



## From the Director



Winter greetings Members and Friends of the Arts Community. Year One under my leadership is now in the books and the Board of Directors and staff at the Pocono Arts Council are in the planning stages for Year Two. The theme for 2019 will be "Revisiting and Restructuring." We have served the community faithfully since 1975 and upon entering our 45th year, we have taken a microscope to the annual budget, looked closely at

our delivery of programs and services, and have determined that changes will need to be made to our operations starting in March 2019. We received news recently that the PA Partners in the Arts re-granting program will soon be re-districting; the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts has made an initial announcement that Monroe County will now fall under the Lehigh Valley region starting in FY 2020. Monroe County has traditionally been part of the Northeast region along with Lackawanna, Luzerne, Pike, and Wayne counties. The Pocono Arts Council has served as the granting partner for the region since 1997, bringing operating dollars that will no longer be available to us if we are not the partner agency. Add to that, the potential impact of the Interstate 80 project on the downtown region which forces us to reimagine who we are in the community and how to continue to fulfill our mission: providing leadership, service, education, and promotion of the cultural arts.

We will focus our efforts this year on establishing increased partnerships in the community to deliver services all over the region, rather than operating only in our central downtown Stroudsburg location. Thank you for your support in the past, in the present, and in the future, and stay tuned for announcements regarding our next steps as we navigate these waters over the next year.

We are always appreciative when people reach out to lend a hand. Please contact me, if you're interested in helping us plan our future.

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## Art of the State

PA Artists: submit your entry to "Art of the State." Open to Pennsylvania artists and craftspeople, this annual juried exhibition is held at The State Museum of Pennsylvania in Harrisburg. Cash prizes will be awarded for selected entries in the categories of Painting, Work on Paper, Photography & Digital Arts, Sculpture and Craft. The deadline to submit entries is February 28, 2019. For details, visit [www.statemuseumpa.org/](http://www.statemuseumpa.org/)

## Paper Newsletter Mailings Going on Hiatus in Favor of All-Digital

In order to cut costs, we are putting the paper mailing of the newsletter on hiatus beginning in March. Instead, we will email you the link to the March newsletter and you can scroll through it or opt to print out a copy at home. As always, current and past issues are posted online and can be accessed at any time at [www.poconoarts.org/news/newsletter/](http://www.poconoarts.org/news/newsletter/). Paper copies will be available for pickup at the council office. Do you use the events listings to plan your activities?

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## NEW! Class offerings at NCC Monroe Campus!

As we potentially downsize, we are looking for ways to continue our studio courses and so with a generous partnership with NCC Monroe, the Pocono Arts Council will begin to offer classes in the studio spaces in the Keystone Building on the Tannersville campus. The first series will be a Children's Printmaking Workshop taught by Suzanne Werfelmann. Suzanne has been teaching our very popular Saturday afternoon children's class over the last year and welcomes the opportunity to expand and grow. Two adult classes will be offered later in the Spring semester and class registration will be available on our website shortly.



## Festival of Wood 2019

Grey Towers National Historic Site, Milford

August 3-4, 2019

**Handmade woodcrafters: applications are open and due May 1 for the 15th Annual Festival of Wood.** Sponsored by the US Forest Service, the Pocono Arts Council, and Grey Towers Heritage Association at Grey Towers National Historic Site in Milford, PA, the festival is a public education program that heightens awareness about the importance of wood in our society and how professional and scientific forestry helps meet that continued need. The annual event has grown to include unique crafts made from wood, children's activities with wood and wood products, and a number of educational demonstrations and programs. Last year's festival drew over 3,000 patrons from the Tri-State area. For 2019, we are limiting the fine craft exhibitors to no more than 25 and diversity in wood media is expected.

Woodcraft Exhibit application: [www.poconoarts.org/programs/annual-special-events/festival-of-wood/](http://www.poconoarts.org/programs/annual-special-events/festival-of-wood/)



## Pocono State Craft Festival 2019

Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm, Stroudsburg

August 24-25, 2019

**Artisans: applications for the first jury are due Mar. 9.** The Pocono State Craft Festival, held annually since August 1986, is the Pocono's premier art and craft festival. The event attracts fine artists and craftspeople from across the U.S. and is a destination for the discerning collector of quality art and fine crafts. Apply here: [www.pocnocrafts.com](http://www.pocnocrafts.com)



**Annual K-12  
Student Exhibition  
ARTSPACE Gallery  
February 1-23, 2019**

Please join us at the Artists' Reception, celebrating K-12 Monroe County students on Feb. 8, 4-6pm. Categories will include 2-D works, 3-D works (Sculpture/Non-Functional), Fine Crafts (Functional), and Photography. Cash awards will be presented for Best of Show, Senior Awards (three per category), Junior Awards through Grade 8 (three per category).

## Seeking Sponsors

For all exhibitions and events in 2019, the Pocono Arts Council seeks individual or corporate Sponsors (\$250+ level) to cover expenses and award prizes.

<http://poconoarts.org/support/become-a-sponsor/>

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*your offer has been accepted!*

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## “Earth Speaks V: A Juried Exhibition on the Environmental Crisis”

Northampton Community College  
Monroe Campus, Tannersville

April 6-May 28, 2019

The Pocono Arts Council, along with several local partners, will host “The Earth Speaks V: A Juried Exhibition on the Environmental Crisis,” in Spring 2019 at the Dunning Art Gallery, Northampton Community College Monroe Campus, Tannersville. This is a new, expanded venue for the exhibition.

The Council is accepting entries for the exhibition through Feb. 8.

“The Earth Speaks V” is a regional open call for work that focuses the public’s attention on the gravity of environmental issues. Artists from the following states are invited to enter: ME, NH, VT, MA, CT, RI, NY, NJ, PA, VA, MD, DE, DC. Download the prospectus and enter online here: <http://poconoarts.org/artspace-gallery/the-earth-speaks/>

The show, now in its fifth year, grew out of past Pocono Arts Council board president Mark Lichty’s deepening concern for the climate crisis currently affecting our planet. Explaining the focus of the show, Lichty states that “Art has always been a powerful vehicle for raising consciousness, and this exhibit hopes to bring to light our growing awareness of a crisis we can no longer ignore.”

Local partners include Northampton Community College Monroe Campus, Monroe County Conservation District, and East Stroudsburg University.

The juror for the show is Harry C. Tabak from New Paltz, NY, whose early work reflects his bond to nature through his landscape paintings. For nearly two decades, Tabak’s art reflects a social commentary with an emphasis on environmental issues. He began to explore sculpture as a medium in 2001, utilizing found natural materials, creating the basis for his current experiments often described as “three dimensional drawings.” His compositions include wood, stone, glass, discarded broken materials, as well as metallic objects. Tabak studied Painting and Sculpture at The Art Students League of New York and attended Brooklyn College, Brooklyn, NY.

