

**BE SURE TO CHECK WITH SPONSORS OF EVENTS FOR FEES, EVENT CHANGES, CANCELLATIONS, OR IN CASE OF TYPOS... YOU'VE BEEN WARNED!**

## MARCH

### FRIDAY, MARCH 1 – 16

Art show, Andrea McFarland, The New Paltz Years, a local pastelist who has recently moved to California but left wonderful visual memories of the area. Other shows throughout the year.

Mark Gruber Gallery, 17 New Paltz Plaza, New Paltz, 845.255.1241, markgrubergallery.com

### FRIDAY, MARCH 1

Teen Photo Contest at Elting Library. Teens in grades 8-12 may submit photos taken in or around New Paltz. DEADLINE March 29. Submission forms available

Elting Memorial Library, 93 Main St, New Paltz; info [dengel-di-mauro@eltinglibrary.org](mailto:dengel-di-mauro@eltinglibrary.org)

### SATURDAY, MARCH 2

Jedi Academy with David Engel, learning the ways of the Jedi with Panniken Moonjumper, a true Master of Intergalactic fun and adventure. Your little Jedi Warriors, Princesses and Darth Vaders will feel empowered to discover the great Force within their hearts. Come in costume and join the fun! 3 PM – 4 PM. \$15, Adult; \$10, 12 and under.

Unison Arts Center, 68 Mountain rest Rd, New Paltz, 845.255.1559, unisonarts.org

### SATURDAY, MARCH 2

Opening reception for exhibit: The Reconstructive Nature of Memory by Jordan Stone. 6-9pm

Knaus Gallery & Wine Bar, 76 Vineyard Ave. Highland. 845-834-3144. [KnausGalleryAndWineBar.com](http://KnausGalleryAndWineBar.com)

### SATURDAY, MARCH 2

Teddy Bear Day, Read Across America – bring your favorite book and teddy bear – to celebrate Dr. Seuss's Birthday. At special times during the day every parent and child will stop playing and sit down to read their book together; story times and teddy bear singalongs throughout the day. Program is free with cost of admission to Museum. 10 AM to 3 PM.

Mid-Hudson Children's Muse sum, 75 North Water St, Poughkeepsie; 845.471.0589, [info@mhc.com](mailto:info@mhc.com)

### SATURDAY, MARCH 2

All County Chorus Concert, a countywide chorus festival, of selected students from over nine Ulster County school districts who get together for two days of practice with guest conductors and then put on a concert. This is the work of the Ulster County Music Educators, affiliate of NYS School Music Educators Association. 4 PM. \$5 Adults; \$3 students and seniors.

Senate Gym, SUNY Ulster, 491 Cottekill Rd, Stone Ridge, 845.687.5262, [www.sunyulster.edu](http://www.sunyulster.edu)

### FRIDAY, MARCH 4

The Town of Lloyd Historical Preservation Society (TOLHPS). Presentation by Joan DeVrees Kelly on the mystery surrounding the 1845 naming of the Town of Lloyd as it separated from New Paltz. Kelly has done original research and may have the answer that has eluded town historians and residents for years. 7 PM. Free program and refreshments. Please follow signs for event parking.

Vineyard Commons Theater, Building #6, Vineyard Commons, 300 Vineyard Ave, Highland

### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6

Hirokazu Kore-eda's "Shoplifters", a heartrending glimpse into an often invisible segment of society: those struggling to stay afloat in the face of crushing poverty, a masterful human drama making the radical case that it is love – not blood – that defines a family; \$8, 7:15 PM.

The Rosendale Theatre, 408 Main St, Rosendale, 845.658.8989, [info@rosendaletheatre.org](mailto:info@rosendaletheatre.org).

### SATURDAY, MARCH 9

4th Annual YMCA Dinner & Fundraiser: Bowties & Blue Jeans, honoring 0+ Festsival, Paul Roeber, William Shashaty & Naisha Scott. 6 PM.

Best Western Plus, Washington Ave, Kingston; [info@ymcaulster.org](mailto:info@ymcaulster.org).

### SATURDAY, MARCH 9

American Legion's Chili Cook-Off Fundraiser, 12 PM to 3 PM at the

Viebey-Sutton American Legion Post 124, Western Ave, Marlboro, 845.616.7824. [meetmeinmarlborough.com](mailto:meetmeinmarlborough.com)

### SATURDAY, MARCH 9

Sterling Forest Fire Tower and Iron Mines, moderate loop hike, 4.5 miles. First of planned series of hikes to fire towers in our region begins at the Sterling Forest Visitor Center, featuring the history of mining in the area. Route is past mining remains, fire tower and Sterling Lake. Sponsored by MidHudson Adirondack Mountain Club. Contact leader for carpooling and meet time for carpooling and meet time.

Georgette Weir, [georgette.weir@gmail.com](mailto:georgette.weir@gmail.com),

### SUNDAY, MARCH 10

Kingston Maennerchor and Damenchor Spring Breakfast Buffet, serving 8:45 AM to 11:30 AM, buck-wheat pancakes, scrambled eggs, ham, bacon, sausage, herring, home fried potatoes, fresh fruit salad, rolls, bagels, cream cheese, jellies, coffee cake, juice, coffee and tea. Adults \$12; children under 12, \$6, children 2 and under free.

37 Greenkill Ave, Kingston (near Broadway overpass). Contact Alina 845.339.5969, Hildegard, 845.757.5135 or the Club, 845.338.3763.

