



McLean Community Center
The Center of It All

Here's What's Happening at MCC

Vote by Absentee Ballot

Not able to vote in the MCC Governing Board election at McLean Day 2011 on May 21? Vote by absentee ballot! Completed ballots are due to MCC by 5 p.m. on **Wednesday, May 18.**

Jammin' Juniors Concerts

McLean Central Park
Free admission

Peter McCory

May 4, 12:30 p.m.

Farmer Jason

May 11, 12:30 p.m.



Pushcart Players in Peter and the Wolf
May 14, 2 p.m.
\$12/\$8 district residents

An adaptation of the traditional Russian folktale set to the music of Sergei Prokofiev. This enchanting tale is all about the adventure of growing up.

Summer Class Registration

Begins **May 16** for district residents
May 23, for all others

Watch your mailbox for our summer program guide. Summertime fun is just a few days away. Take your pick of classes, camps, events and performances.

Get Out of Town!
Glorious Gardens of Winterthur
May 17

Sign up now for this day trip and see the home of three generations of du Ponts.

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1234 Ingleside Ave., McLean, VA 22101
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Dressed in full costumes, Emily Hautbois, Isun Malekghassemi, and Katie Juliana rehearse their lines for the upcoming Oakton High School Spring Musical 'Oklahoma!'

Oakton High Presents 'Oklahoma!'

Seniors reflect on their 'last performance.'

'Oklahoma!' at Oakton High

BY EMILY BAGDASARIAN
THE CONNECTION

With the school year coming to a close, most students head outdoors trying to get away from school grounds as quickly as possible. However, this is certainly not the case for the cast and crew of Oakton High School's spring musical "Oklahoma!" With plans starting back in February, a large number of students have put forth the time and effort in hopes of pulling off a crowd-pleasing per-

formance. Phillip Gevirtz, a junior from Oakton, enjoys the hard work of being in charge of the costume department because "the creativity of it all allows us to be ourselves". Gevirtz has been involved with theatre since

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Jessica Levy, Melina Smith, Shannon Holcombe, Olivia Meyer, Adrienne Picciolotto, and Claire Mahoney bonded with one another over the weeks of practice resulting in positive chemistry on and off the stage.

ENTERTAINMENT

Send announcements to vienna@connectionnewspapers.com. Deadline is Thursday for the following week's paper. Photos/artwork encouraged. For additional listings, visit www.connectionnewspapers.com

WEDNESDAY/MAY 4

Joan As Police Woman. 8 p.m. Jammin' Java, 227 Maple Ave. E., Vienna. jamminjava.com.

THURSDAY/MAY 5

Jarrod Gorbel, Josiah Leming and Dion Roy. 8 p.m. Jammin' Java, 227 Maple Ave. E., Vienna. jamminjava.com.

"Oklahoma!" 7 p.m. Oakton High School, 2900 Sutton Road, Vienna. Rodgers and Hammerstein's classic musical. 703-319-2749 or vgelinas@fcps.edu.

DVD of Watercolorist Charles Reid. 10:15 a.m. Vienna Art Center, 115 Pleasant St. N.W., Vienna. Bring watercolor supplies and practice techniques. Free. www.ViennaArtsSociety.org, 703-319-3971

FRIDAY/MAY 6

Neil Innes. 7 p.m. Jammin' Java, 227 Maple Ave. E., Vienna. jamminjava.com.

"Cheaper by the Dozen." 8 p.m. Alden Theatre, 1234 Ingleside Ave., McLean. Tickets \$13-\$15. 703-790-9223 or www.McLeanPlayers.org.

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English Conversation Group. 10 a.m. Patrick Henry Library, 101 Maple Ave. East, Vienna. Conversation group for adults. 703-938-0405.

Pokemon League. 3 p.m. Patrick Henry Library, 101 Maple Ave. East, Vienna. Learn and play. Age 5-18. 703-938-0405.

SATURDAY/MAY 7

Steve Forbert at 7 p.m., and **Fight The Bear and Overdrive Superthruster** at 10 p.m. Jammin' Java, 227 Maple Ave. E., Vienna. jamminjava.com.

Home & Design Luxury Expo. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sheraton Premiere, 8661 Leesburg Pike, McLean. With HGTV's Jane Lockhart. HomeandDesign.com.

