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EVENTS



JANUARY
FEBRUARY
2010

SO MUCH HAPPENED BEFORE DOROTHY DROPPED IN.



A NEW MUSICAL
WICKED
THE UNTOLD STORY OF THE WITCHES OF OZ

January 13th - 31st
Mulroy Civic Center at Oncenter

MUSIC, THEATER & STAGE

DISNEY ON ICE: FINDING NEMO at the War Memorial. Follow along-side Marlin and Dory on a daring search of the big blue in this whale of a time, full of laughter and fun! 1/6-8, 7pm, 1/9 11am, 3pm & 7pm, 1/10 1pm, 4:30pm, 435-2121 or www.oncenter.org (admission)

WEDNESDAYS WITH WISE GUYS...WALK-UP RADIO FOLLOWED BY TRIVIA at Wise Guys, 201 South Salina Street. It's a free night of entertainment! Walk-Up Radio, hosted by Josh Grosvent, is a completely live comedy radio show taped in front of a live studio audience! 1/6, 1/13, 1/20, 1/27, 2/3, 2/10, 2/17 & 2/24, 477-9898 or www.wiseguysyracuse.com (free)

SYRACUSE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA at the Mulroy Civic Center, 424-8200 or www.syracusesymphony.org (admission)

Post-Standard Classics Series

1/8-9 The Romantic Violin, 8pm

2/12-13 Romeo & Juliet, 8pm

M&T Bank Pops Series

2/5-6 Bravo Broadway Rocks!, 8pm

Central New York Community Foundation Family Series

2/6 Fantastic Fairy Tales: Legends from Around the World, 10:30am

WICKED presented by Famous Artists Broadway at the Mulroy Civic Center. So much happened before Dorothy dropped in! Come see the show that has won 26 major awards and is what the New York Times calls "Broadway's biggest blockbuster." 1/13-1/31, Tuesday - Thursday & Sunday 7:30pm (excluding 1/31), Thursday, Saturday & Sunday 2pm (excluding 1/21), Fridays & Saturdays 8pm, 424-8210 or www.famousartistsbroadway.com (admission)

CIVIC MORNING MUSICALS at the Everson Museum of Art, 699-5856 or www.civictimorningmusicals.org

Wednesday Lunchtime Recital Series, 12:30pm (free)

1/20 - William-John Newbrough, piano.

1/27 - Laura Enslin, soprano, Ken Meyer, guitar.

2/3 - Jeremy Mastrangelo, violin, and an SSO Octet.

2/10 - Kevin Moore, piano, Andrew Zaplatynski, violin.

2/17 - Martha Grener, flute, Maryna Mazhukova, piano.

2/24 - Danya Katok, soprano, Sabine Krantz, piano.

DEEPAK CHOPRA at the Landmark Theatre, 1/22, 7:30pm, 475-7980 or www.landmarktheatre.org (admission)

SCHOLASTIC JAZZ JAM at Jazz Central, 441 East Washington Street. 1/23, 2-5pm, 479-5299 or www.cnyjazz.org (admission)

OPENING NIGHT RECEPTION FOR TIM SCOTT- THE SIXTIES: WHEN COLOR WAS SCULPTURE & THE EDGE OF ART: NEW YORK STATE ARTISTS SERIES at the Everson Museum of Art. Join the vibe and have a psychedelic good time with a great mix of songs from the '60s provided by DJ Brian Oddo. Enjoy light hors d'oeuvres and cash bar before previewing the exhibitions. 1/29, 5:30pm, 474-6064 or www.everson.org (free to members, admission for non-members)

UNCORKED! at the Everson Museum of Art. The Rosamond Gifford Sculpture Court will be filled with the sounds of live music and the galleries will be hosting exciting new exhibitions. Enjoy a cash bar and light fare catered by Pascale's. **2/5**, 5-7pm, 474-6064 or www.everson.org (free)

CIRQUE DREAMS ILLUMINATION presented by Famous Artists Broadway at the Mulroy Civic Center. Audiences of all ages will marvel as city dwellers reinvent familiar objects, balance on wires, leap tall buildings and redefine the risks of flight in a story filled with astounding occurrences. **2/9-11**, 7:30pm, 424-8210 or www.famousartistsbroadway.com (admission)

