

Festivals & Events Guide

# NEW JERSEY

*October 2014 – March 2015*



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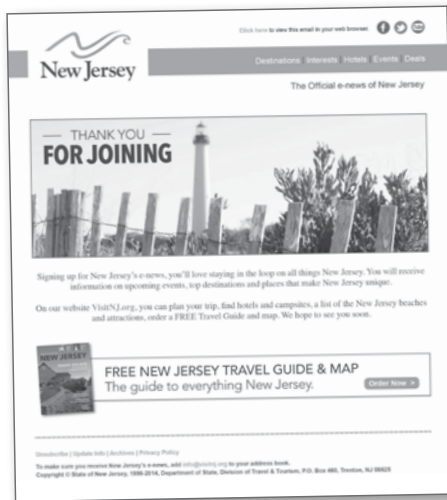
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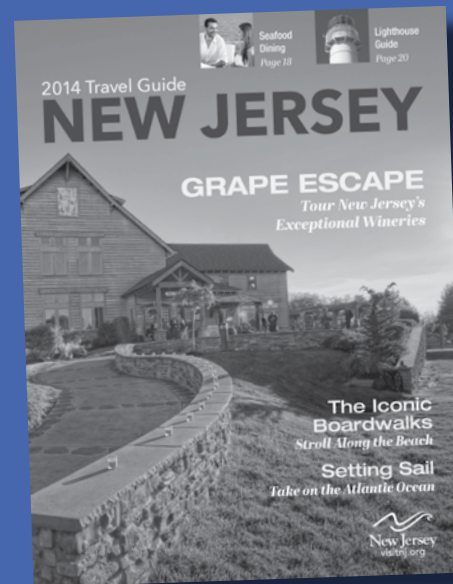


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# Ongoing

## EVENTS STARTING IN OCTOBER

10/1 – 11/1 GLASSBORO

### Mel Chin: Disparate Acts

The exhibition focuses on works that question the integrity of information and facts when compromised and corrupted by a political, social or cultural agenda.

Rowan University Art Gallery, Westby Hall, 201 Mullica Hill Rd. (Rt. 322), 856-256-4521

[www.rowan.edu/artgallery](http://www.rowan.edu/artgallery)

10/1 – 11/1 HIGHLANDS

### 20th Annual Highlands Farmers Market

Enjoy shopping for Jersey Fresh fruits, vegetables, flowers and much more! Saturdays 8:30 am until sell-out.

Huddy Park, 301 Shore Dr. (between Waterwitch & Bay Aves.), 732-291-4713

[www.highlandsnj.com](http://www.highlandsnj.com)

10/1 – 11/2 LINCROFT

### Who's Your Mama? Visions of Our Mentors Exhibition

This exhibition depicts, discusses and honors the roles that mentors have had on our work and lives as women artists. Admission \$7.

Monmouth Museum, 765 Newman Springs Rd., 732-747-2266

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

10/1 – 11/2 LONG VALLEY

### Fall Tour

A leisurely hay wagon ride through our pastures to the Cheese Aging Cave, reminiscent of the Old World aging caves found throughout Italy and France. Saturdays & Sundays 1 pm & 3:30 pm (1.5 hrs.).

Valley Shepherd Creamery, 50 Fairmount Rd., 908-876-3200

[www.valleyshepherd.com](http://www.valleyshepherd.com)

10/1 – 11/2 NEW BRUNSWICK

### New Jersey Film Festival Fall 2014

Showcasing over 50 film screenings of new international films, American independent features experimental and short subjects, classic revivals, and documentaries.

Rutgers University, College Avenue Campus, Voorhees Hall #105, 71 Hamilton St.; Douglass College Campus, Ruth Adams Bldg. #001, 131 George St., 848-932-8482

[www.njfilmfest.com](http://www.njfilmfest.com)

10/1 – 11/3 TRENTON

### Reflections: Creative Works by the Arts Access Artists

The Arts Access Program offers opportunities for unlimited self-expression in the arts for artists with profound developmental disabilities.

Grounds for Sculpture, 18 Fairgrounds Rd., 609-586-0616

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

10/1 – 11/9 MONTCLAIR

### Centennial Lounge

Visit the Lounge to vote for your favorite work, curate your own magnetic mini exhibition, or to learn about the Museum's 100-year history by browsing the *Centennial Times*. You also learn about MAM's crowd-sourced audio project 100 Works, 100 Voices. Free with admission.

Montclair Art Museum, 3 South Mountain Ave., 973-746-5555

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

10/1 – 11/11 RED BANK

### Red Bank Farmers Market

Enjoy shopping for Jersey Fresh fruits, vegetables, flowers and much more! Sundays 9 am – 2 pm.

The Galleria, Front St. & Bridge Ave., 732-842-4244

[www.visit.redbank.com](http://www.visit.redbank.com)

10/1 – 11/15 BOONTON

### Boonton Farmer's Market

Enjoy shopping for Jersey Fresh fruits, vegetables, flowers and much more! Saturdays 8:30 am - 2 pm.

Upper Plane St. Parking Lot, 973-257-9107

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

10/1 – 11/16 MONMOUTH & OCEAN COUNTIES

### Jersey Shore Karaoke Idol Competition

Win your share of \$25,000 in cash and prizes. Join us in the monumental task of spreading the word around the world and helping the Jersey Shore break the *Guinness Book of World Records* largest karaoke contest category!

Various locations, 732-244-9283

[www.visitthejerseyshore.com](http://www.visitthejerseyshore.com)

10/1 – 11/16 MORRISTOWN

### Portrait of an Athlete: Special Olympics of New Jersey

This exhibit celebrates the accomplishments of the NJ Special Olympics athletes with portraits by photographer Pete Byron, who has traveled all over the state to capture the athletes during practice, competition, or just being themselves.

Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3710

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

10/1 – 11/20 ATLANTIC CITY

### Family Fun Day Tour

Fun-filled day of exploration of the Absecon Lighthouse, Gardner's Basin, Atlantic City Aquarium and Lucy, the Elephant. Includes entry fees to all attractions, guided tours, 360 degree views of the Atlantic City skyline and transportation. 11 am - 4 pm.

**Brighton Park, Park Pl. & the Boardwalk, 609-593-6349**

[www.a1toursonline.com](http://www.a1toursonline.com)

10/1 – 11/21 MONTCLAIR

### Studio Montclair Presents In Memoriam: Clarence Mather, Works on Paper

A memorial to the founding member, who passed away in August 2013. The exhibit includes 25 pieces by the artist showcasing his unique mono prints, pastels and watercolors and how he combined prints with collage, pen and washes. 7 am - 7 pm.

**SMI Gallery, Academy Square, 33 Plymouth St., 1st Floor, 973-744-1818**

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

10/1 – 11/21 MONTCLAIR

### Studio Monclair Presents Wellness Arts Enrichment: Member Artists of JSDD'S Wae Center

Artworks displayed were created with acrylic on canvas, pencil and marker drawings, computer-generated art and a large piece made with various mediums.

**SMI Virginia S. Block Gallery, 33 Plymouth St., 973-744-1818**

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

10/1 – 11/23 CHESTER

### Fall Family Fun Days

Activities will include family farm activities, corn maze, food station, pick your own fields and much more.

**Alstede Farms, 1 Chesterfield Dr., 908-879-7189**

[www.alstedefarms.com](http://www.alstedefarms.com)

10/1 – 11/23 SUMMIT

### Summit Farmers Market

Enjoy shopping for Jersey Fresh fruits, vegetables, flowers and much more! 8 am - 1 pm. Rain or shine.

**22 DeForest Ave., 908-277-6100**

10/1 – 11/26 MORRISTOWN

### Guided Tours of Period Rooms

Enjoy docent-led tours through the period rooms to learn the history of the Macculloch family and W. Parsons Todd, the philanthropist who transformed this family home into a museum. Wed., Thur., & Sun. 1 - 4 pm.

**Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404**

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

10/1 – 11/29 ATLANTIC CITY

### Historic Boardwalk Tour

A walking tour (approx. 4 miles, leisurely) of the world famous Atlantic City Boardwalk. First built in 1870, you'll come to understand its beloved status among tourists from around the world. Mon. - Sat. 8 am (1.5 hrs.).

**Showboat Casino Hotel, the Boardwalk, 609-593-6349**

[www.a1toursonline.com](http://www.a1toursonline.com)

10/1 – 11/29 ATLANTIC CITY

### Nature and Eco Tour

Visit the Edwin B. Forsythe National Wildlife Refuge and the Noyes Museum. Includes entry fees, continental breakfast and transportation. Saturdays 8:45 - 11:45 am.

**Brighton Park, Park Pl. & the Boardwalk, 609-593-6349**

[www.a1toursonline.com](http://www.a1toursonline.com)

10/1 – 11/29 ATLANTIC CITY

### Sightseer & Shoppers Delight Tour

Experience a day of fun and leisure at the Towne of Historic Smithville, the Village Greene and the Noyes Museum. Tues. & Wed. 11 am - 3 pm; Sat. Noon - 4 pm.

**Smithville, Village Greene, Noyes Museum, Brighton Park; 609-593-6349**

[www.a1toursonline.com](http://www.a1toursonline.com)

10/1 – 11/30 TRENTON

### Jersey Shore Beach N Boat Fishing Tournament

The statewide, season-long, inshore, saltwater, multi-species fishing tournament that challenges anglers of all ages and skill levels to compete for cash and prizes. Enter today for free (with sign-up code), view details online.

**New Jersey Shore, 1977 N. Olden Ave., 609-423-4002**

[www.beachnboat.com](http://www.beachnboat.com)

10/1 – 12/14 MORRISTOWN

### Dog Show: The Art of Our Canine Companions

This exhibition celebrates dogs in art from the 19th century to the present with a focus on British and American artists. The exhibition will also celebrate service dogs.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

10/1 – 12/14 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Jesse Krimes: Apokaluptein:16389067

Incarcerated for 70 months in the federal prison system, artist Jesse Krimes created a monumental mural on contraband prison sheets with colored pencils and a transfer printing process using hair gel and a plastic spoon.

**Rutgers University, Zimmerli Art Museum, 71 Hamilton St., 848-932-7237**

[www.zimmerlimuseum.rutgers.edu](http://www.zimmerlimuseum.rutgers.edu)

10/1 – 12/14 RAHWAY

### Fearless Productions Presents Fearless Icon

A blend of *American Idol* and *Glee*, an all-out vocal competition where first prize is the chance for the winner to sing their dream role in a musical theatre show, Summer 2015 by Fearless Productions! Semi-final round Dec. 1, final round Dec. 14!

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage,  
360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226**

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

10/1 – 12/17 UNION

### Afternoon Tea

In the grand tradition of Mary Alice Kean, the last lady of the house, join the museum for its exquisite tea. 2nd & 4th Wednesday of every month. 10 am - 2:30 pm.

**Liberty Hall Museum, 1003 Morris Ave., 908-527-0400**

[www.kean.edu/libertyhall](http://www.kean.edu/libertyhall)

10/1 – 12/20 EAST HANOVER

### Swingin' Tern Contra and Square Dancing

Dances are held on the first and third Saturday of the month. Beginners are welcomed with workshops preceding each dance at 7:30 pm.

**First Presbyterian Church Parish Hall, 14 Hanover Rd., 973-295-6864**

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

10/1 – 12/20 HOBOKEN

### Hoboken Food & Culture Tour

Tour focuses on family-owned businesses and local historical interests such as Frank Sinatra's birthplace. Saturday afternoons, tour about 3.5 hrs.

**Hoboken PATH Station, River St. & Hudson Pl., 201-653-1500 or 800-595-4849**

[www.hobokenfoodtour.com](http://www.hobokenfoodtour.com)

10/1 – 12/24 NEWARK

### Cooking for Change

A collaborative exhibition with photographer Steven J. Riskind and writer Doris Friedensohn, whose book *Cooking for Change* documents the work of the Community FoodBank of New Jersey and the Food Service Training Academy.

**Rutgers University, Paul Robeson Galleries: Criminal Justice Gallery,  
123 Washington St., 5th floor, 973-353-1610**

[www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu](http://www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu)

10/1 – 12/24 NEWARK

### Daniel Patrick Helmstetter: The Slumberous Antiquity in Us

Rather than an image on a canvas, Helmstetter's work is a poetic spark of an excavated emotion, engaging the viewer to paint the picture themselves.

**Rutgers University, Paul Robeson Galleries: Orbit II Gallery,  
350 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., 973-353-1610**

[www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu](http://www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu)

10/1 – 12/24 NEWARK

### From There to Here

Moving from your home country to another is an experience unlike any other. This exhibition will focus on all aspects of the migrant and immigrant experience.

**Rutgers University, Paul Robeson Galleries, 350 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.,  
973-353-1610**

[www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu](http://www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu)

10/1 – 12/24 NEWARK

### Planar Scheme: Kati Vilim

Kati Vilim's work deals with the classic issues of color, form and movement. For this installation, Vilim has responded to the architectural specificities of Orbit I Gallery.

**Rutgers University, Paul Robeson Galleries: Orbit I Gallery,  
350 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., 973-353-1610**

[www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu](http://www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu)

10/1 – 12/26 MORRISTOWN

### Minstrel Concert Series

Concerts include an opening act and a main act on the second Friday of the month. Children 12 & under are free. Free parking.

**The Minstrel at Morristown Unitarian Fellowship, 21 Normandy Heights Rd.,  
973-335-9489**

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

10/1 – 12/28 PENNINGTON

### Music & Merlot and Jazzy Sundays

Musicians perform on Fridays and Saturdays from 6 - 9 pm and on Sundays from 2 - 5 pm. No cost for entry.

**Hopewell Valley Vineyards, 46 Yard Rd., 609-737-4465**

[www.hopewellvalleyvineyards.com](http://www.hopewellvalleyvineyards.com)

10/1 – 12/31 ATLANTIC CITY

### 21-Point City Tour

City-wide tour highlighting the best of Atlantic City, old and new! Discover at least 21 points of interest, landmarks and attractions. Mon. - Sat. Noon, 2 pm & 4 pm.

**Brighton Park, Park Pl. & the Boardwalk, 609-593-6349**

[www.a1toursonline.com](http://www.a1toursonline.com)

10/1 – 12/31 ATLANTIC CITY

### Heritage Tour

A journey into the life and contributions of African Americans in the development of Atlantic City, inspired by the book, *The Northside*. Mon., Wed., Sat. 10 am (1.5 hrs.).

**Brighton Park, Park Pl. & the Boardwalk, 609-593-6349**

[www.a1toursonline.com](http://www.a1toursonline.com)

10/1 – 12/31 ATLANTIC CITY

### Ultimate Wine & Dine Tour

Enjoy an evening at one of the oldest wineries in the country, Renault. Includes wine tour and tasting, complimentary wine glass, visit to the Wine Glass Museum, three-course dinner and transportation. Mon. - Fri. 3:15 - 7:15 pm; Sat. 4:15 - 8:15 pm.

Brighton Park, Park Pl. & the Boardwalk, 609-593-6349

www.a1toursonline.com

10/1 – 12/31 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Oleg Vassiliev: Space and Light

This exhibition features paintings and works on paper by Russian artist, Oleg Vassiliev (1931-2013), a defining figure in Russian contemporary art. Tue. - Fri. 10 am - 4:30 pm; Sat. & Sun. Noon - 5 pm.

Rutgers University, Zimmerli Art Museum, 71 Hamilton St., 848-932-7237

www.zimmerlimuseum.rutgers.edu

10/1 – 12/31 RIO GRANDE

### Vineyard & Winery Tour

Taste our wines as your guide leads you through every step of the wine making process from the vineyard to the vast steel tanks and French oak barrels.

Hawk Haven Vineyard, 600 S. Railroad Ave., 609-846-7347

www.hawkhavenvineyard.com

10/1 – 12/31 TENAFLY

### Adventures in Reading Introducing StoryWalk Outdoor Exhibit

An interactive outdoor exhibit that turns reading into an adventure along the trails without electronic devices. Designed for beginning readers. Free. 9 am - 7 pm.

Tenaflly Nature Center, 313 Hudson Ave., 201-568-6093

www.tenafllynaturecenter.org

10/1 – 1/11 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Sports and Recreation in France, 1840-1900

Commemorating the Rutgers University Scarlet Knights' first season of competition in the Big Ten, this exhibition of French prints, drawings, photographs and posters explores the role of sports as an aspect of modern life in 19th century France.

Rutgers University, Zimmerli Art Museum, 71 Hamilton St., 848-932-7237

www.zimmerlimuseum.rutgers.edu

10/1 – 1/25 PRINCETON

### Nova Caesarea: A Cartographic Record of the Garden State, 1666-1888

Commemorating the 350th anniversary (1664-2014) of the naming of New Jersey, this exhibition introduces viewers to the maps that charted the state's development from unexplored colonial territory to the first scientifically surveyed state in the Union.

Firestone Library, Main Exhibition Gallery, 1 Washington Rd., 609-258-6156

10/1 – 2/1 TENAFLY

### Guided Nature Walk

Enjoy the season with a guided walk along one of Tenaflly Nature Center's trails with an Environmental Educator. First Sunday of the month. All ages welcome.

Tenaflly Nature Center, 313 Hudson Ave., 201-568-6093

www.tenafllynaturecenter.org

10/1 – 2/8 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Place in America: Celebrating the Legacy of Ralph & Barbara Voorhees

Showing America's landscape "from sea to shining sea" in prints and drawings made between 1880 and 1940, this exhibition offers a tantalizing panorama of urban and rural scenes, in addition to images of industry contrasting with wilderness views.

Rutgers University, Zimmerli Art Museum, 71 Hamilton St., 848-932-7237

www.zimmerlimuseum.rutgers.edu

10/1 – 4/25 FRENCHTOWN

### Saturday Night Live Music Series

The National Hotel's weekly music series features different live musicians in its cellar pub from 9 - 11 pm.

The Rathskeller Pub, 31 Race St., 908-996-3200

www.thenationalhotelnj.com

10/1 – 4/26 FRENCHTOWN

### Sunday Musical Afternoon Series

The National Hotel's weekly music series features live music in its main Restaurant & Bar from 5 - 7 pm.

The National Hotel, 31 Race St., 908-996-3200

www.thenationalhotelnj.com

10/1 – 5/1 NEWARK

### Sojourn: Linda Hu & Krissia Thaiane

Though vastly different in style and medium, both their practices are marked by a meditative, progressive building-out from simplicity to complexity.

Rutgers University, Paul Robeson Galleries: U-Gallery, 350 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., 973-353-1610

www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu

10/1 – 6/1 TRENTON

### Drawn to Dinosaurs: Hadrosaurus Foulkii

This nearly complete dinosaur skeleton was discovered in Haddonfield, NJ. The exhibit features a 25-foot long cast of Hadrosaurus foulkii, plus a life-size, hand-drawn life-like illustration on a chalk board.

New Jersey State Museum, 205 W. State St., 609-292-6464

www.statemuseum.nj.gov

10/1 – 6/10 MONTCLAIR

### Creative Aging Initiative: Art in the Afternoon

MAM invites area seniors to learn about and creatively respond to art from the permanent collection and temporary exhibitions. \$10 seniors, MAM members free. Second Wednesday of the month, 2 - 3:30 pm.

Montclair Art Museum, 3 S. Mountain Ave., 973-259-5137  
www.montclairartmuseum.org

10/1 – 6/27 TRENTON

### Shadow Over the Earth: Life & Death of the Passenger Pigeon

The exhibit explores the causes that led to passenger pigeon's extinction and the parallels to current endangered species. Children will enjoy making an origami bird, a beak activity and taking home project instructions for bird crafts.

New Jersey State Museum, 205 W. State St., 609-292-6464  
www.statemuseum.nj.gov

10/1 – 6/28 MORRISTOWN

### Civil War Through the Eyes of Thomas Nast

Before radio, TV, or the internet, there was political cartoonist Thomas Nast, who illustrated battles, Union and Confederate troop movements, and their activities throughout the Civil War.

Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404  
www.maccullochhall.org

10/1 – 7/30 NEWARK

### Under/Over: Dahlia Elsayed

A mural installation by artist Dahlia Elsayed. Her paintings and installations have been exhibited in group and solo shows all over the world.

Rutgers University, Paul Robeson Galleries: Messier Gallery,  
350 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd., 973-353-1610  
www.artgallery.newark.rutgers.edu

10/1 – 8/7 MONTCLAIR

### Closer Look Tour on First Friday of the Month

Join us for informal 30-minute gallery talks that provide an in-depth examination of one or two works of art. Tours are led by MAM educators and docents. 2 pm.

Montclair Art Museum, 3 S. Mountain Ave., 973-746-5555  
www.montclairartmuseum.org

10/4 – 11/16 MORRISTOWN

### Hometown Teams: How Sports Shape America

This exhibition will showcase sports, individuals and artifacts that have been an indelible part of every community.

Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700  
www.morrismuseum.org

10/4 – 12/6 BROWNS MILLS

### Whitesbog Village Tours

Stroll the Historic Village, learn about Whitesbog's role in history of the cranberry and blueberry industries, visit historic homes, gardens, blueberry fields and more of Whitesbog's heritage. \$5 donation per person. First Saturday of the month.

Historic Whitesbog Village, 120 W. Whites Bogs Rd., 609-893-4646  
www.whitesbog.org

10/4 – 12/28 FLORHAM PARK

### Weekend Craft

Make a different craft each weekend. Free with general admission.

Imagine That!!!, 4 Vreeland Rd., 973-966-8000  
www.imaginetthatmuseum.com

10/4 – 1/4 NEWARK

### Great Balls of Fire: Comets, Asteroids & Meteors

This thrilling new exhibit explores these questions and planetary science in a fun way by utilizing a variety of interactive multimedia and hands-on experiences.

Newark Museum, 49 Washington St., 973-596-6529  
www.newarkmuseum.org

10/7 – 11/2 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Outside Mullingar

A delightful romantic comedy about two introverted misfits straddling 40. Tue. - Sat. 8 pm; Thur., Sat. & Sun. 2 pm; Sun. 7 pm.

George Street Playhouse, 9 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7717  
www.georgestreetplayhouse.org

10/7 – 12/16 MORRISTOWN

### Growing in the Garden: Gourds and Chords

Includes a story, a walk in the garden and an art project. 1:15 - 2 pm & 3:45 - 4:30 pm. Pre-registration required. Ages 3 - 5.

Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404  
www.maccullochhall.org

10/18 – 11/9 CAPE MAY

### Carriage House Gallery Exhibit: Cape May County Art League's Members' Fall Fine Arts Show

Celebrating 85 years of community service. Admission is free. Open daily.

Emlen Physick Estate, Carriage House Gallery, 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404  
www.capemaymac.org



## EVENTS STARTING IN NOVEMBER

11/2 – 6/28 MORRISTOWN

### Thomas Nast: Unknown Works and American Icons

Collection of rarely exhibited, virtually unknown works by the man whose art defined many of America's most popular icons: Santa Claus, Uncle Sam, the Democratic Donkey and the Republican Elephant. Wed., Thur. & Sun. 1 - 4 pm.

**Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404**  
www.maccullochhall.org

11/5 – 12/13 CLIFTON

### 5 Ways of Seeing – Sculpture Art

Sculpture artists Janice Mauro, Allan Drossman, Judy Schaefer, David Soo and Elaine Lorenz will showcase their varied sculpture artworks.

**Clifton Art Center and Sculpture Park, 900 Clifton Ave., 973-472-5499**  
www.cliftonnj.org

11/11 – 12/21 LAKEWOOD

### Mrs. Gould's 13th Annual Holiday Social

The Mansion will be aglow with cheer as you join us in this celebration. Hear the continuing saga of Edith and George Gould and their seven children, while celebrating the holidays as they did in the early 1900s.

**Georgian Court University: The Mansion, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**  
www.georgian.edu

11/21 – 1/1 CAPE MAY

### Old-Fashioned Christmas Exhibit

An exhibit of holiday traditions through the years with model trains, toys and more! The Gallery is open daily (except Thanksgiving and Christmas). Free admission.

**Emlen Physick Estate, Carriage House Gallery, 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404**  
www.capemaymac.org

11/22 – 12/30 EGG HARBOR TOWNSHIP

### Christmas Fantasy with Lights

A tradition for over 25 years! At 5 pm Santa will light the park with over one million lights! All of our rides, attractions and snack bars are open! (See Santa until Dec. 23)

**Storybook Land, 6415 Black Horse Pike, 609-646-0103**  
www.storybookland.com

11/23 – 12/18 RAHWAY

### Newsies

Last exhibit of 2014, curated by Douglas Ferrari. Free, public reception on Nov. 23, 1 - 4 pm. Mon. - Thurs. 10 am - 3 pm; Fri. 10 am - 1 pm; Sat. & Sun. 1 - 4 pm.

**Arts Guild New Jersey, 1670 Irving St., 732-381-7511**  
www.agnj.org

11/27 – 1/6 SMITHVILLE

### Holiday Light Show

Watch as over 150 Christmas trees magically float on Lake Meone and do an orchestrated show of lights and music for your enjoyment. Thurs. - Sun. 5:30 - 8:30 pm.

**Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999**  
www.colonialinnsmithville.com

11/28 – 12/13 CAPE MAY

### East Lynne Theater Company Presents Christmas In Wisconsin: Tales by Zona Gale

The tales are brought beautifully to life in storytelling fashion by ELTC's artistic director, Gayle Stahlhuth. Nov. 28, 29, Dec. 7, 11, 12, & 13 at 8 pm; Dec. 13 at 2 pm.

**The First Presbyterian Church, 500 Hughes St., 609-884-5898**  
www.eastlynnetheater.org

11/28 – 12/14 CHESTER

### Country Christmas with Santa

Santa will be visiting us at the farm and would love to take a photo with you, so make sure you bring your camera. Enjoy Christmas music and a cozy campfire too. Nov. 28 - 30; Dec. 6 - 7 & 13 - 14. 11 am - 4 pm.

