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Mid-March 2019 Edition



Greetings!

For many of us, the arts fill a valuable role of release from daily stress. This year's *Artful Antics Festival Season 2019 (AAFS)* will create an atmosphere that celebrates whimsy, humor, joy, and play from April - October. It's because you continue to support the arts that the Patchogue Arts Council's (PAC) programming over the past ten years has grown to include an entire season. Thank you!



We are asking you to support this year's *AAFS* and our signature event *Arts on Terry* with a sponsorship. Your sponsorship will enable us to provide joyous and culturally enriching events featuring visual arts, dance, music, film, and video in multiple venues throughout downtown Patchogue.

<u>View the full sponsorship package and make a donation here.</u>

Get artful with us! Before the antics of the festival season begin, experience the joy and emotion Vincent Van Gogh felt while

creating his paintings. From April 11th-13th the Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts (PTPA) and PAC will present its first coproduction, *Vincent*, based on an original play by Leonard Nimoy. PAC needs to raise \$5,000 towards this coproduction.

On April 27th AAFS begins with whimsical poetry and performance in the PTPA lobby followed by a *Promenade* inspired by the Ballets Russe's 1917 *Parade* for which the term Surrealism was coined. *Parade* notables included choreographer Sergei Diaghilev, composer Erik Satie, and Pablo Picasso, who designed the costumes and set. Be inspired to create your own costume and join us for the day's events influenced by ideas of Dadaism,

Cubism, Surrealism, and the Bauhaus.

Ten artists selected from an open call will lead the *Promenade* along with Think Big (a local puppet theater), musicians and you -- everyone is invited to join in the antics! You'll walk across the newly unveiled Roe Walkway for the Arts to the PAC Gallery for Jenny Thwing's pop-up installation, *Pest in the Garden*. She will also have led free workshops at the library for you to create a paper costume for use during the *Promenade*.

Once at PAC, get ready for a big secret reveal! The antics continue later that evening for a special after-party at Toast Coffeehouse.

AAFS will feature gallery exhibits, public art, and sculptural installations in the garden, film screenings, nights of live music and performance, and a new mural sponsored by PAC and the Patchogue-Medford Library on the library's rear wall. The *Arts on Terry* (AOT) street art fair on June 23rd from noon to 6:00 PM is a full day of art exhibits, organizations, galleries, and artists from across L.I., demonstrations, family-friendly activities, live music and performances.

Many of the AAFS events are free and open to the public. PAC strives to adhere to its mission by making opportunities accessible for all to experience art. We hope that we can count on your generosity again with an AAFS sponsorship to help make this season's free events possible. Please take a moment and look at all that PAC has planned this season. Your contribution will make the events possible.

50% of the annual festival season's budget typically comes from the county's Downtown Destination grant which was created to offer seed money to under-served communities, but since Patchogue, with the help of the grant,



has now become the *DESTINATION* in Suffolk County, this year's grant was awarded to another community. This means your contribution is more important than ever to make *AAFS* a success.

We will recognize our sponsors for their dedication to the arts as detailed in the enclosed Sponsorship Opportunities form. We also welcome the donation of *In-Kind* services from local businesses.

Please view our full sponsorship package for AAFS here, or make your donation on our website.

Artfully, Beth Giacummo Executive Director, The Patchogue Arts Council

P.S. If PAC can secure enough *AAFS* sponsorships, we will be able to purchase a sign for our location at 20 Terry St. PAC has been a stable force in the cultural revitalization and sustainability of Patchoque, and it's

time we improve our visual presence as the center of the newly created Arts and Culture district.



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A few highlights of the AAFS 2019 antics in the works for April:

April 11th-13th: Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts (PTPA) and PAC's first co-production, Leonard Nimoy's play **Vincent's Letters to Theo**

April 12th: <u>Absinthe Tasting - A Pre-Performance of Vincent Experience</u> (see more below!)

April 27th: AAFS official kick off!

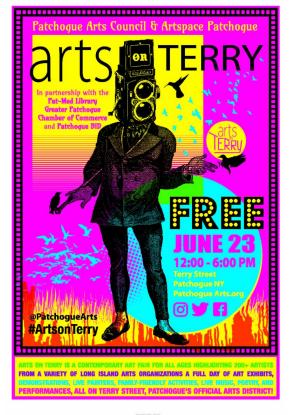
- Whimsical poetry and performance in the PTPA lobby
- Promenade inspired by the Ballets Russe's 1917 Parade, the event that the term Surrealism was coined for, and the event which also inspired Dada, Cubism, Surrealism, and the Bauhaus
- PAC reveals its super big top secret!

