



ROOSEVELT ARTS PROJECT

2014==2015

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



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Designs for Roosevelt

Saturday, October 18, 2014, at 8:00 PM, Borough Hall

Roosevelt resident and Rutgers Professor of Landscape Architecture Kate John-Alder had her "Praxis Studio: Open Space Design" class creatively contemplate the history, culture and environment of Roosevelt. Beginning with the creation of a multiple layer timeline, the students had to create a set of imaginative "interventions" to highlight the unique and wonderful character of the town. Spend an evening with Prof. John-Alder, her students, and invited class-speakers and members of the final jury as they show and discuss different visions for Roosevelt's future.

Fundraiser: The Big Dance

Saturday, November 1, 2014, from 8:00—11:00 PM, Roosevelt Public School

Come and join us in this fundraiser for the coming RAP Festival Latino in April. You can learn some basic Salsa, Merengue, and Cumbia, and have a great time dancing. \$10 donation. Free babysitting available at the school.

Musical London: A Piano Recital with Commentary by Alan Mallach

Saturday, November 8, 2014, at 8:00 P, Borough Hall

London has been a rich center of musical life for centuries and over those years has yielded a rich treasure of keyboard music: from the Elizabethan era through the many visitors and adopted sons that enriched its musical life, such as Handel, Clementi, and Mendelssohn, to the English composers of the last century. In a program beginning with Elizabethan composers John Bull and William Byrd, and taking us up to 20th century composers like Frederick Delius, Arnold Bax, and Benjamin Britten, Alan Mallach will offer a vivid, melodic sample of London's musical story.

Mural Talk and Annual Studio Tour and Sale

Sunday, November 16, 2014

Mural Talk at 11:00 AM, Roosevelt Public School

Studio Tours from 12:00—5:00 PM

Visit local artists' studios in our historic New Deal town for a pre-holiday show and sale. Start your tour with a Mural Talk at the Roosevelt Public School, learn about the Ben Shahn Mural that chronicles the founding of Roosevelt, and pick up a map of participating artists' studio locations.

The Blues at Assifa Space

Saturday, December 13, 2014 at 8:00 PM, Assifa Space

Located at 40 Tamara Dr. in Roosevelt, Assifa Space, though small, has the finest acoustics in town. A perfect setting for David Brahinsky on vocals and guitar, Guy DeRosa on harmonicas, and Hank Skalka on bass to craft an intimate evening devoted to blues of various types and genres.

NextGen Music - Techno/DJ Ambient Roosevelt Musicians

Saturday, January 17, 2015 at 8:00 PM, Borough Hall

Several younger Roosevelt natives are now making their mark in the world as composers-performers working with techno, DJ, and chill/ambient music. Come hear what they do and enjoy an evening of exciting new music. Tentatively scheduled: Nicholas Malkin (Afterhours), David Atwood, and Jack Leech (Nurko). Additional ambient music provided by Brad Garton with friends Terry Pender and Karl Fury.

Poets at Assifa Space

Saturday, February 21, 2015 at 8:00 PM, Assifa Space

Join the Roosevelt poets at 40 Tamara Dr. in Roosevelt, during the shortest month of the year as they explore the shortest poetic forms from haiku to ghazal to microgram. Find out what the Universe has been hiding all this time!

Music from Friends and Neighbors

Saturday, March 14, 2015 at 8:00 PM, Borough Hall

Come join us for a variety of musical sounds, from folk to jazz to blues and more. Performances by some familiar faces as well as some new friends and neighbors.

Festival Latino

Saturday, April 25, 2015 from 2:00–5:00 PM, Roosevelt Public School

Join us for a fiesta of Latino music and dance. The group Herencias is back after their success in last year's RAP event, bringing us a variety of music infused with memories of the beauty of the Andean countries. Enjoy the music and costumes of Mexico and Costa Rica from two other local groups, and take the opportunity to see exhibits of Latin American arts, crafts, and books while tasting some Latino American delicacies.

This program is made possible in part by Monmouth Arts through funding from the Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders, and the New Jersey State Council on the Arts.



The Roosevelt String Band in Concert

Friday & Saturday, May 8 & 9, 2015 at 8:00 PM, Borough Hall

David Brahinsky, Paul Prestopino, Ed and Sam Cedar, Kai Altair, Joe Pepitone and Howie Jacobson will present an evening of folk music guaranteed to stimulate great thoughts, mighty feelings, sweet sensations and a whole lot of fun.

Bringing a Mural to Life

Thursday June 4, 2015 at 7:00 PM, Roosevelt Public School

Culminating a year-long collaboration between the school and the community, the Roosevelt Public School will present a theatrical piece bringing the Ben Shahn mural to life.

Be sure to join our mailing list at <http://www.rooseveltartsproject.org> so that you get the brochure sent to you via email each season and timely reminders of each upcoming event.