There is no limit to the number of entries. Students are encouraged to enter. Student: \$15 for first two entries, \$10 for each additional entry; Adult (PoconoArts Member): \$20 for first two entries, \$15 for each additional entry; Adult (Non-member): \$30 for first two (2) entries, \$25 for each additional entry. Notification of accepted entries on or around Feb. 15. Winning entries should arrive at the Dunning Art Gallery on or before Mar. 28. Exhibition will run April 6-May 28. Artists’ Reception at the Dunning Art Gallery, Apr. 27.

More than \$1,000 in cash awards are available in a variety of mediums including 2-D, 3-D, Photography, and Printmaking. Awards include: \$250 Juror’s Choice Award; \$250 Kay & Girard Lichty Climate Crisis Award; \$100 Otto Grever Printmaking Award; \$100 3-D Award; \$100 2-D Award; \$100 Photography Award; \$100 ARTSPACE Gallery Student Award; and \$50 Origins Gallery Award.

**NOTE: The “Art as Spirituality” exhibition scheduled for March 2019 has been cancelled.**

## Thank You January Volunteers

**Newsletter** – Rachel Keslosky, Rosemarie Keslosky, Ruth Randone, Jack Swersie, Jill Swersie, Nancy Tully

*The Pocono Arts Council depends upon its volunteers and appreciates your support throughout the year. Interested in volunteering? Email Tassy Gilbert at [tassy@poconoarts.org](mailto:tassy@poconoarts.org).*

## IN MEMORIAM

The Pocono Arts Council extends its sympathies to the family and friends of Gary Kresge, long-time arts council member and supporter. Gary’s oil painting “Falls at Tobyhanna Creek” is part of the Pocono Arts Council’s permanent collection on view in the ARTSPACE Gallery. In 2012, Gary was the first artist to be inducted into the Pocono Arts Council Hall of Fame. In keeping with Gary’s wishes, donations may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project or Camp Papillon Animal Shelter in Stroudsburg.

**NEW!** Beginning in March 2019, Pocono Arts Council studio classes will relocate to Northampton Community College Monroe Campus. Course offerings will be listed on our website at [www.poconoarts.org](http://www.poconoarts.org).

## February Studio Classes at PoconoArts

Register online at [poconoarts.org](http://poconoarts.org), call 570-476-4460 or email at [info@poconoarts.org](mailto:info@poconoarts.org). Payment is required at the time of registration to ensure the class will run.

### Oil Painting (4 weeks)

Thursdays 6:30-8:30pm

February 7, 14, 21, 28

This ongoing workshop focuses on the individual, helping them to develop their own personal style and technique working with the oil medium. Learn how to develop your painting by understanding drawing and composition, light and shadow, color, preparation of materials and the application of paint. Working at your own pace, you pick the subject while the instructor guides you through the painting process.

Instructor: John McAllister is a graduate of York Academy of Arts and works as a freelance artist and videographer.

**Tuition based on 4 weeks: Member \$75/Non-Member \$85; Senior Member \$65/Senior Non-Member \$75**

### Intermediate Watercolor (4 weeks)

Sundays 1-4pm

February 3, 10, 17, 24

Come join us in this ongoing watercolor journey and discover the flexibility of this wonderful medium. We will cover composition, form shapes and definitely color!!! Students can work from photos that they have taken or utilize the still life that will be set up during each workshop. A very free approach will be explored where your creativity takes wing.

Instructor: Iraina Caramelli graduated from the Parsons School of Design in NYC. She also studied fine and graphic arts at Pratt Institute. She works in a variety of mediums including mixed media, acrylic, watercolor, pen and in and pastels.

**Tuition based on 4 weeks: Member \$100/Non-Member \$110; Senior Member \$90/Senior Non-Member \$100**

### Drawing and More Workshop for Children (Ongoing)

Saturdays 1-3pm

February 2, 9, 16, 23

In this ongoing workshop students will explore easy drawing techniques to help them draw realistically and then move on to their own personal drawing interpretations of images. Explore color usage by learning about the color wheel and all of the variety of combinations that are available to them. Acrylics, watercolor, tempera paint and colored pencils are some of the supplies that will be used to express color choices. Join us to expand how you see the world.

Instructor: Suzanne Werfelman is a retired art teacher/artist who taught students in NYC, NJ and the Poconos for over 35 years. Suzanne graduated from Indiana University in Bloomington with a degree in Art Education.

**Tuition: \$10/workshop**

# February Calendar

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**First Friday Scranton (PPA Grantee)**  
First Friday Artwalk, Scranton, 5-9pm. 570-565-9006, [www.firstfridayscranton.com/](http://www.firstfridayscranton.com/)

**Schisler Museum of Wildlife and Natural History & McMunn Planetarium**  
Nature by Night Flashlight Tours, First Fridays, Ages 4-13, 6-8pm, Normal Street and Ransberry Ave., East Stroudsburg. Pre-registration required, 570.422.2747, [smcurator@esu.edu](mailto:smcurator@esu.edu), [www.quantum.esu.edu/museum/programs/family/](http://www.quantum.esu.edu/museum/programs/family/)

**University of Scranton, The Hope Horn Gallery (PPA Grantee)**

"I'm in the Wrong Film: Photographs by Hans Gindlesberger", Gallery Lecture, 5-6pm, Brennan Hall, Rm. 228; Public Reception, 6-8pm, The Hope Horn Gallery, Hyland Hall, 4th Floor, 570-941-4214, [www.scranton.edu/academics/hope-horn-gallery/index.shtml](http://www.scranton.edu/academics/hope-horn-gallery/index.shtml)

**Afa Gallery (PPA Grantee)**

First Friday Opening Reception, Melissa Jennings, Christine Brown, & Robert Vielee, 6-9pm, 514 Lackawanna Ave., Scranton. 570-969-1040, [www.artistsforart.org](http://www.artistsforart.org)

**Pocono Center for the Arts**

Reception, Photography of Jonathan Broady, Shawnee Inn rotating gallery, 6:30pm (thru Mar.). [www.poconocenterforthearts.org](http://www.poconocenterforthearts.org)

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**Monroe Farmers Market**

Inside Renegade Winery, Nov.-Mar., 9am-12pm, 600 Main Street, Stroudsburg. 917-716-6489, [www.monroefarmersmarket.com](http://www.monroefarmersmarket.com)

**Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center**

Wild Canids of the Poconos with Roger Spotts, 8050 Running Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 10am-11:30am. 570-629-3061, [www.mcconservation.org](http://www.mcconservation.org)

**Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center**

Art Opening: Andrea Henley "Nature's Simplicity," 8050 Running Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 11am-1pm. 570-629-3061, [www.mcconservation.org](http://www.mcconservation.org)

**Art Factory of White Mills**

Artist of the Month Reception, Richard D'Ambrosia, 1-4pm, 736 Texas Palmyra Hwy (Rt. 6), White Mills. 570-251-1181, [www.theartfactoryofwhitemills.com/](http://www.theartfactoryofwhitemills.com/)