**Alstede Farms, 1 Chesterfield Dr., 908-879-7189**  
www.alstedefarms.com

11/28 – 12/14 HACKETTSTOWN

### Peter Pan: The Musical

Join the gang in the high-flying timeless Broadway musical that will whisk you away to a place where dreams are born and no one ever grows up!

**Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900**  
www.centenarystageco.org

11/28 – 12/21 PRINCETON

### Strolling Holiday Entertainment & Santa

Carolers and brass bands perform holiday music and Santa strolls the Square. Sat. & Sun. afternoon.

**Palmer Square (the Green), 609-921-2333**  
www.palmersquare.com

11/28 – 12/21 TINTON FALLS

### Holiday Entertainment

Enjoy festive entertainment throughout the holiday season. Santa will be strolling through the courtyards every Sat. & Sun. 1 - 4 pm. Enjoy favorite holiday music by strolling Victorian Carolers 4 - 7 pm.

**Jersey Shore Premium Outlets, 1 Premium Outlets Blvd., 732-918-1700**  
www.premiumoutlets.com/jerseyshore

11/28 – 12/31 CAPE MAY

## Cape May Stage Presents the Holiday Celebration: Merry Melodies

Brand new musical revue, filled with all your favorite holiday songs and carols.

Robert Shackleton Playhouse, 405 Lafayette St., 609-770-8311

www.capemaystage.org

11/28 – 12/31 CHESTER

## Experience Historic Chester This Holiday Season

Visit our website for a complete list, such as strolling Dickens' Carolers, live ice sculpture demonstrations, horse and carriage rides, photos with Santa and more!

Various locations, Main St., 908-879-2900

www.ilovechester.com

11/29 – 12/21 JACKSON

## Holiday Entertainment

Enjoy holiday shopping while visiting with our strolling Santa (Saturdays 1 - 4 pm) and listening to seasonal music by Victorian Carolers (Sundays Noon - 3 pm).

Jackson Premium Outlets, 537 Monmouth Rd., 732-833-0503

www.premiumoutlets.com/jackson

11/29 – 12/21 PHILLIPSBURG

## Polar Express

On the train you will re-live the experience of the little boy in *The Polar Express* by listening to this wonderful story. Every child will be served hot chocolate and cookies (also parents who wear their PJ's), and Santa will greet the children and they will each receive a special bell.

Lehigh Junction, 99 Elizabeth St., 877-872-4674

www.877trainride.com

## EVENTS STARTING IN DECEMBER

12/7 – 1/17 MORRISTOWN

### Artist David John Rush Exhibit at the Madison Avenue Gallery

New Jersey artist, David John Rush will be presenting a solo exhibit of his beautiful oils and watercolors. Sponsored by the Women's Association of Morristown Medical Center, the exhibit is free to the public. 10 am – 5 pm.

Morristown Medical Center, 100 Madison Ave., 973-919-8083

www.wammc.org

12/12 – 1/4 WEST ORANGE

## Holiday Lights

A holiday light display throughout the zoo grounds. Donation stations for non-perishable food, new toys and gently used coats are at each entry. Free admission.

Essex County Turtle Back Zoo, 560 Northfield Ave., 973-731-5801

www.turtlebackzoo.com

## EVENTS STARTING IN JANUARY

1/2 – 12/18 MORRISTOWN

### Minstrel Acoustic Concert Series

Concerts include an opening act and a main act on the second Friday of the month. Children 12 & under are free. Free parking.

Morristown Unitarian Fellowship, 21 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-335-9489

www.folkproject.org

1/3 – 12/19 EAST HANOVER

### Swingin' Tern Contra Dances

Dances are held on the first and third Saturday of the month. Beginners are welcomed with workshops preceding each dance at 7:30 pm.

First Presbyterian Church Parish House, 14 Hanover Rd., 973-295-6864

www.folkproject.org

1/3 – 3/21 BROWNS MILLS

### Whitesbog Village Tours

Stroll the Historic Village, learn about Whitesbog's role in history of the cranberry and blueberry industries, visit historic homes, gardens, blueberry fields and more. \$5 donation per person. First & third Saturday of the month.

Historic Whitesbog Village, 120 W. Whites Bogs Rd., 609-893-4646

www.whitesbog.org

1/9 – 12/11 PORT NORRIS

### Second Fridays by the Bay

A new exhibit every second Friday of the month featuring an area artist, with a reception offering complimentary food and beverage. Free admission. 5:30 - 8:30 pm.

Bayshore Center at Bivalve, 2800 High St., 856-785-2060

www.bayshorecenter.org

1/11 – 2/5 RAHWAY

### Community: Members, Student & Faculty

Annual free show displays art work from our dedicated members, current students taking classes and faculty who teach class. Free, public reception on Jan. 11, 1 - 4 pm.

Arts Guild New Jersey, 1670 Irving St., 732-381-7511

www.agnj.org

1/23 – 3/8 NEW BRUNSWICK

## New Jersey Film Festival Spring 2015

Showcasing the best independent films by featuring premiere screenings, workshops, and special guest appearances by film directors, screenwriters, cast and crew.

Rutgers University, Voorhees Hall #105, 71 Hamilton St., 848-932-8482

www.njfilmfest.com

## EVENTS STARTING IN FEBRUARY

2/15 – 3/12 RAHWAY

### Baker's Dozen: A Juried Exhibition

This exhibit features the 13 winners of the Artist of the Month competition for 2015. This is a free exhibit open to the public. Free, public reception on Feb. 15, 1 - 4 pm.

Arts Guild New Jersey, 1670 Irving St., 732-381-7511

www.agnj.org

2/20 – 3/8 HACKETTSTOWN

### In the Car With Blossom and Len

In this funny and poignant new play, a basket full of unpaid bills for chemical engineer Lenny Gold's laboratory is discovered by one of his adult daughters, unveiling a lifetime of secrets, a mysterious silent partner and a few other challenges which must be met by this family.

Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900

www.centenarystageco.org

## EVENTS STARTING IN MARCH

3/26 – 4/6 CHESTER

### Spring Family Fun and Easter Egg Hunt

Take a farm hayride to visit the Easter Bunny, hunt for Easter eggs and enjoy lots of fun farm activities! Closed Easter Sunday.

Alstede Farms, 1 Alstede Farms Ln., 908-879-7189

www.alstedefarms.com

3/28 – 4/4 PHILLIPSBURG

### Easter Bunny Train Ride and Easter Egg Hunt

Ride the Easter Bunny Train Ride and once we arrive, you can get off the train, take a picture with Mr. Bunny and gather Easter eggs! On the train enjoy our banjo playing Hobo and a Juggler! March 28, 29 & April 4 at 11 am, 12:30 pm, 2 pm & 3:30 pm.

The Delaware River Railroad Excursions, 99 Elizabeth St., 732-752-6122

www.877trainride.com

# October

10/1 – 10/5 HOBOKEN

### Hoboken Comedy Festival

Celebrating its 5th year, the Hoboken Comedy Festival is a multi-day event that raises money for the Liberty Humane Society.

Various locations, 201-898-0772

www.hobokenfestival.com

10/1 – 10/5 LONG BRANCH

### Dinner With the Boys by Dan Lauria

This play is a limited engagement, world premiere. It's a farce that deals with all the violence we consume each day by watching TV and movies, especially those movies that glorify gangsters.

New Jersey Repertory Company, 179 Broadway, 732-229-3166

www.njrep.org

10/1 – 10/5 RAHWAY

### Fearless Productions Presents: To Kill a Mockingbird

Filled with atmospheric evocations of American life in the 1930s, delivering a searing portrayal of race and prejudice told through the eyes of a little girl. It's a play that speaks to all ages, focusing on our gut instinct of right and wrong.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage, 360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226

www.ucpac.org

10/1 – 10/9 RAHWAY

### Nexus – An International Juried Exhibition

This international juried exhibit features 40 artists from all over the U.S. The exhibit is free. Sept. 14, free opening reception with light refreshments. 1 - 4 pm.

Arts Guild NJ, 1670 Irving St., 732-381-7511

www.agnj.org

10/1 – 10/12 CAPE MAY

### East Lynne Theater Company Presents: Within the Law

This Broadway sensation, involves a sales clerk being falsely accused of shoplifting. After her prison term, she learns how to fight society back, so she can seek revenge on those who wronged her by staying just "within the law."

The First Presbyterian Church, 500 Hughes St., 609-884-5898

www.eastlynnetheater.org

10/1 – 10/14 CAPE MAY

### Carriage House Gallery Exhibit: Cape May Ablaze

From the pages of “The First Resort,” author Ben Miller brings alive 150 years of dramatic fires that have shaped Cape May’s history.

[Emlen Physick Estate, Carriage House Gallery, 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404](#)  
[www.capemaymac.org](http://www.capemaymac.org)

10/1 – 10/15 CAPE MAY

### Photography Club of Cape May Exhibit

The displayed theme will be “Nature.”

[Chalfonte Hotel, King Edward Bar, 301 Howard St., 609-884-8409](#)  
[www.chalfonte.com](http://www.chalfonte.com)

10/1 – 10/17 SOUTH ORANGE

### Strangers in a Strange Land

The exhibition of Italian-language imprints published in America, curated by James J. Periconi, illuminates the unique experiences of Italians from the 1890s through World War II. Free and open to the public Mon. – Fri., 10:30 am - 4:30 pm.

[Seton Hall University, Walsh Gallery, 400 S. Orange Ave., 973-275-2033](#)

10/1 – 10/19 RED BANK

### Red Bank Food & Wine Walk

The event features restaurants throughout the entire Red Bank Business District.

[Broad St., 732-842-4244](#)  
[www.visit.redbank.com](http://www.visit.redbank.com)

10/1 – 10/25 BEDMINSTER

### You’re U.S. Exhibition

This multi-media traveling exhibition presents forty “American Profiles” of subjects from across ten states, and is the first body of work created in an effort to collect profiles from all fifty states. Sept. 5, free opening reception, 6 - 8 pm.

[The Center for Contemporary Art, 2020 Burnt Mills Rd., 908-234-2345](#)  
[www.ccabedminster.org](http://www.ccabedminster.org)

10/1 – 10/25 CHESTER

### Harvest Moon Hayride & Night Time Corn Maze

Join us for an evening of fun, non-scary, kid-friendly fall family-fun! Ticket includes: Giant Corn Maze admission (bring your flashlight), Harvest Moon Hayride, country music DJ, campfire, unlimited hot and cold cider. S’mores kits available for an extra cost. Fri. & Sat. from 6 - 10 pm.

[Alstede Farms, 1 Chesterfield Dr., 908-879-7189](#)  
[www.alstedefarms.com](http://www.alstedefarms.com)

10/1 – 10/25 CLIFTON

### Louis Bouché: Part II – The Modern Artists Era

The second part of the exhibit reveals other contemporaries of his time and connection to the modern era. Selected paintings from The Woodstock Artists Association and Museum (WAAM) of Woodstock, New York’s permanent collection.

[Clifton Arts Center, 900 Clifton Ave., 973-472-5499](#)  
[www.cliftonnj.org](http://www.cliftonnj.org)

10/1 – 10/25 RIO GRANDE

### Saturdays on the Crushpad

Take a break and join us at the vineyard for live music by local singer-songwriters, sip on one of our refreshing wine cocktails and enjoy something from our menu.

[Hawk Haven Vineyard & Winery, 600 S. Railroad Ave., 609-846-7347](#)  
[www.hawkhavenvineyard.com](http://www.hawkhavenvineyard.com)

10/1 – 10/25 SECAUCUS

### Dinosaurs After Dark

Take a fun, mysterious journey into the prehistoric world. Explore the haunted trails of Snake Hill, make s’mores and sing around the campfire. Fri. & Sat. 7 pm.

[Field Station: Dinosaurs, 1 Dinosaur Way, 973-748-4317 or 855-999-9010](#)  
[www.fieldstationdinosaurs.com](http://www.fieldstationdinosaurs.com)

10/1 – 10/26 PHILLIPSBURG

### Mine Train

The original mine shaft is back in production. Come tour the grounds, listen to an interactive history of the ol’ Susquehanna Mine and pan for real gem stones you can take home.

[The Delaware River Railroad Excursions, 99 Elizabeth St., 877-872-4674](#)  
[www.877trainride.com](http://www.877trainride.com)

10/1 – 10/26 PHILLIPSBURG

### Corn Maze Train

Take the train to the maze where you can have a nice calm picnic lunch in our shaded picnic grove, visit the Susquehanna Mining Company (for an additional fee), play the corn maze game and see the 30-foot bouncy pumpkin!

[The Delaware River Railroad Excursions, 99 Elizabeth St., 877-872-4674](#)  
[www.877trainride.com](http://www.877trainride.com)

10/1 – 10/26 PHILLIPSBURG

### Warren County Winery Train

Enjoy a beautiful journey along the scenic Delaware River behind New Jersey’s only operating steam locomotive. Take a short bus ride to Villa Milagro Vineyards, and learn how grapes are grown and made into wine.

[The Delaware River Railroad Excursions, 99 Elizabeth St., 877-872-4674](#)  
[www.warrencountywinerytrain.com](http://www.warrencountywinerytrain.com) or [www.villamilagrovineyards.com](http://www.villamilagrovineyards.com)

10/1 – 10/26 PRINCETON

### Fall Family Fun Weekends

Celebrate the fall with pick-your-own apples and pumpkins! Enjoy pony and wagon rides, corn stalk maze and adventure barn. Do some wine tasting and listen to local live music from Noon - 4 pm. Admission \$5 for ages 3 and up.

**Terhune Orchards, 330 Cold Soil Rd., 609-924-2310**  
www.terhuneorchards.com

10/1 – 10/29 EAST WINDSOR

### New Jersey State Senior Citizen Art Show

More than 250 works of art in eleven different categories (including painting, photography, drawing, crafts, sculpture and more) will be on display. This work represents artists from 17 of New Jersey’s counties and open to the public Mon. – Sat. from 10 am - 4 pm. Groups of 8 or more are asked to call ahead to arrange visit.

**Meadow Lakes Senior Living (Main Bldg.), 300 Meadow Lakes, 609-448-4100**

10/1 – 10/30 MORRISTOWN

### Made in New Jersey: A Celebration of Decorative & Fine Arts

The exhibit honors the 350th New Jersey Anniversary and showcases the Museum’s collection of New Jersey stoneware, silver, and the work of artists such as Thomas Nast, A.B. Frost and Edward Kranich.

**Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404**  
www.maccullochhall.org

10/1 – 10/30 SOMERVILLE

### Somerville Farmers Market

The market is open every Thur. from Noon - 7 pm. Our family of vendors brings fresh fruits and vegetables, farm fresh meats and eggs, baked goods, vegan treats, Polish specialty, fresh cut flowers and much more.

**Division St. south of Main St., 908-541-1600**

10/1 – 10/30 UNION

### Community Farmer’s Market

Weekly farmer’s market takes place every Thur. from 11 am – 5 pm, featuring New Jersey fresh produce, meat and poultry. Food trucks will also be at the market.

**Liberty Hall Museum, 1003 Morris Ave., 908-527-0400**  
www.kean.edu/libertyhall

10/1 – 10/31 CAPE MAY

### Cape May Stage Presents Other Desert Cities by Jon Rabin Baitz

Brooke Wyeth returns home to celebrate Christmas with her family. She announces that she’s about to publish a memoir dredging up a pivotal and tragic event in the family’s history – a wound they don’t want reopened.

**Robert Shackleton Playhouse, 405 Lafayette St., 609-770-8311**  
www.capemaystage.org

10/1 – 10/31 JACKSON

### Premium Outlets Pink Event

For each donation of \$10 or more, shoppers will receive a savings card with “25% off one single item” offer. Oct. 24, the Dr. Jan Astin Mobile Digital Mammography Van will be on site from 10 am - 3 pm providing mammograms to women 40+.

**Jackson Premium Outlets, 537 Monmouth Rd., 732-833-0503**  
www.premiumoutlets.com/jackson

10/1 – 10/31 TINTON FALLS

### Premium Outlets Pink Event

During the month of October, visit the Information Center located in the Food Court to donate \$10 to support the cause and receive 25% off one item from select stores to support Susan G. Komen for the Cure.

**Jersey Shore Premium Outlets, 1 Premium Outlets Blvd., 732-918-1700**  
www.premiumoutlets.com/jerseyshore

10/2 LAKEWOOD

### From the Small Screen: All in the Family vs. The Honeymooners

Ralph Kramden and Archie Bunker are two bombastic, short-tempered, opinionated, blue-collar workers living in the outer boroughs of New York City. Explore how both programs became groundbreaking comedy classics in opposite directions.

**Georgian Court University: Little Theatre, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**  
www.georgian.edu

10/2 – 10/16 PT. PLEASANT BEACH

### Tea by the Sea

Enjoy afternoon tea and snacks while learning about some of our resident animals. Ages 55 and up, pre-registration is required.

**Jenkinson’s Aquarium, 300 Ocean Ave., 732-892-0600**  
www.jenkinsons.com

10/3 BERNARDSVILLE

### Around the World Wine Tasting

Guests will enjoy sampling over 90 wines from some of the most celebrated wine regions in the world. Wines have been specially selected by wine director and sommelier, Terri Baldwin. Hors d’oeuvres will be served. Call for reservations: \$55 per person, with \$20 credit towards the purchase of wine.

**Bernards Inn, 27 Mine Brook Rd., 908-766-0002 or 888-766-0002**  
www.bernardsinn.com

10/3 BOONTON

### First Friday

Come to Boonton Main Street for a night of socializing and shopping from 5 - 9 pm.

**Main St., 973-257-9107**  
www.boontonmainstreet.org

**Wayne Brady**

For more than a decade, Wayne Brady has entertained audiences with his acting, improv, singing, and dancing on stage, on television and in film.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

**Race of Gentlemen Vintage Car & Motorcycle Beach Drag Races**

Vintage auto (pre-1934) and motorcycles (pre-1948) will compete in an exhibition.

Fri.: pre-party, car and bike show at the Starlux Hotel. Sat.: vintage auto and motorcycle races 10 am - 6 pm with live rock 'n roll, bonfire and beach party 8 pm - midnight. Sun.: beach racing 10 am - 4 pm followed by an award ceremony, beach party and more music. Beach entry 8:30 am for spectators.

**Spicer Ave. & the Beach, 609-729-9000**

[www.theraceofgentlemen.com](http://www.theraceofgentlemen.com)

**Harvey**

Everyone wants to meet Elwood Dowd and his friend Harvey. But Harvey is a six-foot invisible rabbit and Elwood's sister wants him gone. The question is, does the world need another "normal" chap, or more Harveys?

**Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900**

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

**Warren County, Morris Canal Bus Tour**

Tour of the historic Morris Canal including Saxton Falls, Bread Lock Park, Plane 9 West and more. \$15 per person, includes lunch at the Jim and Mary Lee Museum.

**Morris Canal, 165 Rt. 519 S., 908-475-6532**

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

**City of Burlington K-9 Car Show**

Featuring live bands, great food and amazing cars. Over 60 trophies awarded, goodie bags and door prizes. Benefits the City of Burlington Police K-9 Unit. Rain date: Oct. 5.

**High St. & the Promenade, 609-386-0200**

[www.bck9carshow.com](http://www.bck9carshow.com)

**Harvest Festival Crafts & Antiques Show**

Crafters and antiques dealers from throughout the region will be on display, includes activities for children. Free admission and parking. 10 am - 4 pm.

**Emlen Physick Estate, 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278**

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

**Oktoberfest**

Celebrate the famous Bavarian tradition on historic Jackson St. as it is transformed into a German promenade with authentic music and food. Visit the Beer Gardens and browse the artisans tables selling crafts, antiques and collectibles.

**Jackson St., 609-884-5508**

[www.capemaychamber.com](http://www.capemaychamber.com)

**10th Annual Latino Festival of Monmouth County**

Featuring performances, music and food from various Latin American countries, as well as writing and art contests with entertainment for all ages.

**Freehold Hall of Records Parking Lot, 1 E. Main St., 732-213-6370**

[www.lfomc.com](http://www.lfomc.com)

**Highlands 14th Annual Oktoberfest**

The festival is modeled on the traditional Munich, Germany fest with an emphasis on eating, drinking and being merry. Festivities include contests with prizes. Free admission and parking. 2 - 9 pm. Rain date: Oct. 5, Noon - 8 pm.

**Veteran's Park, 60 Bay Ave., 732-291-4713**

[www.highlandsnj.com](http://www.highlandsnj.com)

**Fall Plant Swap**

From 10 am - 2 pm, bring plants in one-quart, one-gallon and two-gallon containers, swap and take home the same size and number of plants.

**Deep Cut Gardens, 152 Red Hill Rd., 732-842-4000**

[www.monmouthcountyparks.com](http://www.monmouthcountyparks.com)

**Wiggles**

After years of captivating children from around the globe, the number one children's entertainment group is bringing their "catchy brand of preschool pop" (Chicago Tribune) back to North American audiences.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

**George Lopez**

One of the most recognized and respected names in comedy today; Lopez's career encompasses television, film and stand-up comedy. Tickets \$36 - \$76.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

#### 10/4 NORTH WILDWOOD

### Annual Pennsauken Surf Club Fishing Tournament

60th Annual event on the Wildwoods Beaches. Registration at the Anglesea Firehouse begins at 6 am. Teams and individuals welcome. Entrance fee for participants and teams. 7:30 am - 1 pm.

**Anglesea Firehouse, 2nd & Olde New Jersey Ave., 856-231-9110**

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

#### 10/4 ROSELAND

### Octoberfest Family Fall Celebration

There will be fun-filled activities for the entire family to enjoy hands-on nature games and crafts, farmer's market featuring a variety of NJ Fresh seasonal produce, canoeing, Native American life, pumpkin patch, petting zoo, food and more. Free admission 11 am - 4 pm.

**Essex County Environmental Center, 621-B Eagle Rock Ave., 973-228-8776**

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

#### 10/4 SEA ISLE CITY

### Harborfest

Chowder contest, Clam Eating contest, Blessing of the Fleet, Daisy Jug Band and food vendors. Free admission and parking.

**Marina Park, 347 42nd Pl., 609-263-9090**

[www.seaislechamber.com](http://www.seaislechamber.com)

#### 10/4 SOUTH ORANGE

### Bobby Collins

Always the funniest guy in the room and a native of New York, Bobby Collins is a show-business institution who has made millions laugh across the country.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787**

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

#### 10/4 SOUTH ORANGE

### WBGO Kids Jazz Concert Series Featuring Shamie Royston

These interactive concerts give kids opportunities to learn about the distinct qualities of jazz, and why it's a reflection of our community, our nation, and our world! Q&A sessions with the artists, small gifts and chance to win a door prize.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-624-8880**

[www.wbgo.org/kids](http://www.wbgo.org/kids)

#### 10/4 STANHOPE

### Kayak Tours

Learn the history of the Musconetcong River and its impact on Waterloo Village. Kayaks are provided, if needed. Appropriate footwear (water shoes), water and sunscreen suggested. Ages 16 & up, \$5 per person. Free parking. Call to pre-register.

**Waterloo Village Historic Site, Waterloo Lake, 525 Waterloo Rd., 973-786-6447**

#### 10/4 WEST ORANGE

### World Farm Animal Day

Celebrate the animals on our Essex Farm and their counterparts around the globe. These are the domesticated animals that feed, clothe and help us in our work and enrich our lives in many more ways. Free with zoo general admission.

**Essex County Turtle Back Zoo, 560 Northfield Ave., 973-731-5801**

[www.turtlebackzoo.com](http://www.turtlebackzoo.com)

#### 10/4 WHIPPANY

### Tour Whippany Burying Yard & First Presbyterian Church

Opened in 1718 to serve Morris County's first settlers. Hear the stories of Revolutionary War and Civil War soldiers and Whippany residents with Don Kiddoo, docent. Make reservations by phone or online. Free parking at JR Cigar. 10 - 11:30 am.

**Whippany Burying Yard & First Presbyterian Church, 301 Rt. 10 E., 973-631-5151**

[www.morristourism.org/tours](http://www.morristourism.org/tours)

#### 10/4 WILDWOOD

### Wildwoods Seafood & Music Festival

A free street fair from 10 am - 8 pm. Two stages for live entertainment, crafters, food vendors, pie eating contest and more! Kids Korner with activities from Noon - 4 pm.

**Atlantic Ave. (between Wildwood & Schellenger Aves.), 609-729-4000**

[www.gwcoc.com](http://www.gwcoc.com)

#### 10/4 - 10/5 BEACH HAVEN

### 26th Annual Chowderfest Weekend

Family-fun festival featuring live music, activities, unlimited chowder tasting and the opportunity to vote for your favorite red/white chowder, hundreds of vendors.

**Little League Field, 9th St. & Taylor Ave., 609-494-7211**

[www.chowderfest.com](http://www.chowderfest.com)

#### 10/4 - 10/5 BORDENTOWN CITY

### 25th Annual Cranberry Festival

One of the largest Juried Craft Shows in New Jersey. Over 125 vendors featuring the finest craftsmen in the region, homemade pastries, wines, jewelry and clothing. Vintage car show on Saturday and live entertainment all weekend. 10 am - 5 pm.

**Downtown Bordentown, 200 Farnsworth Ave., 609-324-9909**

[www.downtownbordentown.com](http://www.downtownbordentown.com)

#### 10/4 - 10/5 MILLVILLE

### Festival of Fine Craft

The festival features works of art from over 130 juried artists from across the country. Beer and Wine Garden, along with musical entertainment from Noon to 4 pm by Package Goods Orchestra. 10 am - 5 pm, rain or shine.