### SUNDAY, MARCH 10

32nd Annual Kingston St. Patrick's Day Parade which kicks off from Kingston Plaza and proceeds down Broadway to the Rondout Creek waterfront district. Numerous bands, floats and community organizations celebrate the 'wearing of the green'. Step off is 1 PM sharp. Sponsored by

Ancient Order of Hibernians, [events@ulsteraoh.com](mailto:events@ulsteraoh.com), Kingston Plaza, Plaza Rd, Kingston 845.338.6622

### SUNDAY, MARCH 10

Shamrock Run, 31st Annual honoring Bob Cook, Jr, benefiting Children's Art Programming of The Arc of Ulster-Greene. Starts at 12:50 sharp, Academy Green and finishes in 2 miles at the foot of Broadway.

Registration and fee information at [shamrockrunners.org](http://shamrockrunners.org), sponsored by

Irish Cultural Center Hudson Valley. Academy Green at Governor Clinton Apts, 1 Albany Ave, Kingston

### SUNDAY, MARCH 10

Mom University (Masters of Everything) was created by 3 overachieving Hudson Valley moms who were looking for a unique event that would bot inspire and educate them and their Mommy peers. Mom U seeks to emulate the carefree college days in a supportive and fun space. Topics will range from dealing with tantrums to sex ed to finance management. Entrepreneur Julie Ciardi of [morethanmommypodcast.com](http://morethanmommypodcast.com) will be the keynote speaker. 8AM to 5 PM, \$75.

Locust Grove, 2683 South Rd (Rt 9) Poughkeepsie, 845.803.1749; [themomuniversity@gmail.com](mailto:themomuniversity@gmail.com)

### SUNDAY, MARCH 10

The Turning Point with Shirley MacLaine, Ann Bancroft and Mikhail Baryshnikov, two women confront their decisions they made long ago: one to quit dance to raise a family, the other to forego married life for a career and fame as a prima ballerina; \$12/\$6 age 12 and under; 2 PM-4 PM.

The Rosendale Theatre, 408 Main St, Rosendale, 845.658.8989, [info@rosendaletheatre.org](mailto:info@rosendaletheatre.org).

### TUESDAY, MARCH 12

Trip to New York City (snow date March 14); walk from Grand Central to 59th St Tram to Roosevelt Island, includes walking tour of sites, lunch at Mekelburgh's, and possibly a walk on the Brooklyn Bridge. Meet at the Poughkeepsie train station to catch the 8:33 AM; dress in layers, money for lunch and incidentals. Sponsored by

MidHudson Adirondack Mountain Club. Contact leaders, Pat and Anthony Galfano, [pgalfano3@optonline.net](mailto:pgalfano3@optonline.net) or 914.715.4202.

### FRIDAY, MARCH 15

St. Patrick's Day Breakfast, Sponsored by the Reis Group of the Ulster Chamber of Commerce, featuring musing from the Kingston Lions Club Roarin's Pride Bland, the Ulster County AOH Pipes and Drums, Irish singer Terry McCann and opera singer Andrew Hoben. Surprise at the conclusion of the morning naming this year's Honorary Irish Person of the Year. Advance registration and payment required, \$25 members/\$35 non-members.

Event held at Best Western Plus, 503 Washington Ave, Kingston; info, Chamber 338.5100 or [www.UlsterChamber.org](http://www.UlsterChamber.org).

### FRIDAY, MARCH 15

Black Creek Preserve, easy loop short hike, near Esopus. Sponsored by MidHudson Adirondack Mountain Club. Leader: Georgette Weir contact for meet time and carpooling.

[georgette.weir@gmail.com](mailto:georgette.weir@gmail.com) or 914.715.4202,

### **FRIDAY, MARCH 15**

Medicare Counseling with Ulster County Office for the Aging (by appointment only 845.340.3456) to change how you get your Medicare coverage, switch or drop a Medicare and Advantage Plan and to see if you are eligible for a Medicare Savings Program. Bring Medicare card and list of medications.

*Marlboro Free Library, 1251 Rt 9W, Marlboro, 845.236.7635*

### **SATURDAY, MARCH 16**

Ladies of the Valley, Songs of Love and Peace, a benefit concert announcing the establishment of the Ladies of the Valley Endowment, a fund to assist Ulster County women in financial distress, administered by Family of Woodstock. 7 PM. Performances by an amazing group of Hudson Valley women who play music locally, nationally and internationally. Line up to be announced.

*The Bearsville Theater, 291 Tinker Street, Woodstock, www.bearsvilletheater.com*

### **SUNDAY, MARCH 17**

Happy St. Patrick's Day and Happy Birthday: Fawn T. and Sandy O.

### **SUNDAY, MARCH 17**

Ensemble Schumann has received high praise in such publications as *Gramophone*, *Fanfare* and *Audiophile Audition*. Concert is at 3 PM. Individual tickets, \$30 adult; \$20 senior; 18 and under free.

*Ulster Chamber Music Series, Redeemer Lutheran Church, 104 Wurts St, Kingston, 845.340.9434; www.ulsterchambermusicseries.org*

### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20**

Literacy Orientation, learn to become a literacy volunteer and teach an adult to read. Urgent need in Kingston. 4:30 PM to 7:30 PM. Additional training in April. Kingston Library, 55 Franklin St, Kingston, sponsored by

*Ulster Literacy Association, Lisa Hantes, 845.331.6837, info@ulsterliteracy.org*

### **FRIDAY, MARCH 22**

Moon Serpent and Bone Oddities and Curiosities Night Market featuring unique crafters, makers, artists, taxidermists, witches, magick makers, psychics, soothsayers, to show their wares and talents in this one of a kind Night Market. Free event. 6 PM to Midnight.