**Origins Gallery @PoconoArts**

Little Night IV Midwinter Event, 4-6pm, 18 N. 7th St., Stroudsburg. [www.facebook.com/OriginsGalleryStroudsburg/](http://www.facebook.com/OriginsGalleryStroudsburg/)

**Sherman Theater**

Tim Reynolds with the Billy Bauer Band, WXPN event, 8pm, 524 Main St., Stroudsburg. 570-420-2808, [www.shermantheater.com](http://www.shermantheater.com)

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**Pocono Environmental Education Center (PEEC)**

Animal Tracking, 1-3pm, 538 Emery Rd., Dingmans Ferry. 570-828-2319, [www.pec.org](http://www.pec.org)

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**Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm**

Winter Walking Tour, Tuesdays thru Mar. 2019, 10:30am or 2:30pm, 347 Quiet Valley Rd., Stroudsburg. Weather permitting. 570-992-6161, [www.quietvalley.org](http://www.quietvalley.org)

**Shawnee Inn & Golf Resort**

Community Concert Series, The Lost Ramblers, 7-8pm, Main Lobby, Shawnee Inn, Shawnee on Delaware. 800-SHAWNEE, [www.shawneeinn.com](http://www.shawneeinn.com)

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**Monroe County Historical Society**

The History of the Snowman with writer/illustrator Bob Eckstein, Stroud Mansion, 900 Main St., Stroudsburg, 2-3:30pm. Free, reservations required, snow date, Fri., Feb. 8). 570-421-7703, [www.monroehistorical.org](http://www.monroehistorical.org)

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**Madelon Powers Gallery at ESU (PPA Grantee)**

Artist Reception, River Fugues/Moving the Waters, Feb. 7, 4-6pm, installation by Guggenheim Fellow (2009) Margaret Cogswell. Videos, sound, drawings, and artifacts invoke the interrelationship of humans and their water supplies. 570-422-3483, [esuarts@esu.edu](mailto:esuarts@esu.edu), @EsuArtGallery

**NCC Monroe Campus**

Reception, Faculty & Student Show (thru Mar. 22), 5pm, Dunning Art Gallery, 2411 Route 715, Tannersville. 570-369-1800

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**Pocono Arts Council**

Artists' Reception, 25th Annual Student Exhibition (Monroe County K-12), 4-6pm, ARTSPACE Gallery, 18 N. 7th St., Stroudsburg. 570-476-4460, [www.poconoarts.org](http://www.poconoarts.org)

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**Wayne County Arts Alliance**

Honesdale Second Saturday, Arts, entertainment, live music, art galleries, and more in downtown Honesdale every second Saturday. [www.facebook.com/2ndSatHonesdale/](http://www.facebook.com/2ndSatHonesdale/)

**Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center**

Lilliana's Nature Discovery Area Exploration, 8050 Running Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 9am-12pm. 570-629-3061, [www.mcconservation.org](http://www.mcconservation.org)

**Pocono Cinema and Cultural Center**

Shrek, Madeline Doyle Family Film Series, Free, 10am & 1pm, 88 S. Courtland St., East Stroudsburg. [www.pococinema.org](http://www.pococinema.org)

**Allamuchy Crafters & Artisan Fair**

Local artists and crafters, 11am-4pm, Historic Rutherford Hall, 1686 County Rd. 517, Allamuchy, NJ. 908-852-1894, [www.rutherfordhall.org](http://www.rutherfordhall.org)

**Pocono Environmental Education Center (PEEC)**

DIY Birdfeeders, 1-3pm, 538 Emery Road, Dingmans Ferry. 570-828-2319, [www.pec.org](http://www.pec.org)

**IN2YOUARTS**

The Wizard of Oz, Musical, Notre Dame High School, 1pm & 6pm (thru Feb. 10, 3pm), 60 Spangenburg Dr., East Stroudsburg, For 570-281-8994, [info@in2youarts.com](mailto:info@in2youarts.com), [www.in2youarts.com](http://www.in2youarts.com)

**The ARtery Fine Art & Fine Craft Gallery**

Reception, New Perspectives Juried Show (Feb. 8-Mar.3), featuring PoconoArts member artists, 6-9pm, 210 Broad St., Milford. [www.arterygallerymilford.com](http://www.arterygallerymilford.com)

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**Pocono Environmental Education Center (PEEC)**

Intro to Snowshoeing, Free, 10am-12pm, 538 Emery Road, Dingmans Ferry. 570-828-2319, [www.pec.org](http://www.pec.org)

**Pocono Environmental Education Center (PEEC)**

Ecozone Discovery Room! 1-4pm, 538 Emery Road, Dingmans Ferry. 570-828-2319, [www.pec.org](http://www.pec.org)

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Community Concert Series, Juggernaut String Band, 7-8pm, Main Lobby, Shawnee Inn, Shawnee on Delaware. 800-SHAWNEE, [www.shawneeinn.com](http://www.shawneeinn.com)

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**Eastern Monroe Public Library**

Omnivorous Readers Book Club, 2nd Thursday, different theme each month, 7pm, Smithfields Branch Library, Seven Bridge Rd., East Stroudsburg. 570-223-1881, [www.monroepubl.org](http://www.monroepubl.org)

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**Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center**

Eagle Watch, Upper Delaware River field trip, Pocono Avian Research Center, 8050 Running Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 8:30am-5:30pm. Preregister by Feb. 12. 570-629-3061, [www.mcconservation.org](http://www.mcconservation.org)

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**Pocono Cinema and Cultural Center (PPA Grantee)**

"American Revolution 1776," Kit's Interactive Theatre, sensory-friendly, ages 7+, 10am, 88 S. Courtland St., East Stroudsburg. [www.pococinema.org](http://www.pococinema.org)

**Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center**

The Science of Snow, 8050 Running Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 10am-12pm. 570-629-3061, [www.mcconservation.org](http://www.mcconservation.org)

**Visit Downtown Stroudsburg & Stroudsburg Borough**

WinterFest 2019, featuring fairytale ice sculptures, 11am-4pm. FB @ [visitdowntownstroudsburg](http://visitdowntownstroudsburg)

**Origins Gallery @PoconoArts**

Open Arts Exhibition at Origins Gallery's 5-year Anniversary, 4-6pm, 18 N. 7th St., Stroudsburg. [www.facebook.com/OriginsGalleryStroudsburg/](http://www.facebook.com/OriginsGalleryStroudsburg/)

**Sherman Theater**

Sherman Winter Jam '19, Sherman Theater event, 7:30pm, 524 Main St., Stroudsburg. 570-420-2808, [www.shermantheater.com](http://www.shermantheater.com)

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Community Concert Series, SheilaMark Duo, 7-8pm, Main Lobby, Shawnee Inn, Shawnee on Delaware. 800-SHAWNEE, [www.shawneeinn.com](http://www.shawneeinn.com)

**Sordoni Art Gallery at Wilkes University (PPA Grantee)**

Visible Poetry Project & Poetry Reading with the Manuscript Society, 5pm, 141 S. Main St., Wilkes Barre. 570-408-3365, [wilkes.edu/arts/sordoni-art-gallery/](http://wilkes.edu/arts/sordoni-art-gallery/)