**Wheaton Arts and Cultural Center, 1501 Glasstown Rd., 856-825-6800**

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

10/4 – 10/5 PHILLIPSBURG

### Harvest Train

Enjoy fall foliage as you pass thru historic hamlets and farmland ready for fall harvest. Then tour the vineyards of Villa Milagro Vineyards and learn how grapes are turned into wine. Taste wine paired with hot appetizers. \$35 per person.

[Villa Milagro Vineyards, 33 Rt. 627, 908-955-2072](http://www.villamilagrovineyards.com)

[www.villamilagrovineyards.com](http://www.villamilagrovineyards.com) or [www.warrencountywinerytrain.com](http://www.warrencountywinerytrain.com)

10/4 – 10/5 SMITHVILLE

### Oktoberfest

Over 100 juried crafters, international food court, music, kids activities, non-profit organizations and more!

[Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999](http://www.colonialinnsmithville.com)

[www.colonialinnsmithville.com](http://www.colonialinnsmithville.com)

10/4 – 10/26 PHILLIPSBURG

### Great Pumpkin Train

Take the train to the pumpkin patch located in a little glade in front of the historic Carpentersville Lime Kilns dating from the 1700s. Everyone is welcome to get off the train and children can pick their own pumpkin for free.

[The Delaware River Railroad Excursions, 99 Elizabeth St., 877-872-4674](http://www.877trainride.com)

[www.877trainride.com](http://www.877trainride.com)

10/5 LAKEWOOD

### Perspective: The Calm Within the Storm

Join GCU President, Rosemary E. Jeffries for a free lecture as Dr. Wicks offers thoughtful reflection on practical steps for developing a balanced and fulfilling life.

[Georgian Court University: Casino, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263](http://www.georgian.edu)

[www.georgian.edu](http://www.georgian.edu)

10/5 MORRISTOWN

### Peter Gros from the Original Mutual of Omaha's Wild Kingdom

Peter Gros shares his exciting animal world experiences, introduces friendly exotic animals to audience members, and tells inspirational stories dealing with issues of conservation, travel and wildlife filming. Tickets \$15 - \$35. 1:30 pm & 4:30 pm.

[Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008](http://www.mayoarts.org)

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

10/5 MORRISTOWN

### Seeing Eye Doggy Dash

You and your well behaved dog are invited for a 1-mile fundraising walk and dog pageant to support the mission of The Seeing Eye. Fun activities and prizes to follow the walk. Registration at 11 am, Doggy Dash at Noon. Rain date: Oct. 12.

[Parking lot on corner of Dehart St. & Maple Ave., 973-539-4425](http://www.seeingeye.org)

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

10/5 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Rodgers and Hammerstein Tribute

Spend an evening with four Broadway singers, a band, and the music of Broadway legends Rodgers and Hammerstein!

[State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469](http://www.statetheatrenj.org)

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

10/5 NEWARK

### Choo-Choo Soul with Genevieve

The stage show adaptation of Disney Junior's music video series, follows the adventures of singer, train station manager Genevieve Goings and dancing, beatboxing engineer DC while performing songs from classic Disney films. Toddlers - age 6.

[NJ PAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722](http://www.njpac.org)

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

10/5 PT. PLEASANT BEACH

### Pirate Plunder – Arrrgh!

Enjoy snacks and grog, make a craft, dress in your best pirate garb and join us for some swashbuckling! Pre-registration required, ages 4 - 8.

[Jenkinson's Aquarium, 300 Ocean Ave., 732-892-0600](http://www.jenkinsons.com)

[www.jenkinsons.com](http://www.jenkinsons.com)

10/5 SADDLE BROOK

### Saddle Brook Street Fair

The street will be transformed into a giant town block party. Many of the local businesses will showcase their shops and offer special sales. Open air cafes along the street will be offering a wide selection of delicious foods. 10 am - 5 pm.

[215 Market St., 201-998-1144](http://www.jcpromotions.info)

[www.jcpromotions.info](http://www.jcpromotions.info)

10/5 SEWELL

### Free Benefit Concert

Rachel Lee Priday, violin, William Frampton, viola and Edward Arron, cello performing at 3 pm.

[Bunker Hill Presbyterian Church, 330 Greentree Rd., 856-589-7863](http://www.musicatbunkerhill.org)

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

10/5 SOMERVILLE

### Somerville Street Fair & Craft Show

Over 200 artists, crafters and vendors and 25,000 spectators. Free admission and free parking. 11 am - 5 pm.

[Streets of Downtown, 908-654-1400](http://www.streetfairs.org)

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



10/5 STANHOPE

### Sunday Walk with the Friends of Waterloo

An interesting stroll through the Village and a two-mile hike on the far side of the Musconetcong River. Free parking on main lot. Donations appreciated. Call to pre-register at 201-401-3121. 1 pm.

Waterloo Village, 525 Waterloo Rd., 973-347-0900

10/6 RINGOES

### 28th Annual Midland Golf Classic

Come golf at the Tom Fazio designed golf course voted "8th Best Private Golf Course in America" by the readers of *GolfWorld*. The outing will benefit the Midland School and Midland Adult Services (MAS) includes lunch, cocktails and dinner in addition to playing the 18-hole course. Register online.

The Ridge at Back Brook, 211 Wertsville Rd., 908-722-7210

www.midlandschool.org

10/7 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Last Comic Standing

You've seen them on TV, you voted for them, now see them live! An evening of great stand-up comedy featuring finalists from NBC's laughfest *Last Comic Standing*.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

10/7 PRINCETON

### Terhune Orchards Read & Pick Program: Mini-Pumpkins

We will read two books, then everyone will pick their own decorative mini-pumpkins and gourds. Pre-registration requested. Preschool - age 8. 9:30 am & 11 am.

Terhune Orchards, 330 Cold Soil Rd., 609-924-2310

www.terhuneorchards.com

10/8 ATLANTIC CITY

### Dismantling Racism Initiative – Things I Remember, "A Conversation on Racism in the U.S."

The Women's Center will present a collection of stories written and performed by the staff of the Center around how they have experienced racism.

The African American Heritage Museum of Southern New Jersey, 2200 Fairmount Ave., 609-601-9925

www.acwc.org

10/8 CAPE MAY POINT

### Lighthouse Full Moon Climb

Let the light of the full moon guide you up the 199 stairs. Tower admission free for "Friends" members; non-members \$7 for adults; \$3 for children 3-12. 8 - 10 pm.

Cape May Lighthouse, 215 Lighthouse Ave., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278

www.capemaymac.org

10/9 LAKEWOOD

### From the Small Screen: Life at an Edwardian Manor Inspired by Downton Abbey

PBS's *Downton Abbey* has renewed popular interest in the Edwardian era, when King Edward VII reigned in the United Kingdom. It was a time of great disparity between the haves and the have-nots. Learn about this fascinating time while enjoying a tea luncheon in the beautiful Gould Mansion.

Georgian Court University: The Mansion, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263

www.georgian.edu

10/9 MORRISTOWN

### David Sedaris

With sardonic wit and incisive social critiques, David Sedaris has become one of America's pre-eminent humor writers. Sedaris is a master of satire, one of the most observant writers addressing the human condition today. Tickets \$39 - \$69. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

10/9 NEWARK

### Fairleigh Dickinson University Presents the New Jersey Speakers Series: Madeleine K. Albright

Albright is the first woman U.S. Secretary of State (1997-2001), prior she was the United Nations, U.S. Ambassador. Born in Prague, her family fled the Nazi invasion during WWII, and later the Communists, before settling in Denver. A Presidential Medal of Freedom recipient, she is currently a professor at Georgetown University.

NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

10/9 OCEANVILLE

### Fourth Annual Chili Cook-Off

Fill your tummy with over 20 different chili recipes, sample some south Jersey brews, and cast your vote for best facial fur during the beard competition, judged by Carmelo's Barber Shop. Featuring local bluegrass band Jug Paradise. Prizes awarded in contests, and door prizes for attendees.

The Noyes Museum of Stockton College, 733 Lily Lake Rd., 609-652-8848

www.noyesmuseum.org

10/10 ELIZABETH

### NJPAC Stage Exchange – Ironbound by Martyna Majok

This play examines the lives and personal choices immigrants make to participate in the American Dream. It tells the story of an immigrant Polish woman, in the industrial wastelands of NJ. Free admission.

Academy of Elizabethtown, 66 Caldwell Pl., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

**10/10 GLASSBORO****Canal's 5th Annual SJ Oktoberfest Benefit**

The 5th annual event, benefiting the American Red Cross SJ Chapter, will take place from 7 - 10 pm. Tickets \$30 in advance and \$40 at the door, includes all food, beer and wine sampling; party favors, DJ, dancing, live entertainment, contests and prizes. Patrons must be 21 and older.

**Masso's Orchard Garden, 210 Delsea Dr. S., 856-882-6502**

[www.sjoktoberfest.com](http://www.sjoktoberfest.com)

**10/10 JERSEY CITY****Crunch Hercules Trophy**

Hercules Trophy is a super-charged sporting team day with teams of 5 to 7 people and 12 challenges. No athletic skills needed to participate.

**Liberty State Park, 1 Audrey Zapp Dr., 516-503-3573**

[www.herculestrophy.com](http://www.herculestrophy.com)

**10/10 LAKEWOOD****Adventures in Fine Art: Dada & Surrealism**

Dada is an early form of shock art, produced by a loosely formed group of Europeans. Though mostly in protest, some works are quite whimsical as well as satiric.

**Georgian Court University: North Dining Room, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**

[www.georgian.edu](http://www.georgian.edu)

**10/10 NEW BRUNSWICK****D. L. Hughley**

One of the most popular and recognizable stand-up comedians on the road today, D. L. Hughley, a multi-talented star in television, film and radio. Tickets \$35 - \$65.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

**10/10 SUMMIT****Nocturnal Neighbors**

Come learn about nocturnal animals in this nighttime family program (children ages 5+). Fun activities including a hike and story by the campfire with s'mores! Registration required, \$10 per person, free for members. 7 - 9 pm.

**Reeves-Reed Arboretum, Carriage House Education Center, 165 Hobart Ave., 908-273-8787**

[www.reeves-reedarboretum.org](http://www.reeves-reedarboretum.org)

**10/10 VERONA****Villain Party**

Meet your favorite villains and get autographs. Halloween make-up demonstrations, activities and refreshments from 6 - 9 pm. Free admission. Rain date: Oct. 11.

**Essex County Kip's Castle Park, 22 Crestmont Rd., 973-239-2485**

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

**10/10 - 10/12 SEASIDE HEIGHTS****23rd Ocean County Columbus Day Parade & Italian Festival**

This 3-day event includes food, entertainment, crafts, merchandise and children's activities. Both events feature guest performers from Italy.

**The Boulevard & Grant Ave., 732-477-6507**

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

**10/10 - 10/12 WOODSTOWN****11th Annual South Jersey Pumpkin Show**

Voted by CBS of New York as one of the best fall festivals in New Jersey. See the giant pumpkin pyramid, Big Pumpkin Weigh-Off, pumpkin wine sampling, pumpkin foods, dessert contest, pumpkin themed pageant, pumpkin contests and more.

**Salem County Fairground, 735 Harding Hwy. (Rt. 40), 856-765-0118**

[www.sjpumpkinshow.com](http://www.sjpumpkinshow.com)

**10/10 - 10/13 CAPE MAY****Cape May's 42nd Annual Victorian Weekend**

Features the Chocolate Championship Tour & Tasting, Historic House Tours, Murder Mystery Dinners, living history programs, workshops, performances and more.

**Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts & Humanities (MAC), 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278**

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

**10/10 - 10/13 ELIZABETH****USA Outlet Shopping Festival**

Enjoy mall-wide Columbus Day Sales, a special gift with purchase for out of state visitors, and much more including live music, art and theatre in Center Court.

**The Outlet Collection, Jersey Gardens, 651 Kapkowski Rd., 908-436-3005**

[www.jerseygardens.com](http://www.jerseygardens.com)

**10/10 - 10/18 RAHWAY****Mystic Vision Players Presents Speech & Debate**

This is the story of three teenagers in Salem, Oregon. When one of them discovers the truth about a sex scandal in their town, secrets become currency, blogs are belted and the trio's connection grows deeper in this dark musical comedy.

**Union County Performing Arts Center, 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226**

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

**10/11 AUGUSTA****Sussex County Harvest, Honey & Garlic Festival**

The festival is a celebration of agritourism, ecotourism, arts and heritage. 10 am - 4 pm. Free, family event.

**Sussex County Fairgrounds, Livestock Buildings, 37 Plains Rd., 973-579-0500**

[www.sussexfarmvisits.com](http://www.sussexfarmvisits.com)

**10/11 BROWNS MILLS****Whitesbog Moonlight Walk**

Explore the historic village, cranberry bogs, learn about Whitesbog and experience the seasonal changes of the Pine Barrens. All walks are 3 - 5 miles long, led by experienced leaders, weather permitting. \$5 donation per person.

**Historic Whitesbog Village, General Store, 120 W. Whitesbog Rd., 609-893-4646**  
www.whitesbog.org

**10/11 CAPE MAY****Philadelphia German Brass Band**

The oldest continually performing German band in the Philadelphia region and amongst the most venerable of such ensembles in the U.S. Admission \$15 adults; \$10 seniors and children under age 12.

**Cape May Convention Hall, 714 Beach Ave., 609-884-9563 or 855-708-9699**  
www.discovercapemaynj.com

**10/11 CHESTER****10th Annual Pet Costume Contest & Parade**

All pets are welcome, but dogs must be leashed and all other pets in a secure container. There is no fee to enter, but we ask that you bring a donation of unopened cat or dog food. Registration 11 am - 12:15 pm. Parade 12:30 pm.

**Gazebo Field, Main St., 973-223-2665**  
www.ilovechester.com

**10/11 LONG BEACH TWP.****Annual Spaghetti Dinner**

Come out for this annual delicious spaghetti dinner! The raffling of the cars will take place immediately following the dinner. All are welcome!

**St. Francis Community Center, 4700 Long Beach Blvd., 609-494-8861**  
www.stfranciscenterlbi.org

**10/11 MAYS LANDING****13th Annual Fine Crafts Fall Festival**

Scarecrow contest, chili contest, pumpkin painting, amazing food, craft vendors, music and much more.

**Memorial Park, Main St. & Rt. 50, 609-909-9028**

**10/11 MORRISTOWN****Dick Fox's The Golden Boys – Frankie Avalon, Fabian and Bobby Rydell**

These world-renown personalities, originally all from the same Philly neighborhood, sing their biggest hits as well as tributes to contemporaries. Tickets \$69 - \$99. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**  
www.mayoarts.org

**10/11 MORRISTOWN****Trial of the 19th Century: Antoine LeBlanc**

Go for a tour of the Morris County Courthouse c. 1827, where immigrant Antoin LeBlanc was convicted for three brutal murders. \$15 per person.

**Morris County Tourism Bureau, 6 Court St., 973-631-5151**  
www.morristourism.org

**10/11 MOUNT HOLLY****Witches Ball**

This outdoor event is an opportunity for adults to dress up. A diverse collection of music, art and revel. Visit the "Gypsy Village" or the "Bizarre Bazaar." Compete in the Costume Contest. Suggested age: 16+.

**Mill Race Village, Church & White Sts., 609-518-0077**  
www.thewitchesball.com

**10/11 MULLICA HILL****Mullica Hill Ghost Walk**

Explore our haunted history as you walk past the historic houses and public buildings during the guided tour at 6:30 pm. Tickets \$7 per person; children in strollers free. Remember to bring your flashlights, cameras and walking shoes!

**Blueplate Restaurant, 47 S. Main St., 856-310-0299**  
www.harrisonhistorical.com

**10/11 NEWARK****WBGO Kids Jazz Concert Series Featuring Onaje Allan Grumbs**

These interactive concerts give kids opportunities to learn about the distinct qualities of jazz, and why it's a reflection of our community, our nation, and our world! Q&A sessions with the artists, small gifts and chance to win a door prize.

**Newark Museum, 49 Washington St., 973-624-8880**  
www.wbgo.org/kids

**10/11 OCEAN GROVE****Ocean Grove's Fall Harvest Festival & Craft Show**

This all-day street fair features over 180 arts and crafts vendors, live music, variety of foods, sidewalk sales, pumpkin painting at The Starving Artist, and a close-up view of a fire truck and ambulance. Free. 10 am - 4 pm. Rain or shine.

**Main Ave., 45 Pilgrim Pathway & Auditorium Square Park, 732-774-1391**  
www.oceangrovenj.com

**10/11 PARAMUS****50th Annual Bergen County Art in the Park Show & Concert**

A free show with about 100 adult visual artists juried exhibition of diverse artistic expression from northern NJ arts community. Special concert by the Klezmer-Bluegrass All Stars. 11 am - 3:30 pm. Rain date: Oct. 12.

**Van Saun County Park, Lot 4 area F, 216 Forest Ave., 201-336-7292**  
www.co.bergen.nj.us

**10/11 PEDRICKTOWN****Annual Pedricktown Day**

All children's activities are underwritten by the Pedricktown Day Committee, most are free or cost \$1! Pumpkin Hollow Children's Area, petting zoo, live bands all day, classic car show, raffle baskets, wine tastings, free trackless train all day. Food Vendors, Bondi's and Stew's Concessions, "Shrimpmen," Dodges Market, local wineries, county store's bbq chicken, ribs, and bake sale. Shuttle service to remote parking areas all day.

**E. Mill St. & S. Railroad Ave., 856-299-2133**  
www.pedricktownday.org

**10/11 PT. PLEASANT BEACH****South African Penguin Festival**

Join the penguin party to celebrate the South African Foundation for the Conservation of Coastal Birds (SANCCOB). Included with admission. 1 - 4 pm.

**Jenkinson's Aquarium, 300 Ocean Ave., 732-892-0600**  
www.jenkinsons.com

**10/11 PRINCETON****Fall Landscapes Walk, Cedar Ridge Preserve with D&R Greenway's Jim Amon**

Walk the habitats of Cedar Ridge Preserve. Enjoy wildflower fields, storied stone walls, majestic trees, a babbling brook and the brilliance with Jim Amon. Free.

**D&R Greenway Land Trust, Cedar Ridge Preserve, 1 Preservation Pl., 609-924-4646**  
www.drgreenway.org

**10/11 RAHWAY****Alborada Spanish Dance Theatre Presents Flamenco Allstars**

Señora Eva Lucena is an internationally-acclaimed figura, a shining star of the Flamenco world who has delighted audiences across the globe. At this all-star tribute, she will be joined onstage by dancers, singers, musicians and guests.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage, 360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226**  
www.ucpac.org

**10/11 SEA ISLE CITY****Italian Festival & Columbus Day Parade**

The Parade begins at 2 pm at the Sea Isle City Italian American Club on JFK Blvd. Featuring the Ocean City High School Marching Band. 10 am - Dusk.

**63rd St. & Landis Ave., 609-263-4461**  
www.visitsicnj.com

**10/11 SOUTH ORANGE****Christine Ebersole with The Aaron Weinstein Trio**

An evening of jazzed up Broadway classics and songbook standards with two-time Tony Award-winning actress. Tickets \$38 - \$58; SOPAC Members \$33 - \$53.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787**  
www.sopacnow.org

**10/11 STANHOPE****Shadows of the Past**

An evening guided lantern tour of the village, aimed at exploring the various shadows of Waterloo's past. Sneakers or hiking boots required, weather appropriate attire is suggested. Fee \$8 per person. Parking is free. Must pre register. 7 - 9 pm.

**Waterloo Village, 525 Waterloo Rd., 973-786-6445 or 973-347-0900**

**10/11 TOMS RIVER****AHS/Popcorn Park Annual Gift Auction**

Come bid on a variety of gift baskets, housewares, jewelry, sports memorabilia and more. Admission of \$10 includes a set of auction tickets. Food for sale from the Elks. Doors open at 5 pm, Auction at 7 pm. Proceeds benefit animals at Popcorn Park!

**Toms River Elks, 600 Washington Ave., 609-693-1900**  
www.ahscare.org

**10/11 TOMS RIVER****Barbershop, Now That's Entertainment**

The only nationally chartered Barbershop Harmony Society chorus in Ocean County, will present its 57th annual public performance with special guest performers. General admission \$17. Advance sales for seniors is \$15. Children are free. 7 pm.

**Toms River Intermediate School East, 1519 Hooper Ave., 732-503-8611**  
www.oceanaires.com

**10/11 WEST ORANGE****African Penguin Day**

Waddle on over to discover the challenges this amazing little penguin has to overcome to survive and find out what you can do to help. Free with zoo admission.

**Essex County Turtle Back Zoo, 560 Northfield Ave., 973-731-5801**  
www.turtlebackzoo.com

**10/11 WEST WINDSOR****Mercer County's 4th Annual Cultural Festival**

Featuring two stages with live musical performances representing many cultures, along with heritage artisans, arts demonstrations, children's activities, International Food Truck convoy and Biergarten. Admission and parking are FREE. 11 am - 6 pm. Rain date: Oct. 12.

**Mercer County Park, 1665-1667 Mercerville-Edinburg Rd., 609-278-2712**  
www.mercercountyparks.org

## 10/11 WESTFIELD

### Westfield Street Fair & Craft Show

Over 200 artists, crafters and vendors and 25,000 spectators. Free admission and free parking. 11 am - 5 pm.

**Streets of Downtown, 908-654-1400**

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

## 10/11 – 10/12 CHESTER

### 31st Annual Harvest Celebration

Free weekend event featuring NBC's Produce Pete, joining us on Sat. from Noon - 3 pm. Activities include: 10th Annual Pet Costume Contest, 15th Annual Scarecrow, Colonial Musketeers: Fife and Drum Corp, kid activities, pumpkin painting, Guess the Weight, antique cars, music and much more.

**Main St., 908-879-2900**

[www.ilovechester.com](http://www.ilovechester.com)

## 10/11 – 10/12 KEYPORT

### Keyport Screamin Country Jamboree

Downtown will be turned into a festival with live music, festival foods and a vast variety of vendors. The Jamboree is in its 18th year and will have a Rockabilly twist.

**Country Jamboree, American Legion Dr., 732-255-1844**

[www.thisisitproductions.com](http://www.thisisitproductions.com)

## 10/11 – 10/12 NEWTON

### Sussex County Heritage Tour

Visit the historical sites, wineries, farms and other sites in Sussex County.

**133 Spring St., 973-383-0027**

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

## 10/11 – 10/12 NORTH WILDWOOD

### NJBBA's Great Fall Classic Surf Fishing Tournament

Registration at 5 am for ASAC sanctioned tournament which will run Saturday from 7 am - 1:30 pm. Individual tournament (not ASAC sanctioned) at 5 am on Saturday and concludes at noon on Sunday. Entry fee \$50 per six-man team and \$10 per individual.

**15th Ave. & the Beach, 609-290-6480**

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

## 10/11 – 10/12 SMITHVILLE

### Irish Festival in Historic Smithville

The Irish Festival will feature an Irish market offering a variety of wares. In addition, music in three locations!

**Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999**

[www.colonialinnsmithville.com](http://www.colonialinnsmithville.com)

## 10/11 – 10/12 SOMERVILLE

### Somerset County Weekend Journey Through the Past

Twenty-five historic sites countywide open free to visitors for tours, history interpretations, exhibitions, programs, arts and more. Sat. 10 am - 5 pm; Sun. Noon - 4 pm.

**20 Grove St., 908-231-7110**

[www.schistoryweekend.com](http://www.schistoryweekend.com)

## 10/12 BLOOMFIELD

### Wellness in the Park Festival

More than 150+ health and wellness vendors, music and fun for the family! Sponsored by *Zen Living Magazine*, will host a fun-filled day at the park dedicated to helping folks find their way to a happier, healthier life! 10 am - 5 pm.

**Brookdale Park, Watchung Ave. Entrance, 201-452-7284**

[www.zenlivingevents.com](http://www.zenlivingevents.com)

## 10/12 CAPE MAY

### Victorian Weekend Crafts & Antiques Show

Crafters and antiques dealers from throughout the region display and sell their wares on the lawn. Free admission and parking. 10 am - 4 pm.

**Grounds of Emlen Physick Estate, 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404**

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

## 10/12 CRANFORD

### Cranford Street Fair & Craft Show

Over 200 artists, crafters and vendors and 25,000 spectators. Free admission and parking. 11 am - 5 pm.

**Streets of Downtown, 908-654-1400**

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

## 10/12 LONG BEACH TWP.

### LBI 18-Mile Run

Entering its 42nd year, the 18-mile course is a straight, flat, point-to-point run heading north on Long Beach Blvd. Runners will keep to the right shoulder for the entire run. To register online please visit, [www.raceforum.com/lbi](http://www.raceforum.com/lbi)

**St. Francis Community Center, 4700 Long Beach Blvd., 609-494-8861**

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

## 10/12 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Sixties Spectacular

Featuring Felix Cavaliere's Rascals, B.J. Thomas, Dennis Tufano (the Voice of The Buckingham), The Vogues and 1910 Fruitgum Company.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

10/14 HACKETTSTOWN

### If You Give a Mouse a Cookie

See how a curious boy finds himself figure skating on scrub brushes, wrestling a boa constrictor, and climbing mountains from an innocent milk-and-cookie snack.

**Little Theatre, 400 Jefferson St., 908-979-0900**

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

10/16 MORRISTOWN

### In Disguise: Masks From the Morris Museum Collection

Masks have been worn for centuries for amusement, deception, or protection. Explore a wide variety of masks spanning many decades and continents and see how mankind has been transformed by this unique and vast art form.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

10/16 RAHWAY

### Kathleen Madigan

Over Kathleen Madigan's 25-year career, she has performed on nearly every stand-up television show ever made – Leno, Letterman, Conan, Ferguson and so on.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226**

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

10/16 – 10/19 UNION

### Liberty Live: At Liberty Hall

The story of a pair of American immigrants, who start high school in NJ. This time-bending story finds common threads of humor, honor and awkwardness.