*Contact: Amy 845.337.9087; OtherWorldlyWaxes@gmail.com; Locust Grove, 2683 South Rd (Rt 9), Poughkeepsie*

### **SUNDAY, MARCH 24**

Mildred Starin, member of the Newburgh Preservation Association has dedicated a lifetime to reservation and promotion of historic landmarks in the Hudson Valley, has been named the 2019 Martha Washington Woman of History. Award presentation is at 2 PM during the Women's History Month program, The General's Lady.

*Washington's Headquarters State Historic Site, corner of Liberty and Washington Sts, Newburgh, 845.562.1195, www.facebook.com/washingtonheadquarters*

### **WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27**

Table Rocks, 6 mile moderate pace hike in conjunction with Mohonk Preserve Bob Babb hikers and AMC, near New Paltz. Sponsored by MidHudson Adirondack Mountain Club; Leader, Marty Carp, martymcarp@gmail.com or 845.214.8520, meet at Mohonk Preserve Spring Farm parking lot at 9:30 AM, confirm with leader.

*martymcarp@gmail.com or 845.214.8520*

### **SATURDAY, MARCH 30**

The Nields, making folk-rock music since 1991, sisters Nerissa and Katryna have performed with The Band, James Taylor, Dan Zanes, 10,000 Maniacs and the Indigo Girls. The Nields have been lauded for their gorgeous, lilting, sibling harmonies. 7 PM.

*Unison Arts & Learning Center, 68 Mountain Rd, New Paltz, 845.255.1559, unisonarts.org*

### **SUNDAY, MARCH 31**

Avant Garde Flamenco with Rocio Molino in 'Impulso', a documentary by Emilio Belmonte about famed avant-garde flamenco dancer/choreographer Rocio Molina as she prepares for newest work. 2PM and 4 PM; \$12/\$6 age 12 and under.

*Rosendale Theatre Collective, 408 Main St, Rosendale, 845.658.8989, rosendaletheatre.org*

### **SATURDAY, MARCH 30**

UCHS Historic Preservation Expo 2019. 10am-3pm No Fee to attend

The community information event includes tradesmen, craftspeople, designers, preservation commissions, and talks on tax incentives, preservation projects and research resources. For a list of participants see Ulster County Historical Society website.

*Marbletown Community Center, Main St., Stone Ridge, NY 12484 www.ulstercountyhs.org.*

### **SUNDAY MARCH 31**

Antique Post Card Show 9 AM - 4 PM. \$4. Ever wonder where we get so many local antique postcards to illustrate *About Town* stories? Lots of ephemera, maps, and just interesting stuff. Special display: Hudson River Boats. Admission--Door Prize. Food. Approx. 15 dealers. Held by the Kaaterskill Post Card Club. For more info, call John Duda at 845-254-4104

*Midtown Neighborhood Center, 467 Broadway. royalzrus@aol.com.*

## **APRIL 2019**

### **THURSDAY, APRIL 4**

Ellen Robbins Poetry Forum, SUNY Ulster Foundation Inc, featuring Jenny Xie, born in China and raised in New Jersey. Winner of 2017 Walt Whitman Award of the Academy of American Poets and finalist for 2018 National Book Award. The collection, *Eye Level*, is timely with beauty, clarity and expansive humanity. She currently teaches at New York University.

*SUNY Ulster College Lounge, Vanderly Hall 203, 491 Corteckill Rd, Stone Ridge, 845.687.5262;*

*https://apps.sunyulster.edu/events/4609*

### **THURSDAY, APRIL 4**

Rena Blumenthal, local author of "The Book of Israela." Jerusalem, 2002, the height of the second intifada. Meet Kobi Benami, a middle-aged psychologist whose personal and professional lives are in shambles. His new patient, Israela, whose story is full of uncanny biblical references. He becomes ensnared in her life while confronting his own dysfunctional life patterns. 7 PM-9 PM.

*Eling Memorial Library, 93 Main St, New Paltz; 845.255.5030*

### **FRIDAY, APRIL 5**

David Sedaris returns to Poughkeepsie for his annual reading and signing at the Bardavon. Slashing through cultural euphemisms and political correctness, he will delight the audience with twists of humor and intelligence as he shares both published stories and works-in-progress. 8 PM. \$49.

*Bardavon 1869 Opera House, 35 Market St, Poughkeepsie, 845.473.2072*

### **SATURDAY, APRIL 6**

First Saturday Arts in Kingston offering gallery receptions giving a glimpse into what Kingston has to offer. Live music, open studio tours, theatrical performances, historical reenactments, arts and culture activities throughout the year. 5 PM-8 PM.

*Various Kingston locations, 845.338.0331; artsalongthe-hudson.com/kingston*

### **SATURDAYS, APRIL 6, 13, 20**

Catskill Mountain Railroad's Bunny Express. Climb aboard vintage trains at the Kingston Plaza station for a ride across Hurley Flats to Hurley Mountain and return. Sights and sound of classic railroading over the same route used since the 1860s. Passengers will disembark for an Easter egg hunt and photos with the Easter Bunny and Fernando the Fox before returning to Kingston. Allow up to one hour for the complete train ride experience. 10:30 AM to 5:30 PM. \$18 Adults; \$12 Children (age 2-12); \$16 Senior, Military, Veteran; Toddlers 2 and under are free.

*Kingston Plaza, Kingston, NY*

### **SATURDAY, APRIL 6**

Lori Wilner: Songs and Stories from a life on Broadway, backed by a stellar trio, Lori will bring you on a musical journey, culling from our rich experiences with other Broadway artists including Harry Connick Jr, Harvey Fierstein, Julie Harris and Richard Dreyfuss. She has starred on Broadway in many show and her own one-woman play, *Hannah Senesh*. 8 PM - 10 PM. Tickets \$10, Students; \$20 Members; \$22, Seniors; \$25, General Admission.

