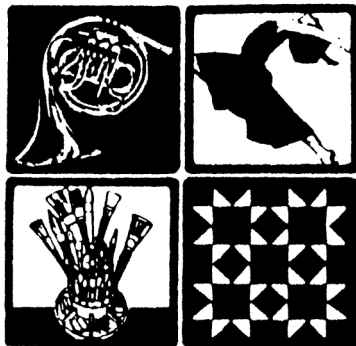


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Your membership helps publish the Newsletter and helps fund our free Summer Arts Festival, Cabin Fever and other classes for Allegany County children.

TOWN THEATRE OF SHORT TRACT

Summer Musical: **"INTO THE WOODS"**

July 5, 6, 7 - 7 pm. at Fillmore Central School

Tickets: towntheatreofShortTract, 585-567-8661

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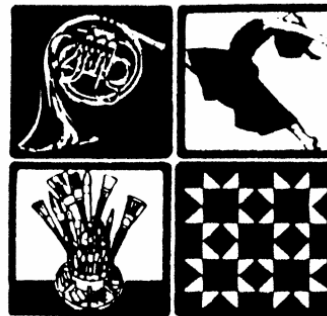
June 25-29, 2018

Join us for a week-long Camp for ages 7-14! Develop skills, play theatre games, work with drama coaches. Use your creativity, imagination & expression. A show will be mounted at week's end. Sign up now for information on your role, so you will be familiar with the production!

Learn stage directions, character development, voice projection, listening & reaction, props, sets, costuming, etc. Work with the cast of "INTO THE WOODS". Registration \$50 each.

Contact Jeff.Babbitt@houghton.edu. NOW!

See Page One for details about **Casual Reply** and save **September 20** at 7 pm at The Nancy Howe Auditorium in Wellsville for a second **Casual Reply Concert**.



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Summer Arts Festival FREE Classes for Kids

Allegany Arts is proud to offer FREE classes for Allegany County children and youth. Your local Library will have more information, or call Molly Pike, Administrator, 466-6210.

Angelica: Angelica Ink, 20 Allegany Ave. Printmaking with Mary Warner. Tues.-Thurs, July 10-12, July 17-19, 9 am-11 am. Ages 10 to 18, class limit 6. Email angelica.ink@gmail.com.

Belfast Library: STEPS Dance Studio, Six weeks, see Library.*

Belmont—The Fountain Arts Center: Wendy Skinner, Tues. & Wed., July 17, 18, 24, 25, 31, Aug. 1. 10 am—noon. Paper collage, Found Objects, Tiny Drama Diorama, Plein Air Painting, Basic Drawing & Sketching. Adults also \$10 fee. Email Wendy Skinner@thefountainartscenter.org or call 585-808-5379.

Bolivar-Free Library— STEPS Dance Studio, Tues. July 17, 11 am. *



Canaseraga, Village Park—Alice Deres, "Rockin' Art in the Park",

Mon. July 9, 16, 23, 30, Aug. 6, Noon to 3 pm. Ages 7 & up. Bring your Lunch. Register at Library or email abderes/@localnet.net. (Right: Canaseraga Library Class, Feb. 18)

Canaseraga Library— STEPS Dance Studio,

August 1, 11 am. *

Fillmore Library—Sculpture with Bonnie Leigh, July 9 & 16, 1-3 pm, July 30, Aug. 9, 1-3 pm. Register @ Library or leighyoga@gmail.com.

Fillmore Library—STEPS Dance Studio, ask for dates at Library.

Richburg Library—Elaine Hardman-Aug 2, 9, 1-3 pm. Make a Wind Chime (glass beads) and Beaded Book Mark or Bracelet, ages 8 to 18.

Richburg Library -STEPS Dance Studio, Thursday, July 26, 11 am. *

Scio Library—Elaine Hardman-Aug 2, 9; 10-12. See Richburg. Ages 8-18

Wellsville—2 Howe Terrace, Acrylic Painting with Wanda Dean.

Wed., August 1 and 8, 9 am to noon. Ages 8 and up. Limit 8 students.

Email Wanda at wgdean55@gmail.com.

Wellsville, 112 Main Street—STEPS Dance Studio. Four-week session, August 6, 13, 20, 27, 6 pm. All ages welcome. Register at STEPS.

Whitesville Library— STEPS Dance Studio, Friday, Aug. 10, 10 am. *

* All ages welcome. Register at the Library.