**Liberty Hall Museum, The 1882 Carriage House, 1003 Morris Ave., 908-737-4092**

[www.kean.edu/premierestages](http://www.kean.edu/premierestages)

10/17 FLORHAM PARK

### Spooktacular!!!

Children are invited to come dressed in their Halloween costumes for this special night while they play throughout the center with a variety of additional games and activities set up especially for this SPOOKY night! \$16.99 per child, \$13.99 per adult.

**Imagine That!!!, 4 Vreeland Rd., 973-966-8000**

[www.imaginetatmuseum.com](http://www.imaginetatmuseum.com)

10/17 MORRISTOWN

### Chazz Palminteri in A Bronx Tale

In 1989, Chazz Palminteri (The Usual Suspects) wrote a one-man show about a killing he saw in the Bronx when he was nine-years-old. It became a hit and the most sought after property since Rocky. Tickets \$49 - \$69. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

10/17 MORRISTOWN

### Tot Tours – Pulp Culture: Paper is the Medium

Explore the variety of paper works exhibited and then create a paper collage for children ages 2 - 5. The tours run 30 - 40 minutes and begin promptly at 10 am on selected Friday's of each month. Free with museum admission.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

10/17 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Masters of Illusion

Masters of Illusion-Believe the Impossible includes grand illusions, levitating women, escapologists, comedy magic, sleight of hand and beautiful dancers. Tickets \$35 - \$65.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

10/17 NEWARK

### Jonathan's Choice: An Evening of Music and Conversation: Tierney Sutton

Six-time Grammy nominee Tierney Sutton joins radio host Jonathan Schwartz for a concert and conversation. The performance takes place before a live audience.

**NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

10/17 NEWARK

### Inside Amy Schumer's Backdoor Tour

One of the funniest, freshest faces on television is on the rise in the world of comedy with her blend of honesty and unapologetic sense of humor.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

10/17 RAHWAY

### American Reperatory Ballet: A Midsummer Nights Dream

Featuring brand new sets and choreography, will portray the weaving tales of the cunning Fairies, quarreling lovers, as their paths cross in a magical forest.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage,**

**360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226**

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

10/17 SEA ISLE CITY

### Halloween Parade and Family Dance Party

One of the resort's many long-standing traditions. A free Halloween Family Dance Party will take place immediately following the parade, at the Excursion Park Band Shell, JFK Blvd. & the Beach. Awards given at start of the Dance Party. 7 pm.

**Landis Ave. (between 45th & 40th Sts.), 609-263-0050**

[www.visitsicnj.com](http://www.visitsicnj.com)

10/17 – 10/18 WILDWOOD

### Fabulous 50's and Beyond Weekend

Friday: Dance Party, 7 - 11 pm, \$15 per person. Saturday: 11 am - 5 pm, free street fair, classic cars, food and craft vendors, a Doo Wop Bus Tour, live entertainment – The Johnny Cash Show, 45 RPM and more! Concert at 7 pm, \$49.50 per person.

Wildwoods Convention Center & Fox Park, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-729-4000  
www.gwccoc.com

10/17 – 10/31 CAPE MAY

### Halloween Happenings in Victorian Cape May

Enjoy specially-themed tours and events including Ghostwriter Trolley Rides, Madame Parmentier's Psychic Teas, Scarecrow Alley, Midnight at the Physick Estate, Historic Haunts Combination Tours, Phantoms of the Physick Estate and more.

Cape May City, 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278  
www.capemaymac.org

10/18 CAPE MAY

### Harvest Festival Crafts & Antiques Show

Crafters and antiques dealers from throughout the region display and sell their wares. Free admission. 10 am – 4 pm.

Cape May Convention Hall, 714 Beach Ave., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278  
www.capemaymac.org

10/18 HOBOKEN

### Hoboken Harvest Festival

Mayor Dawn Zimmer and the City of Hoboken invite you to come enjoy our hay rides and maze, pony rides, petting zoo, moonwalk, face and pumpkin painting, balloon art, craft activities, soccer, live music, dancing and more! 11 am - 3 pm.

Pier A Park, Sinatra Dr. & 1st St., 201-420-2207  
www.hobokennj.org

10/18 LAMBERTVILLE

### Flemington Speedway Historical Society 4th Annual Car Show

All types of vehicles welcome. Over 650 vehicles last year! People's Choice awards, food, music, family-fun, door prizes and purple night contest. Rain Date: Oct. 19.

South County Park, 7 Rt. 179, 484-221-5052  
www.flemingtonspeedwayhistoricalsociety.com

10/18 MILFORD

### Grape Gallop

Choose to run or walk the challenging 2-mile course, or take a second turn and make it a 4-miler! After stimulate your taste buds with Alba's award winning wines.

Alba Vineyard & Winery, 269 Riegelsville Warren Glen Rd., 908-995-7800  
www.grapegallopnj.com

10/18 MORRISTOWN

### Midtown Men

Four stars from the original cast of Jersey Boys – Tony-Award winner Christian Hoff, Michael Longoria, Daniel Reichard and J. Robert Spencer – star in this concert experience celebrating the music that defined the 1960s. Tickets \$49 - \$79. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008  
www.mayoarts.org

10/18 MORRISTOWN

### Super Science

Blood Soup: Explore the components contained in blood. Children will be introduced to the scientific method as they conduct experiments. Ages 5 and older. Members free; non-members: \$3 per child, plus museum admission. Noon - 2 pm.

Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700  
www.morrismuseum.org

10/18 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Senegal St. Joseph Gospel Choir

Direct from Dakar, Senegal, the Senegal St. Joseph Gospel Choir, a company of 15 singers and four traditional Senegalese Drummers, make their State Theatre debut!

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469  
www.statetheatrenj.org

10/18 NEWARK

### WBGO Kids Jazz Concert Series Featuring Michael Carvin

These interactive concerts give kids opportunities to learn about the distinct qualities of jazz, and why it's a reflection of our community, our nation, and our world! Q&A sessions with the artists, small gifts, and chance to win a door prize.

Newark Symphony Hall, 1030 Broad St., 973-624-8880  
www.wbgo.org/kids

10/18 PENNSVILLE

### National Archeology Day

Special activities for all ages from 10 am - 3 pm. All activities will be in or near the park's museum and welcome center. Rain or shine.

Fort Mott State Park, 454 Fort Mott Rd., 856-935-3218

10/18 PHILLIPSBURG

### Historic Pohatcong House Tour

The Pohatcong Historic & Heritage Society will open a number of homes for tours, with hosts dressed in vintage clothing. Start with a trip on a steam engine, take a guided bus tour, enjoy a boxed lunch and finish with a wine tasting. \$55 per person.

Villa Milagro Vineyards, 33 Rt. 627, 908-955-2072  
www.warrencountywinerytrain.com or www.villamilagrovineyards.com

10/18 RAHWAY

### Phantoms...Unmasked!

Enter into a shadowy realm of mystery as three of the world's greatest Phantoms share untold stories of their experiences behind the mask and perform classics Broadway hits. Gala benefit tickets \$45 - \$100.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226  
www.ucpac.org

10/18 RAHWAY

### RSI Bank Jazz Masters Series Featuring Vadim Neselovskyi and the Doug Carn Trio

Ukrainian-born pianist, Vadim Neselovskyi classically trained in Odessa and Germany. Keyboard master, Doug Carn was nurtured in classical and church music.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage,  
360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226  
www.ucpac.org

10/18 SEA ISLE CITY

### Octoberfest

Hay rides, pumpkin painting, pie baking contest, farmer's market, moon bounce, rock climbing wall, magic show and crafters. Free admission and parking. Rain or shine.

Excursion Park, JFK Blvd. & Pleasure Ave., 609-263-9090  
www.seaislechamber.com

10/18 SPRING LAKE

### HW Mountz Kitchen Tour

Sample delicious cuisine from local top chefs, get inspired by creative interior designers. Proceeds benefit the H.W. Mountz Parent Teacher Association. 10 am - 3 pm.

Various locations, 732-449-0037  
www.springlakekitchentour.com

10/18 TENAFLY

### Tenafly Street Fair & Craft Show

Over 200 artists, crafters and vendors and 25,000 spectators. Free admission and free parking. 11 am - 5 pm.

Streets of Downtown, 908-654-1400  
www.streetfairs.org

10/18 WESTFIELD

### Hearth & Home Kitchen Tour

Enjoy an exciting day touring and tasting some delicious cuisine from local chefs in the Westfield area. Benefits the Holy Trinity Interparochial School.

Homes in the Westfield Area, 336 First St., 908-233-0484

10/18 - 10/19 ATLANTIC CITY

### Atlantic City Marathon

The weekend includes a 2-day Sports & Fitness Expo, Shore Medical Center 10K & 5K on Sat., Oct. 18 and Marathon & Half Marathon on Sun., Oct. 19.

Atlantic City Boardwalk at Michigan Ave., 609-822-1167  
www.atlanticcitynj.com

10/18 - 10/19 BERKELEY HEIGHTS

### Four Centuries in a Weekend

Event includes 27 historic sites, which tells the story of our evolution from the Colonial era Elizabethtown of 1664 into the 21 municipalities that make up Union County.

Deserted Village of Feltville/Glenside Park, 9 Cataract Hollow Rd., 908-789-3670  
www.ucnj.org

10/18 - 10/19 CAPE MAY

### Lighthouse Challenge of New Jersey Weekend

You are challenged to visit the NJ Lighthouses over the weekend and help raise funds for continued lighthouse preservation. Begin at any of the participating lighthouses, and purchase the souvenir pamphlet (\$1) to be stamped at each lighthouse as proof.

Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts & Humanities (MAC), 1048 Washington St.,  
609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278  
www.capemaymac.org or www.lighthousechallengenj.org

10/18 - 10/19 CHATSWORTH

### 31st Annual Cranberry Festival

The festival is a celebration of NJ's cranberry harvest, the 3rd largest in the U.S. Over 160 artists & craftsmen, Bullzeye Band performing daily 11 am - 4 pm, Antique and Classic Automobile Show on Sunday. Free admission. 9 am - 4 pm.

Downtown, Rt. 563, 609-726-0006  
www.cranfest.org

10/18 - 10/19 MANAHAWKIN

### Stafford Fall Wine Festival

Features wine tasting along with food, vendors and music. Bring your lawn chairs or blankets. Admission \$12 in advance, \$15 at the gate for adults 21+ includes a wine glass. Under 21 or designated drivers are free. Noon - 5 pm, rain or shine.

Manahawkin Lake Park, Rt. 9 & N. Lakeshore Dr., 732-946-2711  
www.staffordwinefestival.eventbrite.com

10/18 - 10/19 MILLVILLE

### Wine & Art Weekend

Featuring Art & Crafts Show, wine sampling, 3K and 5K Walk and Run between the vines, live entertainment, grape stomping, and a myriad of food offerings, home products, cheese, chocolate sweets and wine glass painting. 11 am - 6 pm.

Southwind Vineyard, 385 Lebanon Rd., 856-391-5524  
www.southwindvineyardllc.com



**10/18 – 10/19 MONTCLAIR****Fall Fine Art & Crafts**

Over 160 exhibitors will exhibit their jewelry, furniture, glass, fiber, pottery, art, photography, leather, sculpture, wood and more. The show will be accented with music and a variety of foods. Free to the public. 10 am - 5 pm, rain or shine.

**Brookdale Park, 473 Watchung Ave., 908-874-5247**

**10/18 – 10/19 NEWARK****Golda's Balcony Starring Tovah Feldshuh**

Four-time Tony nominee, Tovah Feldshuh recreates her performance as Golda Meir, a Milwaukee schoolteacher who became Prime Minister of Israel in 1969.

**NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

**10/18 – 10/19 NORTH WILDWOOD****New Jersey Lighthouse Challenge**

Visitors can visit participating lighthouses, 2 museums and 2 life-saving stations to help raise funds for continued lighthouse preservation. 8 am - 6 pm, rain or shine.

**Herford Inlet Lighthouse, 100 Central Ave., 609-522-4520**

[www.herefordlighthouse.org](http://www.herefordlighthouse.org) or [www.lighthousechallengenj.org](http://www.lighthousechallengenj.org)

**10/18 – 10/19 SUMMIT****Four Centuries Weekend**

Reeves-Reed Arboretum will participate in celebrating NJ's 350th Birthday with a video presentation of archival materials. All visitors will receive a copy of the book, *The Clearing*. Self-guided tours of the grounds. Free event. Noon - 5 pm.

**Reeves-Reed Arboretum, 165 Hobart Ave., 908-273-8787**

[www.reeves-reedarboretum.org](http://www.reeves-reedarboretum.org)

**10/18 – 10/19 UNION****Four Centuries in a Weekend**

The event will celebrate 350 years of New Jersey and Elizabethtown History (1664-2014) as 27 Union County historic sites open their doors to visitors and tell their stories of evolution and growth. 200 Revolutionary War re-enactors restage battles.

**Liberty Hall Museum, 1003 Morris Ave., 908-558-2550**

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

**10/19 CAPE MAY****TEDxCapeMay: The Pursuit of Happiness**

TEDx + Cape May = TEDxCapeMay — Journey back to the Jersey Shore for over 12 inspiring presentations and performances including lunch and an open bar reception at Congress Hall Hotel.

**Cape May Convention Hall, 714 Beach Ave., 609-884-9563**

[www.discovercapemaynj.com](http://www.discovercapemaynj.com) or [www.tedxcapemay.com](http://www.tedxcapemay.com)

**10/19 FAIR LAWN****Fair Lawn Street Fair & Craft Show**

Over 200 artists, crafters and vendors and 25,000 spectators. Free admission and free parking. 11 am - 5 pm.

**Streets of Downtown, 908-654-1400**

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

**10/19 HAMILTON TWP.****Ballroom Dancing & Live Big Band Music**

The Monday Blues Jazz Orchestra will be performing with a full complement of musicians. Dinners will be available to purchase from 1 - 5 pm. Call for reservations.

**German American Society, Aurora Ballroom, 215 Uncle Pete's Rd., 856-764-3106**

[www.mondaybluesjazz.com](http://www.mondaybluesjazz.com)

**10/19 LINCROFT****Thompson Park Day**

Join us for the strut your mutt doggie costume contest, dash for cash, pie eating contest, scarecrow contest, wagon rides, kids races, rides, climbing wall, pumpkin painting, entertainment, food vendors and more. 11 am - 5 pm

**Thompson Park, 805 Newman Springs Rd., 732-842-4000**

[www.monmouthcountyparks.com](http://www.monmouthcountyparks.com)

**10/19 MORRISTOWN****Bill Cosby**

The dean of American comedy, crafts stories around topics that are familiar to most — relationships, marriage, and children — with his unique point of view, and renowned and celebrated sense of humor. Tickets \$59 - \$109. 3 pm & 7 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

**10/19 MORRISTOWN****Historic District House Tour: A Walk through Time**

Visit eight historic properties — seven private homes and 1810 Macculloch Hall — in one of Morristown's most prestigious Historic Districts, all within walking distance. Advance tickets \$40 available online, \$45 for event-day sales at the Museum.

**Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404**

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

**10/19 NATIONAL PARK****18th Century Field Day — Battle Reenactment**

Visit South Jersey's most historic battlefield for reenactments, tours of the Whitall House, colonial demonstrators, food and children's activities!

**Red Bank Battlefield Park, 100 Hessian Ave., 856-853-5120**

[www.gloucestercountynj.gov](http://www.gloucestercountynj.gov)

10/19 SMITHVILLE

## Corvette Show in Historic Smithville

Sponsored by the Original Garden State Corvette Club that will host over 100 Corvettes!

Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999

www.colonialinnsmithville.com

10/19 SUCCASUNNA

## Just Jersey Jazz & Food Truck Festival

Over 25 gourmet food trucks, along with some Jazz bands, children's activities and vendors. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets. Bring a can or boxed item to save \$1 on \$5 admission per person, 12 and under free. Benefits the Roxbury food pantry.

Horse Shoe Lake Island, 72 Eyland Ave., 973-927-2794

www.justjerseyfest.com

10/19 TENAFLY

## Tenafly Street Fair & Craft Show

Over 200 Artists, crafters and vendors and 25,000 spectators. Free admission and free parking. 11 am - 5 pm.

Streets of Downtown, 908-654-1400

www.streetfairs.org

10/20 PARAMUS

## March of Dimes Signature Chefs Gourmet Gala

Now in its second year, it has combined North Jersey's Harvest Ball Black Tie Gala with the North Jersey Signature Chefs Gourmet Gala for a very elegant, upscale evening of fine dining and beverages, dancing, demonstrations and a floor show.

The Terrace at Biagio's Restaurant, 293 Paramus Rd., 973-296-8808

www.marchofdimes.com/newjersey

10/22 MORRISTOWN

## New Orleans Legends: Preservation Hall Jazz Band & Allen Toussaint

A hot night of Dixieland jazz featuring the legendary Preservation Hall Jazz Band and Crescent City icon Allen Toussaint. Tickets \$39 - \$59. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

10/22 - 10/26 DEPTFORD

## Winter Craft Fair

In the center of both levels of the mall. Featuring local and regional exhibitors with handmade crafts and unique gifts.

Deptford Mall, 1750 Deptford Center Rd., 856-848-8100

www.pearpromotions.com

10/23 MORRISTOWN

## Beach Boys

Led by original members Mike Love and Bruce Johnston, The Beach Boys return for another joyous trip through 50 years of hits. Tickets \$59 - \$99. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

10/23 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Jessica Lang Dance

Jessica Lang Dance is one of the most exciting new companies in today's dance scene. Hailed as "a master of visual composition" by Dance Magazine. Tickets \$27 - \$57.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

10/23 - 10/25 TUCKERTON

## Haunted Seaport

Pirates and sea captains long lost at sea stroll the boardwalk for a night of screams. Haunted Tucker's Island Lighthouse, hayrides, phragmites maze, food, refreshments, entertainment and a non-scary pumpkin patch for the little ones. General \$8, members \$5. Hayrides \$2 with paid admission, free for members. 6 - 9 pm.

Tuckerton Seaport and Baymen's Museum, 120 W. Main St., 609-296-8868

www.tuckertonseaport.org

10/23 - 10/26 HACKETTSTOWN

## Up On the Roof: Starring Tony Pace

It's been said that if you take Andrea Bocelli, Sammy Davis Jr. and Billy Crystal and put them together, you get Tony Pace. His one-man, semi-autobiographical show combines musical-comedy, stand-up and impressions.

Kutz Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900

www.centenarystageco.org

10/23 - 10/26 NEWARK

## Geraldine R. Dodge Poetry Festival

Recognized poets from throughout New Jersey gather for three evenings of curated poetry readings and performance.

NJPAC, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

10/24 LAKEWOOD

## Lectures in Song with Fred Miller: Sentimental Journey: World War II & the Big Bands

In the fourth installment of the Popular Song as American History series, Fred Miller explores the period from 1938 to 1945, covering World War II and the big bands.

Georgian Court University: North Dining Room, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263

www.georgian.edu

10/24 MONTCLAIR

### Gardens Aglow

View the gardens at dusk as they come to life with artfully carved jack-o'-lanterns supplied by the local high schools. Activities, entertainment and refreshments.

**Essex County Presby Memorial Iris Gardens, 474 Upper Mountain Ave., 973-239-2485**

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

10/24 MORRISTOWN

### Smokey Robinson

Once described by Bob Dylan as America's "greatest living poet," Smokey Robinson performs from over a half century of Motown memories. Tickets \$79 - \$129. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

10/24 NEW BRUNSWICK

### George Benson

See 10-time Grammy Award-winning jazz master George Benson showcases his masterful guitar playing as he performs some of his greatest hits. Tickets \$35 - \$95.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

10/24 RAHWAY

### Patty Larkin

Patty Larkin redefines the boundaries of folk-urban pop music with her inventive guitar wizardry and uncompromising vocals and lyrics.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage, 360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226**

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

10/24 SHORT HILLS

### Creatures of the Night

There will be guided hikes in which we will encounter some nocturnal characters, arts and crafts, and snacks! 6 - 8 pm. Last guided hike begins at 7:30 pm.

**Cora Hartshorn Arboretum, 324 Forest Dr. S., 973-376-3587**

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

10/24 - 10/25 BURLINGTON

### Walk With the Ghosts Tours

Take a walk as the ghosts come to life, tell you their stories and share things you never knew about the City of Burlington dating back to the 1600s. Free gingerbread cookies for the children!

**Historic Riverfront & Wood St., 609-386-0200**

[www.burlingtonnj.us](http://www.burlingtonnj.us)

10/24 - 10/25 WEST ORANGE

### Spooky Zoo

Family fun is a guarantee at this night-time event complete with a special spooky animal presentation and many hands-on activities. Not so scary train rides are before 7:45 pm and scary train rides start at 8 pm (weather permitting). \$5 per non-member, \$3 per member. Pre-registration is required.

**Essex County Turtle Back Zoo, 560 Northfield Ave., 973-731-5801**

[www.turtlebackzoo.com](http://www.turtlebackzoo.com)

10/24 - 10/25 WILDWOOD

### Barbershoppers Convention & Show

Barbershoppers Atlantic District Convention featuring Quartet semi-finals Friday at 6 pm; Chorus Contest Saturday at 9 am; Quartet Finals Saturday at 7 pm.

**Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-729-9000**

[www.midatlanticdistrict.com](http://www.midatlanticdistrict.com)

10/24 - 10/26 ATLANTIC CITY

### Atlantic City Ballet's Dracula

Based on Bram Stoker's 1897 classic gothic horror story, choreographer Phyllis Papa's Dracula mixes romance and passion with horror and pain.

**Boardwalk & Park Pl., 609-348-0031**

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

10/24 - 10/26 CAPE MAY

### NJ Audubon Cape May Autumn Festival/The Bird Show

Enjoy three-days of naturalist-led field trips, indoor & outdoor workshops, lectures, boat trips and more. Witness amazing fall of hawks, eagles and owls. 7:30 am - 5 pm.

**Cape May Convention Hall, 714 Beach Ave., 609-884-9563**

[www.discovercapemaynj.com](http://www.discovercapemaynj.com)

10/24 - 10/26 SPARTA

### 37th Annual Hilltop Country Day School Art Exhibition & Sale

Featuring 50 local artists, mediums include painting, drawing, photography, jewelry, ceramics, glass, prints and more. The Opening Night Experience: Fine Art, Food and Drink 6:30 - 9:30 pm. Advance tickets \$50; after Oct. 17 \$60 and at the door.

**Hilltop Country Day School, 32 Lafayette Rd., 973-729-5485**

[www.hilltopart.com](http://www.hilltopart.com)

10/25 DUMONT

### Dumont New Rochelle Street Fair & Craft Show

Over 200 artists, crafters and vendors and 25,000 spectators. Free admission and free parking. 11 am - 5 pm.

**Streets of Downtown, 908-654-1400**

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

10/25 FLEMINGTON

### Stroll Through Flemington – A Historic House Tour

Flemington's official event in recognition of Hunterdon County's 300th Celebration. The Tour is self-guided and features historic homes and public buildings.

Flemington's Historic District, Main St., 908-782-4928

www.historicflemingtonnj.com

10/25 HACKETTSTOWN

### Amazing Face

This innovative performance brings stories to life on the faces of the audience with exciting and scary tales from around the world and to delight all audience members.

Little Theatre, 400 Jefferson St., 908-979-4297

www.centenarystageco.org

10/25 JACKSON

### Aleksandr Vasin: Accordionist Extraordinaire

Aleksandr Vasin earned a Ph.D. in his instrument from one of the top conservatories in the Soviet Union. This sixty minute concert will include Brazilian, Cuban, Moldavian, Russian and Jazz genres. Registration is requested.

Jackson Branch Library, 2 Jackson Dr., 732-928-4400

10/25 JERSEY CITY

### New Jersey Paella Festival

Festival includes a Paella competition and workshops with famous chefs from Spain; presentations by participating companies; clothing and accessories for food-industry workers; wine tastings; and samples of Paella and Mediterranean diet products.

Culinary Arts Institute (CAI) of Hudson County Community College,  
161 Newkirk St., 201-360-4630 or 201-471-1329

www.paellafortheworld.org

10/25 LAKEWOOD

### Fall 2014 Concert Series: Jazz Band Concert

Georgian Court University presents its very own Jazz Band. Relax and enjoy a beverage or snack from the Court Cafe, located next to the Gavan Student Lounge.

Georgian Court University: Gavan Student Lounge, 900 Lakewood Ave.,  
732-987-2263

www.georgian.edu

10/25 MAPLEWOOD

### WBGO Kids Jazz Concert Series Featuring Lauren Hooker

These interactive concerts give kids opportunities to learn about the distinct qualities of jazz, and why it's a reflection of our community, our nation, and our world! Q&A sessions with the artists, small gifts, and chance to win a door prize.

Clinton Elementary School, 27 Berkshire Rd., 973-624-8880

www.wbgo.org/kids

10/25 MORRISTOWN

### Abendmusik – Hanover Wind Symphony

This is the 30th anniversary for Hanover Wind Symphony and for the Abendmusik series. Suggested donation of \$20 for adults; \$15 for seniors. Students are free.

Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Pl., 973-538-2132

www.morristownumc.org

10/25 NEWARK

### Demi Lovato World Tour 2014, Special Guest Christina Perri

The platinum-selling recording artist, whose latest album, "Demi" hit #1 on iTunes in over 50 countries around the world, has a vibrant show planned for her fans.

Prudential Center, 25 Lafayette St., 973-757-6600

www.prucenter.com

10/25 OCEAN GROVE

### Ocean Grove's Halloween Costume Parade for Pets & Children

Gather at noon at Firemen's Park to register. Prizes for most original, scariest, funniest, best pet/human combo. After parade, trick or treat at the stores.