PASCALÉ BLACK HISTORY MONTH CABARET at the Hotel Syracuse. CNY Jazz Foundation creates the only cabaret lounge in Syracuse, just once a year, with the help of Pascale's. An affordable food station menu and cash bar are available. **2/14**, 4pm doors open, 6pm showtime, 479-5299 or www.cnyjazz.org (admission)

NEIL LABUTE'S "FAT PIG" presented by Simply New Theatre at the Mulroy Civic Center, **2/26 & 2/27**, 8pm, 558-9124, johnnara@simplynewtheatre.com or www.simplynewtheatre.com (admission)

STAR WARS THE MUSICAL presented by Rarely Done Productions at Jazz Central, 441 East Washington Street. A joint fundraiser with the Wits End Players. **2/26 & 2/27**, 8pm, 546-3224 or www.rarelydone.org (admission)

THE FLYING DUTCHMAN presented by the Syracuse Opera at the Mulroy Civic Center. **2/26** at 8pm & **2/28** at 2pm, 476-7372 or

ARTS & EXHIBITS

EVERSON MUSEUM OF ART, 401 Harrison St, Gallery & Museum Shop open Tuesday & Wednesday 12-6pm, Thursday & Friday 12-9pm, Saturday & Sunday 9am-6pm, 474-6064 or www.everson.org (suggested \$5 donation)

Current & Upcoming Exhibitions:

- The Edge of Art: New York State Artists Series, Part I, opens **1/16**
- Tim Scott – The Sixties: When Color was Sculpture, opens **1/23**
- Turner to Cézanne: Masterpieces from the Davies Collection, National Museum of Wales, until **1/3**
- Women of Rookwood: The Joyce & Eliot Sterling Collection, until **1/31**
- Arts & Crafts of New York State, until **1/31**

Permanent Exhibitions:

- Gustav Stickley, A Craftsman with a Mission (Members' Council Gallery)
- The Syracuse China Collection
- Art Zone

ERIE CANAL MUSEUM, 318 Erie Boulevard East. Climb aboard the Frank B. Thomson (a full-sized replica canal boat) and explore Syracuse history and what makes the "Salt City" unique, and browse the museum shop. Museum open Monday – Saturday from 10am – 5pm and Sunday from 10am – 3pm, 471-0593 or www.eriecanalmuseum.org (donation accepted)

gallerY, 340 Montgomery Street, 2nd floor of Downtown YMCA. New exhibits are hosted every three months, with a focus between image and writing, open Monday – Friday, 9am – 7pm, 474-6851 x328 or www.ymcaofgreatersyracuse.org/arts

MOST (Museum of Science and Technology), 500 South Franklin Street. Museum open Wed – Sun, 10am – 5pm, 425-9068 or www.most.org (admission)

Current & Upcoming Exhibits:

- Flight & Space, opens **1/30**

Permanent Exhibits:

- Life Sciences
- Science Playhouse
- Earth Science Discovery Cave
- Technotown
- The Wonderful World of Butterflies
- Toothpick City II

Silverman Planetarium, Saturdays, Sundays and school holidays:

- Zoo in the Sky, 11:15am
- Winter Skies, 3:15pm

MUSEUM OF YOUNG ART, One Lincoln Center, 110 West Fayette Street. Gallery open Tuesday-Friday from 10am – 6pm, Saturday and Sunday from 10am – 3pm, 424-7800 or themoya@live.com (free)

ONONDAGA HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION MUSEUM, 321 Montgomery Street. Museum open Wednesday-Friday, 10am – 2pm and Saturday and Sunday, 11am – 4pm. Research Center open Wednesday – Friday, 10am – 2pm, 428-1864 or www.cnyhistory.org (donation accepted)

Current & Upcoming Exhibitions:

- Toys from Your Childhood: The Psychedelic Sixties
- The Salt City Comes of Age: Syracuse during the Impressionist Era in America, until **1/3**

Permanent Exhibits:

- Onondaga County: The Heart of New York
- The Franklin and the Rise of the Automobile Age
- Freedom Bound: Syracuse and the Underground Railroad
- The Jerry Rescue
- Our Sporting Life: The Heroes. The Highlights. The History.
- Syracuse China: Fired Forms of the American Experience
- Syracuse Brewing History

