a wide price range. There is a special focus on White Mountain memorabilia including paintings. A map of antique shops to visit in the surrounding area will be available at the show. Admission: \$3

Littleton Historical Society Program - Old Man of the Mountains by Dick Hamilton

Wednesday, October 4, 7pm

Community House

Main Street, Littleton (603) 444-6435

Saving Our Children from Nature Deficit Disorder

Thursday, October 5, 5-7pm

The Rocks Estate, Bethlehem

The NH Environmental Educators (NHEE) invite you to a roundtable book discussion on Richard Louv's "Last Child in the Woods: Saving Our Children from Nature Deficit Disorder." It's not only computers, television and video games that are keeping kids inside. It's also their parents' fears of traffic, strangers, Lyme disease and West Nile virus; their schools' emphasis on more and more homework; their structured schedules; and their lack of access to natural areas. In this book, Louv shows us an alternative future, one in which parents help their kids experience the natural world more deeply - and find the joy of family connectedness in the process. There is no cost to attend. To register, or for more information, phone Beth Lesure at 226-0160.

Art Gallery Exhibits, Programs, Story Time & Writers' Support

Ongoing

St. Johnsbury Athenaeum

1171 Main Street, St. Johnsbury, VT (802) 748-8291

www.stjathenaeum.org

The Museum's exhibits and Art Gallery, consisting of primarily American and European artists from the late eighteenth century to the middle nineteenth century, are open to the public. Hours: Monday & Wednesday 10am-8pm; Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10am-5:30pm; Saturday 9:30am-4pm.

Story Time - Every Monday at 10:30am in the Children's Library. All ages are welcome.

Six O'Clock Prompt Writers Support Group - 1st and 3rd Monday from 6-8pm. Veteran and new writers invited. Contact Bill & Sharon Biddle at 633-2617 or Jenny & John MacKenzie at 592-3138.

Wednesday, October 4, 7pm - Alfred Stieglitz And The Rise Of Modernism In America. In this illustrated talk, Dr. Alan Fern, retired director of the National Portrait Gallery, explores how Alfred Stieglitz (1864-1946), photographer and art dealer, dramatically altered the course of the visual arts in the US.

Sunday, October 8, 3pm - Martín Espada Poetry Reading. Noted New York Puerto Rican poet called the "Pablo Neruda of North American authors" by fellow poet Sandra Cisneros. He is a winner of many awards for his poetry, essays and translations, and a recent Guggenheim Fellow.

Saving Our Children from Nature Deficit Disorder

Thursday, October 5, 5-7pm

The Rocks Estate

Bethlehem (603) 226-0160

www.therocks.org

The NH Environmental Educators (NHEE) invite you to a roundtable book discussion on Richard Louv's "Last Child in the Woods: Saving Our Children from Nature Deficit Disorder." As children's connections to nature diminish and the social, psychological and spiritual implications become apparent, new research shows that nature can offer powerful therapy for such maladies as depression, obesity and attention deficit disorder. Author Louv shows an alternative future, in which parents help their kids experience the natural world more deeply - and find the joy of family connectedness in the process. There is no cost to attend. To register, or for more information, please email or phone Beth Lesure.

"Disappearances" - A film by Jay Craven

Thursday, October 5 & Friday, October 6, 7pm

Littleton Community Center

Littleton (802) 592-3190

www.DisappearancesMovie.com

www.kingdomcounty.com

"Disappearances," a film based on Howard Frank Mosher's award-winning novel about North Country whiskey-running in the 1930's, tells a compelling father-and-son story and it's a kind of "Vermont western" that's fun, action-packed, and suitable for ages 12 and up.

All tickets sold at the door. Tickets are \$9, or \$8 for students and seniors.

Neskaya - World Dance / Sacred Circle Dance

Wednesdays, 6-7:30pm; Sundays, 6-8pm

Neskaya Movement Arts Center

1643 Profile Road, Route 18, Franconia (603) 823-5828

www.neskaya.com

Dances from around the world, done as celebration, prayer and meditation.

All dances are taught, no partner needed. Donation: \$0-\$10 Call for Yoga, Tai Chi schedule.