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**Greater Hazleton Concert Series (PPA Grantee)**

Kol Esperanza, Operatic Pop Trio and 13-piece band, Hazleton Area High School, 1601 W. 23rd St., Hazle Township. 570-788-4864, [www.hazletonconcertseries.org](http://www.hazletonconcertseries.org)

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**Sherman Theater**

1964 The Tribute, Sherman Theater event, 8pm, 524 Main St., Stroudsburg. 570-420-2808, [www.shermantheater.com](http://www.shermantheater.com)

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Eagle Watch, 9am-3pm, 538 Emery Road, Dingmans Ferry. 570-828-2319, [www.pec.org](http://www.pec.org)

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## Pocono Environmental Education Center (PEEC)

Cooking with Insects, 1-3pm, 538 Emery Road, Dingmans Ferry. 570-828-2319, www.peec.org

## Warren County ARTS

Artists Reception: Through the Wires, 2pm (thru Mar. 10), Art Gallery, Oxford Municipal Bldg, 11 Green St., Oxford, NJ. www.wcarts.org

## Pocono Flute Society

Duo recital by Rogue Practice, 3pm, East Stroudsburg Presbyterian Church, 55 Smith St., East Stroudsburg. 570-421-5821, www.espresbyterian.org

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## Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center

Middle Creek Birding Field Trip, 8050 Running Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 8:30am-6:30pm. Preregistration required. 570-629-3061, www.mcconservation.org

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## Madelon Powers Gallery at ESU (PPA Grantee)

"River Fugues/Moving the Waters" by Margaret Cogswell, Artist presentation and panel discussion with ESU and community environmentalists, Feb. 27, 7-9pm, Cohen Recital Hall, Fine & Performing Arts Center. 570-422-3483, esuarts@esu.edu, @EsuArtGallery

## East Stroudsburg University Fine & Performing Arts Center

"Sweat" by Lynn Nottage, Dale Snow Theatre, 7:30pm (thru Mar. 3), Normal and Marguerite streets, East Stroudsburg. 570-422-3695, esu.edu/academics/departments/theatre/

# Upcoming March Events

# 1

## Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center

Eagle Watch, Upper Delaware River field trip with Pocono Avian Research Center, 8050 Running Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 8:30am-5:30pm. Preregister by Feb. 26. 570-629-3061, www.mcconservation.org

## First Friday Scranton (PPA Grantee)

First Friday Artwalk, Scranton, 5-9pm. 570-565-9006, www.firstfridayscranton.com/

## Schisler Museum of Wildlife and Natural History & McMunn Planetarium

Nature by Night Flashlight Tours, First

Fridays, Ages 4-13, 6-8pm, Normal Street and Ransberry Ave., East Stroudsburg. Pre-registration required, 570.422.2747, smcurator@esu.edu, www.quantum.esu.edu/museum/programs/family/

# 2

## Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center

42nd Public Maple Sugaring Day, Meesing Outdoor Site, 1254 Marshalls Creek Rd., East Stroudsburg, 10am-3pm. 570-629-3061, www.mcconservation.org

## Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center

Art Opening: Elaine Madere "Nature's Beauty," 8050 Running Valley Rd., Stroudsburg, 11am-1pm. 570-629-3061, www.mcconservation.org

## Origins Gallery @PoconoArts

Fresh as Spring Arts Exhibition Opening, 5-7pm, 18 N. 7th St., Stroudsburg. www.facebook.com/OriginsGalleryStroudsburg/

## Sherman Theater

Porter & Sayles, Sherman Theater event, with South of the Peak & Jordyn Kenzie, 7:30pm, 524 Main St., Stroudsburg. 570-420-2808, www.shermantheater.com

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## Pocono Cinema and Cultural Center

Trolls, Madeline Doyle Family Film Series, Free, 10am & 1pm, 88 S. Courtland St., East Stroudsburg. www.pococinema.org

# Cinema

## Pocono Cinema & Cultural Center

88 S. Courtland St., East Stroudsburg. Check website for movies and show times. 570-421-FILM, www.pococinema.org

## NEW! Madeline Doyle Family Film Series

Free family movie series on the third Saturday of each month (except February). You are invited to bring food and toys for unfortunate cats and dogs that will be donated to a local animal shelter.

Feb. 9, Shrek, 10am & 1pm

Mar. 6, Trolls, 10am & 1pm

## Relaxed Theater Performances (PPA Project Stream Grantee)

Sensory-friendly performances designed to create a performing arts experience that is welcoming to all families including those with autism or other disabilities that cause sensory-sensitivities.

"American Revolution 1776," Kit's Interactive Theatre, Feb. 16, 10am. Abigail Datchery and fiery Sam Adams recount the turbulent Boston Massacre Boston Tea Party and other events that sparked the War for Independence. Ages 7+;

"Cinderella's Fairy Godmother," Kit's Interactive Theatre, May 11, 10am. Join Cinderella, her fairy godmother, the pixies, and other fairy-tale characters as they frolic through Storyland to solve a riddle--just beware of the giant. Ages 4+.

## Schisler Museum of Wildlife and Natural History & McMunn Planetarium

Planetarium Films, professionally produced with stunning imagery from NASA, engaging animations, and cutting-edge scientific content, Normal Street and Ransberry Ave., East Stroudsburg. 570.422.2747, smcurator@esu.edu, www.quantum.esu.edu/museum/programs/family/

"Astronaut," 23 minutes, all ages, Tue/Thu/Sat, 12:15pm;

"Big," 25 minutes, Pre-K and Elementary, Tue/Thu/Sat, 1:45pm;

"Black Holes: The Other Side of Infinity," 24 minutes, all ages, Tue/Thu/Sat, 11:30am;

"Dynamic Earth," 24 minutes, all ages, Wed/Fri, 12:30pm;

"The Little Star that Could," 35 minutes, Pre-K and Elementary, Tue/Thu/Sat, 10:30 am & Wed/Fri 11am (alternates with Oasis in Space);

"Oasis in Space," 24 minutes, all ages, Wed/Fri, 11:00am (alternates with The Little Star that Could);

"Passport to the Universe," 20 minutes, all ages, Tue/Thu/Sat, 2:30 pm & Wed/Fri, 12pm;

"Stars," 26 minutes, Elementary to Middle School, Tue/Thu/Sat, 1pm;

"Undiscovered Worlds," 30 minutes, all ages, Wed/Fri, 1:15pm;

Plus, additional films available for group visits.

# Music

## Sherman Theater

524 Main St., Stroudsburg. Check dates and showtimes. 570-420-2808, www.shermantheater.com

# Theater

## Dale Snow Theatre, East Stroudsburg

University Fine & Performing Arts Center, Normal and Marguerite streets, East Stroudsburg. 570-422-3695, www.esu.edu/academics/departments/theatre/

"Sweat" by Lynn Nottage, winner of the 2017 Pulitzer Prize for drama, focuses on factory workers in Reading, Pa. who face the decline of manufacturing jobs in America. Feb. 27-28, 7:30pm; Mar. 1-2, 7:30 pm.; Mar. 3, 2 pm.