Firemen's Park, Main Ave., 732-774-1391 or 800-388-4768

www.oceangrovenj.com

10/25 RAHWAY

### Moreno Fruzzetti in Concert

A native of Italy, he has been capturing the ears and hearts of fans worldwide for over thirty years with a variety of operatic arias, pop music and American classics.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage,  
360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226

www.ucpac.org

10/25 RAHWAY

### Split Level Concerts Presents NYC Songwriters Showcase

Presented by Split Level productions, this concert is a compilation of music written by three up and coming NYC Songwriting Artists.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226

www.ucpac.org

10/25 SMITHVILLE

### Costume Pet Parade

Paw Dazzle will host starting at 1 pm. Spectators can watch 100+ costumed pets, come join the fun!

Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999

www.colonialinnsmithville.com

10/25 WILDWOOD

### Wildwood Boardwalk Pumpkin Run

Family event for all ages, offers a 5K run along with a 1 mile family walk, starting at 10 am, rain or shine. Registration 8:30 am. Come in costume and vie for prizes. \$25 for adults; \$10 for those 18 and under, includes Pumpkin Run T-shirt.

Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-849-8887

www.boardwalkpumpkinrun.com

10/26 BASKING RIDGE

### Rigoletto

Join us for an evening of misguided trust, lecherous corruption and ruinous vengeance, set to one of Verdi's most memorable scores.

Ridge Performing Arts Center, 268 S. Finley Ave., 973-204-6684

www.midatlanticopera.org

10/26 BORDENTOWN CITY

### Bordentown City Annual Halloween Parade

The Halloween Parade will be followed by a visit to the famous Thompson Avenue Halloween decorated historical homes. Feel free to dress in your best costume!

Downtown Bordentown, 200 Farnsworth Ave., 609-324-9909

www.downtownbordentown.com

10/26 BORDENTOWN CITY

### Ghost Walk

Bordentown City is known for its Haunted stories, come for a one-hour guided tour through the city's most haunted locations. 2 pm.

Downtown Bordentown, 200 Farnsworth Ave., 609-324-9909

www.downtownbordentown.com

10/26 BROWNS MILLS

### Living History Tour

Learn about Whitesbog's founder and legendary cranberry grower, J.J. White, his daughter and blueberry innovator, Elizabeth C. White, and other residents of Whitesbog. \$10 donation per person. Reservations requested.

Historic Whitesbog Village, 120 W. Whites Bogs Rd., 609-893-4646

www.whitesbog.org

10/26 FLEMINGTON

### Flemington Street Fair & Craft Show

Over 200 artists, crafters and vendors. Free admission and parking. 11 am - 5 pm.

Streets of Downtown, 908-654-1400

www.streetfairs.org

10/26 FORKED RIVER

### Run the Pines for Canines 5K

Open to all, you can run, jog, or walk. This year there's a chip-timing, post-race chair massage, free entry to Popcorn Park, vendors and more. All proceeds support AHS/Popcorn Park. Breakfast from Applebee's for race participants. Registration at 7:30 am, Bamber Lake Fire Dept. Race at 9 am, rain or shine and pet-friendly event.

Popcorn Park, Humane Way at Lacey Rd., 609-693-1900

www.ahscare.org

10/26 HIGHTSTOWN

### Hightstown-East Windsor Historical Society House Tour

Tour of six beautiful historic homes in the town of Hightstown.

164 N. Main St., 609-448-8388

10/26 KENILWORTH

### Kenilworth Street Fair

Over 150 exhibitors, kiddie rides and games, climbing wall, face painters, festival foods, temp tattoos, craft exhibitors and artists. Rain or shine. 10 am - 4 pm.

Boulevard, 201-998-1144

www.jcpromotions.info

10/26 MILFORD

### Halloween Parade

Ghosts and goblins begin their haunt at 1 pm and continue down Bridge St. for costume judging. Prizes are awarded in age, group, float and canine categories.

Milford Merchants Association, Water Works Field, York Rd., 908-995-4854

10/26 NEWARK

### Haunted Illusions Starring David Caserta

Treat your family to an evening of magic and comedy with master illusionist David Caserta, who makes people levitate, disappear and reappear right before your eyes.

NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

10/26 SMITHVILLE

### Zombie Walk

Come walk through the Village dressed up in your best zombie attire!

Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999

www.colonialinnsmithville.com

10/27 FARMINGDALE

### March of Dimes Signature Chefs Auction

This gourmet extravaganza featuring the skills and creativity of Central Jersey’s finest chefs. Guests can bid on incredible live and silent auction packages. Music will be provided by Brian Kirk & the Jirks. The evening will honor Dr. Margaret Fisher.

**Eagle Oaks Golf & Country Club, 20 Shore Oaks Dr., 732-952-9016**  
www.marchofdimes.com/newjersey

10/29 MORRISTOWN

### Old Bottles, Curative Potions & Poisons

Examine old bottles from the Museum’s collection, but don’t let their claims fool you. Any labeled as a “cure,” could have been a poison to the consumer.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**  
www.morrismuseum.org

10/30 MAYS LANDING

### 60th Annual Halloween Parade

Come join us for a fun evening of costume and float parade, marching bands, football teams, cheerleaders and cub scouts. Judging at War Memorial Park. 6:30 - 9 pm.

**Main St., 609-625-3286**

10/30 NEWARK

### Fairleigh Dickinson, New Jersey Speakers Series: Alan Alda

From *M\*A\*S\*H* to *The West Wing*, award-winning actor, Alan Alda has been a staple on American television for more than four decades, earning 32 Emmy nominations and six Emmy and Golden Globe awards.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**  
www.njpac.org

10/31 CAPE MAY

### Trick or Treat at the Physick Estate

Some spooky characters are waiting at the Emlen Physick Estate with treats for good little ghosts and goblins and pirates and princesses. Free event. 5 - 7 pm.

**Emlen Physick Estate, 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278**  
www.capemaymac.org

10/31 CHESTER

### Halloween Costume Contest, Parade and Trick-or-Treating

Trick or Treating throughout Downtown Chester from 3 - 5 pm. The parade line-up will commence at 4:30 pm at Pleasant Pools & Patio. Children under 12 can participate. Cash prizes for first, second and third place.

**Main St., 908-879-2900 or 908-879-7747**  
www.ilovechester.com

10/31 FRENCHTOWN

### Annual Halloween Costume Party

An annual tradition, The National Hotel hosts a Halloween night where guests receive prizes for best costume. Live music featuring Rainbow Fresh.

**The National Hotel, 31 Race St., 908-996-3200**  
www.thenationalhotelnj.com

10/31 JACKSON

### Halloween Trick or Treating

Costumed children 12 and under are invited to trick-or-treat at participating stores and at the Information Center, while supplies last. 5 - 8 pm.

**Jackson Premium Outlets, 537 Monmouth Rd., 732-833-0503**  
www.premiumoutlets.com/jackson

10/31 TINTON FALLS

### Halloween Event

Costumed children 12 and under are invited to trick-or-treat in a fun, family-friendly environment at participating stores and at the Information Center, while supplies last. 4 - 9 pm.

**Jersey Shore Premium Outlets, 1 Premium Outlets Blvd., 732-918-1700**  
www.premiumoutlets.com/jerseyshore

10/31 WEST ORANGE

### Safe HOWL-o-ween

Trick or Treat in the safety of the Turtle Back Zoo at more than 25 candy stations. \$5 per non-member; \$3 per member.

**Essex County Turtle Back Zoo, 560 Northfield Ave., 973-731-5801**  
www.turtlebackzoo.com

10/31 – 11/2 ATLANTIC CITY

### Atlantic City Fall RV Show

Trade-up to your dream RV, see the latest RVs or just learn about the joy of travel in a recreational vehicle. You’ll find it here – from Class A, B & C Motorhomes, Travel Trailers, Fifth Wheels, Park Models, Folding Campers, Camping Resorts, and more!

**Atlantic City Convention Center, 1 Miss America Way, 804-243-8847**  
www.acrvsupersale.com

10/31 – 11/2 MORRISTOWN

### Morristown Armory Antiques Show

Something for everyone in every price category featuring over 100 exhibit booths selling American, European and Asian items! Certified appraisal clinic and Expert repair clinics are available for \$5 per item. 6:30 - 8:30 pm.

**Morristown Armory, 430 Western Ave., 973-927-2794**  
www.jmkshows.com

# November

11/1 CAPE MAY

## Fall Arts & Crafts Festival

More than 40 vendors come to sell hand-made novelties including seasonal decorations, gift items and more. A must visit for those on your holiday gift lists. Admission \$2. 10 am – 4 pm.

Cape May Convention Hall, 714 Beach Ave., 609-884-5404  
www.discovercapemaynj.com

11/1 EAST ORANGE

## WBGO Kids Jazz Concert Series Featuring Eddie Allan

These interactive concerts give kids opportunities to learn about the distinct qualities of jazz, and why it's a reflection of our community, our nation, and our world! Q&A sessions with the artists, small gifts, and chance to win a door prize.

Cicely Tyson School of Performing and Fine Arts, 35 Winans St., 973-624-8880  
www.wbgo.org/kids

11/1 MOUNTAINSIDE

## Great Pumpkin Sail

Float your illuminated jack-o'-lanterns on the lake. Enjoy hot chocolate, marshmallows and live entertainment. One pumpkin per family and must be less than eight pounds.

Echo Lake Park, Lower Lake off Springfield Ave. 908-527-4900  
www.ucnj.org

11/1 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Evening with Primus & the Chocolate Factory

See Primus perform a psychedelic and whimsical journey through the music of Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory! This promises to be a Primus show like you've never seen before.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469  
www.statetheatrenj.org

11/1 NEWARK

## Into Sweeney Todd's Woods

A monster mash-up of two landmark musicals by Stephen Sondheim — *Sweeney Todd* and *Into the Woods* — performed by a wickedly talented cast.

NJPAC, The Chase Room, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722  
www.njpac.org

11/1 NEWARK

## Second City Does NJ: Paved and Confused

In sketches, songs and its trademark improvisation, the legendary Second City troupe has written customized sketches that take aim at all things Jersey.

NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722  
www.njpac.org

11/1 RAHWAY

## Fab Four — A Tribute to the Beatles

With uncanny, note-for-note live renditions of Beatles' songs, the Fab Four will make you think you're watching the real thing.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226  
www.ucpac.org

11/1 SOUTH ORANGE

## Storm Large

Acclaimed vocalist sings the American songbook, Broadway tear-jerkers, rock goddess anthems and some of her own gorgeous originals all delivered with a fierce, personal commitment. Tickets \$25, \$30; Members \$20, \$25.

South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787  
www.sopacnow.org

11/1 WARETOWN

## Legend of the Jersey Devil Show

Live concert of country and bluegrass music with the New Jersey Devil appearing at the 8 pm set. Doors open at 6 pm. Light refreshments available. Tickets purchased at door. Adults \$5; children \$1. 7:30 - 11 pm.

Albert Music Hall, 131 Wells Mills Rd., 609-971-1593  
www.alberthall.org

11/1 – 11/2 LAKEWOOD

## Nanny Rose School of Etiquette

This fun and fast-paced show provides lots of laughs as your little ladies and gentlemen learn in a relaxed, entertaining atmosphere. Ages 5 to 12.

Georgian Court University: The Mansion, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263  
www.georgian.edu

11/1 – 11/2 MILFORD

## Harvest Food Truck & Wine Festival

The event will feature cuisine from the region's most award-winning food trucks and live music by The VooDUDES. Admission includes entrance, parking and music. \$10 (21 & older); \$5 (ages 13 – 20); free (ages 12 & under).

Village of Finesville, 269 Riegelsville Warren Glen Rd., 908-995-7800

**Spank! The Fifty Shades Parody**

This hilarious new musical brings all the naughty fun of the best-selling book to life. You will laugh at the new imagining of the characters, the sharp-witted comedy and musical numbers, the steamy and fun scenes with the hunky leading man!

**NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

**32nd Annual East Coast Toy Soldier Show & Sale**

The show has grown to be the largest collectible Toy Show on the East Coast featuring 300 vendors from ancient toy soldiers to Star Wars and everything in between.

**Fairleigh Dickinson University, Rothman Center, 100 University Plz. Dr., 973-831-8900**

[www.eastcoasttoysoldiershow.com](http://www.eastcoasttoysoldiershow.com)

**Biggest Loser RunWalk – New Jersey 5K, 10K, Kids Run**

A race for all fitness levels. Each registered participant and finisher will receive gifts. Appearances by former “The Biggest Loser” contestants and food at the finish line.

**Six Flags Great Adventure, 1 Six Flags Blvd., 815-464-1265**

[www.biggestloserrunwalk.com](http://www.biggestloserrunwalk.com)

**Millburn Street Fair & Craft Show**

Over 200 artists, crafters and vendors and 25,000 spectators. Free admission and parking. 11 am - 5 pm.

**Streets of the Downtown, 908-654-1400**

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

**Veggie Tales Live! Silly Song Sing-Along**

Join Bob, Larry and the rest of the VeggieTales crew live and in person as they take to the stage in the all-new VeggieTales Live! Golden Circle comes with a post-show meet and greet. Tickets \$15 - \$35. Ages 4 - 10. 1 pm & 4:30 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

**Marsalis “Well-Tempered”**

Grammy winning saxophonist and Tony-nominated composer, Branford Marsalis joins the Chamber Orchestra of Philadelphia, a performance of Baroque masterpieces by Albinoni, Bach, Handel, Vivaldi and others. Tickets \$35 - \$70.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

**Antiwar Dissent & Peace Activism During World War I**

World War I was a watershed in modern world history. After revisiting this time, Scott H. Bennett, Ph.D., GCU professor of history, will include readings from his book *Antiwar Dissent and Peace Activism in America in World War I America: A Documentary Reader* (2014). Q&A, book signing and sale.

**Georgian Court University: Little Theatre, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**

[www.georgian.edu](http://www.georgian.edu)

**Arlo Guthrie**

Legendary singer-songwriter Arlo Guthrie performs an evening featuring his most beloved songs. Tickets \$45 - \$78; Members \$40 - \$73.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787**

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

**Cape May Stage: Mistakes Were Made by Craig Wright**

Craig Wright’s hilarious story of a not-so-successful Broadway producer about to embark on a play of epic proportions. It’s a compact cosmic gem of philosophy.

**Robert Shackleton Playhouse, 405 Lafayette St., 609-770-8311**

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

**Make a Pop-Up Book with Abby McBride**

Recommended for ages 5 - 7 from 9:30 am – noon or ages 8 - 12 from 1 - 4 pm.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

**Vacation Day**

Make a puppy puppet from Noon - 2 pm. Member \$2 child; non-member \$3 child, plus museum admission.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

**Terry Bradshaw: America’s Favorite Dumb Blonde...A Life in Four Quarters**

A combination of comedy, storytelling and singing, starring one of the country’s best loved football announcers, sports legends and performers, the Steelers legendary #12. Tickets \$35 - \$75.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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



11/6 SOUTH ORANGE

### Jefferson Starship

In their 40th year, carrying one of rock music's greatest legacies and halcyon repertoires. Tickets \$39 - \$65; Members \$34 - \$60.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787**

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

11/6 – 11/7 MORRISTOWN

### Comic Character Design with Patrick Andruskiewicz

Part 1: Thur., 9:30 am - 12:30 pm. Part 2: Fri., 9:30 am - 12:30 pm. Ages 12+.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

11/6 – 11/7 SUMMIT

### Teacher's Convention Week Mini-Camp for Kids

Mini-Camp for kids ages 5 - 8. Thur., Mammal Mania 9 am - 2 pm. Fri., Plantapalooza 9 am - 2 pm. \$60 per day/members; \$75 per day/non-members. Call to register.

**Reeves-Reed Arboretum, 165 Hobart Ave., 908-273-8787**

[www.reeves-reedarboretum.org](http://www.reeves-reedarboretum.org)

11/7 BOONTON

### Girl's Night Out

Head to Boonton Main Street with your girlfriends and have fun time from 5 - 9 pm!

**Main St., 973-257-9107**

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

11/7 LAKEWOOD

### Adventures in Fine Art: Grooving: Movements of the 60s & 70s

When you think of the art of the 1960s, you think of minimalism, feminism, and of course, that iconic soup can. The pops, the ops, graffiti, junk, and the land-the visual arts in the 1960s are not easily labeled and reflect the decade's confusion in society.

**Georgian Court University: North Dining Room, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**

[www.georgian.edu](http://www.georgian.edu)

11/7 MORRISTOWN

### Family Program – Civil War at Sea: Boats in Battle

Commemorate the sesquicentennial of the American Civil War, and its defining moments through projects using Lego blocks and maps. Families will learn more about the Battle of Port Royal. \$6 per child/members; \$8 per child/non-members. Call to register. 10 am - noon & 1 - 3 pm.

**Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404**

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

11/7 MORRISTOWN

### Ink & Water Color Painting with Pat Flaherty

Recommended for ages 12+ from 9:30 am - noon.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

11/7 MORRISTOWN

### Three-D Collage with Nina Nemeth

Recommended for ages 7 - 11 from 1 - 4 pm.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

11/7 MORRISTOWN

### Voca People

Full of energy and bursting with comedy and fun, this international hit features more than 80 all-time favorite hits with no instruments, no sound effects – just eight incredible, talented singer-comedians.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

11/7 SOUTH ORANGE

### Ralphie May

Since his debut on the very first season of "Last Comic Standing," audiences just can't get enough of this larger-than-life comedian. Tickets \$29 - \$49; Members \$24 - \$44.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787**

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

11/7 – 11/8 CAPE MAY

### East Lynne Theater Company: Holmes and Carter Mysteries

Step back in time with two different "who-done-its" presented as radio-style broadcasts, complete with live sound effects, with two detectives.

**The First Presbyterian Church, 500 Hughes St., 609-884-5898**

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

11/7 – 11/9 CAPE MAY

### Sherlock Holmes Weekend

Join Sherlock Holmes and his partner, Dr. Watson for a weekend of mystery. Get into the spirit of things by donning Victorian attire, search the streets for clues and compete for the \$250 grand prize and other valuable gifts if you solve the mystery.

**Inn of Cape May, 7 Ocean St., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278**

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

## Whitesbog Moonlight Walk

Enjoy the night sounds of the Pines, learn about Whitesbog and cranberry-blueberry cultivation as you experience the seasonal changes of the Pinelands. All walks are 3 - 5 miles in length and led by experienced guides. \$5 per person. 7 - 9 pm.

**Historic Whitesbog Village, 120 W. Whites Bogs Rd., 609-893-4646**

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

## Search for Clues Tour

Go from inn to inn in Victorian Cape May while you try to solve a murder mystery. Part of Sherlock Holmes Weekend. \$15 adults; \$7.50 children (ages 3 - 12). Tour begins and tickets available at Washington Street Mall Information Booth. 1 - 3 pm.

**Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts & Humanities (MAC), 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278**

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

## New Jersey Ballet: Ballet on Broadway

New Jersey Ballet presents some of Broadway's most memorable dance sequences, set to the music of Sondheim, Cole Porter, Saul Chaplin and Gene de Paul.

**Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900**

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

## Vacation Day

Create a paper collage from Noon - 2 pm. Member \$2 child; non-member \$3 child, plus museum admission.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

## Colin Mochrie & Brad Sherwood: The Two Man Group

Unscripted and unpredictable! The popular stars of *Whose Line Is It Anyway?* present an evening of extraordinary improv comedy! Tickets \$49 - \$79. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

## Gewandhaus Orchestra of Leipzig

A giant in the symphonic musical tradition, the Leipzig Gewandhaus Orchestra presents an all-Mendelssohn program under the baton of the dynamic Riccardo Chailly. Nikolaj Znaider is guest soloist in the Violin Concerto in E minor.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

## World of Birds by Kim Kurki, National Wildlife Federation Book for Adults, Children: Presentation, Signing

Kim Kurki speaks about the making of her book. Books available for purchase and signing. Free, but please register at [rsvp@drgreenway.org](mailto:rsvp@drgreenway.org). 2 - 4 pm.

**D&R Greenway Land Trust, 1 Preservation Pl., 609-924-4646**

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

## Split Level Concerts Presents Darden Smith with Special Guest Marci Geller

Darden Smith is an Austin-based singer-songwriter who redefines what it means to be a musician. Marci Geller is a piano-based contemporary singer-songwriter whose latest CD, *Open Book* is garnering airplay on radio stations across the country.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226**

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

## Monmouth Civic Chorus Concert – Over There

Join us in celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Monmouth Conservatory of Music in this joint concert of English music written at the start of World War I. \$30 adult; \$27 senior; \$25 group (10 or more); \$5 student. 4 pm.

**First Presbyterian Church of Red Bank, 255 Harding Rd., 732-933-9333**

## David Bromberg Big Band

With a stage full of incredible talent and no set list, the freewheeling concerts have become the stuff of legends. Tickets \$48 - \$70; Members \$43 - \$65.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787**

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

## Art All Day

Featuring open studio tours, demos, pop-up galleries, public art, trolley routes, new food truck offerings, bike tours, live demonstrations, art and history talks with the artists. Noon - 5 pm followed by a celebratory reception at Artworks from 5 - 8 pm.

**19 Everett Alley , 609-394-9436**

## Not Just Wine

Villa Milagro Vineyards will join ten winery members of Vintage North Jersey to celebrate wine and food pairing. Visit each winery to taste wines perfectly paired with foods prepared by local restaurants. \$10.

**Villa Milagro Vineyards, 33 Rt. 627, 908-955-2072**

[www.villamilagrovineyards.com](http://www.villamilagrovineyards.com)

11/9 HACKETTSTOWN

### New Jersey Ballet: Peter and the Wolf, Beauty and the Beast

The power of courage and kindness are at the heart of this delightful double feature. Clever Peter and his friends dance to Prokofiev’s famous score. Beauty’s gentle ways turn the Beast into a handsome Prince. Featuring original “storyteller” narration.

Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-4297

www.centenarystageco.org

11/9 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Engelbert Humperdinck

See the King of Romance, Engelbert Humperdinck perform his hits live in concert. Tickets \$35 - \$95.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

11/9 NEWARK

### Danny Bhoy

A worldwide stand-out performer, this young Scot — who kicks off his biggest tour of North America — has drawn sell-out crowds to hear his sharp-witted observations.

NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

11/9 NEWARK

### Dorthaan’s Place: Brick City Jazz Orchestra with Special Guest Stefon Harris

NJPAC’s new Brick City Jazz Orchestra, a collective of the most gifted high school jazz musicians in Greater Newark, kicks off the TD James Moody Democracy of Jazz Festival with award-winning special guest Stefon Harris on vibraphone.

NJPAC, Nico Kitchen + Bar, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

11/9 NEWARK

### Met Opera Rising Stars

Be among the first to hear opera stars of the future in a series of Sunday afternoon recitals by gifted performers trained or chosen by the Metropolitan Opera.

NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

11/9 PT. PLEASANT BEACH

### Behind the Scenes Tour

Discover what goes on behind the scenes at our aquarium while you tour the building from top to bottom!

Jenkinson’s Aquarium, 300 Ocean Ave., 732-892-0600

www.jenkinsons.com

11/9 SOUTH ORANGE

### Ana Moura

Her voice strolls freely through the Portuguese tradition, flirting elegantly with pop and broadening the soul-bearing genre. Tickets \$35 - \$50; Members \$30 - \$45.

South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787

www.sopacnow.org

11/9 TRENTON

### Trenton Punk Rock Flea Market

Hosting 200+ vendors from around the tri-state area and join forces with the areas best mobile food trucks, local graffiti artists and sometimes live musical acts to bring you a rockin’ good time while you shop, eat and take in the sights.

Historic Roebling Wire Works, 675 S. Clinton Ave., 609-635-6736

www.trentonprfm.com

11/10 NEWARK

### Ray Mantilla

Ray Mantilla, a virtuoso who can be heard on more than 200 albums, stands among the most recognized jazz musicians in the international spotlight.

Bethany Baptist Church, 275 Market St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

11/12 MORRISTOWN

### Evening with Mario Batali

One of the most recognized and respected chefs worldwide, he has created a successful restaurant and culinary empire. Includes Q&A. Tickets \$49 - \$150. Golden Circle includes a copy of the book and pre-show meet & greet. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

11/12 NEWARK

### Steve & Iqua Colson

The dynamic jazz partnership of pianist Steve Colson and singer Iqua Colson is on full display when they jam with their all-star band.

Newark Museum, 49 Washington St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

11/13 NEWARK

### Jazz and Soul With Fantasia, Philip Bailey, the Christian McBride Big Band and Other Special Guests

Grammy winners Fantasia and Philip Bailey of Earth, Wind & Fire and jazz vocalists, José James, along with the Christian McBride Big Band and Jazzmeia Horn, winner of the 2013 Sarah Vaughan International Jazz Vocal Competition.

NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

**11/13 MORRISTOWN****Styx**

See them live performing their vintage rock hits from the 70s and 80s. Tickets \$59 - \$99. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

**11/13 PT. PLEASANT BEACH****Tea by the Sea**

Enjoy afternoon tea and snacks while learning about some of our resident animals. Ages 55 and up, pre-registration is required.

**Jenkinson's Aquarium, 300 Ocean Ave., 732-892-0600**

[www.jenkinsons.com](http://www.jenkinsons.com)

**11/13 SOUTH ORANGE****Carolyn Dorfman Dance Company: The Legacy Project**

Told through the lens of the Holocaust, hope inspires the journey to a land that promises new beginnings! Tickets \$25, \$30; Members \$20, \$25.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787**

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

**11/13 – 11/16 HACKETTSTOWN****Ken Waldman: Alaska's Fiddling Poet**

Waldman brings a show that is one-part Appalachian-string band concert, one-part riveting storytelling, one-part poetry reading, and one-part early Christmas gift exchange. Each night promising no two performances will be alike! Some lucky audience winners may walk-away with giveaways by the artist.