See SheilaLynnK Art for additional classes - Page 2

SAF is funded in part by the NYS Council on the Arts Decentralization ReGrant Program with support from Gov. Andrew Cuomo, & the NYS Legislature, administered by Catt. Co. Arts Council.

AAA Sponsors Wellsville Nancy Howe

Auditorium Program

"CASUAL REPLY", the singing duo of John Spicer and Michelle Libertone, will bring their special vocals to Nancy Howe Auditorium September 20, 2018, sponsored by a grant from fan, Marilee Patterer. Marilee heard Michelle and John last Fall in their John Denver Tribute and fell in love. She contacted AAA to arrange another event, and ended up funding two events! The first will be at Cuba's Palmer Opera House June 29. (See back page.)

Casual Reply is an acoustic duo from Wellsville. They have been performing together for four years. Michelle Libertone is the primary vocalist. She began singing in high school choir, performing in musical productions during and after her school years.

John Spicer began guitar at age 13 and credits Johnny Cash and John Denver as influences. He backs up Michelle on guitar and provides vocal harmonies. The two perform a variety of classic and contemporary folk and country songs. They have enjoyed performing at many events in Allegany County and Pennsylvania.

Allegany Arts Awarded Grants

The Allegany Arts Association has received two generous grants to continue offering free children's art classes and programming in Allegany County.

The NYS Council on the Arts again awarded AAA a grant to partially cover the costs of Spring and Summer free kids' art classes. The grant is administered by the Cattaraugus County Arts Council.

Also, an award was received from the Moogan Family Foundation to assist in our mission of providing quality arts programs.

For these grants and your memberships and support, AAA is tremendously grateful. Thank You!

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Allegany Arts Association along with the Palmer Event Center presents:
Fri. June 29 7-9pm
FREE ADMISSION
Casual Reply
Classic and contemporary country and folk favorites, and, of course, some John Denver!
This program is partially sponsored by the Allegany Arts Association, with partial funding from the NYS Council on the Arts Decentralization Re-Grant Program with support from Gov. Mario Cuomo and the NYS Legislature administered by the Cattaraugus County Arts Council.
The PALMER EVENT CENTER
12 W. Main St. Cuba, NY
www.PalmerOperaHouse.com

Nancy Howe Auditorium Events

All Free and Open to the Public

June 2—2 pm ALEX BERENSON, Author of John Wells' book series. Talk & Book Signing; won Mystery Writers' Award.

June 14, 7 pm.—The Young Sisters, an acoustic duo who sing in tight harmonies—with a new song list.

Summer Reading Program "Libraries Rock!" ends August 3 with a visit from best-selling author Wendy Corsi Staub, who will answer questions and sign books for library patrons. More information at the Library.

Book Clubs - Contemporary Classics meets at 3:30 pm on the third Tuesday each month. Ask at the Desk for current books & dates.

Page Turners meets at 3:30 on the first Wednesday each month.

LUNCH ON THE TERRACE, Tuesdays, July 10 through August 14 starting at 11:30 am. Area restaurants will serve lunch.

MUSIC ON THE LAWN—Every Thursday evening from June 21 through August 2. Bring your chair and enjoy the stars!

Check the website www.davidahowelibrary.org, or call 585-593-3410 for more information, lists of Auditorium movies and other events.

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AAA Spring Fling class at The Fountain Arts Center in Belmont painted patriotic signs under the direction of teacher Wendy Skinner. Come for SAF classes in July!

A VOICE WE NEED

Oh woman,

Give voice, give voice,

Yours the word that now must be hearkened to.

You have been silenced too long.

Speak peace, wholeness, truth,

In the forum, in the temple—

Before man, before your gods.

Out of the silence of your years,

Speak to us, we must listen.

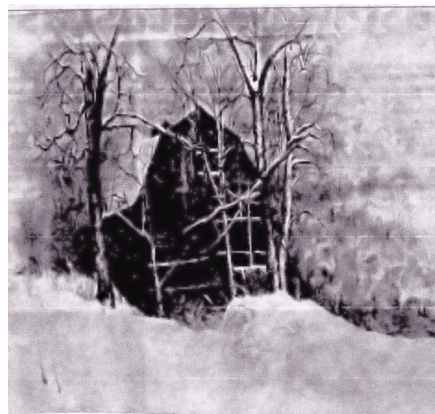
by Daniel Fox

Wellsville Art Association

WAA celebrated the Seven-County Art Show in April. Best of Show, "Nor'easter" by Pat Shannon Gay, is pictured below. Other winners were First Place, Scenic: "Along Waterwells Road" by Gail M. Kedzierski, "Tradition", a still life by Karen Barber and a repurposed metal "Steam Roller Light" by Scot Marceaux in Mixed Media. Other winners are listed on the WellsvilleArtAssociation.net website.