October 6-8 - World Dance workshop with Stefan & Bethan Freedman of England. Cost: \$150 (includes food). Contact Neskaya Movement Arts Center to register.

Rocks Estate - Hiking, Wildlife History, Garden Tours & Events

Open daily, year-round

The Rocks Estate

Route 302, Bethlehem (603) 444-6228

www.therocks.org

Owned by The Society for Protection of New Hampshire Forests, The Rocks is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Wildlife, history & garden tours. Picnic areas, hiking, skiing & snowshoe trails. Harvest your own Christmas tree.

October 7 & 8, 10am-4pm - Fall Fiesta - Enjoy a craft fair, wagon ride, pumpkin painting, candy apples, bird house building and jack-o-lantern carving, and learn why leaves change color on our fall color hike.

Sugar Hill Artisans' Guild Meeting

Saturday, October 7, 10am-2pm (first & third Saturdays of each month)

Carolina Crapo Memorial Building

Route 117/Main Street, Sugar Hill (603) 823-8431

Fabric artists are invited, Rug Hookers, Quilters, Rug Braiders, etc. Bring bag lunch.

North Country Chamber Players Classical Concert

Saturday, October 7, 7pm

Sugar Hill Meetinghouse

Route 117, Sugar Hill (603) 444-0309

Enjoy a glorious evening of food and music with the North Country Chamber Players as Allen Blustine (clarinet), Curtis Macomber (violin), Bernard Rose (piano) and Richard Sher (cello) play Brahms, Haydn, Strauss and Webern. Admission: Free, donations accepted. The concert and dessert reception are hosted by Woodsville Guaranty Savings Bank. **Please RSVP by October 2.**

Old-Time New England Barn Dance

Saturday, October 7, 7:30pm

Franconia Town Hall

553 Main Street, Franconia (603) 823-5000

www.franconiaheritage.org/index.html

The Franconia Heritage Council will hold an Old-Time New England Barn Dance, with Dudley & Jacqueline Laufman providing the music and instructions. No experience is needed and all are welcome. Adults \$10, children under 12 are free, whole family for \$25 This event is co-sponsored by the Arts Alliance of Northern New Hampshire.

Littleton Farmers' Market - Food, Crafts, Entertainment

Sundays, through October 8, 10am-1pm

South bank of the Ammonoosuc River

Littleton (603) 444-7777

www.littletonmainstreet.org

Farmers, craftspeople and food vendors. Several Littleton Farmers Market vendors are certified organic growers. Entertainment will be a regular feature of the market throughout the season. The best access to the market is from Mill Street where there is plenty of free parking. Customers can reach the market by crossing the covered pedestrian bridge. Limited parking is available around the Senior Center, off Cottage Street, on River Glen Lane.

October 8 - Rebecca Hall & Ken Anderson: "retro folk"

Senior Moments Theatre Troupe presents "There Is a Tomorrow"

Tuesday, October 10, 12:45pm

Littleton Area Senior Center

Littleton (603) 444-6050

"There is a Tomorrow" is a theatrical presentation by the Seacoast-based Senior Moments Theatre Troupe, part of a statewide tour. A collection of five brief plays written for, by and about older adults, each play is designed to help senior citizens recognize the challenges of growing older and help them find healthy ways to deal with the issues they face. Littleton's REAP counselor will be on-hand to facilitate group discussions sparked by the plays.

There is no charge for the performance. A donation is requested for the congregate lunch that precedes it. Presented by the Senior Center in partnership with the Arts Alliance, as part of our new Arts & Health initiative.

"Preserving Community Landmarks: Information and Resources for Restoring and Maintaining Historic Buildings"

Wednesday, October 11, 1-5pm

Rocks Estate, Route 302, Bethlehem (603) 224- 2281

For details on this free workshop presented by the Arts Alliance and the NH Preservation Alliance, please see the **Arts Alliance Featured Events** section at the beginning of this bulletin.

The Frost Place: Center for Poetry and the Arts

Through Columbus Day

The Frost Place

Ridge Road, Franconia (603) 823-5510

www.frostplace.org

The Frost Place is a nonprofit educational center for poetry and the arts based at Robert Frost's old homestead, which is owned by the town of Franconia, New Hampshire.