Of course, save the date for **Arts on Terry** (AOT), the annual street art fair, on June 23rd from noon to 6:00 PM. It's a full day of art exhibits, organizations, galleries, and artists from across Long Island, demonstrations, family-friendly activities, live music and performances.

Keep your eye on your inbox for schedule updates and calls for sponsorship.

AAFS Calls for Artists

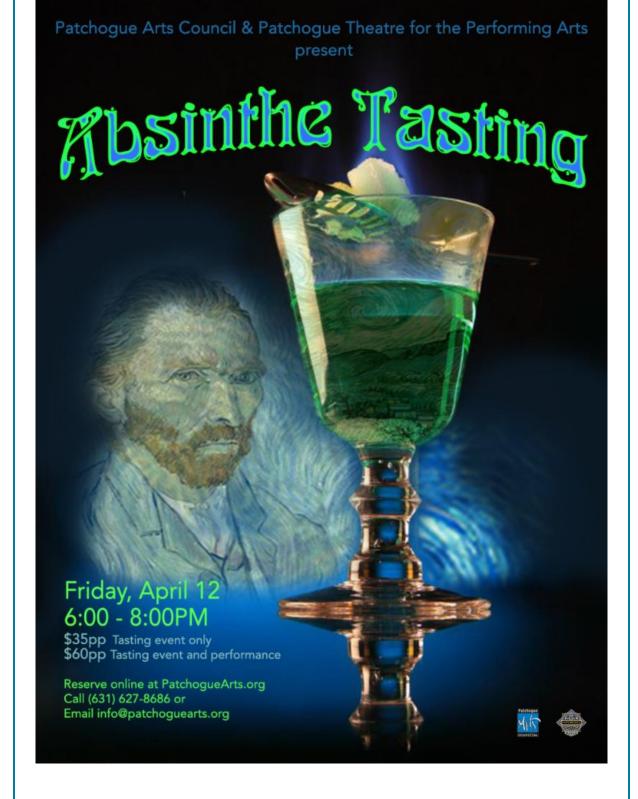
This year's AAFS has too many calls for artists to list here so head on over to patchoquearts.org/artful-



<u>antics-arts-on-terry/</u> to see what call for artist is calling to you!

Vincent

Presented by the Patchogue Arts Counci and the Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts



April 12, 6:00 - 8:00 PM \$35 pp Tasting Event Only \$60 pp Tasting Event AND Reduced Price Ticket for Performance of *Vincent*

This event will take place in the Patchogue Theatre lobby. To register visit <u>patchoguearts.org</u>, email info@patchoguearts.org, or call (631) 627-8686.

Explore the history, mystery, and rituals of this infamous green spirit that Van Gogh imbibed daily during this unique pre-performance event. We will also pair light bites with each tasting served. Read More...



Vincent

April 12 and 13, 8:00 PM

The first ever co-production by the Patchogue Arts Council and Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts.

This one-person play, written by Emmy nominated actor Leonard Nimoy, explores the little known side to Vincent van Gogh. *Vincent* will provide a multimedia experience by beautifully displaying Van Gogh's works on stage through projection as Theo, Vincent's brother, talks about them, allowing you to view these paintings and drawings while listening to their fascinating backstories. This production is bound to pique your curiosity about one of the world's most renowned artists and offer a brand new perspective on his works.

This production will be open to school groups to attend at a discounted rate on Thursday, April 11 and Friday, April 12 at 10:00 AM. Talkbacks and curriculum guides will be available to participating schools as well.

To purchase performance tickets only

visit http://www.patchoguetheatre.org/event/vincent/7542
Receive a 10% discount on tickets to *Vincent* with college ID.

The Patchogue-Medford Library has planned free programming in conjunction with the production of *Vincent* on April 12 and 13 at 8:00 PM. To learn more and to sign up with this programming visit the library at 54-50 E. Main St., call 631-654-4700, or visit their website at www.pmlib.org.

PACast: Long Island Music Spotlight



Be Featured on *PACast: Long Island Music Spotlight*

Patchogue Arts Council's PACast program is curating February Shoots

Chosen artists will perform presenting their original music and have a professional quality video podcast produced. Visit

https://www.blueowlarts.com/single-post/2018/12/23/Music-Spotlight-Submissions for submission information.

