



# BARRON ARTS CENTER

## WINTER/SPRING 2018

### February



Artwork by Olivia Jones

#### The Students of Bishop Ahr: Art Exhibit

Exhibit Dates: February 8-24, 2018

Opening Reception: February 8, 2018 ~ 7-9pm

Student art from Bishop George Ahr High School in Edison will be presented.

For more information call (732)634-0413

#### The Dr. Stephen Kaplan "A Taste of the Arts" Lecture Series : French Impressionism Lecture Survey

Join us for a complete series of lectures designed to give the audience a comprehensive knowledge of this beloved art period.

Presented by Art Historian Maryanne Zolota.

**Feb 28, 2018 - We'll Always have Paris: The Setting of French Impressionism** This session provides an overview of French Impressionism as it relates to the city that inspired generations of artists.

**March 28, 2018— Claude Monet** This program will trace Monet's career from founding member of the Impressionist movement to prolific practitioner of the movement's philosophy.

**April 10, 2018—Edouard Manet** This program will discuss the relevance of this 19th century painter; a pivotal figure in the transition from Realism to Impressionism.

All lectures begin at 7:30pm. Reservations Required.  
Call (732)634-0413



Paris Street, Rainy Day" by Gustave Caillebotte

### March/April

The Barron Arts Center & The Middlesex County Cultural & Heritage Commission Present

## Garden State World Beat 2

2018 Concert & Lecture Series



Stephane Wrembel

#### CONCERT: Stephane Wrembel Trio

March 16, 2018 ~ 7:30pm

Location: Barron Arts Center

A French born jazz guitarist who has settled in New Jersey, Wrembel is best known as a composer & performer of "Gypsy Jazz." His unique 21st century homage to Django Reinhardt's Romani French Jazz has earned him a place of honor in New Jersey's new global sound. Reservation Required. Call (732)634-0413

#### Student Works: HIGH SCHOOL

##### Student Exhibit

April 2-16, 2018

Reception April 16, 7-9pm

High School students from Woodbridge Township express themselves through visual art.

Join us for an award ceremony 4/16, 7-9pm



"The Two Sides of Me" by Janae Motley, GHS

#### PERFORMANCE: Barvinok Ukrainian Youth Dance

Ensemble With Special Guest Vocalist & Violinist Kseniia Iavorska

April 13, 2018 ~ 7:30pm

Location: Woodbridge Middle School

Theatre (525 Barron Avenue, Woodbridge, NJ)

This youth dance company was formed to give children of Ukrainian heritage the opportunity to learn traditional Ukrainian dance. This world class ensemble will entertain along with guest vocalist & violinist Kseniia Iavorska.

No Reservations needed! FREE admission!



### May

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#### The Chinese Music

Ensemble of New York

May 18, 2018 ~ 7:30pm

Location: Woodbridge Middle School

Theatre (525 Barron Avenue, Woodbridge, NJ)

Founded in 1961 the Chinese Music Ensemble of New York has grown from a few music lovers presenting Cantonese traditional music to becoming the oldest and largest Chinese orchestra in the United States. Its present membership of almost fifty musicians plays practically every type of Chinese musical instrument. No Reservations needed! FREE admission

#### 39th Annual Woodbridge Township

Senior Citizen Art Show

Exhibit Dates: May 5-14, 2018

Closing Reception: May 14, 6-8pm

For more information on registering your art work, or information regarding the exhibit and reception call Evergreen Senior Center at (732)726-6261 Sycamore Senior Center at (732)726-7087 or The Barron Arts Center at (732)634-0413



"Cardinal" by Kathy Jost-Keating, Woodbridge

## POETS WEDNESDAY

POETS WEDNESDAY: FEATURING POET EDWIN ROMOND  
WEDNESDAY, FEB 14, 2018 \* 8-10PM ~ WORKSHOP 7PM

POETS WEDNESDAY: FEATURING POET JOHN AMEN  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 2018 \* 8-10PM ~ WORKSHOP 7PM

POETS WEDNESDAY: FEATURING POET KEVIN HAYES  
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 2018 \* 8-10PM ~ WORKSHOP 7PM

POETS WEDNESDAY: FEATURING POET JOHN DORSEY  
WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 2018 \* 8-10PM ~ WORKSHOP 7PM

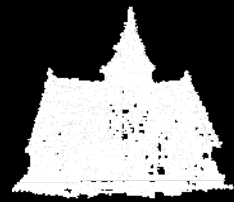
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EXHIBIT GALLERY HOURS: MONDAY - FRIDAY 11AM - 4PM; SATURDAY & SUNDAY 2PM - 4PM

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NEW & RETURNING ART CLASSES AND GROUPS AT THE BAC!

## Painting & Drawing Classes for Kids and Adults

For all experience levels who wish to  
learn or improve their skills

**Kids: Drawing Program: 8 week session**  
Saturday Mornings : 10am-11am (\$80.00)

**Kids: Painting Program: 8 week session**  
Saturday Mornings : 10am-11am (\$90.00)

**Adults: Painting Program: 8 week session**  
Saturday Mornings 9am-10am (\$115.00)

Classes are held year round!

Email: [jefcohenbarronarts@hotmail.com](mailto:jefcohenbarronarts@hotmail.com)  
for more information

## ART HISTORY FOR KIDS!

(For Kids Ages 8-12) Sundays • 1-2:30pm

Students will learn about the styles and techniques of the great masters and eras of art while each week completing a project based on that artist. Some lessons may include Jackson Pollock & Abstract Expressionism, Monet & the Impressionists, Andy Warhol & Pop Art, Leonardo Da Vinci & the Italian Renaissance. **\$125 per 8 week session**

**Limited Space ~ Sign up Early!**

For more info call 732-726-7024

Or email [vanskylar2@me.com](mailto:vanskylar2@me.com)



(Ages 8-12)

Sundays 3:30-4:30pm

This introductory course focuses on the basics of drawing your own cartoon characters. If you've never had an art course before, don't worry. If you can draw basic shapes, you're halfway there! You'll learn how to draw cartoon people, animals and things through tips, tricks, exercises and practice. You will also learn some tips on easy ways to draw your favorite cartoon characters WITHOUT tracing!

**\$125 per child**  
per 8-week session  
**Limited Space**  
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~ 7:30pm at **Barron Arts Center**

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July 19 • LECTURE: "The Foods & Wines of Spain" presented by Alborada Spanish Dance Theatre  
~ 7:30pm at **Barron Arts Center**

August 15 • LECTURE: "Tea & Other Beverages of the Pacific Rim" presented by Judith Krall-Russo  
~ 7:30pm at **Barron Arts Center**

FREE Admission for all events — \$5.00 Suggested Donation. Call (732)634-0413 For Reservation Information

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This program is made possible in part by funds from the Middlesex County Board of Chosen Freeholders through a grant from the New Jersey State Council on the Arts.



Cynthia Knight, Director



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Are you interested in supporting the arts with your time and talents? Help to make a difference in Woodbridge by volunteering at The Barron Arts Center. Call 732-634-0413 or stop in to sign up! If someone you know would like to be notified about the Barron Art Center's upcoming programs or events, please have them call or stop in! We'd love to add them to our mailing list!