*Unison Arts Center, 68 Mountain Rest Rd, New Paltz, 845.255.1559; unisonarts.org*

## **SUNDAY, APRIL 7**

Sunday Jazz with the J. Drechsler Quartet/Septet with special guest artists in concert at 2 PM. Daily featured composers and theme based selections. Sign up at 3:30 PM to sit in with the band at 4 PM. All musical levels given time! Great coffee, baked goods, friendly service, relaxed atmosphere. No cover.  
*Cafeteria Coffeehouse, 58 Main St, New Paltz, 845.633.8287*

## **MONDAY, APRIL 8**

Ulster County Beekeepers meet second Monday of each month; Scott McArt is tentatively scheduled to speak. Meetings are open to anyone wishing to learn about honeybees and beekeeping. Coffee and mingling 6:40 PM, meeting 7 PM to 9 PM.

*Rosendale Community Center, 1055 Rt 32, Rosendale, ulsterbees.org, UlsterCountyBeekeepers@yahoo.com*

## **TUESDAY, APRIL 9**

Teen Phone Contest reception, rewards and viewing of all entries. Winners will be announced. Refreshments. All are welcome and it is free admission.. 7 PM – 8:30 PM.

*Eling Memorial Library, 93 Main St, New Paltz, 845.255.5030*

## **TUESDAY, APRIL 9**

Women's Studio Workshop Slide Night to hear from current artists-in-residence about their work. 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM.

*Women's Studio Workshop, 722 Binnewater La, Kingston, 845.658.9133; info@wsworkshop.org*

## **TUES WED, THUR– APRIL 9, 11, 17**

Ulster Literacy Association's trainings to become a literacy volunteer and teach an adult to read. There is an urgent need for volunteers in the Kingston area. 4:30 PM to 7:30 PM.

*Ulster Literacy Association, training held at Kingston Library, 55 Franklin St, Kingston, 845.331.6837 (Lisa) info@ulsterliteracy.org*

## **FRIDAY, APRIL 12**

Osteo Moves – Gentle Movement Class, a series of gentle one-hour fitness classes, taught by a AFAA certified fitness instructor, designed for those with osteoarthritis and/or osteoporosis, 55 and older. This is a three-part series, plan on attending all three classes. 1:30 PM. Registration required,  
*marborolibrary.org, Marlboro Library, 1251 Rt 9W, Marlboro, 845.236.7272*

## **FRIDAY, APRIL 12**

Whose Live Anyway? Drew Carey poses Whose LIVE Anyway based on the TV show Whose Line Anyway? Completely improvised 90-minute show of games, scenes and song that will delight. Bring your suggestions and you may be asked to join the cast on stage! 8 PM. \$69.

*Ulster Performing Arts Center, 601 Broadway, Kingston*

## **SATURDAY, APRIL 13**

Master Gardener's Garden Day at SUNY Ulster. Choose from 16 Gardening classes; plants, problems and solutions will be the main themes. Enjoy the keynote speaker and trade show. 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM. \$50 per person. Info: Cornell Cooperative Extension of Ulster County, Dona Crawford,  
*dm287@cornell.edu, 845.340.3990, x335. SUNY Ulster Campus, 491 Cottekill Rd, Stone Ridge.*

## **SATURDAY, APRIL 13**

The Selfish Giant by Oscar Wilde and Other Classical Works offered by theatre students who will re-imagine and stage classical children's stories written by Oscar Wilde using devised movement and puppetry. \$10 suggested donation, free for students.

*SUNY Ulster Quimby Theater, 491 Cottekill Rd, Stone Ridge, 845.687.5262, apps.sunyulster.edu/events/4627*

## **SATURDAY, APRIL 13**

Easter Egg Hunts for ALL so bring kids, camera and baskets for family fun sure to please everyone. Easter Bunny visits and brings thousands of eggs for the kids to find. This is a sensory friendly event, relaxing, less noise, more joy and is wheelchair accessible; everyone gets involved no matter how mobile. Eggs BEEP for the visually impaired and guides are available. 10 AM – 3 PM. Free.

*Tymor Park, Union Vale Parks & Recreation, 8 Tymor Park Rd, La-Grangeville, 845.724.5691; tymorpark@unionvaleny.us*

## **SATURDAY, APRIL 13**

Saturday Studio at Dia: Beacon where you can join practicing artists for a free monthly workshop of art making and play. Saturday Studio is a family friendly program suitable for ages 5 and up. All families participating in the program receive free admission to Dia: Beacon for the day. Sign-up begins at 10 AM; programs begin at 10:30 AM.

*Dia: Beacon, 3 Beekman St, Beacon. Contact: Caroline Schnieder, 845.440.0100; beaconprograms@diaart.org*

## **SUNDAY, APRIL 14**

Bolshoi Ballet's 'Sleeping Beauty'. On her 16th birthday, Princess Aurora falls under the curse of the Evil Fairy Carabosse and into a deep slumber lasting 100 years, only the kiss of a prince can break the spell. This is a film of a live performance. 2 PM and 4 PM. \$12/\$6 age 12 and under.

*Rosendale Theatre Collective, 408 Main St, Rosendale, 845.658.8989; info@rosendaletheatre.org*

## **SUNDAY, APRIL 14**

Celebrate Palm Sunday by sharing the verses of your favorite psalm. Meet in parking lot of St John in the Wilderness at 9:30 AM and join 6 mile hike at a moderate pace. Church services at 3 PM, refreshments at 4 PM.