## IN2YOUARTS

The Wizard of Oz, Musical, Notre Dame High School, 60 Spangenburg Dr., East Stroudsburg, For 570-281-8994, info@in2youarts.com, www.in2youarts.com

Feb. 9, 1pm & 6pm

Feb. 10, 3pm

**The Shawnee Playhouse**, 552 River Road, Shawnee on Delaware. 570-421-5093, www.theshawneeplayhouse.com

"Of Mice & Men," directed by Gillian Turner, a Rebel Stages' production featuring Chris Perdomo. Feb. 16, 8pm; Feb. 17, 2pm; Feb. 23, 8pm; Feb. 24, 2pm.

# Exhibitions

## PoconoArts Public Galleries

Public gallery space is available to member artists who want to exhibit their work. In keeping with the council's mission to provide art to our community through public gallery spaces, the PoconoArts Gallery Committee maintains a file of active artists interested in exhibiting their work on a voluntary basis. For an application, visit [www.poconoarts.org/programs/public-galleries/](http://www.poconoarts.org/programs/public-galleries/)

### February 2019 Exhibits

#### Auradell Gallery at Stroudsmoor

Closed for renovation Feb. 1-Apr.1

#### Better Homes & Gardens/Wilkins & Associates

7164 Route 209, Stroudsburg Alice Prall

#### Eastern Monroe Public Library, N. 9th St., Stroudsburg

Joyce Love

#### Monroe County Courthouse

Monroe County Students

#### Office of State Representative Maureen Madden

Mill Alley Gallery, Stroudsburg

Iraina Caramelli

#### Office of State Senator Mario Scavello

2989 Rt. 611, Suite 103, Tannersville

Judith Moeller

#### Pocono Eye Associates

300 Plaza Ct., E. Stroudsburg

Elizabeth Hulswit-Green

#### Vinny D's Deli

East Stroudsburg

Maria Ferreris

# Local Galleries & Museums

## AFA Gallery (Artists for Art) (PPA Grantee)

Melissa Jennings, Christine Brown & Robert Vielee (thru Feb. 23), 514 Lackawanna Ave., Scranton. 570-969-1040, www.artistsforart.org. Gallery Hours: Thurs-Sat Noon-5pm.

## Anita Shapolsky Art Gallery

"Abstract Schmaabstract" in Gallery 1 & "Altered Edges" featuring Richards Ruben in Gallery 2, Jan.19-Apr. 9, 152 E. 65th St., New York, NY. 212-452-1094, www.anitashapolskygallery.com.

Gallery hours: Tues-Fri 11am-6pm and Sat by appointment,

## The Art Factory of White Mills

High School Emerging Artists Showcase, (thru Jun.), 736 Texas Palmyra Highway, White Mills. Gallery Hours: Open daily 10am-6pm.

570-2512-1181,

www.theartfactoryofwhitemills.com

## The ARtery Fine Art & Fine Crafts Gallery

New Perspectives Juried Show (Feb. 8-Mar.3), 6-9pm, 210 Broad St., Milford. 570-409-1234, www.arterygallerymilford.com



## Local Galleries & Museums

### The Castle Inn Art Gallery

Antiques & Collectibles, Feb. 16, 9am-4pm, 20 Delaware Avenue, Delaware Water Gap. 570-213-7858, [www.castleinnpa.com](http://www.castleinnpa.com)

### The Gallery at Chant Realtors LV

Oil Paintings by Rick Weber, 631 Route 749, Lords Valley (thru Feb.26). Gallery hours: 9am-5pm, every day. 570-775-7337, [mamajoan@ptd.net](mailto:mamajoan@ptd.net)

### Gamut Art Gallery

Featured artists: April Field, Vanessa Gilbert, Heidi Hooper, Steven Kerner, Pablo Weinschen, & Steven Windhorn. Plus, Christmas glass, Zimbabwe art, and a special showing of Bob Eckstein's vintage snowmen and book "The History of Snowmen." Gallery Hours: Fri, 1-5pm; Sat-Sun, Noon-6pm or by appointment, 109-111 N. 8th St., Stroudsburg. 570-517-5021, [www.gamutartgallery.com](http://www.gamutartgallery.com)

### GO Collaborative

Snowmen of Stroudsburg (thru Feb. 28), snowmen sculptures, on display in downtown Stroudsburg, designed by local artists, including Thomas Dillon, "Winter's Children:" Maria Ferreris, "Jack;" Doug Gilbert, "Artists' Ball;" Michael Glenn, "Underwater Winter Wonderland;" Tricia Lowrey Lippert, "Tournesol;" Jody Moeller, "Four Seasons;" Grace Spezzano, "Downtown;" Krystal Walz, "Dragon Princess;" Briggie Williams, "Gus;" and GO Collaborative, "Pocono Joe." 570-517-5019, [www.gocollaborativestbg.com](http://www.gocollaborativestbg.com)

### Grey Towers National Historic Site

Guided Tours, Memorial Day-December, Thu.-Mon., 1pm & 3pm. 122 Old Owego Turnpike, Milford. 570-296-9630, [www.greytowers.org](http://www.greytowers.org)

### Hazleton Art League (PPA Grantee)

225 E. Broad St., Hazleton. Gallery hours: Sat.-Sun., 11am-5pm. 570-454-0092, [hazletonartleague@outlook.com](http://hazletonartleague@outlook.com)

### Kettle Creek Environmental Education Center

Art Opening: Andrea Henley, Nature's Simplicity, Feb. 2, 11am-1pm. Exhibit runs Feb. 1-28. Gallery Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8am-4:30pm; Sat., 9am-1pm, 8050 Running Valley Road, Bartonsville. 570-629-3061, [www.mccconservation.org](http://www.mccconservation.org)

### Madelon Powers Gallery at ESU

"River Fugues/Moving the Waters," an installation by Guggenheim Fellow (2009) Margaret Cogswell, Feb. 1-Mar. 8. Through videos, sound, drawings and artifacts, Ms. Cogswell invokes the interrelationship of humans and their water supplies. Reception for the artist, Feb. 7, 4-6 pm; Artist presentation and panel discussion with ESU and community environmentalists, Feb. 27, 7-9pm, Cohen Recital Hall, Fine & Performing Arts Center. Gallery Hours: Wed.-Thu, 11am-7pm; Mon., Tue. & Fri., 11am-4pm. All exhibits and events in the gallery are open to the public at no cost. Groups may make special arrangements by calling 570-422-3695. 570-422-3483, [esuarts@esu.edu](mailto:esuarts@esu.edu), @EsuArtGallery