**Kutz Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900**

[www.centenarycollege.edu](http://www.centenarycollege.edu)

**11/14 LAKEWOOD****Musical Storytelling with Maestro Anthony LaGruth: America's Music: Aaron Copland & George Gershwin**

Explore the music of these two titans and discover how they created the "America" sound in music. Maestro Anthony LaGruth will lead a lively discussion and share musical insight and examples.

**Georgian Court University, North Dining Room, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**

[www.georgian.edu](http://www.georgian.edu)

**11/14 MORRISTOWN****Paul Anka**

The legendary Paul Anka performs timeless favorites and signature hits. Tickets \$69 - \$125. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

**11/14 MORRISTOWN****Tot Tours**

November is Native American Heritage month. Discover what life would be like for the children and make a corn husk doll. Ages 2 - 5. Free with admission. 10 am.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

**11/14 NEWARK****All-State Jazz Ensemble & Choir/ New Jersey Music Educators**

Get jazzed up at this special event, featuring a collective of New Jersey's most promising young jazz musicians and vocalists. Recommended for ages 8 & up.

**NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

**11/14 NEWARK****Chris Botti**

This acclaimed trumpeter and composer has established himself as one of the leading innovators of the contemporary music and jazz worlds.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

**11/14 PEAPACK****ReelAbilities NJ Disabilities Film Festival**

Matheny's Arts Access Program will be joining NJ Disabilities Film Festival. This is the largest festival in the country dedicated to promoting awareness and appreciation of the lives, stories and artistic expressions of people with different disabilities.

**Matheny's Arts Access, 65 Highland Ave., 908-234-0011**

[www.artsaccessprogram.org](http://www.artsaccessprogram.org) or [www.reelabilities.org](http://www.reelabilities.org)

**11/14 SOUTH ORANGE****Get the Led Out "The American Led Zeppelin"**

Get the Led Out has captured the essence of the recorded music of Led Zeppelin and brought it to the concert stage for a live experience like you've never heard before.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787**

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

**11/14 – 11/15 NEW BRUNSWICK****Cirque Peking**

This elite group of acrobats continues to transform 2,000-year-old traditions of strength and concentration into a modern-day spectacle of entertainment.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

**11/15 BRANCHBURG****BWC's Craft Show, Bake Sale, & Tricky Tray Raffle**

Branchburg Woman's Club's fund-raiser for student awards and charities will be held indoors, featuring crafts, raffle prizes, vendors, bake sale and refreshments. Free admission and parking. 10 am - 4 pm.

**Branchburg Central Middle School, 220 Baird Rd., 908-866-1824**  
[www.omnie.com/bwc](http://www.omnie.com/bwc)

**11/15 HACKETTSTOWN****If You Give a Pig a Pancake**

Witness the incredible journey of a young girl who works to meet the demands of a quirky piglet after eating pancakes. Their adventure is just beginning as they must take a bubble bath, tap dance, and of course, go back for more pancakes.

**Little Theatre, 400 Jefferson St., 908-979-4297**  
[www.centenarystageco.org](http://www.centenarystageco.org)

**11/15 MORRISTOWN****Ron White: The Nutcracker Tour**

Cigar-smoking, scotch-drinking funnyman Ron White returns to Morristown for an evening of politically incorrect humor. Mature content, language. Adults Only. Tickets \$49 - \$99. 7 pm & 9:30 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**  
[www.mayoarts.org](http://www.mayoarts.org)

**11/15 NEWARK****Day of Swing**

If you are new to jazz, learn from the masters about listening to jazz, singing the blues or the art of improvisation. Children ages 2 and up. Free admission.

**NJPAC, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**  
[www.njpac.org](http://www.njpac.org)

**11/15 NEWARK****Michael Franks with Raul Midón**

Sensual singer Michael Franks and singer-guitarist Raul Midón meet onstage in a gentle and witty celebration of romance, flavored with a Latin vibe.

**NJPAC, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**  
[www.njpac.org](http://www.njpac.org)

**11/15 ROSELLE****Metro Gathering**

Geocachers from the area invite you to the first tri-state area's MEGA Metro Gathering Geocaching. Come meet geocachers, swap coins, talk to geocaching vendors, play geocaching games, enjoy food vendors, and bring your GPS. 9 am - 4 pm.

**Warinanco Park Roadway, 973-377-8446**  
[www.nnjc.org](http://www.nnjc.org)

**11/15 SOUTH ORANGE****Neil Berg's 100 Years of Broadway**

100 Years of Broadway recreates the greatest moments from the finest shows of the century featuring the stars of The Phantom of the Opera, Les Miserables, CATS, Jesus Christ Superstar, and Jekyll & Hyde. Tickets \$35 - \$55; Members \$30 - \$50.

**South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787**  
[www.sopacnow.org](http://www.sopacnow.org)

**11/15 UNION****Bon Appetit!: A Salute to Luxury Train Travel Luncheon**

Experience the "red-carpet treatment" at our decadent buffet, served on real china, and featuring handcrafted desserts and your choice of wine. Also includes guided tour of the museum's fascinating travel installation. Reservations required.

**Liberty Hall Museum, 1003 Morris Ave., 908-527-0400**  
[www.kean.edu/libertyhall](http://www.kean.edu/libertyhall)

**11/15 WARETOWN****Homeplace Festival**

Join the singing, laughing, socializing, enjoy good food and live stage presentations of bluegrass, country and traditional music. Tickets purchased at door, open at 6:30 pm. Adults \$5. No alcoholic drinks, refreshments available. Music 7:30 - 11 pm.

**Albert Music Hall, 131 Wells Mills Rd. (Rt. 532), 609-971-1593**  
[www.alberthall.org](http://www.alberthall.org)

**11/15 - 11/16 MOUNTAINSIDE****Potters' Guild Hosts Annual Fall Pottery Festival**

Showcasing more than 40 exhibiting artists from across the state, the sale will offer a chance to meet the makers. Free admission. Sat. 11 am - 5 pm; Sun. Noon - 5 pm.

**Community Presbyterian Church, 1459 Deer Path, 908-730-9383**  
[www.pottersguildnj.org](http://www.pottersguildnj.org)

**11/15 - 11/16 TETERBORO****Open Cockpit Week-End**

The museum opens the cockpits of many of the museum airplanes, helicopters and a fire truck. Visitors get a real 'hands on' cockpit understanding by learning about the controls and instrumentations. Pilots and guides are on hand for Q&A.

**The Aviation Hall of Fame Museum, 400 Fred Wehran Dr., 201-288-6344**  
[www.njahof.org](http://www.njahof.org)

**11/15 - 11/23 BOUND BROOK****Eastern Opera Performs La Boheme by Puccini**

This performance by Eastern Opera will be sung in Italian with an orchestra conducted by Dr. Robert Butts and direction, sets and costumes by Karole Lewis.

**Brook Theater, 12 Hamilton, 908-566-5708**  
[www.easternopera.org](http://www.easternopera.org)

11/16 MORRISTOWN

## Rainbow Magic Live! Saving Fairyland

The beloved children’s books from Rainbow Magic come to life in a brand new musical stage production. Follow best friends Rachel and Kirsty as they help their fairy friends while having lots of fun along the way. Ages 4 - 10. Tickets \$12 - \$15. 1:30 pm & 4 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

11/16 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Moscow State Symphony Orchestra

Founded in 1943 by Lev Steinberg, the Moscow State Symphony Orchestra has established a reputation as one of the premier interpreters of the Russian classic composers. Tickets \$35 - \$70.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

11/16 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Okee Dokee Brothers

Grammy award-winners, the Okee Dokee Brothers put their passion for the natural world as the source of their inspiration, such as hiking the Appalachian Trail, exploring the Rocky Mountains, and canoeing down the mighty Mississippi River.

Crossroads Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

11/16 NEWARK

## Dorthaan’s Place: Vanessa Rubin & Trio

An ever-evolving jazz singer extraordinaire, Vanessa Rubin performs honeyed ballads and up tempo swing with her trio at Dorthaan’s Place.

NJPAC, Nico Kitchen + Bar, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

11/16 NEWARK

## Sarah Vaughan International Jazz Vocal Competition

Following an intensive search, see the five finalists in the third annual Sarah Vaughan International Jazz Vocal Competition, founded in honor of a “divine” jazz icon.

NJPAC, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

11/16 SOUTH ORANGE

## Rachelle Ferrell

Rachelle Ferrell is unquestionably one of the most dynamic talents in contemporary pop music. Tickets \$59 - \$75; Members \$54 - \$70.

South Orange Performing Arts Center (SOPAC), 1 SOPAC Way, 973-313-2787

www.sopacnow.org

11/18 LAKEWOOD

## Mercy in Real Life

Speaking from her Mercy Volunteer Corps experience, Ms. Weber, also the managing editor of *America Magazine*, the leading Catholic news magazine, will share her insights about “mercy” in everyday life.

Georgian Court University: Little Theatre, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263

www.georgian.edu

11/18 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Trace Adkins

Trace Adkins’ trademark baritone has powered countless hits to the top of the charts and sold over 10 million albums. Tickets \$38.50 - \$78.50.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

11/19 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Buddy Guy

Guy, whose sound blends the traditions of classic Chicago blues with the flash and energy of rock and roll, is one of the world’s leading bluesmen with a career that spans nearly 50 years with over 50 albums and six Grammy awards.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

11/19 – 11/23 NEWARK

## Disney on Ice Presents Frozen!

Join Kristoff, Sven, and Olaf, as they help Anna along her remarkable journey to find her sister Elsa and sing along to musical masterpieces. Tickets \$35 - \$150.

Prudential Center, 25 Lafayette St., 973-757-6600

www.prucenter.com

11/20 MORRISTOWN

## Guinness Spotlight: Behind Locked Doors

Let us take you through the Guinness Gallery and Viewable Storage for an “insider” view, and experience instruments and automata not usually demonstrated! Tickets \$9; Members \$7. Registration required. 2 - 3:30 pm & 6:30 - 8 pm.

Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3706

www.morrismuseum.org

11/20 MORRISTOWN

## Herman’s Hermits Starring Peter Noone and The Buckingham

A double bill of classic 60s pop! Tickets are \$39 - \$79. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

## Dancing Pros Live

Dancers from “Dancing with the Stars” and “So You Think You Can Dance” battle it out on stage and the audience picks the winner! Hosted by Alan Thicke and featuring celebrity judges Edyta Sliwinska and Chelsie Hightower. Tickets \$35 - \$65.

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

## Holiday Preview Weekend

Enjoy a wide variety of holiday tours, food and wine. Santa arrives at 7 pm for the Tree-Lighting Ceremony. The Estate opens for free, self-guided tours. Children Santa’s Trolley rides and Ghosts of Christmas Past Trolley Rides for adults.

**Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts & Humanities (MAC), 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278**

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

## Girls Weekend

Eat, drink and shop! Approximately 35 stores participate through Sea Isle City.

**300 JFK Blvd., 609-263-9090**

[www.seaislechamber.com](http://www.seaislechamber.com)

## Abendmusik – King of the Keyboards: Kevin Graf, Organist

Featuring Kevin Graf of Morristown United Methodist Church performing on the church’s 53-rank Austin pipe organ and The Voices of Praise Choir. Suggested donation \$20 adults; \$15 seniors; students free. Concert 7:30 pm followed by a reception.

**Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Pl., 973-538-2132**

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

## Jackie Evancho

10-year-old Evancho’s performance on “America’s Got Talent” left audiences astonished. Now 14, she continues to impress. Tickets \$59 - \$129. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

## Super Science

Oobleck: Is it a solid or a liquid? Children will be introduced to the scientific method as they conduct experiments and observe the results. Ages 5 & older. Members free; non-members \$3 per child, plus museum admission. Noon - 2 pm.

**Morris Museum, 6 Normandy Heights Rd., 973-971-3700**

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

## All Strings Attached – Fleck & McBride

Premier banjo player Béla Fleck & Brooklyn Rider join bassist Christian McBride for an eclectic array of musical stylings, from bluegrass and classical crossover to jazz and world beat.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

## SalsaPaloosa – La Sonora Ponceña

You’ll leap to your feet when NJPAC hosts this explosive musical celebration for La Sonora Ponceña, one of Puerto Rico’s most influential and best-loved salsa orchestras.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

## 19th Annual Indoor Craft Fair

Sixty tables of high quality hand crafted items. Lunch and baked goods available and free craft drawings. Free admission. 9 am - 4 pm.

**St. Paul’s United Methodist Church, 80 Embury Ave., 732-681-1336**

## Christmas Craft Show

Enjoy many delightful new crafts as well as old favorites. Highlights include, jewelry, hand-painted clothing, silk flower arrangements and many forms of art. Chance Auction on Saturday.

**St. Francis Community Center, 4700 Long Beach Blvd., 609-494-8861**

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

## Great Authors Out Loud Series

Enjoy free staged readings by acclaimed professionals Randall Duk Kim and Anne Occhiogrosso focusing on playwrights whose mastery of language transcend time.

**Kutz Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900**

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

11/23 KINNELON

### Arts & Crafts Holiday Fair

Featuring over 100 artisans displaying and selling their original handmade works. Admission \$2; Seniors \$1; children under 12 free. 10 am - 5 pm.

**Kinnelon High School, 121 Kinnelon Rd., 201-998-6311**

[www.jcpromotions.info](http://www.jcpromotions.info)

11/23 NEWARK

### New Jersey Youth Symphony

Witness the talent, energy and passion of 400 of the State's young musicians as students from all 13 of the ensembles perform. This magical concert is a celebration of the Symphony's 35 years.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

11/23 POTTERSVILLE

### Midland Goes to the Movies with PNC

The event features an independent or not widely seen film, cocktails and a delicious dinner.

**Purnell School, 51 Pottersville Rd., 908-722-7210 ext. 150**

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

11/25 JACKSON

### Fred Miller: All Over the Map

Pianist, singer and narrator Fred Miller will perform his Lecture-In-Song. This is a musical and anecdotal travelogue beginning in the Eastern U.S. heading West, ultimately circling the globe.

**Jackson Branch Library, 2 Jackson Dr., 732-928-4400**

11/25 – 11/30 EAST RUTHERFORD

### Disney On Ice Presents Frozen!

Join Elsa and Anna, Olaf, Kristoff, his reindeer Sven, hosts Mickey Mouse and Minnie Mouse and many more of your favorite Disney characters for this unforgettable celebration of love and friendship!

**Izod Center, 50 Rt. 120, 201-935-3900**

[www.izodcenter.com](http://www.izodcenter.com)

11/26 FRENCHTOWN

### Pre-Thanksgiving Celebration

This annual celebration, features great drinks, wine and beers on tap, with live music to help everyone get ready for the big family event.

**The National Hotel, 31 Race St., 908-996-3200**

[www.thenationalhotelnj.com](http://www.thenationalhotelnj.com)

11/27 – 11/28 ELIZABETH

### Thanksgiving Day & Black Friday Shopping

Mall-wide door busters, early bird specials, and much more! The mall will be open beginning 10 am Thur., Thanksgiving Day to Fri. at 10 pm.

**The Outlet Collection, Jersey Gardens, 651 Kapkowski Rd., 908-436-3005**

[www.jerseygardens.com](http://www.jerseygardens.com)

11/28 BORDENTOWN CITY

### Holiday Historical Train Show

The Train Show offers the opportunity to see a wide range of Buddy "L" trains dated from 1926. Sites and sounds of railroading will come to life with a variety of videos covering all aspects of railroading, past and present.

**Old City Hall, 11 Crosswicks St., 609-298-7766**

[www.downtownbordentown.com](http://www.downtownbordentown.com)

11/28 FLORHAM PARK

### Santa Breakfast

Come have a magical breakfast with Santa Claus! Sit on Santa's lap and tell him whether you've been a good boy or girl, take some photos and don't forget to bring your Christmas list! Then stay and play! \$15.99 per child; \$13.99 per adult.

**Imagine That!!!, 4 Vreeland Rd., 973-966-8000**

[www.imaginedthatmuseum.com](http://www.imaginedthatmuseum.com)

11/28 MORRISTOWN

### Manhattan Comedy Night

Stand-up comedy direct from the clubs of New York City. Mature themes, language. Adults only. Tickets \$25. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

11/28 NEWTON

### Celtic Tenors

The Celtic Tenors will beautifully weave the songs of the season throughout a good humored and sparkling performance! Tickets \$34 - \$44. 8 pm.

**Newton Theatre, 234 Spring St., 973-383-3700**

[www.thenewtontheatre.com](http://www.thenewtontheatre.com)

11/28 NEWARK

### Patti Labelle

The Grammy winning queen of rock and soul, performs her greatest hits! If the definition of a diva is someone who is a perfectionist, then this versatile Philadelphia singer, best-selling author and three-time Emmy Award nominee lives up to that description.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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



11/28 PRINCETON

## Christmas Tree Lighting

Kick-off the season with our 65-foot Norwegian spruce adorned with over 32,000 lights and will be lit with the help of Santa Claus. 5 pm.

Palmer Square, The Green, 609-921-2333

www.palmersquare.com

11/28 – 11/29 CAPE MAY

## Holiday Crafts Fair

A must visit for those on your holiday gift lists. Shop for unique hand-made gifts and seasonal decorations. Admission \$2. 10 am - 4 pm.

Cape May Convention Hall, 714 Beach Ave., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278

www.capemaymac.org

11/28 – 11/29 OCEANPORT

## Holiday Arts & Crafts

Over 100 artists and crafters! Great alternative to the overpacked malls, shop local! Santa will be on hand to greet the children. Show runs from 10 am - 5 pm.

Monmouth Racetrack, Oceanport Ave., 732-223-3710

www.kraftfairs.com

11/28 – 11/29 SEA ISLE CITY

## Holiday Extravaganza

Fri.: Ice Skating Rink 5 - 10 pm and Tree lighting ceremony. Sat.: Small Business Saturday Shop Local, Ice Skating Rink and visit with Santa!

Excursion Park, JFK Blvd. & Pleasure Ave., 609-263-9090

www.seaislechamber.com

11/28 – 11/30 ATLANTIC CITY

## Atlantic City Ballet's It's a Shore Holiday

A blend of contemporary and classical dance set to your most beloved holiday tunes, with live music by the AC Ballet Ensemble.

Celebrity Theater-Claridge Hotel, Boardwalk & Park Pl., 609-348-7201

www.acballet.org

11/28 – 11/30 MILFORD

## Holiday Wine & Food Weekend

Join us for this celebration and enjoy wine tastings, specialty food pairings prepared by local restaurants, hand-crafted chocolates by Diane Pinder, and artisan cheeses from Fourchette. Admission includes a wine tasting, food pairings, Alba wine glass, and cellar tour. Noon - 5 pm.

Alba Vineyard, 269 Riegelsville Warren Glen Rd., 908-995-7800

www.albavineyard.com

11/28 – 11/30 NEWARK

## Evil Dead – The Musical

In this hilarious, record-breaking Canadian musical, five college friends spend the weekend in an abandoned cabin in the woods after accidentally unleashing an evil force that turns them all into demons.

NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

11/28 – 11/30 PHILLIPSBURG

## Holiday Wine Trail

Join over 40 wineries across the state to kick-off the Holidays. Follow the Hunterdon-Warren wine trail to visit other participating wineries. Villa Milagro will release its very popular Feliz Navidad wine, sold only until January 5. Cost \$5.

Villa Milagro Vineyards, 33 Rt. 627, 908-955-2072

www.villamilagrovineyards.com

11/28 – 11/30 TINTON FALLS

## After-Thanksgiving Sale

Many stores will be open as early as 6 pm on Thur., Nov. 27.

Jersey Shore Premium Outlets, 1 Premium Outlets Blvd., 732-918-1700

www.premiumoutlets.com/jerseyshore

11/28 – 11/30 WEST ORANGE

## Holiday Lights

We will celebrate the season of giving with a Holiday Light display throughout the zoo grounds. Donation stations for non-perishable food, new toys and gently used coats are placed at each entry. Free admission.

Essex County Turtle Back Zoo, 560 Northfield Ave., 973-731-5801

www.turtlebackzoo.com

11/29 BOONTON

## Shop Small

Get a head start on your Holiday shopping and head to Main Street! Small Business Saturday is a day dedicated to supporting small, local businesses and celebrate the Saturday after Thanksgiving.

Main St., 973-257-9107

www.boontonmainstreet.org

11/29 MORRISTOWN

## Charlie Daniels Band

Country favorite Charlie Daniels performs a mix of greatest hits with a dash of holiday favorites that have made him one of the most popular country artists over the last five decades. Tickets \$39 - \$79. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

11/29 RAHWAY

## Lucy Kaplansky

Blending country, folk and pop styles, she has the unique ability to make every song sound fresh, whether singing her own sweet originals, covering country classics by June Carter Cash and Gram Parsons or singing pop favorites by Lennon/McCartney and Nick Lowe.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage,  
360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226  
www.ucpac.org

11/30 HAMILTON TWP.

## Ballroom Dancing and Live Big Band Music

The Monday Blues Jazz Orchestra will be performing with a full complement of musicians, as well as the spectacular sounds of their vocalists. Dinners will be available to purchase from 1 - 5 pm. Call for reservations.

German American Society, Aurora Ballroom, 215 Uncle Pete's Rd., 856-764-3106  
www.mondaybluesjazz.com

11/30 MORRISTOWN

## Mooseltoe

The Moose is back by popular demand! Meet a Moose with an impossible dream — to fly with Santa's reindeer! Enjoy the whimsy and magic of the holiday spirit in this enchanting holiday "moosical." Ages 4 - 10. Tickets \$12 - \$15.  
11 am, 1:30 pm & 4 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008  
www.mayoarts.org

11/30 NEWARK

## Keith Jarrett, Gary Peacock and Jack DeJohnette

Last year marked the 30th anniversary of this iconic trio, Keith Jarrett, Gary Peacock and Jack DeJohnette, which has garnered awards around the world for its innovative jazz, including five Grammy nominations.

NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722  
www.njpac.org

# December

12/1 LAKEWOOD

## Fall 2014 Concert Series: Concert Band Concert

Come to the historical Casino Auditorium and enjoy the performance!

Georgian Court University: Casino, 900 Lakewood Avenue, 732-987-2263  
www.georgian.edu

12/2 MORRISTOWN

## Michael McDonald This Christmas: Evening of Holiday & Hits

The former Doobie Brothers lead and solo artist performs holiday favorites and his best-known hits. Tickets \$49 - \$99. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008  
www.mayoarts.org

12/3 MORRISTOWN

## Dennis Miller

SNL vet, radio talk show host and Fox News commentator Miller offers his acerbic take on the world. Adults only, mature themes, language. Tickets \$59 - \$99. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008  
www.mayoarts.org

12/3 WHIPPANY

## Holiday Extravaganza

Over 100 artists and crafters displaying their handmade items in three rooms. On-site food and drinks. Indoor event. Free parking. 10 am - 8 pm.

The Birchwood Manor, 111 N. Jefferson Rd., 732-223-3710  
www.kraftfairs.com

12/4 SMITHVILLE

## Girls Night Out

Grab your girls and come to the Village! Each store will have promotions. 6 - 8 pm.

Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999  
www.colonialinnsmithville.com

12/4 SUMMIT

## Holiday House Tour & Boutique

Enjoy touring several local homes decked out for the holidays, shop unique vendors, until 4 pm, for holiday gifts and enjoy lunch at Beacon Hill Club. 9:30 am - 2:30 pm.

Reeves-Reed Arboretum, 165 Hobart Ave., 908-273-8787  
www.reeves-reedarboretum.org

#### 12/4 MORRISTOWN

### Music At Noon: Patricia Lazzara, Flute & Kirsty Chmura, Harp

A concert of seasonal music. Light luncheon available for purchase before or after the concert (11:30 am - 1:30 pm) for \$8 adults; \$6 seniors. Free to the public.

**Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Pl., 973-538-2132**

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

#### 12/5 BOONTON

### Chocolate Stroll

Businesses will be open late from 5 - 9 pm for an evening of sales, socializing and chocolate!

**Main St., 973-257-9107**

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

#### 12/5 BORDENTOWN

### Holiday Chocolate Walk

Participating businesses open their doors to a free evening of fun and chocolate treats! Print out passport (available online), visit the shoppes and galleries, return to a designated location and you could win \$50 in Bordentown Bucks. 6 - 9 pm.

**Downtown Bordentown, 200 Farnsworth Ave., 609-516-9306**

[www.downtownbordentown.com](http://www.downtownbordentown.com)

#### 12/5 MORRISTOWN

### Dave Koz & Friends Christmas Tour 2014

Santa Koz is coming to town! Multi-Grammy nominee and saxophonist extraordinaire, Dave Koz returns for a spirited holiday celebration, featuring special guests Jonathan Butler, Christopher Cross and Maysa. Tickets \$59 - \$89. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

#### 12/5 WILDWOOD

### Hereford Inlet Lighthouse Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony

Christmas tree lighting, Santa Claus and refreshments. Free event. 5:30 pm.

**Hereford Inlet Lighthouse, 111 N. Central Ave., 609-522-4520**

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

#### 12/5 - 12/6 NATIONAL PARK

### Candlelight Tours

The Whitall House will be decorated for the holidays and feature all natural elements. Free event. Tours offered Fri. 6 - 9 pm; Sat. 3 - 9 pm.

**The Whitall House, 100 Hessian Ave., 856-853-5120**

[www.gloucestercountynj.gov](http://www.gloucestercountynj.gov)

#### 12/5 - 12/7 TUCKERTON

### Christkindlmarkt

A true Christmas Village! Holiday market under heated tents, food court, rides, wine tasting, Santa, entertainment and more! \$5 parking or free shuttles. Fee \$3.

**Tuckerton Seaport & Baymen's Museum, 120 West Main St., 609-296-8868**

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

#### 12/5 - 12/7 WEST ORANGE

### Holiday Lights

Holiday Light display throughout the zoo grounds and a donated goods drive. Donation stations for non-perishable food, new toys, and gently used coats are placed at each entry. Free admission.

