



Addison Center for the Arts Newsletter - Fall 2013

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Christine Milostan

September has arrived!! As we welcome the cooler temperatures and colors of Autumn in our area, the Addison Center for the Arts will be welcoming a new season of exhibits, performances and events. ACA is also partnering with other Addison organizations in promoting and sharing information about community programs.

Artist John Walker opens our gallery season with his contemporary representational work. In October we welcome artist Terrance Johnson, followed by the Addison Art Guild with their exhibit in November.

On October 9th, we will once again offer the school children of Addison an opportunity to enjoy the Lyric Opera. This year the children will view a production of "The Barber of Seville". Our studio theater will be presenting a whimsical and comical performance of "Romeo and Juliet - 10 years Later" by Mike Rago on October 18 - 20, 2013.

Membership

SPECIAL OFFER! Everyone likes a bargain so we are now offering a "special" for potential new members. When they sign up, their membership will extend straight through to **December 31, 2014!** This year's membership extends until December 31, 2013. *Current members can wait until the end of 2013 to pay their dues or avoid the rush and pay them now!*

A form can be requested by phone (630-458-4500) or a form can be downloaded from our website: www.addisoncenterforthearts.com/membership. Please help us recruit new members!! Invite your family, friends, and neighbors!



Fall Art Exhibits and Performances

Art Exhibits

August 28 - September 28, 2013 - John Walker, "Persistent Vision" Contemporary Representational art.

John is an accomplished artist and illustrator with over 30 years of working experience. John has created nationally recognized work using traditional and digital media. Though a versatile media artist, most of his work is painted in acrylics. He has won numerous awards including Best of Shows in many exhibits. Visit his website at www.WalkerBrushWorks.com

October 2 - November 2, 2013 - Terrance Johnson, "An Alternative View" Modernism

Reception - Friday, October 11, 2013, 7- 9 pm

November 6 - December 14, 2013 - Addison Art Guild

Reception - Thursday, November 14, 2013, 6:30 - 9 pm

Performances

Wednesday, October 9, 2013 - **Lyric Opera in the Neighborhoods** - Rossini's Barber of Seville.

Performance times will be 10 am and noon for the Addison School Children Grades 3-6. This is the 18th year ACA has brought the Opera in the Neighborhoods to the students of the Addison. *This program is funded in part by the Addison Center for the Arts, the Dolores Keavy Foundation, Addison School District #4, and DuPage High School District #88.*

October 18 - 20, 2013 - **"Romeo and Juliet 10 years Later"** (*recommended for audiences in junior high school and older). A lighthearted comedy written, produced and directed by local writer Mike Rago.

Performances Times and Dates:

Friday, October 18, 2013 7:30 pm

Saturday, October 19, 2013 7:30 pm

Sunday, October 20, 2013 3:00 pm

Cost of Tickets: Adults \$12.00 Students ID/Seniors \$10.00

Purchase Tickets in Advance for Romeo and Juliet on www.addisoncenterforthearts.com/events/

Congratulations to Addison Trail and Willowbrook High Schools at being named (again) as Top Schools in America by the Washington Post and As America's Best High Schools by Newsweek!

ACA networks and supports events hosted by other organizations within our community. Additional information can be found on each organizations' websites or from contact information.

Addison Park District

September 26- 28 - Scholastic Book Fair and Kelly Miller Circus - Centennial Rec Center

September 28 - National Public Lands Day - Bulbs, Burgers & Brats - Community Rec Center

October 26 - Fall Recycling Extravaganza - Community Rec Center www.addisonpark.org

Addison Art Guild

October 19, 2013 "Fall Fling of Bling & Arty Things" - Hampton Inn & Suites, 1685 Lake Street, Addison, IL 10:30 am - 4:30 pm. Contact eyeboutz@me.com

Addison School Districts 4 & 88

December 8 - PIE Foundation fundraiser - Hello Dolly - Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace
dcain@dupage88.net or call 630-516-7895.

Got Stuff?

ACA has a new opportunity to help you and your family clear the clutter and also earn \$\$ for our center.

swap.com
KIDS' CONSIGNMENT

Donate gently-loved kids' items to swap.com. All sales proceeds from these donations go back to ACA (minus selling fees). Swap.com is an online children's consignment shop headquartered on Racquet Club Drive, in Addison. From clothes, toys, books, to games, DVDs and sporting equipment, swap.com sells everything you would need for a newborn all the way to an 18 yr. old!

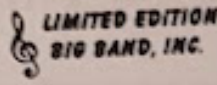
You can drop off items at the ACA office, send them in with a free shipping code (use discount code ACArts) or coordinate a drop off at their Addison logistics center. Please contact Michelle Thompson at michelle@swap.com with any questions.

Special Thanks

Our programs and events are made possible in part by the generous support of:



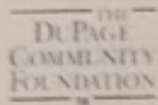
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A big THANK YOU to all the helping hands who volunteered their time and muscles to moving furniture for our summer housecleaning project of the gallery and office.

Many thanks to our gallery volunteers who help throughout the year. ACA can always use more helping hands! If you can come and serve as a gallery docent for a few hours a week, please contact Margaret Loftus at mmloftus@comcast.net or 630-217-5159.

Gallery Hours: Wednesday - Saturday from 12 pm to 4 pm

Group tours can be arranged during these or other hours by calling or emailing info@addisoncenterforthearts.com.

Contact Info:

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The Addison Center for the Arts was created to advance the arts as an integral part of life in Addison and the surrounding communities. We are committed to providing a home for performing and visual arts. We are dedicated to creating quality art programs in order to provide self-exploration, skill development and aesthetic awareness. We strive to empower the creator, performer, audience or consumer as a way to enhance and enrich the world around us.