The WAA **Featured Artist** for 2018 is Hanna Jeukoff. A Reception will be held at 5:30 pm August 23 with her show on display until September 15.

The **WAA Member's Show** is planned for October 8-27 with entries taken October 4 and 5. Contact Karen Dickerson at 585-593-3579 for information regarding the Wellsville Art Association, Wellsville's oldest, most respected art organization.



More Free SAF Classes—SheilaLynn Art Studio

345 South Main Street, Wellsville

Email Sheila@sheilalynnkart.com

RSVP to 585-593-4161 All Materials Provided.

July 10-Yarn Art, 12-3 pm, ages 6+, RSVP by July 1.

July 11-Drawing "Year of the Bird", Ages 7 +, RSVP.

August 14-SunBurst Watercolor Painting, Ages 6+, RSVP by August 10.

August 15-"Emojis, Pokeman & Anime Drawing, ages 7+, RSVP by August 10.

August 21-Upcycled Art, TP roll & fabric Pixie House, Ages 6 and up. RSVP by August 16.

August 22-Drawing "Alphabet Dragons", ages 7 and up. RSVP by August 16.

August 28-Tiny Creators, ages 2-5 with an adult. Mixed-Media Magic, (non-toxic wet & dry media). Limited space. RSVP by August 23.

August 29-"Tangled Observations", tangled designs from Still life drawings, ages 7 and up. RSVP by August 23. Check out sheilalynnkart.com-Events for more news.

Allegany Artisans TOGETHER WITH FRIENDS Art and Craft Show

Alfred University McClain Center—Saturday, June 9
10 am to 3 pm Free

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Calendar of Events for June, July and August 2018

RECURRING EVENTS

First Monday: Wellsville Garden Club, 7 pm, First Congregational Church, North Main Street, Wellsville. Open to all. Call Linda Fanton, 593-5683.

Second Tuesday: Attend the public Board meeting of the Allegany Arts Association at 10:00 am at David A. Howe Library, Wellsville.

Every Tuesday: Genesee Valley Chorus rehearsal, 7 pm at Grace United Church, N. Main Street, Wellsville. All singers welcome!

First Wednesday (every 2nd month)- TRGH Wellsville Historical Society, 7:30 pm Trinity Lutheran Church, North Main Street, Wellsville.

First Friday: Allegany Co. Bird Club, 7 pm, Grace Church, Wellsville.

Third Monday: Baker's Bridge Historical Society, Alfred Station. 7:30 pm.

Third Tuesday: Allegany County Historical Society Board, 4 pm, 11 East Greenwood St., Andover. **Museum hours:** Ron Taylor, Pres. 585-610-8668.

Thursdays: Acoustic Open Mic Night, Palmer Opera House. Sign in at 5:30, Perfect Blend Coffeehouse & Eatery open until 8 pm.

1st & 3rd Thursdays: Northern Allegany County Quilters, 1-4 pm, Fillmore Wesleyan Family Center, all skill levels welcome. Call 585-365-8856.

First Saturday: Southern Tier Fiber Arts Guild, 11 -2 at Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 N. Main St., Wellsville. Call 607-587-9270 or 585-593-4799 for information. All fiber artists welcome.

JUNE 2018

2-Celtic Festival, 9 am—9 pm., Cuba Fireman's Park. Music, dance, McGee Family Highland Games, gathering of the Clans.

3-Genesee Valley Chorus "Songs We Love to Sing", 3 pm at Trinity Lutheran Church, 470 Main St., Wellsville.

5,6-Painting with Alcohol Inks, Cuba Library 5-8, \$25 Register!

8,9-Starlight Dessert Theatre: "Sleeping Beauty", directed by Heidi Noel Mangels. 6:30 pm. \$6, \$5 seniors, under 12 Free.