Hours for the museum: through Columbus Day, every day (except Tuesdays) 1–5 pm. General adult admission is \$4, seniors are \$3, and students 6–18 are \$2 Children under 6 are free.

Sugar Hill Historical Museum

Through October 14, Thursday-Saturday, 1-4pm (Special tours by appointment)

Sugar Hill Meeting House

Route 117, Main Street, Sugar Hill (603) 823-8431 or (603) 823-5336

www.franconianotch.org

2006 Main Exhibit: "THE TOY BOX" Antique dolls, dollhouses, toys and games. ALSO...

Genealogy library, Barn Gallery Art Exhibit, Thoma Gallery, Cobleigh Tavern Kitchen, Sleigh Shed (Bette Davis Sleigh), Carriage Barns, Gift Shop, and exhibit of projects by Sugar Hill Artisans Guild members.

Lisbon Landaff Lyman Area Historical Society

Fridays, 1-3pm

Pickwick-Clough Room - Lisbon Public Library

45 School Street, Lisbon, (603) 838-6615

www.lisbonpubliclibrary.org

Historical display of the Lisbon Landaff Lyman Area Historical Society will be open during the summer. The Pickwick-Clough room houses a collection of artifacts, correspondence, photographs and genealogy from the early settlers to present day. Lisbon Area Historical Society

meets every other month downstairs in the Lisbon Public Library in the Pickwick-Clough Room. The public is welcome to attend meetings and visit the historical room.

The ARTS Gallery Exhibits

Wednesday, Thursday & Saturday 10am-4pm; Friday 10am-6pm; Sunday 12-4pm

28 Main Street, Lisbon (603) 838-2300

www.lisbonartsgallery.com

Cooperative arts gallery featuring juried works by North Country artists from NH & Vermont.

Ammonoosuc Artists Gallery & North-of-the-Notch Studio

Daily, 10am-4pm, Saturdays until 5pm

In the Tannery Marketplace

111 Saranac Street, Littleton (603) 444-6266

www.ammonoosucartists.com

The Ammonoosuc Artists Gallery features work of about a dozen northern New Hampshire and Vermont artists and artisans. Featured art includes watercolor & oil paintings, photographs, and hand-crafted wood furniture, toys & gifts.

The North-of-the-Notch Studio features paintings, prints and extreme close-up photographs ("Abstractions from Nature") created by retired Boston TV weatherman Bob Copeland.

Bethlehem Heritage Society Museum

Thursday-Saturday, 12noon-5pm or by appointment

Bethlehem Heritage Society Museum

at the Visitors Center, Main Street, Bethlehem (888) 845-1957

www.bethlehemwhitemtns.com/heritagesociety.html

Memorabilia from Bethlehem's two Donald Ross-designed golf courses are on display, in addition to historical artifacts from the town's fire and police departments, Stonecrest Colony, The National Hay Fever Relief Association, Chase Tennis Camps, as well as many other items of local interest.

Exhibit - Cold Harvest: Ice Cutting in the Kingdom

Ongoing Exhibit

Fairbanks Museum & Planetarium

1302 Main Street, St. Johnsbury, VT (802) 748-2372

www.fairbanksmuseum.org

Until the mid-twentieth century, ice harvesting was an important industry in the Northeast. In the early 1900s, ice was cut and packed tightly in an ice shed and would last all spring, summer and fall, ensuring that everyone with an icebox had a steady supply to keep food and milk from spoiling. Blocks of ice were delivered to households and shipped to urban areas in the south throughout the year. With the introduction of the electric refrigerator in 1929, the days of ice harvesting were numbered. Photographs of the Newport Ice Company, run by the Handy family since 1913, showing the tools and process of this labor-intensive work are on view in the Museum's upper gallery.

Admission: \$5 Monday-Saturday, 9am- 5pm; Sunday 1-5pm

The Influence of the North East on American Skiing

Ongoing

New England Ski Museum, Next to Cannon Mountain Tramway

Exit 34B off I93, Franconia (603) 823-7177

www.skimuseum.org

Eastern Inspirations - The Influence of the North East on American Skiing. This exhibit at the New England Ski Museum will focus on northeastern organizations and people who spread aspects of alpine skiing across the United States and the story of their nationwide influence on the sport of skiing. The exhibit details the parts played by such groups as the Lake Placid Club, the Appalachian Mountain Club, the Dartmouth Outing Club and the Amateur Ski Club of New York. Admission is always free. Open Daily 10-5. Memorial Day-Columbus Day and December 1-March

31.