Fairfax Civil War Day. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Historic Blenheim Estate, 3610 Old Lee Highway, Fairfax. Re-enactors, all-day demonstrations on blacksmithing with an 1862 traveling forge, railroads, and soldier research. Talks about slave life, the telegraph, soldiers' graves, Lee's resignation and the Skirmish at Fairfax. Guided tours of Blenheim's gallery, exhibits on secession and the Blenheim attic graffiti. Firing demonstrations of a Howitzer cannon artillery gun, "boot camp" for children, scavenger hunt, wagon rides through soldier camps, period music and dancing. \$5 adults, \$3 age 12 and younger. Proceeds benefit the restoration and maintenance of the Historic Blenheim Estate. Free parking and shuttle service provided at Fairfax High School, 3501 Rebel Run. This event is produced by the City of Fairfax; Historic Fairfax City Inc.; and the 17th Virginia Infantry, Company D "Fairfax Rifles." 703-591-0560 or www.fairfaxva.gov/SpecialEvents/CWW/CWW.asp.

"Cheaper by the Dozen." 8 p.m. Alden Theatre, 1234 Ingleside Ave., McLean. Tickets \$13-\$15. 703-790-9223 or www.McLeanPlayers.org.

Dragon Fest. 2-7 p.m. Green Hedges School, 415 Windover Ave., Vienna. Games, rides, face painting, food and more. Free admission. 703-938-8323.

Fairfax County Master Gardeners Association, Inc. 10 a.m. City of Fairfax Regional Library, 10360 North St., Fairfax. Horticultural tips, information, techniques and advice. Adults. 703-293-6227.

Neighborhood Plant Clinic. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Oakton Library, 10304 Lynnhaven Place, Oakton. The Fairfax County Master Gardeners Association gives tips and strategies. Adults. 703-242-4020

Colvin Run Community Hall Dance. 9 p.m. 10201 Colvin Run Road, Great Falls. Salsa lesson, music by The Family band, dance lesson at 8. Lesson \$5, dance admission \$12. 703-795-2003 or www.colvinrun.org.

Social Justice Yard Sale. 7 a.m.-1 p.m. Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Fairfax, 2709 Hunter Mill Road, Oakton. www.uucf.org or kozloff@verizon.net.

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Marshall Maley Jazz Concert. 5 p.m. Palladium Civic Place Green, 1445 Laughlin Ave., McLean. Free. 703-288-9505.

Car Wash and Dog Wash. 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Andrew Chapel United Methodist, 1301 Trap Road, Vienna. Proceeds will raise money for Health and Cleanup Kits for those affected by the tsunami in Japan and in tornado-damaged areas of the U.S. bjmassimo@hotmail.com.

"Bambi." 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Madeira School, 8328 Georgetown Pike, McLean. The Studio of Classical Ballet presents a two-act children's ballet. 703-759-3366.



"Wolf Trap" by Mark Isaacs. The Frame Factory, 212 Dominion Road, N.E. in Vienna, presents a Reception for "Studies of Color" by Mark Isaacs, Saturday, May 14 at 7 p.m. The exhibit will be displayed Monday through Saturday from May 4 - June 1, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. 703-281-2350 or markisaacslandscapes.com.

Plant Clinic. 10 a.m. Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church. Masters Gardeners from the Fairfax County Cooperative Extension answer gardening questions. Adults. 703-790-8088.

Good Beginnings Health Screening. 10:30 a.m. Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church. Healthy eating tips, strength testing and exercise recommendations. Ages 8-12. 703-790-8088.

SUNDAY/MAY 8

An Evening with Charlie Hunter. 8 p.m. Jammin' Java, 227 Maple Ave. E., Vienna. jamminjava.com.

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Great Falls School of Theatrical Dance. Waddell Theater LW Building, Room 115, 1000 Harry Flood Byrd Highway, Sterling. Ballet, modern dance, tap and jazz. Students age K-6 will perform at 12:15 p.m. and 1 p.m., and older students at 2 p.m. \$20. 703-759-5652 or www.theatricaldance.com.

Artist's Reception for "Spring Splendor." 6 p.m. Vienna Art Center, 115 Pleasant St. N.W., Vienna. Gwen Bragg presents awards for the Vienna Arts Society's spring show. Free and open to the public. 703-391-3971 or www.ViennaArtsSociety.org.

Children's Cartoon Workshop. 10 a.m. for age 8-10, 1:30 p.m. for age 11-14. Vienna Art Center, 115 Pleasant St., NW, Vienna. Create characters, make storyboards, write dialog and more. \$75 includes materials. www.ViennaArtsSociety.org or 703-319-3971.