*Skip Doyle, OutdoorSkipper@gmail.com, MidHudson Adirondack Mountain Club, St. John in the Wilderness Church, Harriman State Park, 16 Johnstown Rd, Stony Point.*

## **SUNDAY, APRIL 20**

Celebrate Earth Day (early) at Locust Grove with some trail TLC projects: removing evasive plants and building water bars to direct water off the trails. Use of tools and manual labor. Long pant, sleeves and sturdy shoes; lunch and water. 10 AM to 2 PM. Rain date April 27/Leader: Dave Webber, webberd1@yahoo.com, 845.242.9905. Sponsored by MidHudson Adirondack Mountain Club. Locust Grove, 2683 South Rd (Rt 9), Poughkeepsie.

## **WED, APRIL 24 -SAT, MAY 18**

Student Works Exhibition at Muroff Kotler Visual Arts Gallery in Stone Ridge. Opening reception on April 24, 2 PM, in an annual exhibit bringing together the creative work of students in the Visual Art, Design and Fashion Design program in a lively diverse media. Check hours.

*Muroff Kotler Visual Arts Gallery 491 Cottekill Rd, Stone Ridge, 845.687.5262, arts.sunyulster.edu/fine\_art/*

## **SATURDAY, APRIL 27**

4th Annual Leap for Autism at Skydive the Ranch in Gardiner, raising awareness and funds for vital services offered by Greystone Programs where no funding exists, including therapeutic music dance, equine, art therapies and other services. Fun in the air and on the ground. Barbeque from Grille Wagon and hard cider from Angry Orchard. Rain date May 11. 9:30 AM to 4:30 PM.

*Skydive the Ranch, 55 Sand Hill Rd, Gardiner, www.givegab.com/campaigns/leapforautism.org*

## **SUNDAY, APRIL 28**

Ulster Chamber Music Series presents Litvakus, a critically acclaimed klezmer collective. 3 PM. \$30 Adult, \$20 Seniors, 18 and under, free.

*New venue at Redeemer Lutheran Church, 104 Wurts St, Kingston; 845.340.9434, www.ulsterchambermusicseries.org*

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# **MAY**

## **THURSDAY, MAY 2**

Choral Ensemble and Guitar Ensemble Concert in a tapestry of many moods, musical genres and themes performed by the SUNY Ulster College Chorus and Vocal Ensemble under the direction of Janet Gehres and accompanied by Edward Leavitt and the College Guitar Ensemble under the direction of Greg Dinger. 7:30 PM.

*SUNY Ulster, Quimby Theater, 491 Cottekill Rd, Stone Ridge, 845.687.5262; apps.sunyulster.edu/events/4605*

## **FRI, SAT, SUN, MAY 3, 4, 5**

Rhinebeck Antique Car Show & Swap Meet and spectators come from all over the Northeast to see countless hot rods, custom, antique and classic cars; many will be for sale. Swap meet opens on Friday at noon. 12 PM to 5 PM. Free parking.

*Dutchess County Fairgrounds, 6636 Route 9, Rhinebeck; contact information http://www.rhinebeckcarshow.com/swaps.html*

## **SATURDAY, MAY 4**

Ulster Historical Society. Opening of Exhibition: The Elverhoj Art Colony. Elverhoj looked out over the Hudson River on a 35-acre plot purchased by Danish founders, Johannes Morten and Anders Andersen. The colony focused on the arts and crafts style of architecture popular during the early part of the 20th century. Runs through Sunday, July 28. Lecture on Elverhoj Art Colony by Dr. William Rhoads Sunday, May 5, 3pm-5pm. \$10 non-members, free to UCHS members

*Bevier House Museum, 2682 Route 209, Kingston*

## **SATURDAY, MAY 4**

Historic Huguenot Street, Opening Day of the 2019 Guided Tour Season, for exploration of local history in pre-colonial and colonial America, take an informative 60-minute guided tour. This year's tour path will take you inside of the replica Esopus Munsie wigwam, the original community burying ground and reconstructed 1717 French Church and the early 18th century Abraham Hasbrouck House. Register at the DuBois Fort Visitor Center, General Admission, \$10. 10 AM to 5 PM.

*Huguenot Street, New Paltz, huguenotstreet.org*

## **SATURDAY, MAY 4**

Bannerman Island Tours open for the season highlighting the rich history of Bannerman Castle and beautiful scenery for an enriching day for the whole family. The experience is 2.5 hours, leaving from Beacon. Tours are held May through October on Saturdays and Sundays. 11 AM.

*Long Dock, Beacon Point Park, Long Dock Rd, Beacon; 855.256.4007; https://bannermancastle.org*

## **SATURDAY, MAY 4**

Hudson Valley Philharmonic: The Mighty Hudson, compositions inspired by the Hudson River are celebrated by Jon Bowermaster's stunning visuals, Bernstein's dramatic film score suite, plus works from Mendelssohn and Britten. 8 PM.

*Bardavon 1869 Opera House, 35 Market St, Poughkeepsie, 845.473.2072; bardavon.org*

## **SUNDAY, MAY 5**

Lecture on Elverhoj Art Colony by Dr. William Rhoads. 3pm-5pm. \$10 non-members, free to UCHS members. See description of Elverhoj under May 4th announcement. Dr. Rhoads will talk on the history of Elverhoj.