Lincoln/Woodstock Area

Flying Yankee Open House

Saturday, September 30, 12noon-4pm

Hobo Railroad, Lincoln (603) 383-4186 x117

www.flyingyankee.com

The Open House features guided tours of the Flying Yankee inside and out, an ongoing slide show presenting the history, restoration and future use of the historic streamliner and unique photo opportunities of the Flying Yankee. Although reservations are not required and there will be no entry fee to enjoy the Open House events, tax- deductible donations for the ongoing Flying Yankee restoration are encouraged. Rain or shine.

Warren Historical Society Museum

Open most Saturdays & Sundays, through September (or by appointment)

Water Street, next to Town Common

Warren (603) 764-5865 or (603) 787-6058

Home to the Redstone Rocket, the prototype used by NASA as the launch vehicle to put America's first Astronaut (Alan Shepard, a NH native) and America's first satellite into space. The museum has a gift shop and is "chocker block full" of historical items of the area. For genealogy purposes (in alphabetical order), every birth, marriage and death registered in Warren from the beginning, 1763. Meetings are held the Second Sunday of each month, April thru November at 6pm at the museum. The public is invited to attend.

Curious George Cottage Activities Schedule

Saturdays

5 Noon Peak Road, Waterville Valley

(603) 262-1598 or (603) 236-3308

www.curiousgeorgecottage.org

The Curious George Cottage is the former summer home of Margret and Hans Rey, creators of the curious George books. Our activities are committed to a mixture of art and science, the physical and intellectual, young and old, and ever-present curiosity: the foundation for a multigenerational center for learning and exploration.

9-10am - Reading Aloud Kipling's Just- So stories

10am-mid afternoon - "Finding Lost Waterville" half-day hikes.

Each hike will include some natural or historical feature.

Saturday, October 7 - Understanding Fungi: Mushroom Workshop & Walk in the Wild,

10am-12noon - morning workshop, followed by optional pot-luck lunch. 2-5pm - afternoon hike in the wild

4:30pm - Fall Literary Discussion Group

Most Saturdays, 8:30-10pm - Astronomy Night

Saturday, September 30, 9am - Oasis in Space, Field Trip to the Christa McAuliffe Planetarium

Monday, October 9, 9am - Field Trip to Sandwich Fair

11th Annual Lincoln Fall Craft Festival

Saturday, Sunday & Monday, October 7-9, 10am-5pm

Village Shops (formerly The Mill)

Main Street, Lincoln (603) 332-2616

www.castleberryfairs.com

This nationally recognized juried event hosts over 100 Craftsmen and Artisans. Live musical entertainment and craft demonstrations will be ongoing through each day. This event is held outdoors, rain or shine.

Waterville Valley Fall Carnival Features Live Entertainment

Saturday & Sunday, October 7 & 8

Town Square, Waterville Valley

www.waterville.com

Food booths, family activities, free outdoor concerts, carnival rides and an eating contest.

Saturday, 12noon-3pm - Outdoor Concert with Roxanne and the Voodoo Rockers!

Sunday, 12noon-3pm - Outdoor Concert with Sole City

Check website for a full entertainment schedule.

Reading and Book Signing: "Secondhand World" by Katherine Min

Sunday, October 8, 4pm

Brook Side Performing Arts Room, Town Square

Village Road, Waterville Valley (603) 236-4644 or (603) 236-2006

www.wvaf.org

Katherine Min's work has appeared in numerous publications, most recently in The Pushcart Book of Short Stories. Min was awarded New Hampshire Arts Council fellowships and received a National Endowment for the Arts grant. Free and open to the public. Limited seating, call or email for tickets.

Upper Pemigewasset Historical Society Museum

Saturday 11am-2pm & 5-7pm, Wednesday 2-4pm (also by appointment)

Upper Pemigewasset Historical Society Museum

26 Church Street, Lincoln (603) 745-8159

www.lincoln.lib.nh.us/history.htm

The Museum reflects the everyday life of past years with lots of photos, displays of logging, Civilian Conservation Corps, Hotels and Inns and personal memorabilia of folks who lived in this river valley mainly from the 1890s to the present.