9-"Together With Family & Friends" Craft Fair by 22 Allegany Artisans at Alfred University McLain Center Gym. Free. 10-3 pm.

9-Free Family Art Day, CCAC. 1-4 pm, 100 W. Main, Allegany

16-Evening Under the Stars, DH Library Terrace, 7:30 pm, \$30, Wellsville Area Chamber of Commerce. Band: Witch Hazel.

17-24-Pioneer Oil Days, Bolivar

18-Almond Hist. Soc. Strawberry Festival, 5 pm, Main Street.

JULY 2018

4 Fourth of July Parade & Festival, Andover

5-7-"Into the Woods" Fillmore C.S., 7 pm. Tickets: Town Theatre of Short Tract@sttowntheatre.

7-Lavender Festival, Angelica Park Circle.

8-14-MOST ARTS FESTIVAL, Alfred. Week of great music, art classes, Young Pianist Competition, workshops. See MostArts@alfred.edu, or Lisa Lantz 607-871-2569.

14-15-Great Wellsville Balloon Rally & Festival.

16-21-Allegany County Fair, Angelica.

22-ART IN THE PARK/Taste of Olean, 11 am—5 pm, Olean War Vets Park. Free.

AUGUST 2018

4-5-Heritage Days, Angelica Park Circle

11-Wellsville Music Festival

PALMER OPERA HOUSE—CUBA, NY

JUNE 1—Tough Old Bird 8 pm, Corrigan brothers.

5-Team Trivia, 1st Tues. \$2. Prizes, music, food.

6-Yoga thru Yogini, 6—7:30, \$10, bring mat, etc.

7-Live Music Open Mic, 6 to 10 pm. FREE.

10-Allegany Alumni Band & Friends 2-4 pm, at Cuba's Liberty Flag Pole. Chicken BBQ at 11 am.

14-Songs of Faith, Cuba Church Council and Nettie Productions, 6 pm, Benefits: Scholarships.

16-"This Way to the Egress", 7 pm. Tickets at www.browntickets.com or 585-209-5512.\$14,\$17.

25-Patriotic Wine & Design, 6:30-8:30 pm. \$24 to make patriotic flower arrangement. Reservations.

26-OneSong Country Americana, 2 pm. Tuesday

28-Patriotic Bandana Wreath Class, 6:30-8 pm.

Cost \$25, includes materials. Call 209-5512.

29-Casual Reply Music Duo, 7 pm. See Page 8.

(Partially sponsored by Allegany Arts Association.)

JULY 11-David Mason "Our American Roots", 2 pm. Tickets \$7.50. Wednesday Matinee.

18-Rustic Ramblers, Matinee 2 pm. Four Western NY musicians: Howard Buck, David Bailey, Jim "Frito" Lanphere & Gene Hilts.

25-Bob and Gena Decker, 2 pm. Blues, bluegrass, folk, rock, gospel and roots music.

27-Tombstone with "Not Norman" Classic Rock-Band. 7 to 10 pm. Cash Bar, \$5 Music and dance!

For more great shows see PalmerOperaHouse@gmail.com or call 585-209-5512.

WELLSVILLE CREATIVE ARTS CENTER

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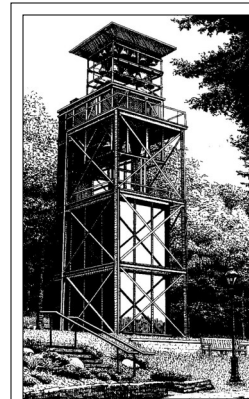
Tickets, 593-3000, www.wellsvillecreativeartscenter.com

Open Mic—Wednesdays 7—10 pm **Restaurant Open**. 593-3000.

September 2018, HISTORY ALIVE!

Allegany History Awareness will sponsor a third LOCAL HISTORY WEEK, centered on **World War I and II** events, Sept. 24-30, 2018. The David A. Howe Library will have exciting exhibits, artifacts and surprise history relating to our grandparents and the "Greatest Generation's" experiences. Special speakers and programs presented daily, with a Sunday visit of famous folks at Cuba's Palmer Opera House. All free!

Contact AHA-Karen Dickerson (593-3579) or your local Historical Society to offer help and/or articles from your grandparent's attic. More than 1,000 students will be attending along with Allegany County residents.