### Marywood University (PPA Grantee)

Mahady Gallery, Hours: Mon., Thu., Fri., 9am-4pm; Tue.-Wed. 9am-8pm; Sat.-Sun., 1-4pm; Shields Center for Visual Arts, 2300 Adams Ave., Scranton. 570-348-6278, [www.marywood.edu/galleries](http://www.marywood.edu/galleries); Suraci Gallery, Hours: Mon., Thu., Fri., 9am-4pm; Tue.-Wed., 9am-8pm; Sat.-Sun., 1-4pm; Shields Center for Visual Arts, 2300 Adams Avenue, Scranton. 570-348-6278, [www.marywood.edu/galleries](http://www.marywood.edu/galleries)

### Miller's Fine Arts Gallery

Features Contemporary Stone Sculptures from East Africa and other African Artifacts. Gallery Hours: Sat. 12-6pm and Sun. by appointment. 402 Brushy Mountain Rd., East Stroudsburg. 612-573-6594, 914-588-6843, [www.clavertis-miller.fineartamerica.com](http://www.clavertis-miller.fineartamerica.com)

### Monroe County Historical Association

Gallery Hours: Tue.-Fri., 10am-4pm, First & Third Saturdays, 10am-4pm. One-hour guided tours: 11am & 2pm daily. 900 Main St, Stroudsburg. 570-421-7703, [www.monroehistorical.org](http://www.monroehistorical.org)

### The Mountain Gallery at Pocono Mountain Public Library

5500 Municipal Dr., Rte. 611 Tobyhanna. 570-894-8860

### Northampton Community College (NCC) Monroe Campus

Dunning Art Gallery: Faculty & Student Show, Jan. 28-Mar. 22; Pocono Arts Council's Earth Speaks V: A Juried Exhibition on the Environmental Crisis, Apr.6-May 24; 5th Annual Art Collage, Jun. 12-Aug. 27. Gallery Hours: Mon-Thurs, 8am-9pm. 201 Keystone Hall, 2411 Route 715, Tannersville. 570-369-1938, [toconnor@northampton.edu](mailto:toconnor@northampton.edu)

### Origins Gallery @PoconoArts

18 N. 7th St., Stroudsburg. <https://www.facebook.com/OriginsGalleryStroudsburg/>

### Pocono Arts Council

"25th Annual Student Exhibition," Monroe County K-12 (thru Feb. 23), Reception, Feb. 8, 4-6pm. ARTSPACE Gallery, 18 N. 7th St., Stroudsburg. 570-476-4460, [www.poconoarts.org](http://www.poconoarts.org)

### Pocono Arts Council at NCC Monroe Campus

"Earth Speaks V: A Juried Exhibition on the Environmental Crisis, Apr.6-May 24. Reception, Apr. 27, 1-3pm. Gallery Hours: Mon-Thurs, 8am-9pm. Dunning Art Gallery, 201 Keystone Hall, 2411 Route 715, Tannersville. 570-369-1938, [toconnor@northampton.edu](mailto:toconnor@northampton.edu)

### Pocono Center for the Arts

Jonathan Broady Photography, Shawnee Inn rotating gallery (thru March). [www.poconocenterforthearts.org](http://www.poconocenterforthearts.org)

### Pocono Mountains Art Group

West End Community Rotational Art Gallery (thru Apr. 1). ESSA, Rt. 209, Brodheadsville, Linda Bush; Homestead Veterinary Center, Julia Saeger; James & Rae Insurance, Gary Emich; Gen II Jewelry, Charlene Taylor; Gilbert Podiatry Associates, MaryAnn Schwartz; Bangor Podiatry Associates, Nancy Embich; Debbie Pettinari Insurance, Joan Sayer; Blue Ridge Vineyard, Darleen Hyde; 570-992-7007, [brushwork36@yahoo.com](mailto:brushwork36@yahoo.com)

### Sordoni Art Gallery at Wilkes University (PPA Grantee)

Gallery Hours: Tue.-Fri., 12-5pm; Thu., 10am-7pm; Sat. & Sun., 12pm-5pm, 141 S. Main St.,

Wilkes Barre. 570-408-4325, <http://www.wilkes.edu/arts/sordoni-art-gallery/>

### Turrell Art Studios

Custom Framing & Art Gallery, 4 N. 6th Street, Stroudsburg. 570-476-7666, [www.facebook.com/turrellartstudios](http://www.facebook.com/turrellartstudios)

### University of Scranton, The Hope Horn Gallery (PPA Grantee)

"I'm in the Wrong Film: Photographs by Hans Gindlesberger," staged and performative photographs incorporating images from theater and silent films, Feb. 1-Mar. 1. Gallery lecture, Feb. 1, 5-6pm, Brennan Hall, Rm. 228, followed by public reception, The Hope Horn Gallery, Hyland Hall, 4th Floor, 6-8pm. Gallery Hours: Sun.-Fri., Noon-4pm. Wed., 6-8pm. Hyland Hall, 4th Floor, Linden St. at Jefferson Ave., Scranton. 570-941-4214, <http://www.scranton.edu/academics/hopehorn-gallery/index.shtml>

### Warren County ARTS

"Through the Wires," Jan. 26-Mar.10, Oxford Municipal Building, 11 Green St., Oxford, NJ. 908-581-5185, [www.wccarts.org](http://www.wccarts.org)

### Waverly Small Works Gallery (PPA Grantee)

1115 N. Abington Road, Waverly. 570-586-8191, [www.waverlycomm.org](http://www.waverlycomm.org)

### Wayne County Arts Alliance (PPA Grantee)

Art-a-Pelago, one gallery, three locations: 1) Art Quilts of Andrea Jasmine Schwenk, visiting artist from Germany (thru Mar.), Paros Gallery, D.J. Harvey Agency, 815 Main St., Honesdale. Regular hours: Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-4:30pm; 2) Art Quilts of Janet Gaglione (thru Mar.), Thasos Gallery, Black & Brass Coffee, 520 Main St., Honesdale. Regular hours: Daily, 7am-6pm; 3) Art Quilts of Linda Krauss (thru Mar.), Anafi Gallery, Bodhi Tree Studios, 214 6th St., Honesdale. Regular hours: Thu.-Sun., 12-8pm. Galleries open regular hours plus Honesdale Second Saturdays, 6-9pm. [www.waynecountyartsalliance.org/art-a-pelago/](http://www.waynecountyartsalliance.org/art-a-pelago/)

## COMMUNITY WORKSHOPS

### The Art Factory at White Mills, 736

Texas Palmyra Highway (Route 6), White Mills. Art classes and workshops: Figure Drawing, Watercolor, Wet-on-Wet Painting, Chaos Wire Wrap, Paint & Sip, Print & Sip, Alcohol Ink. 570-251-1181, [www.theartfactoryofwhitemill.com](http://www.theartfactoryofwhitemill.com)

### Country Home Learning & Art

Center, 1784 Route 209, Brodheadsville. Three studios in one: Country Clay Studio, The Art Loft, & The Glass Bottle. Walk-in projects and group classes for adults and kids in a variety of mediums. 610-895-4090, [countryhomelearning.com](http://countryhomelearning.com)