*Bevier House Museum, 2682 Route 209, Kingston, NY 12401*

## **SUNDAY, MAY 5**

Turn Turn Turn – Celebrating Pete Seeger's 100th Birthday, featuring Vanaver Caravan, Happy Traum, Tom Chapin, Maria Muldaur and others to be announced. Pete's timeless songs, a variety of dance styles and inspiring messages to make the world a better place. Check website for ticket pricing. 7 PM.

*Bardavon 1869 Opera House, 35 Market St, Poughkeepsie, bardavon.org, 845.473.2072*

## **MONDAY, MAY 6**

String Ensemble Concert. The College String Ensemble performs its spring concert under the direction of Anastasia Solberg. 7:30 PM.

*SUNY Ulster, Quimby Theater, 491 Cottekill Rd, Stone Ridge, 845.687.5262, apps.sunyulster.edu/events/4606*

## **THURSDAYS, MAY 9 – 22**

Spring Reading Series: MaryLou Logginberry Spaces Out..., Cynthia Adler and Friends; Disgraced, by Ayad Akhtar; Boycott Esther, by Emily Acker. Presented by Voice Theatre 2019 at The Colony, 22 Rock City Rd, Woodstock, NY, info [www.voicetheatre.org](http://www.voicetheatre.org).

## **THURSDAY, MAY 9**

Lotus Paper Lantern Workshop with the Korean Spirit and Culture Promotion Project and will be instructing attendees on how to make a lovely lotus flower lantern using colorful paper and wire frames. Following the workshop, the KSCPP will show a short documentary on Korea and serve traditional Korean refreshments. Program is for middle school ages and older. 6:30 PM. Register

*marborolib.org, Marlboro Library, 1251 Route 9W, Marlboro, 845.236.7272*

## **FRIDAY, MAY 10**

Spring Fashion Exhibition of the final presentation of SUNY Ulster's 2nd year Fashion Design students. View portfolios w/illustrations & computer aided design work. Live models showcase construction & design skills. Hors d'oeuvres and mocktails will be served. \$10 in advance/\$12 at door. 5 PM to 7 PM. Kristin Flynn, flynnk@sunyulster.edu, 845.688.6006. *SUNY Ulster, College Lounge, Vanderlyn Hall Room 203, 491 Cottekill Rd, Stone Ridge.*

## **SATURDAY, MAY 11**

"The Springtime Fishing Camps: Shad, Birds and Flowers", a nature walk with Justin Wexler is the second in a series of four seasonal nature walks through the Nyquist-Harcourt Wildlife Sanctuary titled, Everywhere at Home: How Local Native People Once Lived with the Land. Attendees should check in at the DuBois Fort Visitor Center 10 minutes before the state of the tour which will begin at the wigwam.

*Historic Huguenot Street, New Paltz; huguenotstreet.org*

## **THURSDAY, MAY 16**

Hidden Treasures of the Hudson Valley, Vol 3, with Anthony Musso who will share lesser known but historically rich sites which played an important role in the establishment of the region that were not included in his last book. Musso's talk will highlight the story of the two Quaker brothers from Milton joined the northern Army during the Civil War despite their pacifist beliefs. 7 PM. RSVP at [marborolib.org](http://marborolib.org), walk-ins are welcome.

*Marlboro Free Library, 1251 Rt 9W, Marlboro, 845.236.7272*

## **SAT & SUN- MAY 18 & 19**

Wines & Bites! Presented by the Shawangunk Wine Trail of 15 member wineries who have selected a scrumptious food bite of either cheese, meat, salad, pasta or dessert, pairing with their wine tastings. Re-

ceive a souvenir wine glass at the starting winery of your choice and continue the tour of the SWT at your own pace over the course of the weekend or Sunday. 10 AM to 5 PM both days. Visit [GunksWine.com](http://GunksWine.com) for tickets in advance; for more information, email Jude, [jude@gunkswine.com](mailto:jude@gunkswine.com) or call 845.256.8456, *Shawangunk Wine Trail, PO Box 256, Marlboro, www.shawangunkwinetrail.com/wine-bites/*

## **SUNDAY, MAY 19**

American Zofingen Duathlon, an epic test of the athletes stamina and ability with 3 distances to challenge every level racer: running on both single track and carriage roads; bike courses is truly grueling, both in beautiful Shawangunk Mountain settings. 7 AM. This event is USAT sanctioned.

*Mohonk Preserve, Upper 27 Knolls Rd, Stone Ridge, 845.866.2992.*

*For complete information, contact Tom Ganz, [tomganz8@icloud.com](mailto:tomganz8@icloud.com)*

## **WEDNESDAY, MAY 22**

Naloxone Training. Attendees will be trained on how to use naloxone to counteract an opioid overdose. Participants will receive a naloxone kit as part of the training and will learn about naloxone, how to recognize an overdose and how to treat it. Session is open to the public and registration is not required. 4:30 PM to 5:30 PM. Sponsored by Dutchess County Health Department. Dutchess County Stabilization Center, 230 North Rd, Poughkeepsie; Amanda Brennan, Opioid Education Coordinator, *845.486.2844, [abrennan@dutchessny.gov](mailto:abrennan@dutchessny.gov)*

## **FRIDAY, MAY 31 – SUNDAY, JUNE 16**

Memoirs of a Forgotten Man by DW Gregory marks Shadowland Stages first participation in a "Rolling World Premiere" through the National New Play Network. Based on true events, this haunting historical drama is a suspenseful and timely reminder of the power of facts and fiction. The story of a Soviet journalist with perfect recall is a threat to Stalin's propaganda machine. The first play of the new season. *Shadowland Stages, The Robert M. Osgood Mainstage, 157 Canal St, Ellenville; Box Office: 845.647.5511*

# **JUNE**

## **SATURDAY, JUNE 1**

Wallkill Valley Land Trust's 9th annual historic house tour. *Houses on the Land: Rosendale and Beyond: Reshaping the Land- Farmsteads, Cement Works and Canal Towns.* Admission includes informal reception at private property. Tickets \$50 / \$45 members by May 30; \$55/\$50 members thereafter. Proceeds to benefit WVLT's land preservation efforts. For full details, consult our website.