Mo The Clown Balloon Twisting Performance

Wednesdays, 5-8pm

Elvio's Pizzeria & Restaurant

Lincoln Square Outlet Mall

Main Street, Lincoln (603) 745-8817

www.MoTheClown.com

Balloon twister Mo The Clown performs, out of makeup, every Wednesday, year round.

Live Entertainment at Woodstock Station

Sundays, 11am-1:30pm & Thursday-Sunday, 9pm

Woodstock Station & Inn

Main Street, North Woodstock (603) 745-3951

www.woodstockinnnh.com

Sunday Brunch Entertainment in the Woodstock Inn, 11am-1:30pm.

Live Entertainment in the Woodstock Station, Thursday-Sunday, 9pm.

Haverhill Area**2006 Alumni Hall/AI Stevens Memorial Photo Contest Exhibition**

Tuesdays-Sundays. through September 28, 10am- 4pm

Alumni Hall Cultural Center

75 Court Street, Haverhill (603) 989-5500

www.town.haverhill.nh.us/alumnicomingeven.html

Exhibit of the winning and selected photos from the Lower Cohase/Upper Valley region of NH and VT. Free admission.

Middle Earth Music Hall

Ongoing Programs - See website for specifics
Barton Street, Bradford, VT (802) 222-4748

www.memh.com

Saturday, September 30 - The Screwtops

Thursday, October 5 - Freebo & Photoglo

Friday, October 6 - Ray Bonneville

Saturday, October 7 - The Lonesome Brothers

Alumni Hall Quilt Show & Sale

Friday, October 6 at 7 pm

Alumni Hall Cultural Center

75 Court Street, Haverhill (603) 989-5500

www.town.haverhill.nh.us/alumnicomingeven.html

Opening of the Quilt Show and Sale will be Friday, October 6 at 7 pm. The show will exhibit handmade antique and modern pieces made by quilters from throughout the region, and include bed quilts, wall quilts, crib quilts, and miniatures. This year's Show & Sale will run through October 19 and culminate in a bi- state Quilt Documentation Day at the Hall on Saturday, October 21, 9am-4:30pm. Certified appraisers from the NH Quilt Documentation Project and Vermont Quiltsearch will be present to document and appraise quilts for the public as well as quilters in the exhibit. The public is invited, admission is free and refreshments will be served.

Deadline for delivery of quilts is Thursday, September 28.

Plymouth Area**Silver Center for the Arts presents Musical Theatre Showcase**

Thursday-Saturday, September 28-30, 7pm/7pm/2pm

Plymouth State University - Smith Recital Hall

Plymouth (603) 535-2787 or (800) 779-3869

<http://silver.plymouth.edu>

Musical Theatre Showcase at Silver Center for the Arts. \$8 adults, \$6 seniors, \$5 youth.

League of NH Craftsmen Class Schedule & Artist Demonstrations

League of NH Craftsmen - Sandwich Home Industries

Center Sandwich (603) 284-6831

www.nhcrafts.org/center-sandwichEducation.htm

Saturday, September 30, 10am-4pm - Judy Copeland, a Manchester, NH artist demonstrates work in dichroic glass. Demonstrations are free.

Sunday, October 1, 10am-4pm - Painting on Silk at Benz Community Center. Detailed instructions are handed out for reference. All ages, children under 10 should be accompanied by an adult. Materials: \$7, for one scarf, Tuition: \$50 (\$45 members).

Silver Center for the Arts presents Kathy Mattea

Saturday, September 30, 8pm

Plymouth State University - Silver Center for the Arts

Plymouth (603) 535-2787 or (800) 779-3869

<http://silver.plymouth.edu>

Two time Grammy award winner and recipient of numerous Country Music Association awards, Kathy Mattea blends the best of Celtic, country, folk, gospel and pop into a style distinctly her own. \$30- \$25 adult/\$28-\$23 senior/\$25-\$20 youth.

