

Canton Acts of Culture Week

April 28 – May 8, 2017

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Culture, Arts & Heritage

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There's something for everyone to enjoy during the 7th annual Canton Acts of Culture Week. This exciting week-long celebration from April 28 - May 8, 2017, will feature a variety of cultural offerings available at various locations throughout the Canton Community. Be sure to take in some of the offerings below that demonstrate the vast talent that our community has to offer.



April-July
Free, Open to Public

DIA INSIDE/OUT PLYMOUTH – “ART SELFIE” CONTEST

www.plymouthparc.com • 734/937-4090

The DIA Inside/Out Program has arrived in Plymouth transforming the community into a grand, open-air art gallery featuring 12 paintings installed in prominent locations. PARC is hosting an “ART Selfie” Contest where participants can take an “ART Selfie” with one of the 12 Inside/Out reproductions on display and post it on Instagram or Facebook with #InsideOutPlymouth. Selected selfies will be featured on the DIA Inside/Out Plymouth Facebook page. Contest winner and prize awarded in July!

Friday, April 28
6 - 7 p.m.
Free Event, Registration
Required

KINDERMUSIK – CINCO DE MAYO FAMILY NIGHT

Kindermusik at Evola Music Center of Canton

Karen Schanerberger • www.capricciomusik.com

Fiesta Time! Join us for some Mexican-inspired singing, dancing, instrument play, stories, crafts, snacks and more. Ages 0-6 with caregiver.

Call 734/455-4677 to register.

Saturday, April 29
6 p.m.
Tickets Required

CANTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE – COUNTRY WESTERN AUCTION

Burton Manor Banquet Center, Livonia • 734/453-4040

The auction is a fun night of socializing and networking with key businesses and community leaders in a social setting.

Tickets: \$75 - includes entrance to the event, strolling dinner, premium bar, raffles, live auction, DJ and entertainment. Call: 734/453-4040

Saturday, April 29
11a.m. - 2 p.m.
Free, No Registration
Needed

COMMUNITY CONNECTION DAY – FOR SPECIAL POPULATIONS

(Canton Public Safety/Canton Leisure Services/Plymouth-Canton Community Schools)

Summit on the Park • www.cantonfun.org • 734/304-5367

Local families with at-risk and special populations are invited to meet and mingle with Canton police officers and firefighter/paramedics at Canton's first Community Connection Day. The event will be very interactive and hands-on, allowing attendees to look/sit in police and fire vehicles, and talk with police officers and firefighters. The intent is to build a trust and comfort level for special populations when seeking out or receiving assistance from first responders.

Monday, May 1 – May 7
Summit on the Park
business hours
Free, Open to Public

2017 SUMMIT SPRING ART SHOW

Summit on the Park • 734/394-5460 • www.summitonthepark.org

A special Art Exhibition will once again brighten the lobby of the Summit on the Park from Monday, May 1 starting at 7 p.m. through Sunday, May 7 at 6 p.m. Stop in and view over 40 works of art. These paintings, which are also available for purchase, have been created by the students and instructors of Canton Leisure Services Enrichment Watercolor I, Watercolor II and Oil & Acrylics classes.

Tuesday, May 2
7 p.m.
Tickets Required

MICHIGAN PHILHARMONIC YOUTH ORCHESTRA – SPRING CONCERT

Village Theater • Jane Libbing, 734/451-2112 • www.mpyo.org

The four ensembles of the Michigan Philharmonic Youth Orchestra present their Spring concert. Under the direction of String Coach and Conductor Hektor Qyteti and Michigan Philharmonic Conductor, Nan Washburn, 115 students ranging in age from 8-1 perform classical music from historic to contemporary repertoire.

Tickets: \$15 adults/\$5 students available online at www.mpyo.org or by calling 734/451-2112

**Tuesday, May 2 &
Wednesday, May 3**
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Free, Open to Public

CANTON CLUB 55+ ANNUAL JEWELRY & PURSE SALE

Summit on the Park, Parkview Room • 734/394-5485 • www.cantonfun.org

Drop in at the Parkview Room - Club 55+ anytime between 10am-3pm for a great sale on new-to-you handbags, trinkets and jewelry. Start your spring cleaning and donate your new or used purses, totes, wallets and jewelry to Club 55+ before April 26. All proceeds from this popular sale will go toward supporting future programming at Canton Club 55+.

**Artists Reception:
Thursday, May 4**
7 - 9 p.m.

VILLAGE THEATER EXHIBITION – “PRESENT” BY ARTISTS TOM LIVO, CARL GEORGE & ANDREW LANGLOIS

Gallery @ Village Theater • www.cantonvillagetheater.org • 734/394-5300

“Present” is a collaborative exhibit featuring the works of Artists Tom Livo, Carl George and Andrew Langlois. Exhibits of mixed media, paintings and photography will be on exhibit for the month.

Exhibit: May 1 - May 30
10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
Free, Open to Public

Saturday, May 6
7 p.m.
Tickets Required

CANTON CONCERT BAND – LET’S DANCE

Village Theater • www.cantonvillagetheater.org • 734/394-5300

Dance is a form of art. From the music to the culture and the history behind it, dance has been a way people could express themselves for many decades. From the flapper era to having disco fever, dance has evolved, but the enjoyment still remains the same. Join us as we tour a few of the dance styles of the 20th century. Put on your dancing shoes and boogie with the band for evening. Together...Let’s Dance!

Tickets: Adults \$12/Seniors \$10/Students \$10

Sunday, May 7
4 p.m.
Tickets Required

ACTS OF FASHION - FASHION SHOW

Village Theater • www.cantonvillagetheater.org • 734/394-5300 • www.actsoffashion.com

This fashion-filled event includes a fashion runway show and shopping experience, showcasing fashions from Metro-Detroit designers and boutiques, while also including special performances by local and national talent! A portion of the proceeds will be donated towards the WWII Veteran’s Dormitory & Village Arts Factory.

Tickets: \$17 – purchase tickets online at www.cantonvillagetheater.org

**Award Reception:
Monday, May 8**
6:30 - 8 p.m.

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL – EMERGING ARTISTS AND DAMARIS FINE ARTS SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS AND EXHIBIT

Lisa Howard, 734/416-4278 • www.plymoutharts.com

**Artists Exhibit:
Month of May**
Free, Open to Public

High school senior artists (PCEP & Starkweather) and PCAC Emerging Artists exhibit their work from the past year throughout the month of May. Juried competition with winners receiving the Damaris \$1,000 Scholarship, Damaris Starkweather \$500 Scholarship, and the first Debra Madonna \$200 PCAC Scholarship.