**East Stroudsburg University** - The Older Adult Learning Center, 55 Smith Street, East Stroudsburg. Single semester registration fee for any and all courses: \$45 per person/per semester. Fall (Sept-Nov); Winter/Spring (Jan-May); Summer (June-July). 570-422-7810, [www.theoal.org](http://www.theoal.org)

### The Kathy Kroll Dance & Paper

Theater Performances, 554 Main St., Stroudsburg. Seeks new dancers, teens and adults, both male and female. This non-profit community dance company is open to all levels. The Junior Company also seeks new dancers, boys and girls, 9-12 years old. Rehearsals on Thu. evenings. 570-424-5285, [www.kathykrolldanceandpapertheater.org](http://www.kathykrolldanceandpapertheater.org)

### Northampton Community College

- Monroe Campus, 2411 PA-715, Tannersville. Adult classes in a variety of subjects. 570-369-1881, [www.northampton.edu](http://www.northampton.edu)

### Notara School of Dance and Acting,

700 Phillips St., Stroudsburg. Beginner through professional: Ballet, Pointe, Tap, Jazz. All ages, all levels, male/female. 570-421-1718, [www.notara.net](http://www.notara.net)

**Peters Valley School of Craft**, 19 Kuhn Road, Layton, NJ, Registration open for Summer 2019 workshops. Hands-on immersion learning for adults, age 18+, all levels of proficiency, small class sizes. Limited number of scholarships available for adult and youth workshops. 973-948-5200, [www.petersvalley.org](http://www.petersvalley.org)

**Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm**, 347 Quiet Valley Farm Rd., Stroudsburg, 570-992-6161, [www.quietvalley.org](http://www.quietvalley.org). Cabin Fever Workshop, Mar. 9, 10am-2:30pm, craft workshops and enjoy a delicious homemade lunch. Pre-registration is required. Spring classes include Calico Eggs, Wood Carved Pig, Irish Soda Bread and Traditional Scones, Needle Felted Suffolk Sheep, Sweet Treats, Caramel Corn, Decadent Dipped Pretzels, and Fantasy Fudge, and Scherenschnitte.

**School of Visual and Performing Arts (SVPA)**, 554 Main St., Stroudsburg. Ongoing classes in Ballet & Modern Dance; Social Dancing; Singing, Acting & Music; Theater; Fine Arts; and Martial Arts. Two dance companies, Kathy Kroll Dance & Paper Theater and Junior Company, and the Northeast Ballet Ensemble are also in residence at the school. Instructors are independent contractors. 570-424-5285, [www.schoolofvisualandperformingarts.org](http://www.schoolofvisualandperformingarts.org)

**Totts Gap Arts Institute**, 1494 Totts Gap Rd., Bangor. Instructors James Gloria & Angeline Wolfe. Classes in fine and performing arts for children and adults. Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Modern Dance; Ceramics; Figure Drawing; Oil, Watercolor, & Acrylic Painting; Theater & Film. Ongoing for adults or purchase a six-week session. 610-588-5817, [www.tottsgap.org](http://www.tottsgap.org)

**Warren County ARTS**, Golden Artist Colors Lecture & Demonstration with Roy Kinzer, Feb. 9, 1-3pm, Oxford Municipal Building, 11 Green St., Oxford, NJ. Monthly programs for members and non-members. [www.wcaarts.org](http://www.wcaarts.org)

# OPPORTUNITIES

## VISUAL ARTS

### Adams County Arts Council

16th Annual Juried Art Exhibition, May 30-Jun. 21, Schmucker Art Gallery, Gettysburg College. Submission deadline is Mar. 8. 717-334-5006, [www.adamsart.org](http://www.adamsart.org)

### Audubon Art & Craft Festival

Artist and artisan applications open for Jul. 20-21 festival, Wallenpaupack Area High School, Hawley. [www.audubonfestival.com](http://www.audubonfestival.com)

### Bethel Woods Center for the Arts

Peace, Love and Posters Contest invites students, amateurs, and professionals to design a poster that captures Bethel Woods' mission to inspire passion and purpose. Register your email to receive complete contest rules. Contest begins Feb. 6. [www.bethelwoodscenter.org/programs/poster-contest](http://www.bethelwoodscenter.org/programs/poster-contest)

### Black Bear Film Festival (PPA Grantee)

Submissions due Aug. 9. 570-409-0909, [www.blackbearfilm.com](http://www.blackbearfilm.com)

### Festival of Wood 2019

Artist applications due May 1, 15th annual celebration of our natural and cultural heritage of wood, coordinated by the Pocono Arts Council, August 3-4, Grey Towers National Historic Site, Milford. 570-476-4460. <http://poconoarts.org/programs/annual-special-events/festival-of-wood/>

### Forks Area Art Society

Call to Artists: 2019 FAAS 6th Annual "Amp Up The Art," Sat., May 18, 10am-4pm at the Forks Township Amphitheater. Contact Edie DeProffo at [info@forksart.org](mailto:info@forksart.org) for more information or to register. [www.forksareartsociety.yolasite.com/](http://www.forksareartsociety.yolasite.com/)

### Jim Thorpe Independent Film Festival

Third Annual Jim Thorpe Independent Film Festival (JTIF) 2019, Mauch Chunk Opera House, Jim Thorpe. Features and shorts of every genre and budget, plus a Student Film Program for young filmmakers. Late deadline, Feb. 10; Extended deadline, Mar. 10; Notification, Mar. 24; Event date, Apr. 25-28. [www.jimthorpeindiefilmfest.com](http://www.jimthorpeindiefilmfest.com)

### New Hope 26th Annual Outdoor Juried Arts & Crafts Festival

Over 160 juried fine Artists and Craftsmen will exhibit using media such as oil paintings, watercolors, pastels, sculpture, fine and fun jewelry, ceramics, works in wood, fiber, furniture, wearable art, glass art, photography, and more. Early apps due Feb. 28. <http://www.newhopeartsandcrafts.com>

### PA Indie Shorts Film Festival

The Pennsylvania Indie Shorts Film Festival is an international short film festival curating & showcasing a full weekend of short film programming at the Pocono Cinema & Cultural Center in East Stroudsburg, PA. Early bird deadline: Mar. 1; Mid-season deadline: Jul. 1; Final deadline: Sep. 15; Notification date: Oct. 1. Event dates: Nov. 1-3. [www.paindieshorts.com](http://www.paindieshorts.com)

### Peters Valley School of Craft

Call to Artists, "Nuance: Craftsmanship, Imagination and Innovation." Exhibition to be held in Spring 2019 at Peters Valley School of Craft's Sally D. Francisco Gallery. Entry deadline is Mar. 1, 2019. Work must be original and created by the applicant. Open to emerging and established artists residing and working in the U.S. (2D and 3D). <http://www.petersvalley.org/html/exhibition-gallery.cfm>