Slide Slam 3

RESCHEDULED! New Date! March 30, 2019, 3:00 - 6:00 PM

Slide Slam 3: Haven Gallery

155 Main Street, Northport, NY



Slide Slam 3 presenting artists: Mary Ahern, Krista Biedenbach, Marissa Bridge, Chelsea Browne, Dan Fusco, Raymond Germann, Thomas Germano, Polly M. Law, Dawn Lee, Jeff Macholz, Jennifer Maggio, E Craig Marcin, Michael Mastermaker, Margaret Minardi, Kasmira Mohanty, James Schultz, Sungsook Setton, Maria Spector, Laura Helen Sweeney, and Joan Weiss

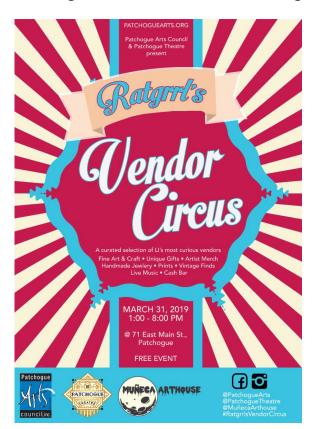
This program is part of PAC's 2018-2019 imPACtful Connections: Island-wide networking for creatives and supported in part with public funding provided by Suffolk County.

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Ratgrrl's Vendor Circus

Ratgrrl's Vendor Circus Sunday, March 31, 1:00-8:00 PM

Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts, 71 E. Main St.



Long Island's most curious vendors will set up for this unique event throughout the entire theatre.

The vendor circus is a free event for all ages and includes:

- Live Sketch with POP Draw!
- Free Bird HennaTarot with Felix Forecaster of the Future
- Music by Instance_Destroy
- Live Painting by Evan Campanella and Amanda Reilly
- Cash bar

Visit <u>patchoguearts.org/ratgrrls-vendor-circus-2/</u> for the full list of participating vendors. <u>Share this event on Facebook!</u>

Adult Workshops and Classes

Learning to Look with John Cino

Class / Lecture March 21 and 28, 6:30-8:00 PM \$20 for Members, \$25 for Non-Members

Have you ever wondered why Leonardo's *Last Supper* looks the way it does, or why artists put certain things in still-lifes, or what Picasso was thinking, or why art from other traditions looks so different? This two-part lecture will offer tools for the viewer to better understand the message delivered through works of art. Exploring works from Renaissance, Modern, Asian art, and African art, the concepts for symbolism, form, function, and abstraction will be discussed.

Visit https://patchoguearts.org/pac-education-program/ for more information on PAC's Education initiatives and future courses.

Currently on Exhibit



Drawing ObsessionsWorks by David Ferris, Bryon Finn, Cal Fish, Mark Kremer, Emily Noelle Lambert, Michelle Mackey and Marjorie Van Cura

Curated by Jason Paradis Patchogue Arts Gallery 20 Terry St., Patchogue March 9 - April 14, 2019 Read more...

Latina: Paintings by Segundo Orellana

PAC Satellite Gallery at the Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts Through April 21, 2019 Reception: Saturday, April 13, from 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Ecuadorian artist Segundo Orellana presents a variety of images of the feminine, from the mythic to the contemporary, portraying Latin American women in their strengths and struggles. Read More...



Ancestral Meditation, 2019



The Art of Protest: the Political Watercolours of Molly Crabapple

Presented by <u>Muñeca Arthouse</u> 12 South Ocean Ave, Patchoque Curated by J. Valentin & B. Giacummo Through March 2019

Closing reception and book signing with Molly Crabapple on March 23, 2019 (time TBA).

FB Event: facebook.com/events/240770833493063

The Patchogue Sketch Club

The PAC Sketch Club was created for the purpose of getting people together to discover the value of sketching. Read More

PAC Photographers Group

This membership group is dedicated to beginner, advanced, amateur, and professional photographers to foster growth and learning of the art of photography.

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Opportunities, Events, and Happenings

Patchogue Theatre for the Performing Arts (PTPA) 71 E. Main St., Patchogue, 631-207-1313

www.PatchogueTheatre.org

By the 1920s, Patchogue had established itself as one of the most prosperous villages in Suffolk County, New York... Read more about the history of the Patchogue Theatre here.



<u>Jazz Night at the Loading Dock</u> - March 21 at 8:00 PM

Eddie B - March 22 at 8:00 PM

The Brooklyn Bridge - March 23 at 7:00 PM

The Bernenstain Bears Live - March 24 at 1:00 PM

Benise Fuego - March 28 at 8:00 PM

An Evening with Jim Messina and Poco - March 29 at

8:00 PM

Rita Hayworth - The Heat is On! - March 30 at 8:00 PM

Ratgrrl's Vendor Circus - March 31 at 1:00 PM

Plaza Cinema & Media Arts Center 20 Terry St., Patchogue, 631-438-0083

Visit www.plazamac.org for the schedule of films and events.

