



A note from our Borough Arts Director



Summer should receive a speeding ticket! Although time is flying by, I hope you are enjoying some relaxing summer days and reading this month's Arts News with your toes tucked in the sand or under a shady tree. This issue includes several outdoor arts opportunities educators and families can take advantage of.

On a serious note, I- like the rest of our nation, am saddened by the violence that occurred last week. As educators, we are called to help our students and nation work towards healing. The arts are transformative and now more than ever we need to use our gifts and skills to nurture a better world for our children and community. In the Teacher Opportunities section, you'll find a link to five resources for making a class more equitable that may spark some ideas.

May the remainder of your summer be restful and rejuvenating.

Warmest Regards,
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Professional Learning in the Arts

<http://schools.nyc.gov/offices/teachlearn/arts/index2.html>

Looking Ahead...

Arts Mondays PL 2016-2017 – *Registration coming soon!*



Music Webinars



National Association for Music Education (NAfME) hosts frequent webinars that are geared specifically toward music educators and presented by a different specialist or expert. Topics for webinars vary. Archived individual webinars can be found through http://shop.nafme.org/?utm_source=hootsuite and Certificates of Completion are available after attending the webinar or by answering questions from viewing the archived webinar.

2nd Annual Borough Arts Festivals



The 2016 NYC DOE Borough Arts Festivals, Student Visual Arts Exhibitions have been installed at the Staten Island and Brooklyn Borough Field Support Centers.

Showcasing Districts 31 and 75 Student Artwork
Petrides Complex, Building A – 1st Floor
715 Ocean Terrace, Staten Island, NY 10301

Showcasing Districts 17, 18, 20, 21, 22 and 75 Student Artwork
BFSC, 415 89th Street – 4th Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11209

The exhibitions will be on display for the 2016-2017 school year.

Teacher Opportunities



**DISCOVER, CREATE, AND SHARE SMITHSONIAN CENTER FOR LEARNING
LAULACHES FREE LEARNING LAB FOR EDUCATORS**

[HTTPS://LEARNINGLAB.SI.EDU/](https://learninglab.si.edu/)

5 RESOURCES TO MAKE YOUR CLASS MORE EQUITABLE

[HTTPS://WWW.TEACHINGCHANNEL.ORG/BLOG/2015/07/16/FIVE-RESOURCES-EQUITY/?UTM_SOURCE=NEWSLETTER2016079/](https://www.teachingchannel.org/blog/2015/07/16/five-resources-equity/?utm_source=newsletter2016079/)



Free Teacher Summer Pass: Staten Island Museum

<http://www.statenislandmuseum.org/education/free-teacher-summer-pass/>



MET EDUCATOR WORKSHOP

Beyond Words: Body Language in Art and Life

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4 - 10:00 am – 1:00 pm Fee: \$25

Investigate ways attunement to body language can foster social intelligence, enhance your teaching, and support the interpretation and creation of art. The day includes an introduction to social intelligence theory, experiences with original art, art making, and an introduction to **Viewpoints: Body Language**—an online resource featuring unique perspectives on the language of gesture, facial expression, and pose.

<https://metmuseum.wufoo.com/forms/teacher-programs-registration-request-form/>



CLASSIC STAGE COMPANY –

Making Shakespeare Alive & Accessible for Young Audiences

Stay tuned this fall for information on how to register your classes for [in-school workshops](#) with our teaching artists and [performances](#) at our theater!

[Visit our website](#) for information or contact Director of Education:

Kathleen Dorman: kathleen.dorman@classicstage.org or 212-677-4210 x21

Student Opportunities

CSC NEXTGEN

Become an integral part of an acclaimed Off-Broadway company and experience theater as you never have before. Here at CSC, we focus on plays from the past – but we know it's important to keep a clear eye on the future. That's why we're looking for teens with strong leadership skills and a desire to learn about all aspects of professional theater to join our newest program for teens, CSC NextGen.

For more information: Contact Director of Education, Kathleen Dorman, at kathleen.dorman@classicstage.org or 212-677-4210 x21

Art Studio

Saturday, July 16, 2016 1pm–4pm

Create maracas and shakers and bring them to Boogie-Woogie Wednesdays for some sizzling summer music and dance fun! <http://sichildrensmuseum.org/visit-us/>



Brooklyn Children's Museum

CITY PATTERNS

Saturday, July 30, 2016 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Take a look at the artworks in Our City and create an artwork of your own using everyday materials, some new techniques, and your imagination. New projects will be presented each week and will include, stamping, weaving,

and mapping.