**Essex County Turtle Back Zoo, 560 Northfield Ave., 973-731-5801**

[www.turtlebackzoo.com](http://www.turtlebackzoo.com)

#### 12/6 CAPE MAY

### 41st Annual Christmas Candlelight House Tour

This self-guided tour features homes, inns, hotels and churches decorated for the holidays, hospitality centers, plus caroling, strolling musicians and good old-fashioned cheer. Shuttle service on heated trolleys. 5:30 - 8:30 pm.

**Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts & Humanities (MAC), 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278**

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

#### 12/6 CAPE MAY

### Crafts at Christmas

Crafts and decorations to suit every taste and budget. Admission \$1. 10 am - 5 pm.

**Cape May Convention Hall, 714 Beach Ave., 609-884-9563**

[www.discovercapemaynj.com](http://www.discovercapemaynj.com)

#### 12/6 FLORHAM PARK

### Santa Breakfast

Sit on Santa's lap and tell him whether you've been a good boy or girl, take some photos and don't forget to bring your Christmas list for him! Call for reservation. \$15.99 per child, \$13.99 per adult.

**Imagine That!!!, 4 Vreeland Rd., 973-966-8000**

[www.imaginedthatmuseum.com](http://www.imaginedthatmuseum.com)

#### 12/6 JACKSON

### David Podles Violinist: Musical Journey Around the World

This acclaimed International Concert violinist takes you on an enriching and invigorating musical tour of Europe, Russia and the United States. This program covers classical, folk and gypsy genres.

**Jackson Branch Library, 2 Jackson Dr., 732-928-4400**

**12/6 LAKEWOOD****Breakfast with Santa**

Bring your children for a tasty breakfast and family-fun activities. Capture the memory with a photo taken with Santa and Mrs. Claus!

**Georgian Court University: Casino, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**

[www.georgian.edu](http://www.georgian.edu)

**12/6 MAYS LANDING****14th Annual Dickens of a Holiday**

Masonic Lodge, 82 Mill St., 8 - 11 am, Pancake breakfast with Mr. & Mrs. Claus. Adults \$8; Children \$5. Memorial Park, Noon - 5 pm, featuring Santa, food and craft vendors, snowball toss, train ride and more.

**Memorial Park, Main St. & Rt. 50, 609-909-9028**

**12/6 MIDDLETOWN****11th Annual Poricy Park Trail Run**

5K Run/Walk, 5 Mile Run and Kids' Fun Run through the trails of scenic Poricy Park with an awards ceremony. All proceeds benefit the preservation of the park.

**Poricy Park Conservancy, 345 Oak Hill Rd., 732-842-5966**

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

**12/6 MORRISTOWN****Celtic Thunder: Symphony**

This powerhouse Irish vocal group, backed by a symphony, performs traditional carols and cherished contemporary favorites with their signature upbeat and unique Emerald Island panache. Tickets \$69 - \$109. 7:30 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

**12/6 NEW BRUNSWICK****Irish Tenors**

Finbar Wright, Anthony Kearns and Ronan Tynan are Ireland's premier ambassadors of song, joined by a full orchestra for an evening of holiday music. Tickets \$32 - \$97.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

**12/6 NEWARK****Freestyle Extravaganza**

Relive the unforgettable music and moves of the late 1980s and early 1990s with this electrifying tribute to freestyle.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

**12/6 NEWARK****It's Today: Mame at NJPAC**

Light the candles! Get the ice out! A glittering lineup of Broadway and cabaret stars — featuring Leslie Uggams and Dee Hoty — pays homage to Mame, one of American theater's most cherished musicals.

**NJPAC, The Chase Room, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

**12/6 NEWARK****Robert Klein**

For more than 40 years, Robert Klein's award-winning, versatile career in comedy and on Broadway, TV and film, has made him an audience favorite.

**NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

**12/6 PT. PLEASANT BEACH****Behind the Scenes Tour**

Discover what goes on behind the scenes at our aquarium while you tour the building from top to bottom!

**Jenkinson's Aquarium, 300 Ocean Ave., 732-892-0600**

[www.jenkinsons.com](http://www.jenkinsons.com)

**12/6 RAHWAY****RSI Bank Presents the Orchestra of St. Peter by the Sea: Holiday Concert**

In its 27th year of making music, the Orchestra of St. Peter's musicians represent some 750 collective years of study, 684 teachers and 57,000 concerts and recitals, and the products of 177 colleges and universities around the world.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226**

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

**12/6 RAHWAY****Split Level Concerts Presents the Jen Chapin Trio**

Jen Chapin's music is urban folk soul — story songs that search for community and shared meaning, powered by the funk and improvisation of the city.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226**

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

**12/6 SMITHVILLE****Frost Bite Car Cruise**

Cruise on down to visit shoppes and eateries and stay overnight at the Colonial Inn Bed & Breakfast.

**Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999**

[www.colonialinnsmithville.com](http://www.colonialinnsmithville.com)

## Hospitality Night

The village will be overflowing with hospitable merchants! Each store will have a special event going on from 6 - 8 pm, from music to food tastings.

**Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999**

[www.colonialinnsmithville.com](http://www.colonialinnsmithville.com)

## Cookies & Cocoa with Santa – Evening Holiday Concert

Enjoy cookies and cocoa with Santa and holiday shopping from 10 am -2 pm. Attend our holiday concert featuring Asylum Quartet at 7 pm, Historic Wisner House.

**Reeves-Reed Arboretum, 165 Hobart Ave., 908-273-8787**

[www.reeves-reedarboretum.org](http://www.reeves-reedarboretum.org)

## Essex County Historic Holiday House Tour

Historic homes open their doors in unison for one spectacular weekend. Each will be dressed for the holiday season while offering entertainment, refreshments, or educational information.

**Historic homes throughout Essex, 22 Crestmont Rd., 973-239-2485**

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

## December Weekend Events in Historic Smithville

Christmas tree light show on the lake: 5:30 - 8:30 pm. The Magical Talking Tree wakes up and talks: Noon - 5 pm. Train ride of the Village: 10 am - 8:30 pm, \$2 per person. Mrs. Claus reads stories in her Christmas Cottage: 1:30 - 4:30 pm.

**Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999**

[www.colonialinnsmithville.com](http://www.colonialinnsmithville.com)

## Holiday Nature Craft Show Menorah & Tree Lighting

Crafts are made of natural materials or nature theme. Featuring children's face painting, holiday singers and a Charity Tree Decorating Contest. Visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus from Noon - 4:30 pm; Menorah and Tree Lighting at 4:30 pm. Free.

**Trailside Nature & Science Center, 452 New Providence Rd., 908-527-4900**

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

## Seraphic Fire: Carols by Candlelight

Widely regarded as one of the most important vocal ensembles in the U.S. with the best singers from around the country to perform repertoires ranging from Gregorian chant to newly commissioned works.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

## Yuja Wang

This Grammy-nominated artist's program includes: Chopin: Fantaisie in F minor, Op. 49 Scriabin: Sonata No. 9, Op. 68 Schubert: Sonata in B-flat, D. 960 Works by Enrique Granados & Isaac Albéniz.

**NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**

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

## Pearl Harbor Remembrance Ceremony

Commemorative ceremony by North Wildwood VFW Memorial Post 5941. Noon.

**St. Demetrios Church, 321 St. Demetrios Ave., 609-884-4297**

## Monmouth Civic Chorus Concert – Messiah & More

The Christmas portion of Handel's beloved oratorio will be featured, along with favorite carols from the Chorus's new CD, "A Merry Little MCC Christmas." 4 pm.

**Count Basie Theatre, 99 Monmouth St., 732-933-9333**

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

## Dickens Christmas Extravaganza

Immerse yourself in the world of Dickens through lectures and performances. The festivities conclude on Tuesday evening with a proper Victorian Feast. Please contact the participating inns directly to register.

**Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts & Humanities (MAC), 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278**

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

## Christmas Program: Tours, Decorations, Activities and Music

Enjoy the exhibit, tours of the decorated period rooms and see the Drawing Room Christmas tree from 1 - 4:30 pm. Children can make Christmas stockings and write a letter to Santa. Harmonium Outreach Chorus will perform holiday songs at 4:30 pm.

**Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404**

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

## Music At Noon: Dr. Brian Preston Harlow, Organist

This 30-minute recital series sponsored by Music at MUMC begins at 12:15 pm with a light luncheon available for purchase before or after the concert (11:30 am - 1:30 pm) for \$8 adults; \$6 seniors. Free concert.

**Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Pl. (the Green), 973-538-2132**

## Temptations and The Four Tops

Enjoy the sounds of two of the most iconic Motown groups of all time, The Temptations and The Four Tops! Tickets \$45 - \$95.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

## Musical Storytelling with Maestro Anthony LaGruth: Totally Tchaikovsky

The music of Russian master Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky (1840–1893) is overflowing with melody and emotion. Examine his life and experience.

Georgian Court University: North Dining Room, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263

www.georgian.edu

## Piano Guys “A Family Christmas”

An Internet sensation with their self-made music videos, The Piano Guys mix classical music with pop in imaginative, mash-up arrangements.

NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

## Dick Fox’s DOO WOP Extravaganza

Starring Jimmy Beaumont and the Skyliners, Jay Siegel’s Tokens, Shirley Alsten Reeves, Legendary Teenagers, Emil Stucchio and the Classics, and The Knockouts.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226

www.ucpac.org

## Christmas in Milford & Holiday House Tour

Old fashioned Christmas with Santa, carolers and tree lighting at 6 pm. Visit decorated homes Fri. 4 - 8 pm; Sat. 10 am - 4 pm. Advance tickets \$18; \$20 day of event.

55 Bridge St., 908-995-4854

www.visitmilfordnj.com

## Sister Act

Original music by eight-time Oscar winner Alan Menken, Sister Act tells the story of a wannabe diva whose life takes a turn when she witnesses a crime. Tickets \$35 - \$75.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

## Wildwoods Family Holiday Celebration

Jaycees Christmas Parade, Fri. 6:30 pm followed by a tree lighting ceremony and parade awards ceremony at 7:30 pm. Sat. 9 am - 4 pm, free admission to the Center for holiday-themed crafters, photos with Santa, entertainment and more!

Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-729-9000 or 800-992-9732

www.wildwoodsny.com

## Ebenezer Presented by Ocean Professional Theatre Company

The story of bitter Ebenezer Scrooge’s transformation resulting from supernatural visits from Jacob Marley, the Ghosts of Christmas Past, Present, and Yet to Come.

Ocean Theatre Stafford Township Art Center (STAC), 1000 McKinley Ave., 609-312-8306

www.oceantheatre.org

## New Jersey Ballet’s Nutcracker

The annual tradition returns in this seasonal favorite that enchants youngsters and grown-ups alike with splendid dancing, a full orchestra, eye-popping special effects and a touch of holiday magic. Ages 4 & up. Tickets \$25 - \$59.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

## Holiday Historic Homes Tour

This tour will charm you with the quaintness of Bordentown City’s rich history that is decorated for the holiday season. It includes private home tours, historic sites, Friends Meeting House and Clara Barton School. 3 - 7 pm.

Old Friends Meeting House, 302 Farnsworth Ave., 609-298-9181

www.downtownbordentown.com

## Breakfast with Santa

Enjoy a delicious hot breakfast served chowline-style, take a tour of the ship, meet local mascots, win prizes and meet Santa Claus!

Battleship New Jersey, 62 Battleship Pl., 856-966-1652 or 866-877-6262

www.battleshipnewjersey.org

## 41st Annual Christmas Candlelight House Tour

This self-guided tour features homes and buildings decorated for the holidays, plus caroling and strolling musicians. Warm beverages and traditional treats. 5:30 - 8:30 pm.

Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts & Humanities (MAC), 1048 Washington St., 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278

www.capemaymac.org

## Poperazzi Holiday Concert

Blurring the boundaries between classical and popular music, Poperazzi was created in 2009 by founder and tenor, George DeMott and joined by fellow tenor Cody Shawn Gay and soprano Janien Valentine.

**Cape May Convention Hall, 714 Beach Ave., 609-884-9563 or 855-708-9699**  
www.discovercapemaynj.com

## Fall 2014 Concert Series: Chorale Concert

Come to Georgian Court University's historical Casino Auditorium and enjoy the concert! Reservations are needed for groups of 10 or more.

**Georgian Court University: Casino, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**  
www.georgian.edu

## In The Nick Of Time Arts & Crafts Fair

Come shop for all your Holiday gifts here. Food will be available for purchase on site. Free parking. 9 am - 3 pm.

**119 Virginia Ave., 732-223-3710**  
www.kraftfairs.com

## Swingin' Holidays

Swing into the holidays at this interactive concert filled with yuletide songs with a jazz twist. Through call and response, singing, clapping and playing with the band, families can share the joy of the season.

**NJPAC, Victoria Theater, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722**  
www.njpac.org

## Holiday Carriage Rides

Take a horse drawn carriage ride as you enjoy the festivities of the holiday decorations, holiday music and smell of chestnuts roasting. Sat. 4:30 - 9:30 pm, Sun. 3:30 - 7:30 pm.

**Downtown Bordentown, 224 Farnsworth Ave., 609-298-9422**  
www.downtownbordentown.com

## Ocean Grove's Victorian Holiday Festival House & Inn Tour

Step back in time for this special two-day event sponsored by the Ocean Grove Chamber of Commerce. Children under 12 not admitted to the House & Inn Tours.

**Various locations, 45 Pilgrim Pathway, 732-774-1391 or 800-388-4768**  
www.oceangrovenj.com

## Breakfast with Santa

Enjoy a buffet breakfast and picture with Santa at Fred & Ethel's Lantern Light. Reservations are required, please call.

**Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999**  
www.colonialinnsmithville.com

## Holiday Candlelight Tours

The tours (advanced reservations required) include information on 18th century Christmas traditions and revolves around NJ's 350th anniversary, led and informed by the period-dress Historians. Light refreshments. 11 am - 4 pm.

**Rockingham Historic Site, 84 Laurel Ave., 609-683-7132**  
www.rockingham.net

## Fall 2014 Concert Series: Senior Voice Recital of Jaella Molina

Join us for a vocal performance in our beautiful Dorothy Marron Chapel.

**Georgian Court University: Dorothy Marron Chapel, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**  
www.georgian.edu

## Take 6 Holiday with the NJSO

This 10-time Grammy Award-winning ensemble infuses R&B, pop and gospel into joyful, groovin' entertainment including their seasonal favorites. Enjoy caroling in the lobby, and bring a new, unwrapped toy to donate to Toys for Tots.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**  
www.statetheatrenj.org

## Victorian Christmas

Special performances with Victorian flair courtesy of the New Jersey Renaissance Faire! This will include holiday music, vignettes from "A Christmas Carol" and an interpretive reading of "The Night Before Christmas."

**Historic Smithville & Village Greene, 615 E. Moss Mill Rd., 609-748-8999**  
www.colonialinnsmithville.com

## Teddy Bear Tea

Join us for tea and a craft with your favorite teddy bear. Ages 4 & up with an adult. \$30 per adult/child pair (\$10 for each additional child); free for members. Registration required. 10 - 11:30 am & 2 - 3:30 pm.

**Reeves-Reed Arboretum, 165 Hobart Ave., 908-273-8787**  
www.reeves-reedarboretum.org

12/14 – 12/16 MORRISTOWN

### Holiday CraftMorristown

Large display of contemporary works from 165 craftspeople from across the country. These exceptional artists infuse each piece with their creative vision.

Morristown Armory, 430 Western Ave., 845-331-7900

www.artrider.com

12/18 MORRISTOWN

### Music At Noon: The Christmas Singers

This is a 30-minute recital series sponsored by Music MUMC. Light luncheon available for purchase (11:30 am - 1:30 pm). \$8 adults; \$6 seniors. Free concert.

Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Place (the Green), 973-538-2132

12/18 – 12/23 ATLANTIC CITY

### Atlantic City Ballet's the Nutcracker with the Garden State Philharmonic

For the 32nd year and accompanied by The Garden State Philharmonic, this beloved ballet tells the story of a little girl named Clara who is given a magical nutcracker doll on Christmas Eve.

Celebrity Theater-Claridge Hotel, Boardwalk & Park Pl., 609-348-7201

www.acballet.org

12/19 – 12/21 NEW BRUNSWICK

### American Repertory Ballet's "Nutcracker"

ARB's professional dancers are joined by students from Princeton Ballet School to tell the story of a young girl and how a mysterious gift brings about enchanted dreams and fantastical scenes.

State Theater, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-249-1254

www.statetheatrenj.org

12/20 NEWARK

### Sweet Honey in the Rock: Celebrating the Holydays

In celebration of Kwanzaa, the African-American cappella women's ensemble performs blues, jazz, gospel and R&B, with excursions into symphonic and dance.

NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

12/20 WARETOWN

### Christmas Country & Bluegrass Show

Live bluegrass and country music in a concert setting. At 8 pm, Santa will lead a sing-a-long and will speak to the children attending the show.

Albert Music Hall, 131 Wells Mills Rd., 609-971-1593

www.alberthall.org

12/20 – 12/21 FLORHAM PARK

### Santa Breakfast

Sit on Santa's lap and tell him whether you've been a good boy or girl, take your photo and don't forget to bring your Christmas list for him! Call for reservation. \$15.99 per child, \$13.99 per adult.

Imagine That!!!, 4 Vreeland Rd., 973-966-8000

www.imaginethatmuseum.com

12/21 NEWARK

### Handel's Messiah

Musically superb and emotionally uplifting, Handel's Messiah is a holiday season must-hear for music lovers everywhere. With its exhilarating "Hallelujah Chorus," the Messiah resonates each time it is performed.

NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

12/26 LAKEWOOD

### Lectures-in-Song with Fred Miller: Alan Jay Lerner

Seated at the piano, Fred not only performs the songs, but also provides biographical and historical insight into the life and times of these musical titans. \$37 includes dinner. 6:30 pm.

Georgian Court University: North Dining Room, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263

www.georgian.edu

12/26 – 12/27 NEWARK

### Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer: The Musical

The magical world of the North Pole is conjured in this spectacle-filled musical, which re-creates the colorful characters and exciting plot of the 1964 TV special.

NJPAC, Prudential Hall, 1 Center St., 888-466-5722

www.njpac.org

12/26 – 12/30 WILDWOOD

### Boardwalk Basketball Classic

The largest holiday co-ed basketball tournament in the country. 9 am - 9 pm daily.

Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-729-9000

www.bbclassic.net

12/27 CAPE MAY

### 41st Annual Christmas Candlelight House Tour

This self-guided tour features homes, inns, hotels and churches decorated for the holidays, hospitality centers, plus caroling, strolling musicians and good old-fashioned cheer. Shuttle service on heated trolleys. 5:30 - 8:30 pm.

Mid-Atlantic Center for the Arts & Humanities (MAC), 1048 Washington St. 609-884-5404 or 800-275-4278

www.capemaymac.org



## 12/31 CAMDEN

### New Year's Fireworks on the Battleship New Jersey

Experience the best view of the New Year's fireworks show on the deck of the Battleship! Guests will enjoy music, food and bar service. \$10 donation.

**Battleship New Jersey, 62 Battleship Pl., 856-966-1652 or 866-877-6262**

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

## 12/31 DUNELLEN

### 80's Themed New Year's Eve Bash

Break out the Aquanet and crimpers and don the big hair, put on some leg warmers, neon clothing, ripped jeans or hammer pants! High in the Mid 80's will perform.

**Roxy & Duke's Roadhouse, 745 Bound Brook Rd., 732-529-4464**

[www.roxyanddukes.com](http://www.roxyanddukes.com)

## 12/31 FRENCHTOWN

### New Year's Celebration

An annual event in Frenchtown, the National Hotel's New Year's Eve Celebration helps end 2014 and kick-start 2015.

**The National Hotel, 31 Race St., 908-996-3200**

[www.thenationalhotelnj.com](http://www.thenationalhotelnj.com)

## 12/31 MORRISTOWN

### First Night Morris County

Join us for more than 300 artists in over 80 performances at 24 venues throughout Morristown ranging from dance and comedy to music and children's performers. Fireworks light up the sky at 9 pm with a grand finale firework display at midnight!

**Various locations, 973-455-0708**

[www.firstnightmorris.com](http://www.firstnightmorris.com)

## 12/31 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Salute to Vienna

Welcome the New Year with Salute to Vienna, patterned after Vienna's world famous "Neujahrskonzert." A festive New Year's concert, featuring a brilliant cast of over 75 musicians, stellar European singers and dancers in beautiful costumes!

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

## 12/31 RAHWAY

### Lisa Bouchelle

"A star of the future... and judging from the crowd at this show, the future is now!" — so wrote a reviewer from the *Aquarian Weekly*, the leading mid-Atlantic region entertainment paper, after a performance by Lisa Bouchelle.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage,**

**360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226**

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

# January

## 1/1 LAKEWOOD

### New Year's Day with the Garden State Philharmonic

Borrowing from Viennese tradition, Maestro Anthony LaGruth and the GSP will kick-off 2015 with a musical celebration. A buffet brunch with optional drinks.

**Georgian Court University: Casino, 900 Lakewood Ave., 732-987-2263**

[www.georgian.edu](http://www.georgian.edu)

## 1/3 BROWNS MILLS

### Whitesbog Moonlight Walk

Explore the historic village, cranberry bogs and the surrounding pinelands. Listen to the night sounds of the forest. All walks are 3 - 5 miles in length, weather permitting and led by experienced leaders. \$5 donation per person requested.

**Historic Whitesbog Village, 120 W. Whitesbog Rd., 609-893-4646**

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

## 1/4 MORRISTOWN

### Sing-A-Long Sound of Music

The Hills are alive! Sing along to the classic Julie Andrews Oscar-winning movie musical. Wave your Edelweiss! Dance in the gazebo with Lies! Bark at Rolf! Boo the Nazis! Partake in earnest choruses of "My Favorite Things!" And come in costume. Don't worry, all the lyrics are subtitled. Show starts at 3 pm. Tickets \$15 - \$20.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

## 1/4 - 1/29 MORRISTOWN

### Another Stocking to Fill: Antique Christmas Toys & Decorations

This exhibit incorporates unique treasures from Christmases past created through generous object loans from the Sign of the Tymes Antiques in Lafayette and Woolly Sheep Antiques. 1 - 4 pm.

**Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404**

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

## 1/4 - 1/29 MORRISTOWN

### Decorated Period Rooms Tours

For those who were too busy during the holidays, this January enjoy docent-led tours through the seasonally decorated period rooms at Macculloch Hall Historical Museum. 1 - 4 pm, last tour ticket sold at 3 pm.

**Macculloch Hall Historical Museum, 45 Macculloch Ave., 973-538-2404**

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

1/8 MORRISTOWN

### Music At Noon: Mialtin and Naoko Zhezha

This 30-minute recital series will begin at 12:15 pm. There is a light luncheon available for purchase (11:30 am - 1:30 pm). \$8 adults; \$6 seniors. Free concert.

Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Pl. (the Green), 973-538-2132

1/8 – 1/11 EDISON

### Garden State Outdoor Sports Show

More than 200 exhibitors, experts, celebrity appearances, special events, seminars, demos, Garden State Deer Classic competition, The Bass University and more.

New Jersey Convention & Exposition Center, 97 Sunfield Ave., 212-564-8823

www.gsoss.com

1/9 MORRISTOWN

### Shatner’s World – We Just Live in It

William Shatner’s acclaimed one-man show takes audiences on a voyage through his life and career, from Shakespearean stage actor to international icon, known as much for his unique persona as for his expansive body of work on TV and film. Tickets \$59 - \$150. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/10 HACKETTSTOWN

### Benny Goodman Tribute by the Stan Rubin Orchestra

Benny Goodman has become synonymous with swing and jazz orchestra. With a career spanning over 50 years.

Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900

www.centenarystageco.org

1/10 MORRISTOWN

### Doo Wop Project

Conceived backstage at Jersey Boys by a group of Broadway leading men, The Doo Wop Project puts a modern day spin on a classic music style, performing oldies and recent hits. Featuring Tony-nominee Jarrod Spector. Tickets \$29 - \$49. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/10 RAHWAY

### Susan Werner

Susan Werner composes skillful songs that effortlessly slide between folk, jazz and pop, all delivered with sassy wit and classic Midwestern charm.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage, 360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226

www.ucpac.org

1/11 MORRISTOWN

### Wild Kratts Live!

Martin and Chris Kratt, stars of the Emmy-nominated *Wild Kratts* TV series, step out on stage for a fun-filled Wild Kratts adventure as they activate their “creature powers” to go on an amazing animal quest. Tickets \$15 - \$50. 1:30 pm & 4:30 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/15 MORRISTOWN

### Music At Noon: City Winds Trio (Crispian Fordham, Flute; Meredyth Coleman, Oboe; Jack Bender, Piano)

This 30-minute recital series will begin at 12:15 pm. There is a light lunch available for purchase (11:30 am - 1:30 pm). \$8 adults; \$6 seniors. Free concert.

Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Pl. (the Green), 973-538-2132

1/15 MORRISTOWN

### Nice Work If You Can Get It

It’s the Roaring Twenties, a cast of outrageous characters gather in New York to celebrate the wedding of a wealthy playboy. But things don’t go as planned when he meets a bubbly and feisty bootlegger who melts his heart. Tickets \$39 - \$79. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-536-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/16 MORRISTOWN

### Manhattan Comedy Night

Stand-up comedy directly from the clubs of New York City. Mature themes and language. Adults only. Tickets \$25. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/16 – 1/18 EDISON

### 48th Annual New Jersey RV & Camping Show

The 48th Annual New Jersey RV & Camping Show is the “go-to place” to begin planning your camping vacations for the upcoming season, trade up to your dream RV, see the new 2015 RVs, or just learn about the joys of travel!