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MONDAY/MAY 9

English Conversation. 10:30 a.m. Oakton Library, 10304 Lynnhaven Place, Oakton. English practice for non-native speakers. Adults. 703-242-4020.

Woof, and Paws: Read to a Dog. 4 p.m. Patrick Henry Library, 101 Maple Ave. East, Vienna. Sign up to read with a reading therapy dog. Age 6-12 with adult. 703-938-0405.

The Grand Slambovians. CD Release Show, 7:30 p.m., Jammin' Java, 227 Maple Ave E Vienna, Tel: 703-255-1566. Tickets: \$18 /\$12 for students with ID. www.jamminjava.com

TUESDAY/MAY 10

General JEB Stuart. 7 p.m. Sully Historic Site, 3650 Historic Sully Way, Chantilly. Melissa Delcour discusses General JEB Stuart, whose cavalry camped at Sully after the Burke Station raid of December 1862. Delcour is a former Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania National Park Service battlefield historian and a current high school teacher in

Virginia. Free, but a suggested donation of \$5 accepted. 703-708-0861.

The Spring Harvest Tour: Tribal Seeds and Through The Roots. 8 p.m. Jammin' Java, 227 Maple Ave. E., Vienna. jamminjava.com.

Career Fashion Show. 7:30 p.m. Our Lady of Good Counsel Church's and the Women's Club, 8601 Wolftrap Road, Vienna. Interview, casual Friday, formal work occasions, and other professional work attire. Adults only, no children. Tickets \$7. Proceeds benefit Artemis House, Fairfax County's shelter for those fleeing domestic and sexual violence. karmqr@netzero.net.

Genealogy Databases. 2 p.m. City of Fairfax Regional Library, 10360 North St., Fairfax. Search for ancestors using the library's genealogy databases and other free Internet databases. Adults. 703-293-6227.

One-on-One Computer Tutoring. 2 p.m. Oakton Library, 10304 Lynnhaven Place, Oakton. Learn the basics of the Internet, Word and Excel. Adults. 703-242-4020.

Money Matters. 7:15 p.m. Oakton Library, 10304 Lynnhaven Place, Oakton. A Random Walk Down Wall Street by Burton G. Malkiel. 703-242-4020.

Drawing, Anime and More. 7 p.m. Patrick Henry Library, 101 Maple Ave. East, Vienna. A hands-on workshop with Lydia Bratton. Age 12-18. 703-938-0405.

Tuesday Storytime. 10:30 a.m. Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church. Stories, songs, and activities. Ages 1-2 with adult. 703-790-8088.

Personalized Internet Training. 2:30 p.m. Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church. A 45-minute one-on-one Internet training session with a technology volunteer. Call for appointment. Adults. 703-790-8088.

Practice Your English. 6:30 p.m. Tysons-Pimmit Regional Library, 7584 Leesburg Pike, Falls Church. Conversation group for adults learning English. 703-790-8088.

WEDNESDAY/MAY 11

The Battle of Blackburns Ford, July 18, 1861: Prelude to First Manassas. 7:30 p.m. Fairfax Station Railroad Museum, 11200 Fairfax Station Road, Fairfax Station. With Manassas National Battlefield Park ranger and museum specialist Jim Burgess. Free and open to the public. www.fairfax-station.org or 703-425-9225.

An Evening with Johnny A. 7:30 p.m. Jammin' Java, 227 Maple Ave. E., Vienna. jamminjava.com.

Zoo Trip. 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. City of Fairfax Regional Library, 10360 North St., Fairfax. Stories and activities. Age 2-3 with adult. 703-293-6227.

Small Wonders. 10:30 a.m. Oakton Library, 10304 Lynnhaven Place, Oakton. Short stories. Age 13-23 months with adult. 703-242-4020.

One-on-One Computer Tutoring. 3 p.m. Oakton Library, 10304 Lynnhaven Place, Oakton. Learn the basics of the Internet, Word and Excel. Adults. 703-242-4020.

Treasured Three to Fives. 10:30 a.m. Patrick Henry Library, 101 Maple Ave. East, Vienna. Stories and songs. Age 3-5 with adult. 703-938-0405.

THURSDAY/MAY 12

Lecture on the First Battle of Bull Run. 7 p.m. Centreville Regional Library, 14200 St. Germain Drive, Centreville. Speaker Ed Beards analyzes the First Battle of Bull Run that occurred on July 21, 1861 at this special 150th Anniversary lecture. Event sponsored by the Bull Run Civil War Round Table. Free. 703-830-2223.

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