*845-255-2761. [WalkkillValleyLT.org](http://WalkkillValleyLT.org)*

## **JUNE 1-3**

Country Living Fair. Shop repurposed furniture, up-cycled jewelry, and vintage textiles from some 200 vendors.

[www.countryliving.com/country-living-fair](http://www.countryliving.com/country-living-fair). Dutchess County Fairgrounds, Rhinebeck

## **JUNE 9-10**

Kingston Kayak Festival. Beginner to advanced kayakers take lessons on the beach or tours on the water and get the lowdown on boating safety.

[Kingston Point Beach. www.atkenco.com/info/upcoming-events](http://www.atkenco.com/info/upcoming-events)

## **JUNE 15-17**

Mountain Jam. This weekend camping blowout features more than 50 sought-after acts on three stages.

[www.mountainjam.org](http://www.mountainjam.org). Hunter Mountain

# **ANNUAL EVENTS**

Thank you New Paltz Regional Chamber of Commerce for this great list of annual events.

[NewPaltzRegionalChamber.com](http://NewPaltzRegionalChamber.com)

## **JANUARY**

Hudson Valley Rail Trail Winterfest

Sleigh rides, cross-country skiing and ice carving competition in Highland.

[hudsonvalleyrailtrail.net](http://hudsonvalleyrailtrail.net)

## **FEBRUARY**

February 14, Valentine's Day, and don't you forget it!

## **MARCH**

Easter Egg Hunt (Within a week of Easter) New Paltz Youth Program

[Ulster County Fairgrounds. \(845\) 255-5140.](http://Ulster County Fairgrounds)

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## **APRIL**

New Paltz Clean Sweep

Community volunteers clean the parks, sidewalks and streets of New Paltz. Last Saturday in April.

[www.newpaltz.org/AnnualEvents.html](http://www.newpaltz.org/AnnualEvents.html)

## **MAY**

Opening Day on Huguenot Street. Free tours of stone houses and the Old French Church.

[Historical Huguenot Street in New Paltz. \(845\) 255-1660.](http://Historical Huguenot Street in New Paltz)

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

Memorial Day Parade, New Paltz

[New Paltz VFW \(845\) 633-8494 vfwinfo@vfw8645.org](http://New Paltz VFW)

Woodstock-New Paltz Arts and Crafts Fair Memorial Day Weekend. Fine crafts, art, children's tent, entertainment, food.

[Ulster County Fairgrounds, New Paltz \(845\) 679-8087. www.quailhollow.com](http://Ulster County Fairgrounds, New Paltz)

Moriello Pool Opening. Memorial Day Weekend Community pool opens for season, call ahead.

[\(845\) 255-1700.](http://(845) 255-1700)

New Paltz Regatta

Homemade boats parade down Main Street, then launch on the Wallkill River.

[\(845\) 255-3631. www.newpaltzregatta.com](http://(845) 255-3631)

## **JUNE**

Highland Day. Games, food, music. Village of Highland

[Town of Lloyd. \(845\) 691-8011.](http://Town of Lloyd)

Patent Day with Revolutionary War Reenactors on Huguenot Street Anniversary of the signing of the New Paltz Patent.

[Historical Huguenot Street in New Paltz. \(845\) 255-1660.](http://Historical Huguenot Street in New Paltz)

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

Reenactors on Huguenot Street

The anniversary of the signing of the New Paltz Patent.

[Historical Huguenot Street in New Paltz. \(845\) 255-1660.](http://Historical Huguenot Street in New Paltz)

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

Around the World in 60 Miles

The wineries of the Shawangunk Wine Trail highlight different countries.

[\(845\) 256-8456. www.shawangunkwinetrail.com](http://(845) 256-8456)

All-American Fishing Derby. Catch and release event for children. Prizes.

[New Paltz Recreation Department, Rotary Club of New Paltz. \(845\) 255-3631.](http://New Paltz Recreation Department, Rotary Club of New Paltz)

New Paltz Challenge Father's Day Run. 1/2 marathon, 5k-

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

## **JULY**

Independence Day Celebrations

Music, food and festivities, fireworks at dusk.

[New Paltz-Ulster County Fair Grounds](http://New Paltz-Ulster County Fair Grounds)

PianoSummer (during July & August) International institute and festival.

[SUNY New Paltz Music Department \(845\) 257-2700. www.newpaltz.edu/piano](http://SUNY New Paltz Music Department)

## **AUGUST**

Ulster County Fair. Rides, food, shows entertainment, and 4-H booths.

[Ulster County Fairgrounds, New Paltz . \(845\) 255-1380. www.ulster-countyfair.com](http://Ulster County Fairgrounds, New Paltz)

Hudson Valley Ribfest Ulster County Fairgrounds.

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

## **SEPTEMBER**

Woodstock-New Paltz Arts and Crafts Fair. Labor Day Weekend

[Ulster County Fairgrounds, New Paltz \(845\) 679-8087. Quail Hollow Events](http://Ulster County Fairgrounds, New Paltz)

Taste of New Paltz: Local restaurants, wineries, businesses, artists, farm markets. Rain or shine. 11am-6 pm.

