

MAYCALENDAR

1 · 18th Anniversary, American Folk Art & Framing, AmeriFolk.com

1 · Hendersonville, Application deadline for 60th annual *Art on Main* (September), Arts Council of Henderson County, ACofHC.org

1-3 · Cullowhee, School of Art and Design Faculty Biennial Exhibition 2019, WCU Fine Art Museum at Bardo Arts Center, Arts.WCU.edu/Biennial

1-3 · Cullowhee, *Outspoken: Paintings by America Meredith*, WCU Fine Art Museum at Bardo Arts Center, BardoArtsCenter.WCU.edu

1-5 · Annual Fair Trade Oriental Rug Event, Ten Thousand Villages, (*From Loom to Living Room* Oriental rug seminar, Thursday, May 2, 7 p.m.), TenThousandVillages.com/Asheville

1-5 · Old Fort, *Look Again: Discovering Historical Photos*, Mountain Gateway Museum & Heritage Center, North Carolina Museum of History, mgmnc.org

1-11 · 828, Mark Bettis Studio & Gallery, MarkBettisGallery.com

1-12 · *In the Dark*, North Carolina Arboretum, NCArboretum.org

1-14 · *Revising Your Novel*, Flatiron Writers Room, FlatironWritersRoom.com

1-15 · *Memoir Builder* with Tessa Fontaine, Flatiron Writers Room, FlatironWritersRoom.com

1-18 · *Aaron Siskind: A Painter's Photographer and Works on Paper by BMC Artists*, Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center, BlackMountainCollege.org

1-18 · *Politics at Black Mountain College*, Black Mountain College Museum + Arts Center, BlackMountainCollege.org

1-23 · *Spring Blooms*, Biltmore Gardens, Biltmore.com

1-23 · *Storytelling for Performance* with Tom Chalmers, Flatiron Writers Room, FlatironWritersRoom.com

1-27 · *A Vanderbilt House Party - The Gilded Age*, Biltmore, Biltmore.com

1-30 · *Dreaming Between the Lines*, FW Gallery at Woolworth Walk, WoolworthWalk.com

1-31 · *The Color of Rain*, Asheville Gallery of Art, (artist reception, Friday, May 3, 5-8 p.m.), AshevilleGallery-of-Art.com

1-June 16 · *Waynesville, Icons in Transformation*, Grace Church in the Mountains, GraceWaynesville.com

1-June 17 · *Bakersville*, Bryant Holsenbeck Exhibit, Mica, MicaGalleryNC.com

1-June 28 · *The Divine Feminine*, Artist Jenna Jaffe, Epione Integrated Health Clinic, Homewood Building, ConsciousCreating.org

1-June 30 · *I am in Awe*, Contemporaneo Asheville, ContemporaneoAsheville.shop

1-July 21 · *Transforming Nature*, North Carolina Education Center, North Carolina Arboretum, NCArboretum.org

1-July 31 · Arts councils throughout WNC, *Postcards From the Edge*, Western Arts Agencies of North Carolina, WNCTravelingPostcards.com

1-Oct. 26 · 40th Anniversary season of Hendersonville Tailgate Market, HendersonCountyTailgateMarket.com

1-Nov. 2 · *Infused in History: A Tea Exhibit*, Western North Carolina Historical Association, Smith-McDowell House, WNCHistory.org

2 · Sound Effects Benefit Concert: The Beatles' *Revolver*, Asheville Music School, AshevilleMusicSchool.org

2 · *Using Genetic Modification to Restore the American Chestnut*, Sierra Club, Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Asheville, judymattox@sbcglobal.net, 828.683.2176

2 · Hendersonville, Hendo Story Club, *Surprise*, The Center for Art & Inspiration, TheCenterAI.com

2 · Hendersonville, New Artist Reception, Art MoB Studios, ArtMobStudios.com

2, 9, 16, 23, 30 · *Arbor Evenings*, North Carolina Arboretum, NCArboretum.org

2-12 · *Flat Rock, Country Royalty: Hank Williams and Patsy Cline*, Flat Rock Playhouse Mainstage, FlatRockPlayhouse.org

2-Oct. 5 · *Lake Lure*, Multi-artist showcase, Rumbling Bald Resort, The Gardens, 828.694.3038