### Pocono Arts Council

Earth Speaks V: A Juried Exhibition on the Environmental Crisis, Apr. 6-May 28, 2019. Artists from the following states are invited to enter: ME, NH, VT, MA, CT, RI, NY, NJ, PA, VA, MD,

DE, DC. \$1,000 in awards are available in a variety of mediums including 2-D, 3-D, Photography, and Printmaking. Students encouraged. New venue at the Dunning Art Gallery, NCC Monroe, Tannersville. Deadline for submission, Feb. 9; notification of accepted entries, Feb. 16; entries arrive at NCC Monroe on or before Mar. 28; reception at NCC Monroe, Apr. 27. Juror: Harry C. Tabak. 570-476-4460, [www.poconoarts.org/artspace-gallery/the-earth-speaks/](http://www.poconoarts.org/artspace-gallery/the-earth-speaks/)

### Pocono State Craft Festival 2019

Applications open. Fine art and fine crafts, Quiet Valley Living Historical Farm, August 24-25, 2019, Stroudsburg. First jury date: Mar. 9, 2019. 570-476-4460, [www.poconoarts.org/programs/annual-special-events/pocono-craft/](http://www.poconoarts.org/programs/annual-special-events/pocono-craft/), [www.poconocrafts.com](http://www.poconocrafts.com)

### The State Museum of Pennsylvania

Call for Entries for 2019 "Art of the State," 300 North St, Harrisburg. Open to PA artists and craftspeople, this annual juried exhibition is an established tradition of exhibiting highly creative art chosen by a distinguished panel of jurors. Provides an opportunity for established and emerging artists to exhibit their work and receive statewide recognition. Presented by The State Museum of Pennsylvania in cooperation with the Pennsylvania Heritage Foundation, Cash prizes awarded for selected entries in the categories of Painting, Work on Paper, Photography & Digital Arts, Sculpture and Craft. Entry fee \$30 for up to three works. Final date to submit entries: Feb. 28, 2019. 717-787-4980, [www.statemuseumpa.org/](http://www.statemuseumpa.org/)

### Wayne County Arts Alliance

Open to members of the WCAA, the 2019 Artists Studio Tour will take place on Jul. 12-14. Applications must be postmarked by Feb. 15. For further info, contact Janet Gaglione at 570-591-2600 or [waynecountyartsalliance@gmail.com](mailto:waynecountyartsalliance@gmail.com). [www.waynecountyartsalliance.org/studio-tour/](http://www.waynecountyartsalliance.org/studio-tour/)

### Wayne County Arts Alliance

The Great Wall of Honesdale 2019, open call for all mediums, 11' x 17' panels, premiere in May and displayed for one year, submission deadline is midnight on Feb. 28. [www.waynecountyartsalliance.org](http://www.waynecountyartsalliance.org), [www.thegreatwallofhonesdale.com](http://www.thegreatwallofhonesdale.com)



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## Welcome New Members

Ann Francois, Stroudsburg  
Artuom Pocapinskis, East Stroudsburg  
Shannon Singerling, East Stroudsburg

## PERFORMING ARTS

### The Shawnee Playhouse

2019 Summer Auditions for Guys and Dolls and Mamma Mia, Sat., Mar. 23, 3-7pm & Sun., Mar. 24, 1-4pm. Are you an adult, professional caliber performer (singer/actor and/or dancer) who lives locally and wants to get back on stage? Amateur and professional contracts available. Interested adults should email headshots, resumes, and an audition video to request@TheShawneePlayhouse.com or attend the auditions in March. You only need to attend one of these dates and may audition anytime within these time slots. 552 River Rd., Shawnee on Delaware. 570-421-5093, [www.shawneeplayhouse.com](http://www.shawneeplayhouse.com)

## COMMUNITY

**NEW! Frame Moulding for Sale.** Metal length picture frame moulding, profile style 11 in 10' lengths. Available: 290' of silver, 230' of shiny black, and 270' of blue pewter. Total of 790' @ \$.75 per foot. Mitre saw on stand with measuring guide table and extra blade sold separately. Contact Tracy Granger at [Tgranger1@verizon.net](mailto:Tgranger1@verizon.net)

**Meals on Wheels** seeks drivers to deliver meals to seniors and shut-ins. This is a great community service that can truly make a difference in someone's life. Volunteers can work as little as one day per month, 10am-1pm, 570-424-8794.

**The Older Adult Meal.** St. Luke's Monroe Campus, 7 days/week, 4-6PM. Adults 65 and over are offered a daily dinner meal, prepared fresh daily, \$3.99 per mail. Includes entrée, salad, side, vegetable, dessert, and 12 oz. drink. 100 St. Luke's Lane, Stroudsburg, 866-785-8537, [www.slnh.org/senior-health/services/older-adult-meal-program](http://www.slnh.org/senior-health/services/older-adult-meal-program)

**Rental Space Available.** School of Visual & Performing Arts, 554 Main St Stroudsburg, rents studios for dance, theater, and art by the hour for ongoing classes, master classes, workshops, and rehearsals. There is a box theater and gallery for shows. There are five studios, two w/marble floors and w/pianos, three w/wood floors. Contact Kathy Kroll, 570-424-5285, [www.schoolofvisualandperformingarts.org](http://www.schoolofvisualandperformingarts.org)

**NEW! The Schisler Museum of Wildlife & Natural History/McMunn Planetarium** at East Stroudsburg University is seeking volunteer program coordinators and docents. For more information, please contact Curator/Director Cathy Klingler at 570.422.2747 or [cklingler@esu.edu](mailto:cklingler@esu.edu).

**Success for Life Program Tutors Needed,** NCC-Monroe and Eastern Monroe Public Library with Alefyah Vahanvaty seeks volunteer tutors to help adults in our community reach their potential. Success for Life will pair tutors and adults in flexible six-week cycles. 570-421-0800x317, [gedmonroepl@gmail.com](mailto:gedmonroepl@gmail.com)

### NEW! The United Way of Monroe County

Two volunteer opportunities to have major impact in Monroe County. 1) Program Panel Members assist in making funding recommendations based on a comprehensive review of agency applications and site visits/presentations from non-profit applications, aligning with United Way's strategic plan and initiatives. Dates needed Mar. to mid-Apr. 2) Finance Panel Members to conduct financial analyses of non-profit agency applications for United Way. Must possess strong financial background, particularly accounting, non-profit financials preferred, email and internet accessibility. Dates needed Feb. to early Mar. If you are interested in serving, call the RSVP office at 570-420-3747.

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## Mission Statement

**Culture Builds Community.** The Mission of the Pocono Arts Council is to build our community artistically and culturally by providing leadership, service, and education.

**Leadership:** The Pocono Arts Council will be the leading advocacy organization offering inspiration, direction and coordination for arts and cultural activities in the Pocono region.

**Service:** The Pocono Arts Council will foster communication, cooperation and collaboration between the arts community and the public through funding, information services and support.

**Education:** The Pocono Arts Council will provide art education opportunities and nurture growth in individuals and organizations offering instruction and participation in arts and cultural activities.

## Submission Deadline

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