Karl Drerup Art Gallery Exhibits & Events

Monday-Saturday, 12noon-5pm

Plymouth State University, Silver Center for the Arts

17 High Street, Plymouth (603) 535-2614

www.plymouth.edu/gallery/

A vibrant center of art, visual culture and new media. Exhibitions range from traditional shows to contemporary trends.

Friday, October 3, 3:30–4:30pm - "Asian Games in Context" A talk by Dr. Richard Hunnewell, professor of art history, at Karl Drerup Art Gallery.

Through October 6 - "Asian Games: The Art of Contest" exhibition addresses important themes in Asian culture while illuminating new and unfamiliar aspects of our own.

Through October 6 - Lamson Library will host "Japanese Manga: A Glimpse of the Classics," curated by David A. Beronä, library director. Japanese Manga is similar to the American comic book, though far more popular in its native country. Manga is a respected art form and recognized as a distinct part of popular Japanese culture.

Through October 6 - "2006 Faculty Exhibition" Visitors may explore the exhibit at the Silver Center, which invites viewers into the private realm of the teacher as artist. This annual exhibition showcases faculty as working, productive and successful artists.

Artistic Roots Center Classes, Exhibits & Featured Artists

Open daily 10am-6pm

Artistic Roots Cooperative Gallery and Education Center

Campton Falls Marketplace

Routes 49 and 175, Campton (603) 726-7101

www.artisticroots.com

Tuesday, October 3, 5-7pm - Opening Reception for "Texture-Textiles-Techniques" where visitors can meet with The Fiber Explorers, six friends who have a love of working with fiber in common. The exhibit will show through the month of October.

Marcia Santore is the Featured Artist this October, displaying "Exploring the Nature of Abstraction." She works on both canvas and paper, using acrylic paints or gouaches, color pencil, pen and a variety of collage elements such as paper, string or "anything else I can make stick." Classes available for web site design, digital photography, learn to frame, learn to matte, foam plate printing, sewing, drawing, knitting and more.

Annual Plymouth Fall Art Show

Saturday, October 7, 9am-4pm

Plymouth Town Common

Plymouth (603) 536-1001

www.plymouthnh.org

Join us on the Plymouth Town Common for this annual event. Some of the most outstanding artists from all over New England will display their fine art, most of which can be purchased. Bring the family, and enjoy the great outdoors and some very beautiful works of art. Rain or shine.

Patricia Ladd Carega Gallery Exhibitions

Tuesday-Saturday 11am-5pm

69 Maple Street, Route 113, Center Sandwich (603) 284-7728

www.patricialaddcarega.com

The gallery exhibits work in all media by regional and national artists. Works on paper, sculpture, painting, monotypes, objects and installations are on exhibit in a barn dating back to 1825.

Surroundings Art Gallery - New England Art

Monday-Saturday, 10am-7pm, Sunday, 12noon-5pm

Surroundings Art Gallery

12 Main Street, Center Sandwich (603) 284-6888

www.surroundingsart.com

The Gallery specializes in original fine art in a variety of mediums (oil, water color, pastels, acrylics, sculptures, etc). You will also find folk art painted on chests, barrel staves, and other objects. The operating hours are seasonal with the peak being during the summer months.

Sandwich Historical Society Children's Room Exhibit

Through October 6, Thursday-Saturday, 10am-4pm
Archival Research & Library open Wednesday by appointment
Sandwich Historical Society
4 Maple Street, Center Sandwich (603) 284-6269
www.sandwichhistorical.org

The Sandwich Historical Society's Elisha Marston House Museum "Children's Room" exhibit features toys, clothing, books and other children's related artifacts from the Society's collection. Featured in the exhibit are handmade and Victorian china head dolls, tea sets and a display of children's summer dresses. The Sandwich Historical Society museums consist of an 1849 house which displays antique furnishings, archives and a library, and the Quimby Barn Museum which features transportation and farm equipment.

Corner House Inn - Live Music in the PUB

Ongoing - Friday evenings
Corner House Inn, Junction Routes 109 & 113, 22 Main Street
Center Sandwich (603) 284-6219
www.cornerhouseinn.com
September 29 - Jill Ducsai - Talented Sandwich Rock 'n Roll singer
October 6 - Frank Brewster - Singer/guitarist, easy listenin' classic rock 'n roll

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