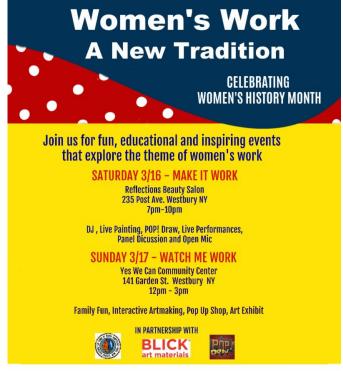


Wild Art Show call for art at the Paperdoll Boutique in Patchogue. This theme is completely up to the artists' interpretations; wild animals, wild experiences, wild people, or wild emotions, the list is endless. Opening reception will be April 5, from 6:00 - 9:00 PM.

For full details and/or to submit your work, e-mail to

shoppaperdollvintage@gmail.com with the subject Wild Art Show. Include your name, a picture of your work and 1-6 sentences about the piece(s) you submitted. There is no limit to the quantity of pieces you may submit.

Submissions are due March 27th at which time they will contact selected artists.





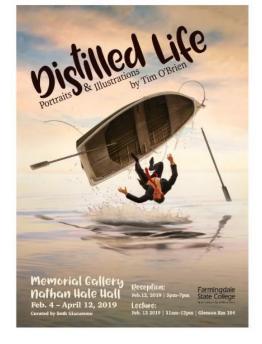




The Patchogue Garden Club would love you to come grow with them! New members are welcome. The next meeting will be Tuesday, March 26, from 6:00 - 8:00 PM at the Patchogue Village Parks and Recreation Building, 380 Rider Ave. Meetings are open to all.

Distilled Life: Portraits & Illustrations by Tim O'Brien Curated By Beth Giacummo, Essay by Alexandra Giordano, Catalog Design by Donna Proper Farmingdale State College Memorial Gallery, Hale Hall Through April 12, 2019

FB Event: facebook.com/events/305537930093559

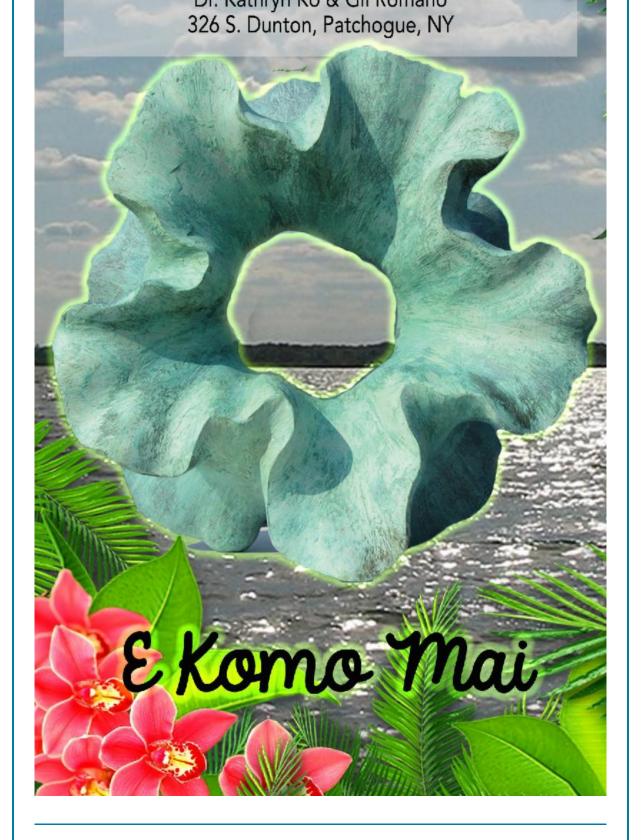


Peconic Crossing - Artist Preferred Housing in Riverhead

Peconic Crossing is an environment under construction for artists to create, collaborate, and live on West Main St in the heart of downtown Riverhead, home to East End Arts. They are currently accepting applications for inclusion in the future selection lottery. Call 631-830-6402 or email peconiccrossing@coniferllc.com for more information and how to apply or visit www.apartmentsforartists.com.

Save the Date - More Info Coming Soon







The mission of the Patchogue Arts Council is to promote, support, and encourage the arts. The Patchogue Arts Council is a 501(c)(3) not-for profit organization. Thank you for your continued support.

PAC Membership

Thinking about becoming a member or need to renew your existing membership? Email Pat Sweeney at info@patchoguearts.org with 'Membership' in the subject line for more information.

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