New Jersey Convention Center, 97 Sunfield Ave., 804-243-8847 or 800-848-6247

www.newjerseyrvshow.com

1/16 – 1/18 WAYNE

### North Jersey Orchid Show & Sale

Come and enjoy the spectacular orchid exhibits showcasing plants grown in homes and greenhouses across the tri-state area. Free admission, free parking, and twice-a-day drawing for a free orchid. Fri. – Sat. 9 am - 6 pm, Sun. 9 am - 4 pm.

Strawberry Blossom Home & Garden Center, 1364 Rt. 23, 973-694-7500

www.njorchids.org

1/17 HACKETTSTOWN

### Stanton Davis & the New Orleans Sound

Stanton Davis, Jr. is an American jazz trumpeter, born and raised in the rich musical traditions of New Orleans. Listen to the rhythms of Dixieland when the New Orleans Sound comes to town. Stanton has played with the biggest names in jazz and has even been heard in the orchestra pits on Broadway!

Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900

www.centenarystageco.org

1/17 MORRISTOWN

### Rockin' the 70s

Enjoy your favorite soft rock artists from the 1970s, including Atlanta Rhythm Section, Orleans, Al Stewart and Firefall. Tickets \$39 - \$79. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/17 WILDWOOD

### Special Olympics Polar Bear Plunge

Join in the fun of a January Polar Bear Plunge! Registration at 10 am, plunge at 1 pm. Event supports more than 22,000 athletes of the Special Olympics New Jersey.

Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-896-8000 or 800-992-9732

www.njpolarplunge.org

1/21 - 1/24 BORDENTOWN

### 3rd Annual Thomas Paine Scavenger Hunt

Most people do not know that Thomas Paine isn't actually buried anywhere. Get your map and help us find Thomas Paine's bones hidden in Bordentown City. Free to participate and prizes.

Various locations, 200 Farnsworth Ave., 609-516-9306

www.downtownbordentown.com

1/22 MORRISTOWN

### Music At Noon: Paul Zeigler, Pianist with Guest Patricia Ruggles, Mezzo-Soprano

This 30-minute recital series will begin at 12:15 pm. There is a light lunch available for purchase (11:30 am - 1:30 pm). \$8 adults; \$6 seniors. Free concert.

Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Pl. (the Green), 973-538-2132

1/24 AUGUSTA

### Chili Open Golf Outing

Don't miss this annual Sussex County tradition that offers breakfast, winter golf and a lunch featuring amazing chili and other dishes. Not only is this a really fun day, but it directly helps so many vulnerable families living in our communities.

Sussex County Fairgrounds, 37 Plains Rd., 973-579-3040

www.unitedwaynnj.org

1/24 HACKETTSTOWN

### Fete Manouche

The lord and master of Gypsy Jazz, or Jazz Manouche, was the legendary Django Reinhardt. In 2004, Clarinetist Dan Levinson assembled Fête Manouche and since then has been keeping the Django legacy alive in the New York area.

Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900

www.centenarystageco.org

1/24 RAHWAY

### My Mother's Italian, My Father's Jewish & I'm in Therapy

Join comedian Steve Solomon in one of the longest-running one man shows in history. See Steve's hysterical stories topped off with the voices of almost 30 colorful characters and situations.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226

www.ucpac.org

1/24 RAHWAY

### Split Level Concerts Presents Milton

You can hear echoes of old records in Milton's music, whether it's blues or country or Nick Lowe or Jimmy Cliff or any number of things.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226

www.ucpac.org

1/25 MORRISTOWN

### Pinkalicious

A girl finds herself in a colorful predicament after her indulgence in too many cupcakes causes a severe case of Pinkitis! Ages 4 - 12. Tickets \$12 - \$15. 1:30 pm & 4 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/27 MORRISTOWN

### Sid the Science Kid

As seen on PBS Kids! Join Sid and his friends as they discover the curiosities of the world with you! A fun-filled day of excitement and adventure, asking curious questions and finding cool answers. Ages 2 - 6. Tickets \$12 - \$25. 4 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/28 - 2/1 WILDWOOD

### Boardwalk Kennel Club All Breed Dog Show

AKC All Breed Dog Show featuring Best of Breed Competition, Police K-9 Unit Demonstration, Obedience and Rally Trials, vendors and much more! Competitions begin at 8 am daily. \$8 adults; \$5 seniors; children 12 & under \$2.

Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk

www.boardwalkkennelclub.com

1/29 MORRISTOWN

### Music At Noon: A Musical Heritage

This 30-minute recital series will begin at 12:15 pm. There is a light lunch available for purchase (11:30 am - 1:30 pm). \$8 adults; \$6 seniors. Free concert.

Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Pl. (the Green), 973-538-2132

1/30 MORRISTOWN

### 20th Anniversary Celebration Concert!

In honor of our 20th anniversary, Valery Gergiev returns with the Mariinsky Orchestra (the former Kirov Orchestra). Tickets \$69 - \$150. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/31 BROWNS MILLS

### Whitesbog Moonlight Walk

Explore the historic village, cranberry bogs and the surrounding pinelands. Listen to the night sounds of the forest, learn about Whitesbog and experience the seasonal changes of the Pine Barrens. All walks are 3 - 5 miles in length, weather permitting and led by experienced leaders. \$5 donation per person requested.

Historic Whitesbog Village, 120 W. Whitesbog Rd., 609-893-4646

www.whitesbog.org

1/31 HACKETTSTOWN

### Shake It Up Shakespeare: Magic, Mystery & Mayhem

A celebration of William Shakespeare's works! Take a journey through some of the bard's greatest works and characters in this interactive performance, engaging young audiences and introducing a new way to look at Shakespeare.

Little Theatre, 400 Jefferson St., 908-979-0900

www.centenarystageco.org

1/31 MORRISTOWN

### Sister Act

Original music by eight-time Oscar winner Alan Menken, Sister Act tells the story of a wannabe diva whose life takes a turn when she witnesses a crime. Tickets \$39 - \$79. 3 pm & 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

1/31 MOUNT HOLLY

### Fire & Ice Festival

Mount Holly's 21st Annual National Ice Carving Association (NICA) sanctioned competitive event. Family-friendly free event with many activities, combined with a local chili cook-off and contest for both amateurs and professionals. Free parking.

Main, High, White, Washington & Mill Sts., 609-937-5300

www.fireandicefestival.com

# February

2/1 LONG BEACH TWP.

### 11th Annual Super 'Plunge' Sunday

Meet us on the beach and be home in time for the big game. Pre-registration required.

St. Francis Community Center, 4700 Long Beach Blvd., 609-494-8861

www.stfranciscenterlbi.org

2/1 HACKETTSTOWN

### Skullduggery! A Magical Pirate Adventure

Illusionist John Bundy and Morgan conjure up a treasure chest of incredible illusions.

Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900

www.centenarystageco.org

2/1 MORRISTOWN

### Sister Act

The hilarious story of Deloris Van Cartier, a wannabe diva whose life takes a surprising turn when she witnesses a crime! Tickets \$39 - \$79. 1 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

2/4 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Black Violin

Violists Kev Marcus and Wil B, the duo known as Black Violin — who merge classical, hip-hop, jazz, blues and R&B into an electrifying style all their own.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

2/4 - 2/8 ATLANTIC CITY

### Progressive Insurance Atlantic City Boat Show

The show features 440 booths showcasing all the latest in marine technology, engines, accessories, nautical gifts and more.

Atlantic City Convention Center, 1 Convention Blvd., 718-707-7011

www.acboatshow.com

2/5 MORRISTOWN

### Australian Bee Gees Show

Jive into night fever with the Australian Bee Gees and experience the music sensation that spans four decades. Tickets \$29 - \$59. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

## In the Mood a 1940s Musical Revue

This Swing Era celebration features the music of Glenn Miller, Tommy Dorsey, Artie Shaw, Benny Goodman, The Andrews Sisters and more, performed by a big band orchestra complete with singers and dancers. Tickets \$29 - \$59. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

## Ebony Hillbillies

As one of the last black string bands in the U.S., the Ebony Hillbillies keep an important legacy alive with a rootsy, homegrown style that was a key element in the genesis of All American Music-Jazz, Blues, Bluegrass, Rockabilly, Rock and Roll and Country.

**Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-4297**

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

## Complexions Ballet Innervations – A Tribute to Stevie Wonder

Complexions performs Innervations, an upbeat, modern dance tribute to the music of Stevie Wonder, as well as new works. Tickets \$29 - \$49. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

## Split Level Concerts Presents Natalia Zuckerman

Zuckerman's music is a cross-genre blend of blues, jazz, bluegrass and folk. Her vocal style reflects strong jazz influences.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226**

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

## Great Authors Out Loud Series

Enjoy free staged readings by acclaimed professionals Randall Duk Kim and Anne Occhiogrosso focusing on playwrights whose mastery of language transcends time.

**Kutz Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900**

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

## Imago Theatre's FROGZ

Penguins in musical chairs, huge frogs doing calisthenics, larger-than-life alligators taunting the audience-FROGZ features illusion, puppetry, and acrobatics that are goofy and packed with giggles for adults and children. Tickets \$19 - \$39. 3 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

## Singin' in the Rain with the NJSO

NJSO brings the film's beloved soundtrack to life while the remastered film is shown.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

## Rainbow Fish

The Rainbow Fish, the most beautiful creature in the ocean, is asked to sacrifice her gifts with those around her. Tickets \$12. Ages 4 - 10. 4 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

## Isle of Klezbos: Songs from My Grandmother's FBI Files

From Hazel Scott's cancelled TV show to derelict theories of homosexuality, exploring surveillance files leads in even more directions than they could have foreseen.

**Kutz Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900**

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

## Rosanne Cash the River & the Thread Tour

Rosanne Cash establishes an intimacy with her audiences. Tickets \$39 - \$69. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

## Kathy Griffin

Razor-tongued comedian takes the stage for a night of take-no-prisoners laughs. Griffin delivers an unforgettable, unforgivable night of laughter. Tickets \$35 - \$85.

**State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469**

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

## 20th Annual Atlantic City RV & Camping Show

Come and begin planning your camping vacations for the coming season, trade-up to your dream RV, see the latest RVs, or just learn about the joys of travel.

**Atlantic City Convention Center, 1 Miss America Way, 804-243-8847**

[www.atlanticcityrvshow.com](http://www.atlanticcityrvshow.com)

## Abendmusik – A Valentine's Day Cabaret

There will be free childcare provided during the concert with advance reservations. Suggested donation of \$20 adults; \$15 seniors; students free. 7:30 pm.

**Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Place (the Green), 973-538-2132**

2/14 MORRISTOWN

### Fab Four – The Ultimate Beatles Tribute

Celebrate Valentine’s Day with the Beatles. Tickets \$39 - \$59. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

2/14 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Million Dollar Quartet

This Tony Award-winning Broadway musical is inspired by the rock ‘n’ roll icons Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis and Carl Perkins.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7449

www.statetheatrenj.org

2/14 – 2/15 MILFORD

### Wine and Chocolate Weekend

Treat your valentine to award winning wines paired with exquisite chocolates, artisan cheeses and wonderful culinary treats! \$20 per person (21 & older).

Alba Vineyards, 269 Riegelsville Warren Glen Rd., 908-995-7800

www.albavineyard.com

2/14 – 2/15 PHILLIPSBURG

### Valentine Wine Trail

Over 40 wineries across the state celebrate Valentine’s Day. Taste delicious wines paired with chocolate treats. Receive a special Valentine’s gift. \$10.

Villa Milagro Vineyards, 33 Rt. 627, 908-955-2072

www.villamilagrovineyards.com

2/14 – 2/16 WILDWOOD

### U.S. Futsal Northeast Regional Championship

The Futsal tournament is an action-packed, international form of indoor soccer with over 5,000 players from around the world. \$10 per day or \$20 for the weekend.

Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-729-9000

www.futsal.com

2/15 NEW BRUNSWICK

### Orquesta Sinfónica del Estado de México

First visit to the U.S. since 2008, joined by piano soloist, Irina Chistiakova.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

2/19 MORRISTOWN

### Tango Buenos Aires “Song of Eva Peron”

The story of the most important woman in Argentine history. Tickets \$29 - \$59. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

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2/19 – 2/22 EDISON

### New Jersey Boat Sale & Expo

Attendees can board and shop over 70 different boat brands and models, accessories, seminars, activities and much more. Admission \$8. Free parking.

New Jersey Convention & Expo Center, 97 Sunfield Ave., 732-292-1051

www.jerseyboatexpo.com

2/20 – 2/21 MORRISTOWN

### Stomp

Experience the explosive percussion sensation that uses everything but conventional percussion instruments. Ticket \$39 - \$79.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

2/20 – 2/22 NEW BRUNSWICK

### 2014 U.S. Super 8 Film & Digital Video Festival

View the winning films and digital videos selected by a jury.

Rutgers University, Voorhees Hall #105, 71 Hamilton St., 848-932-8482

www.njfilmfest.com

2/21 HACKETTSTOWN

### If You Give a Moose a Muffin

This hilarious play, a young girl entertains a gregarious moose by giving him a muffin.

Little Theatre, 400 Jefferson St., 908-979-0900

www.centenarystageco.org

2/21 RAHWAY

### Split Level Concerts Presents Sloan Wainright

Sloan’s incredible gift is not only her unique songwriting ability, but also her dramatically voiced rendition of original songs.

Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226

www.ucpac.org

2/21 SEASIDE HEIGHTS

### Polar Bear Plunge – Seaside

Registration begins at 9 am, Plunge at 1 pm. Broadcast live by NJ 101.5’s Big Joe Henry.

Aztec Ocean Resort, 901 Boardwalk Ave., 609-896-8000

www.njpolarplunge.org

2/22 HIGHLANDS

### 3rd Annual Chili Cook-Off

Two contests: “Professional” Cook-off (commercial) and “Amateur” Cook-off (residents). Tickets \$25 include snacks, chili tasting, beer and two ballots.

Windansea Restaurant, 56 Shrewsbury Ave., 732-291-4713

www.highlandsnj.com

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2/22 KINGSTON

## George Washington's 283rd Birthday Celebration

Tours will emphasize details of Washington's life. Refreshments, reservations required.

Rockingham Historic Site, 84 Laurel Ave., 609-683-7132

www.rockingham.net

2/26 MORRISTOWN

## Pink Floyd Experience

A celebration of the music of one of rock's greatest bands! Tickets \$39 - \$59. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

2/26 - 2/27 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Midsummer Night's Dream

See American Repertory Ballet in Douglas Martin's staging of William Shakespeare's comedic masterpiece, live performance by Rutgers Symphony Orchestra.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

2/27 MORRISTOWN

## Natalie MacMaster and Donnell Leahy

This new show highlights stories of the first family of fiddlers through dancing, singing and world-class music-making. Tickets \$29 - \$59. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

2/27 - 3/1 OCEAN GROVE

## Ocean Grove Girlfriends' Getaway Weekend

Get away with your favorite girlfriends and enjoy a weekend filled with activities!

Various locations, 45 Pilgrim Pathway, 732-774-1391

www.oceangrovenj.com

2/28 MORRISTOWN

## Anything Goes

Winner of three 2011 Tony Awards, this Cole Porter comedy features some of musical theater's most memorable standards. Tickets \$39 - \$79. 3 pm & 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

2/28 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Tango Buenos Aires "Song of Eva Perón"

In this performance, the music and dance tell the story of the most important woman in Argentine history. 2 pm & 8 pm.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469

www.statetheatrenj.org

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# March

3/1 SUMMIT

## Maple Sugaring Fest

Learn the basic steps to making maple syrup, from tapping a tree to cooking the sap. Enjoy homemade flapjacks, refreshments and other fun activities for the whole family. \$10 per person or \$25 max for a family; free for members. 1 - 4 pm.

Reeves-Reed Arboretum, 165 Hobart Ave., 908-273-8787

www.reeves-reedarboretum.org

3/3 MORRISTOWN

## Little Engine That Could Earns Her Whistle

This song-filled adventure is based on Watty Piper's timeless tale. Ages 4 - 10. Tickets \$12. 4 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

3/5 MORRISTOWN

## Guitar Masters: Stanley Jordan and Kevin Eubanks

An evening of virtuoso jazz guitar, featuring the innovative and unique style of Stanley Jordan, and the infectious grooves of Kevin Eubanks, former bandleader of *The Tonight Show* with Jay Leno. Tickets \$29 - \$59. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

3/6 MORRISTOWN

## The Temptations and The Four Tops

Two legendary supergroups — together again! Enjoy an evening full of your favorite Motown memories from two classic 1960s hitmakers. Tickets \$69 - \$109. 8 pm.

Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008

www.mayoarts.org

3/6 - 3/7 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Anything Goes

All aboard for this saucy and splendid production, winner of three 2011 Tony Awards including Best Musical Revival and Choreography! Peppering this Cole Porter first-class comedy are some of musical theater's most memorable standards.

State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7449

www.statetheatrenj.org

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**3/6 – 3/8 ATLANTIC CITY**

### **15th Annual Home & Garden Show**

The entire Convention Center will be completely transformed into a Home and Garden Extravaganza with seminars.

**Atlantic City Convention Center, 1 Miss America Way, 609-348-7100**

[www.newjerseyhomeandgardenshow.com](http://www.newjerseyhomeandgardenshow.com)

**3/7 BROWNS MILLS**

### **Whitesbog Moonlight Walk**

Explore the historic village, cranberry bogs and surrounding pinelands. Listen to the night sounds of the forest and experience the seasonal changes. \$5 donation.

**Historic Whitesbog Village, 120 West Whitesbog Rd., 609-893-4646**

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

**3/7 LONG BEACH TWP.**

### **March Madness Free Throw Contest**

Come test your skills against foul-shooters your own age. \$3 registration. 9 am.

**St. Francis Community Center, 4700 Long Beach Blvd., 609-494-8861**

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

**3/7 MORRISTOWN**

### **New Shanghai Circus**

Astonishing acrobats, jugglers and athletes defy gravity and perform breathtaking feats that stretch the limits of human ability. Tickets \$19 - \$39. 3 pm & 7:30 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

**3/7 – 3/8 WILDWOOD**

### **Cheer Tech National Cheerleading & Dance**

Annual mid-Atlantic competition for recreation, high school and all-star divisions. 9 am.

**Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, 866-522-4337**

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

**3/8 RED BANK**

### **Monmouth Civic Chorus Concert – A Joyful Noise**

Listen to vibrant music in Hebrew and Latin. \$30 adults; \$27 seniors; \$5 students. 4 pm.

**First Presbyterian Church, 255 Harding Rd., 732-933-9333**

**3/12 MORRISTOWN**

### **Andrew Weil**

A pioneer in the fields of health, wellness, and integrative medicine, Dr. Weil inspires people to lead healthier, happier lives. Tickets \$49 - \$99. 7:30 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

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**3/13 MORRISTOWN**

### **Women of Ireland**

Get in the spirit for St. Patrick's Day with the spellbinding talents of some of Ireland's finest female vocalists, musicians and stepdancers. Tickets \$39 - \$69. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

**3/13 – 3/15 MORRISTOWN**

### **Spring CraftMorristown**

Displaying contemporary work from 150 artists and crafts people from across the country including one-of-a-kind and limited edition pieces.

**Morristown Armory, 430 Western Ave., 845-331-7900**

[www.artrider.com](http://www.artrider.com)

**3/14 HACKETTSTOWN**

### **Colcannon**

Authentic Joyous Irish Music, traditional with a tad of chamber music and music hall.

**Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-4297**

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

**3/14 HACKETTSTOWN**

### **If You Give a Mouse a Cookie**

See how a curious boy finds himself figure skating on scrub brushes, wrestling a boa constrictor, and climbing mountains from an innocent milk-and-cookie snack.

**Little Theatre, 400 Jefferson St., 908-979-0900**

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

**3/14 MORRISTOWN**

### **Abendmusik: Quintetto Sincopato**

The quintet is part of the MUMC concert series. 7:30 pm followed by a reception.

**Morristown United Methodist Church, 50 S. Park Place (the Green), 973-538-2132**

**3/21 HIGHLANDS**

### **Highlands 13th Annual St. Patrick's Day Parade**

Parade begins at 2 pm. Competition of floats, many giveaways, 10 Pipe & Drum Bands, Irish dancers and more.

**Huddy Park, Bay & Waterwitch Aves., 732-291-4713**

[www.highlandsnj.com](http://www.highlandsnj.com)

**3/21 MORRISTOWN**

### **Patti LuPone – Coulda, Woulda, Shoulda**

Performing songs from musicals which she could have played, should have played, did play and will play. Tickets \$49 - \$89. 8 pm.

**Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008**

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

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3/21 RAHWAY

## Split Level Concerts Presents Jenna Lindbo

Buoyed by the experience, exposure, and inspiration from touring extensively with Catie Curtis, Jenna's solo career is taking off.

[Union County Performing Arts Center \(UCPAC\), 1601 Irving St., 732-499-8226](#)

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

3/21 – 3/22 OCEAN GROVE

## Chocolate Lovers' Weekend

Sat.: Inn-side Open House 11 am - 4 pm; Play Hunt for Hearts (prizes) 10 am - 4 pm.

Sun.: Take a Winter Walk from Noon - 3 pm.

[Various locations, 45 Pilgrim Pathway, 732-774-1391 or 800-388-4768](#)

[www.oceangrovenj.com](http://www.oceangrovenj.com)

3/22 BROWNS MILLS

## Living History Tour

Docents in period dress will talk to you about Whitesbog's founder and legendary cranberry grower, J.J. White, his daughter and blueberry innovator, Elizabeth C. White and other residents. \$10 donation per person. Reservations requested.

[Historic Whitesbog Village, 120 W. Whites Bogs Rd., 609-893-4646](#)

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

3/22 MORRISTOWN

## Fancy Nancy

When it comes to being fancy, Nancy believes more is better. From her tiara to her sparkly shoes, she's out to teach her family a thing or two about being fancy. Ages 4 - 12. Tickets \$12 - \$15. 1:30 pm & 4 pm.

[Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008](#)

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

3/22 WILDWOOD

## Spring Bridal Fair

Brides will be able to meet with wedding professionals and find everything to create their dream wedding! All registered brides will receive a gift and be eligible to win a five-day, four-night honeymoon. Free admission, prize drawings. Noon - 5 pm.

[Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-729-9000 or 800-992-9732](#)

[www.wildwoodsny.com](http://www.wildwoodsny.com)

3/26 HACKETTSOWN

## Moe-tion Dance Theater

This contemporary modern dance company seeks to promote an inclusive vision of the arts through the language of modern dance, painting, sculpture, photography, literature and live music.

[Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900](#)

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

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3/26 MORRISTOWN

## Herb Alpert and Lani Hall

Best known for his string of sensational, pop music hits in the 1960s, eight-time Grammy winning jazz icon Herb Alpert presents a very special performance with his wife, internationally renowned singer, Lani Hall. Tickets \$49 - \$69. 8 pm.

[Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008](#)

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

3/27 MORRISTOWN

## Academy of St. Martin in the Fields with Jeremy Denk

One of the finest chamber orchestras in the world is known for its polished and refined sound, rooted in outstanding musicianship. Tickets \$39 - \$79. 8 pm.

[Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008](#)

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

3/27 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Scrap Arts Music

See this incredible group perform in an adrenaline-laced power-percussion performance with more than 140 invented instruments crafted from industrial scrap ranging from accordion parts to artillery shells.

[State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469](#)

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

3/28 HACKETTSTOWN

## Nai-Ni Chen

The dances of Nai-Ni Chen fuse the dynamic freedom of American modern dance with the grace and splendor of Asian art.

[Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900](#)

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

3/28 MORRISTOWN

## Mike Super – Magic & Illusion

Mike's production is more than just illusions, it's a journey featuring laughter, intrigue, danger, fear and wonder. Tickets \$25 - \$35. 3 pm & 7:30 pm.

[Mayo Performing Arts Center, 100 South St., 973-539-8008](#)

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

3/28 NEW BRUNSWICK

## Joshua Bell

This Grammy award-winning violinist is one of today's most popular and accomplished classical artists, capturing universal acclaim for his virtuosity, beautiful tone and charismatic stage presence.

[State Theatre, 15 Livingston Ave., 732-246-7469](#)

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

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**3/28 RAHWAY**

## **RSI Bank Presents Pianist Andy Bey with The Jazz House Kids**

One of the great unsung heroes of jazz singing, Andy Bey is a commanding interpreter of lyrics who has a wide vocal range and a big, rich, full voice.

**Union County Performing Arts Center (UCPAC), Hamilton Stage,  
360 Hamilton St., 732-499-8226**

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

**3/28 – 3/29 ATLANTIC CITY**

## **Atlantic City Ballet's An Evening of Dance**

For 32 years, Phyllis Papa has been choreographing works for AC Ballet, some which haven't been seen in decades. Our Evening of Dance dusts off some of those ballets and brings them into the spotlight.

**Celebrity Theater, Boardwalk & Park Pl., 609-348-0031**

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

**3/28 – 3/29 WILDWOOD**

## **Ocean Drive Marathon & Health and Fitness Expo**

Saturday from 10 am - 5 pm runners are asked to register for their races while having the opportunity to shop at the Expo. Sunday's races: 26.2-mile and 10-mile course for USATF-NJ Grand Prix events, the Ocean Drive Marathon and OD 10-Miler.

**Wildwood Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-523-0880**

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

**3/28 – 3/29 WILDWOOD**

## **Special Olympics of New Jersey Basketball Finals**

A multi-day event in which over 1,000 Special Olympics athletes from the Garden State will compete in basketball competitions. Free admission. Sat. 10 am - 6 pm; Sun. 9 am - 2 pm.

**Wildwoods Convention Center & other locations, 4501 Boardwalk, 609-896-8000**

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

**3/29 HACKETTSTOWN**

## **Claire Porter: Prepositions on a Piano**

Porter is an American choreographer, comedienne known for blending comedic monologues with dance movement.

**Sitnik Theatre, 715 Grand Ave., 908-979-0900**

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



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