3-4 · *Spring Plant Sale*, The Botanical Gardens, AshevilleBotanicalGardens.org

3-31 · *Lenoir, Frozen in Time and Postcards from the Edge*, (opening reception, Friday, May 3, 5-7 p.m.), Caldwell Arts Council, CaldwellArts.com

3-June 29 · *Go Figure* (opening reception, Friday, May 3, 5-8 p.m.), Blue Spiral 1, BlueSpiral1.com

4 · Y.E.S. Fund Scholarship Concert with Jonathan Scales Fourchestra, Diana Wortham Theatre, DWTheatre.com

4 · Women in Government Panel Discussion, League of Women Voters of Asheville-Buncombe & Girl Scouts Carolinas, Ferguson Auditorium, A-B Tech, EventBrite.com

4 · Arden, Lake Julian Park Dock Dedication, Lake Julian Park, BuncombeRecreation.org

4 · Dillsboro, Airing of the Quilts, Appalachian Women's Museum, AppWomen.org/quilts

4 · Pisgah Forest, *May the Forest Be With You*, The Cradle of Forestry, CradleOfForestry.com

4, 5 · *May Masters*, UNC Asheville's Lipinsky Auditorium, Blue Ridge Orchestra, BlueRidgeOrchestra.org

4-31 · *Clyde, Festival of Peonies in Bloom*, Wildcat Ridge Farm, WildcatRidgeFarm.com

5 · Author Nickole Brown (*To Those Who Were Our First Gods*), POETRIO Reading Series, Malaprop's Bookstore/Café, Malaprops.com

6 · No Diet Day 2019, Carolina Resource Center for Eating Disorders and Veritas Collaborative, Jewish Community Center Asheville, CRCforED.com

9 · Black Mountain, *May Wildflower Walk* with Jim Poling, Meet at Lake Tomahawk, StephanieSipp.com

9-12 · WNC Yarn Crawl, yarn shops throughout WNC, Facebook.com/WNCYarnCrawl

10 · Black Mountain, *May Nature Journaling Class* with Stephanie Sipp, Red House, StephanieSipp.com

10-June 2 · *Buncombe Tower*, The Magnetic Theatre, TheMagneticTheatre.org

10-June 9 · *In Times Like These*, (opening reception, Friday, May 10, 5:30-7:30 p.m.), Pink Dog Gallery, River Arts District, hedy@pinkdog-creative.com

10-June 21 · *Beyond Knowing* (reception and panel discussion Friday, May 24, 5:30-7:30 p.m.; First Friday reception, June 5, 5-8 p.m.), AAAC Exhibition Space, Asheville Area Arts Council, AshevilleArts.com

11 · *The Art of Joy*, Artists Lori Portka and Suzanne Armstrong, Riverview Station, Studios #225 and #230, LoriPortka.com

11 · Second Saturday, River Arts District, RiverArtsDistrict.com

11 · *The Rite of Spring*, Thomas Wolfe Auditorium, Asheville Symphony Orchestra, AshevilleSymphony.org

11 · *Bob Brotherton: Humble Pots from a Gentle Man*, The Village Potters Clay Center, TheVillagePotters.com

11 · *Playwriting 101* with Bonnie Milne Gardner, Flatiron Writers Room, FlatironWritersRoom.com

11 · Hendersonville, *Trios Three Ways*, Aaron Chen, Aaron Lipsky & Christopher Tavernier in concert, Freeburg Pianos, ClarinetAndFriends.com

12 · Buncombe County Recreation Services Guided Hike (Craven Gap), BuncombeCounty.org

12 · *Trios Three Ways*, Aaron Chen, Aaron Lipsky & Christopher Tavernier in concert, First Presbyterian Church (Asheville), ClarinetAndFriends.com

14 · *Tips for Self-Editing* with Tom Rash, Flatiron Writers Room, FlatironWritersRoom.com

16 · John McCutcheon, Isis Music Hall, IsisAsheville.com

16-18 · Hendersonville, *Martin Preston as Liberace®*, The Center for Art & Inspiration, TheCenterAI.com

17-18 · *Spring Into Dance: A Movement Bouquet*, Asheville Ballet, Diana Wortham Theatre, DWTheatre.com, 828.257.4530

17, 18 · Black Mountain, Black Mountain Garden Show & Sale, Monte Vista Hotel, Black Mountain Beautification Committee, BlackMountainBeautification.org

