

ValleyCAST Community Events: March - May 2019

Spaulding R. Aldrich Heritage Gallery

The Whitin Mill, 50 Douglas Road, Whitinsville, MA

Regular Gallery Hours M-F, 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM. Evenings and weekends by appointment. For info: 508-234-6232 or Cristi.Collari@openskycs.org

Come Vote for Your Favorite!

7th Annual Art Palette Contest

Opening Reception

Friday, March 8, 4:30-7:30 PM

Artists of all ages and abilities submit wooden art palettes that they've transformed into works of art. Entries will be on display and cash prizes will be given to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners in three age categories.

Winners are determined by your votes, so come and vote for your favorites before April 5! Some palettes will be for sale.

"The Art Palette Contest is by far our very favorite exhibit!" says *Cristi Collari, Director of Community Outreach*. "People of all ages, abilities and walks of life start out with the same wooden art palette and they all come back so different! The ingenuity, creativity and talent are simply amazing to look at all together on the Gallery walls!"

For more information: openskycs.org/news-events

Sponsored by ValleyCAST and Jerry's Artarama. Exhibit ends April 26.

2018 First Place Winners in each category:



1st Place Child
Raya Richards



1st Place Teen
Rachel Pepin



1st Place Adult
Bob Liberty

Be sure and check out more images of past winners on our Facebook page at: [Facebook.com/ValleyCAST](https://www.facebook.com/ValleyCAST) and while you're there, please "LIKE" us!



United by Art

Whitinsville Christian School

Opening Reception

Friday, May 3, 5:00-7:30 PM

Whitinsville Christian School exhibits a variety of work by students and their art teachers.

Come support your local budding artists and their teachers!

Exhibit ends June 1.



Uxbridge Community Gallery

5 South Main Street, Uxbridge, MA

Regular Community Gallery Hours M-F, 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
For info: 508-278-6791 or Samuel.Ankrah@openskycs.org

Carbon Copies

Imitation is the Sincerest Form of Flattery

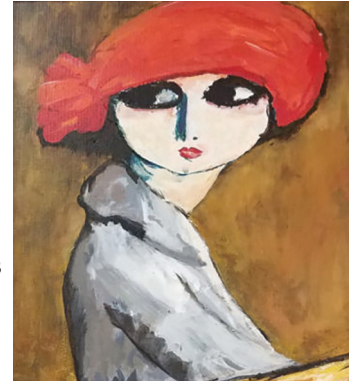
Opening Reception

Friday, March 1, 4:00-7:00 PM

The Blackstone Valley Art Association is sponsoring a delightfully fun art show all about fakes, forgeries, and parodies!

BVAA members find a famous painting and then duplicate it, exactly as is or by adding their own twist. Come see the creativity and talent from your local art organization, BVAA.org.

Exhibit ends March 30.



Jennene Pasquarosa
"The Corn Poppy"
after Kees van Dongen

Blackstone Valley Art Association

The BVAA meets hands on demonstrations and workshops on the third Tuesday of every month starting at 6:30 pm, unless otherwise indicated. They also hold art openings, workshops, classes, art shows, field trips, outings, plein air sessions and other events regularly throughout the year.

Please check their website often for opening receptions, dates, times, fees and more information:
BVAA.org



Whitin Mill Artists



The Artist Palette Studio

Fine Art Classes
Ages 2 through Adult

All levels from beginners to advanced. All materials included.

Check website for schedule and prices.

ArtistPaletteStudio.com



Bella Lucé Art Café

Kathleen Olson
Cristi Winona Collari
Andrew Volpe
Al Weems

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GB & Lexi Singh Performance Center - *Whitin Mill, 60 Douglas Road, Whitinsville, MA*

A Skull in Connemara

by Martin McDonagh
Directed by Aimee Kewley
Presented by Pilgrim Soul Productions

March 1, 2, 8 & 9 at 7:30 PM
March 10 at 2:00 PM

Each autumn, Mick Dowd is hired to disinter the bones in certain sections of his local cemetery to make way for the new arrivals. As the time approaches for him to dig up those of his own late wife, strange rumors regarding his involvement in her sudden death seven years ago gradually begin to resurface.

Tickets: \$20, \$18 under 18/over 64, \$16 for groups of 10 or more.
Reservations: 508-296-0797 | pilgrimsoulproductions@gmail.com
For more information: PilgrimSoulProductions.com

Produced by special arrangement with Dramatists Play Service, Inc.



Six Dance Lessons in Six Weeks

by Richard Alfieri
Directed by Matthew J. Carr
Choreographed by Denise Day
Presented by Pilgrim Soul Productions

May 10, 11, 17 & 18 at 7:30 PM
May 19 at 2:00 PM

This international hit play tells the story of Lily, an aging but formidable retiree, who hires Michael, an acerbic dance instructor, to give her dance lessons in her condo in St. Petersburg Beach, Florida. Antagonism between a gay man and the wife of a Southern Baptist minister gives way to profound compatibility as they swing dance, tango, foxtrot, and cha-cha while sharing barbs and intimacies along with the dance steps. As Michael takes Lily in his arms on their final meeting, they both transcend fear and mortality while the sun sets on their last dance.

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10th Annual One Act Play Festival on the Mumford

March 22 & 23 at 7:00 PM
Opening Night Reception March 22 at 6:00 PM

Join us for this exciting two-day event as community and professional theater groups compete for cash prizes.

Plays will be performed and judged on both nights with awards granted after Saturday evening performances.

Come cheer on your local actors and have fun supporting a great community event!

Admission each night: \$5 per person (maximum \$15/family)

For more information: openskycs.org/news-events/events



SAVE THE DATE
Saturday, June 1st

Valley Friendship
Tour!



Walk, run or bike through the beautiful and historic Blackstone Valley in support of Open Sky Community Services. A variety of routes are available, so people of all ages and abilities can participate. *Special incentives for early registrants!*

Find out more at: openskycs.org

"A Fun Day for a GREAT Cause!"

Once Upon a Mattress

Based on the original Broadway Production
Directed by Michael Celularo
Presented by Stepping Stone Community Theatre

Location:
Whitinsville Christian School
279 Linwood Avenue
Whitinsville, MA 01588

June 20, 21 at 7:00 PM
June 22 at 4:00 PM



This year, Stepping Stone is partnering with Open Sky Community Services and the Whitinsville Christian School to hold their main stage production "Getting to Know ... Once Upon A Mattress" – a romantic, hilarious and melodic spin on the classic story of "The Princess and the Pea."

Tickets: \$15/\$12 under 12 and over 64
Reservations: 508-753-7470 | vfreich22@gmail.com



The Whitin Mill, 30-70 Douglas Road, Whitinsville, MA 01588

ValleyCAST's mission is to foster a creative community in the Blackstone Valley that is inclusive and supportive of people with and without disabilities. ValleyCAST is a subsidiary of Open Sky Community Services, a DBA of Alternatives Unlimited, Inc. and The Bridge of Central Mass. Please "LIKE" us at Facebook/ValleyCAST