Wingate Memorial Summer Carillon 2018 Concerts:

July 10, 6 pm:
Tatiana Lukyanova
July 17, 7 pm:
James Fackenthal
July 24, 7 pm:
Gordon Slater
July 31, 7 pm:
Carlo vonUlft
Free.

Bring a chair or a blanket and enjoy!

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Outdoor Family Concerts:

"The Jazz Ninjas", June 30, 6 pm.
"RON" July 14, 6 pm.
Bring chairs or blankets.

ALLEGANY ARTS ASSOCIATION

The Allegany Arts Association, a non-profit (501c3) founded in 1982, promotes participation in the arts by all citizens of Allegany County. AAA provides arts programming and a variety of experiences for all ages and is supported by individual and corporate members and partly by a grant from the NYS Council on the Arts Decentralization Re-grant Program with support from Gov. Andrew Cuomo & the NYS Legislature and administered by the Cattaraugus County Arts Council.

The Allegany Arts Newsletter is published quarterly. We welcome news releases and photos about cultural activities in the county. (Note: Any views reported are not necessarily those of the AAA Board.) The next **deadline** is August 15, 2018, for the Fall issue. Advertisers pay only \$25 per issue or \$75/year (4 issues) in advance. (Single ads). Double ads are \$150 for a year.

We work together with the David A. Howe Library, Allegany Artisans, the Wellsville Art Association, The Fountain Arts Center, The Wellsville Creative Arts Center and many others to expand access to the arts to all.

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Genesee Valley Chorus Concert

"Songs We Love to Sing"
Sunday, June 3 3 pm.

Trinity Lutheran Church, Wellsville

Directed by Norma Bartlett,

Accompanist Carole Aldrich

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In conjunction with
MOST ARTS FESTIVAL
JULY 8—14, ALFRED, NY.
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AAA Poetry Slam, 11 Years of Success!

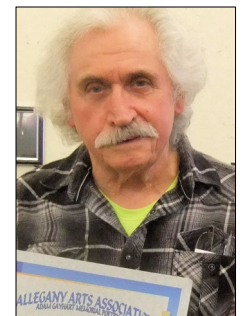
Ten talented local poets came together to read and enjoy each other's poetic efforts on April 19. Prize winners took home a total of \$115. Voting audience members found their choices difficult. Most of the other six excellent poets received an equal number of votes. They were Vicki Grant, Edward Linnecke, M.K. Kellogg, Donald Neal, Chuck Wisner and Mary Zdrojewski. Don Ash of Angelica Radio Station WRAQ aired the Poetry Slam twice, for which AAA and the poets are grateful.

Winning poems can be read at www.alleganyartsassociation.com.

Next year: save April 18, 2019 for the 12th Poetry Slam/Contest!



Poetry Slam Winners: Daniel Fox, First Prize (right), Jasmine Schumacher (3rd), Joseph Flynn (3rd) and Breanna Hanchett (Second Prize)



Daniel Fox, see one of his poems, Page 2

Belfast Organization for Artists News

BOFA (Belfast Organization for Artists) - Unfinished Objects (UFO) Days—June 29 and August 31, 1-4 pm, Belfast Town Hall. Free. Questions: Please call Kathy Garrison 585-365-8856.

Eighth Annual Art Show, Belfast Public Library, August 1—30. \$5 entry for non-BOFA members. Entries taken: July 28, 10 am to 12:30 pm @ Library.

Northern Allegany County

Quilters (NACQ) - First & third Thursdays, 1-4 pm, Fillmore Wesleyan Family Center. \$1 fee, all skill levels welcome. Call Kathy Garrison with questions 585-365-8856. (Please leave a message.)

Look for NACQ members doing quilting demonstrations in the Home Arts Department at the Allegany County Fair, July 16-20 from 1 to 5 pm. Pictured are Marie Nix and Kathy Garrison at work on another cheerful quilt at Belfast Town Hall.



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June 9, 2018 1 to 3 pm. Docent tours at 2 pm leaving from the Ceramic Art Museum to: Turner Gallery, Cube Gallery, Terra Cotta Building, Cohen Gallery, Terra Cotta Coffee House, Alfred Sculpture Park, The Rogue Carrot and ending at Herrick Memorial Library. Other galleries open: Bret Llewellyn Gallery, Engineering Tech, Alfred State, 3rd floor, #312.
 Hungry? 10% off @ The Rose-bush, 11 N.Main St., June 9!
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