New! Extended FREE hours, Thursdays 2PM to 6PM

<http://www.brooklynkids.org/>

Community Events

Saturday Family Workshops

Bring your family to the Staten Island Museum at Snug Harbor for a Saturday afternoon full of art making activities. Free with Museum Admission. Saturdays from 1pm – 3pm.

www.statenislandmuseum.org

1000 Richmond Terrace, SI, NY 10301



Historic Richmondtown

It's an old-fashioned, patriotic celebration of the classic American holiday. Get your hand-churned ice cream and a pie-full of traditional fun!

- **All American Drive-In Movie**
- **Mon - Aug 8, 2016 7:00PM - Frozen**
- **Tue - Aug 9, 2016 7:00PM - E.T.**
- **Wed - Aug 10, 2016 7:00PM - Wizard of Oz**
- **Thu - Aug 11, 2016 7:00PM - UP**



<https://www.historicrichmondtown.org/>



FREE SUMMER MOVIES AT NYC PARKS

Movies Under the Stars: Inside Out

at Cpl. Thompson Park (in CPL. Thompson Park), Staten Island
JULY 16th - 8:30 p.m. –10:30 p.m. FREE!

Movies Under the Stars: The Incredibles

at Kivlehan Park, Staten Island
July 16th 8:30 p.m. –10:30 p.m. FREE!

Movies Under the Stars: Bad News Bears (2005)

at Dyker Playground (in Dyker Beach Park), Brooklyn
July 19th 8:45 p.m. –10:30 p.m. FREE!

Arts, Culture & Fun: Rear Window

at Hylan Boulevard and Satterlee Street (in Conference House Park), Staten Island
July 20th 8:20 p.m. –10:30 p.m. FREE!

Movies Under the Stars: Rear Window

at Greenbelt Recreation Center (in Blood Root Valley), Staten Island
July 20th 8:30 p.m. –10:30 p.m. FREE!

Click on the link below for the complete list of NYC Parks free summer movies:

https://www.nycgovparks.org/events/free_summer_movies

Summertime Story Time and Community Day

Story Time at the Redoubt in Fort Greene Park

at Fort Greene Park Visitor Center (in Fort Greene Park), Brooklyn 🏠

July 17th 3:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.

Artist Giada Crispiels presents her coloring book Wildlife of New York: A Five Borough Coloring Book, filled with intricate images that celebrate the city's landscape and animal life.

Free!

Alice Austen's 150th Birthday Community Day

at Alice Austen House Museum (in Alice Austen Park) , Staten Island 🏠

July 23rd 12:00 a.m. –4:00 p.m.

This free festival features live music, Victorian dress up, face painting, a historic car, food, and more!

Free!

Moth Night and Eco Art Social

at Snug Harbor Culture Center (in Snug Harbor Cultural Center) , Staten Island

July 23rd 8:30 p.m. –10:30 p.m.

The Greenbelt partners with the Staten Island Museum for National Moth Night on Staten Island. Join us for this art-meets-nature celebration!



BROOKLYN MUSEUM

July 21st 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

[HTTP://THURSDAYNIGHTSBKM.SQUARESPACE.COM/](http://thursdaynightsbkm.squarespace.com/)

BOOM BOX RESIDENCY: MURSI LAYNE

Mursi Layne spins an open format set that includes hip-hop, club, dancehall, soca, electronic, and soul, on Tom Sachs

Shakespeare in the Park 2016 **Delacorte Theater, Central Park, NYC**

Troilus and Cressida

July 19 – August 14, 2016

For details:

<http://www.centralpark.com/guide/activities/shakespeare-in-the-park.html>

West Side: Enter at 81st St & Central Park West

East Side: Enter at 79th Street & Fifth Avenue

The Theater is north of 79th Street, around 81st St, slightly more towards the west side.



Blueprints for Teaching and Learning in the Arts

Downloadable Blueprints For Teaching and Learning in the Arts
Please click the link below to download a pdf. file:
Dance – Music – Theater – Visual Arts – Moving Image Blueprints.
<http://schools.nyc.gov/offices/teachlearn/arts/index2.html>

For instructions on how to order hard copies of the Blueprints and posters through **FAMIS** please click on the link below:
<http://schools.nyc.gov/offices/teachlearn/arts/blueprints.html>

Blueprint Inquiry

If a copy of the Blueprint has not arrived to your school – please email any inquiries to:
artsandspecialprojects@schools.nyc.gov
Subject line: Blueprint Inquiry

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