[Ulster County Fairgrounds, New Paltz. New Paltz Regional Chamber of Commerce. \(845\) 255-0243. www.tasteofnewpaltz.com](http://Ulster County Fairgrounds, New Paltz)

SOS Triathlon. Survival of the Shawangunks is an eight stage triathlon held in New Paltz, NY every September. Consistently ranked among the best adventure triathalons in the world, and a month the

most scenic, the SOS has become so popular the event sells out in minutes.

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

Pfalz Point Trail Challenge. Scenic 10-mile trail race benefit: Mohonk Preserve.

[\(845\) 255-0919. www.mohonkpreserve.org/ppfp](http://(845) 255-0919)

Gardiner Day, Entertainment, games, food. Majestic Park, Gardiner.

[\(845\) 255-9675.](http://(845) 255-9675)

Elting Memorial Library Fair. Biggest used book sale in the area.

[Main and No. Front Streets, New Paltz \(845\) 255-5030.](http://Main and No. Front Streets, New Paltz)

## **OCTOBER**

Reformed Church of New Paltz Annual Apple Festival All things apple on Huguenot Street. New Paltz

[\(845\) 255-6340.](http://(845) 255-6340)

Night of 100 Pumpkins. (Halloween 6- 8 pm) Pumpkin carvers bring their creations for judging; on view at night. Delightful event, thank you Lisa and David for years of pumpkin pleasure. Grab a delightful coffee and doughnut, or some lunch.

[The Bakery. \(845\) 255-8840](http://The Bakery)

Halloween Parade. Begins at 6 p.m. Main Street & Manheim Blvd. in New Paltz; ends at the fire house for treats.

[New Paltz](http://New Paltz)

## **NOVEMBER**

Annual New Paltz Challenge River-to-Ridge 5k River-to-Ridge Trail, 41 Springtown Road, New Paltz. Veterans receive 20% off registration fees -

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

American Civil War Living History. Historical Huguenot St. in New Paltz.

[\(845\) 255-1660. www.huguenotstreet.org](http://(845) 255-1660)

Annual Turkey Trot. Thanksgiving morning. 5K race benefits Family of New Paltz.

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

Rosendale International Pickle Festival. All things pickled.

[Rosendale \(845\) 658-9649. Pickle Festival](http://Rosendale)

## **DECEMBER**

Reformed Church of New Paltz Christmas Fair Huguenot Street. (845) 255-6340

Huguenot Street Christmas Tree Lighting. Deyo Lawn, Huguenot Street.

[\(845\) 255-1889 www.huguenotstreet.org/calendar-of-events/](http://(845) 255-1889)

Unison Arts and Learning Center's Holiday Craft Fair. Fine arts and crafts.

[\(845\) 255-1559. www.unisonarts.org](http://(845) 255-1559)

Highland Tree Lighting And Santa.

[Village of Highland. \(845\) 691-8011.](http://Village of Highland)

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## AREA LIBRARIES

*Find Library Programs at each library's web page.*

### **ELTING MEMORIAL LIBRARY**

93 Main St, New Paltz, 255-5030 [eltinglibrary.org](http://eltinglibrary.org)

### **KINGSTON LIBRARY**

845-331-0507, [kingstonlibrary.org](http://kingstonlibrary.org)

### **HIGHLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY**

845-691-2275/ Elting Place, Highland.

[highlandlibrary.org](http://highlandlibrary.org)

Clintondale Branch of the

Highland Public Library 845-883-5015 [highlandlibrary.org/clintondale-branch](http://highlandlibrary.org/clintondale-branch)

### **HAVILAND-HEIDGERD HISTORICAL COLLECTION**

MWF 10-5:30. Elting Library, 93 Main St., New Paltz, 255-5030

### **SARAH HULL HALLOCK FREE**

Main Street, Milton, 795-2200, [miltonlib.org](http://miltonlib.org)

### **STONE RIDGE LIBRARY**

Stone Ridge, 687-7023, [stoneridgelibrary.org](http://stoneridgelibrary.org)

### **GARDINER LIBRARY**

133 Farmer's Turnpike, Gardiner 255-1255

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

### **MARLBORO FREE LIBRARY**

Route 9W, Marlboro 236-7272,

[marlborolibrary.org](http://marlborolibrary.org)

### **HUGUENOT HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

Library with historical information.

Huguenot St, New Paltz, 255-1660

### **PLATTEKILL LIBRARY**

2047 Route 32, Modena, 883-7286, [plattekill.lib.ny.us](http://plattekill.lib.ny.us)

### **TOWN OF ESOPUS LIBRARY**

128 Canal Street, Port Ewen 338-5580 [www.esopuslibrary.org](http://www.esopuslibrary.org)

### **TOWN OF ULSTER PUBLIC LIBRARY**

845-338-7881 , [www.townofulsterlibrary.org](http://www.townofulsterlibrary.org)

### **ELLENVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY & MUSEUM**

845-647-5530 , [www.eplm.org](http://www.eplm.org)

### **SAUGERTIES PUBLIC LIBRARY**

845-246-4317 , [saugertiespubliclibrary.org](http://saugertiespubliclibrary.org)

### **PHOENICIA LIBRARY**

845-688-7811 [www.phoenicia.lib.ny.us](http://www.phoenicia.lib.ny.us)

### **PINE HILL-MORTON MEMORIAL LIBRARY**

845-254-4222 [www.morton.pinehill.lib.ny.us](http://www.morton.pinehill.lib.ny.us)

### **ROSENDALE LIBRARY**

Main Street, Rosendale, 658-9013 [www.rosendalelibrary.org](http://www.rosendalelibrary.org)