17-18 · Flat Rock, *A Garden of Quilts* juried quilt show, Bonclarken Conference Center, WNC Quilters Guild, WesternNCQuilters.org

17-June 1 · Flat Rock, *Proposals*, Flat Rock Playhouse Mainstage, FlatRockPlayhouse.org

18 · Crafty Historian: Teacup Fairy Garden and Tea, Western North Carolina Historical Association, Smith-McDowell House, WNCHistory.org

18 · Madison Co., 6th annual Barn Tour Day & Party, Appalachian Barn Alliance, AppalachianBarns.org

18-June 30 · *Stones & Dreams, Shadows & Streams*, Grovewood Gallery, (artist reception, Saturday, May 18, 2-5 p.m.), Grovewood.com

19 · All Asheville Weekend, Laura Livaudais, Laura@JBPproperties.com

19 · Mountain Folk Tales Storytelling Show, Asheville Storytelling Circle, Folk Art Center on the Blue Ridge Parkway, 828.407.6023

19 · *Enjoying Wildlife in Your Garden* Workshop, Botanical Gardens Asheville, 828.252.5190 (registration), AshevilleBotanicalGardens.org

20 · Author Nickole Brown (*To Those Who Were Our First Gods*), The Altamont Poetry Series, North Carolina Stage Company, Facebook.com/groups/AltamontPoetrySeries

23 · Grand Opening, The Moogseum, MoogFoundation.org/Projects/The-Moogseum

24 · Brevard, *Masterful Collaboration*, studios and galleries throughout downtown Brevard, Facebook.com/ArtistsAtWorkStudioAndGallery

24-26 · Americana Burlesque & Sideshow Festival, various venues, ABSFest.com

24-26 · Brevard, White Squirrel Festival, WhiteSquirrelFestival.com

24-26 · Burnsville, Mountain Acoustics Luthier Invitational, Burnsville-Yancey Chamber of Commerce and Parkway Playhouse, MountainAcoustics.com

25 · Readings from North Carolina Arts Council Asheville Area workshop participants, NC Stage Company, North Carolina Arts Council, NCArts.org

25 · Hendersonville, *An Improper Royal Tea Murder*, The Center for Art & Inspiration, TheCenterAI.com

25 · West Jefferson, Kick-off to Woodstock Experience 2019, (Music Festival, Aug. 9-11), Saloon Studios Live, WoodstockExp.com

25, 26 · Kenilworth Artists Association Tour, Kenilworth Neighborhood, KenilworthArtists.org

25, 26 · Hendersonville, Garden Jubilee, Henderson County Tourism Development Authority, Main Street, VisitHendersonvilleNC.org/Garden-Jubilee

25-27 · Flat Rock, *Art in Bloom*, (ticketed Preview Reception, Friday, May 24, 5-8 p.m.), The Gallery at Flat Rock, GalleryFlatRock.com

27 · East Flat Rock, Mr. Maple Festival, Nichols Nursery, MrMaple.com

27-28 · Memorial Day Weekend Open House, 310 Art, Riverview Station, 310Art.com

28-July 14 · Penland, *Further Evidence: The Art of Natural Dyes* (reception Saturday, June 15, from 4:30-6:30 p.m.), Penland.org

29-June 9 · *Romeo and Juliet*, North Carolina Stage Company, NCStage.org

30 · Newland, Murder Mystery Evening, Linville Falls Winery, Mayland Community College Foundation, Mayland.edu

30-June 1 · ContinuuCon 2019, UNCA Department of Music, ContinuuCon.com

30-June 16 · Mars Hill, *Bright Star*, Owen Theatre, Southern Appalachian Repertory Theatre, SARTPlays.com

31-June 1 · Canton, Cold Mountain Music Festival, Lake Logan Conference Center, ColdMountainMusic.org

31-June 1 · Hendersonville, *My Big Fat Italian Wedding Murder Mystery Dinner*, The Center for Art & Inspiration, TheCenterAI.com

31-June 2 · Mitchell & Yancey counties, Toe River Arts Studio Tour, (reception, Friday, May 31, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Spruce Pine Gallery), ToeRiverArts.org

June

1 · *Defiant Requiem: Verdi at Terrezín*, Thomas Wolfe Auditorium, DefiantRequiem.org/Asheville