SUNY OSWEGO METRO CENTER, 2 Clinton Square. Showcasing the work of SUNY Oswego students. Gallery open Tuesday-Thursday from 9am – 8pm and Friday from 9am-4pm, 312-2111 or www.oswego.edu/academics/continuing/metro_center/exhibitions (free)

TH3: THIRD THURSDAY: CITYWIDE VISUAL ART OPEN at various art and cultural venues in downtown and throughout Syracuse. Events are planned every third Thursday offering a unique art experience for the public to enjoy. **1/21 & 2/18** from 5 – 8pm, www.th3syracuse.com (free)

XL PROJECTS, 307-313 South Clinton Street, showcasing the work of SU's faculty and students of the College of Visual & Performing Arts. Gallery open Wednesday – Sunday from Noon-6pm, 443-5889 (free)

Current & Upcoming Exhibitions:

- FRESH: Foundation Students Juried Exhibition, until **1/3**
- Stone Canoe, **1/6-1/24**
- Elongating the Thread, **2/3-2/28**

DOWNTOWN DINING WEEK

Restaurants throughout downtown Syracuse offer three courses for just \$25! This is the perfect time to sample new cuisine and enjoy a night out.

For a list of participating venues, go to www.downtownsyracuse.com or call 422-8284.

Presented by the Downtown Committee and participating restaurants.

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FILMS

IMAX FILMS AT THE MOST, 500 South Franklin Street, call for times, 425-9068 or www.most.org (admission)

- Amazon
- Mystery of the Nile
- The Living Sea
- The Polar Express
- The Magic of Flight (opens 1/2)

BLACK HISTORY: LOST, STOLEN, OR STRAYED? at the Everson Museum of Art. A 1968 CBS NEWS news report on African American history featuring segments that spotlight the changing image of black Americans through film and TV clips ranging from The Birth of a Nation to Guess Who's Coming to Dinner; and some of America's less familiar black heroes, including Daniel Hale Williams, the first doctor to perform open heart surgery in

CLASSES, WORKSHOPS, LECTURES & MEETINGS

PHOTOGRAPHY CLASSES: WINTER LANDSCAPES at the MOST, 500 South Franklin Street. 1/7, 1/14 & 1/21, 425-9068 x2132 or dangell@most.org (reservations required, admission)

FIFTH YEAR ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION at the Syracuse Tech Garden, 235 Harrison Street, 1/13, 5 – 6:30pm, 474-0910 or www.thetechgarden.com

FLIGHT NIGHT at the MOST, 500 South Franklin Street. Families bring your kids and grandkids to a special evening celebrating the Bristol IMAX® Omnitheater's film 'The Magic of Flight'. 1/15, 5 – 7pm, 473-4269 or www.most.org (admission)

TACNY JUNIOR CAFÉ SCIENTIFIQUE at the MOST, 500 South Franklin Street. Please note: The target age for the TACNY Junior Cafe` Scientifique is Middle School & High School students, along with their parents or guardians. However, organizers ask that the question and answer period is for the students ONLY! 9:30-11am, 425-9068 x2121 or jrcafe@tacny.org (reservations required, free)

- "Computer Gaming!" – 1/16
- "So You Want to Be An Engineer?: Celebrating Engineering Week!" – 2/20

EVENING AT THE MUSEUM at the Onondaga Historical Association, 321 Montgomery Street. Accompany our knowledgeable night watchman to experience our exhibits in a new light and see who comes out of the woodwork to bring Salt City history to life. 1/21 & 2/18, the tour lasts for one hour, starting every half hour from 5-7pm, 428-1864 or www.cnyhistory.org (reservations required, admission)

MIX IT UP! YOUTH ART CLASSES at the Everson Museum of Art. 10:30am-noon, 474-6064 or www.everson.org (registration required, fee)

- Session I - 1/23, 1/30, 2/6, 2/13
- Session II - begins 2/27

OPEN HOUSE at the Syracuse Tech Garden, 235 Harrison Street. Time to meet and greet the Tech Garden tenants and outside business connections. 2/3, 5-7pm, 474-0910 or www.thetechgarden.com (free)

STORY TIME ART at the Everson Museum of Art. Families are invited to discover African culture through traditional African folktales and art making. 2/6, noon, 474-6064 or www.everson.org (free)

A MARK TWAIN VALENTINE: THE DIARIES OF ADAM & EVE at the Onondaga Historical Association, 321 Montgomery Street. Share that special day with your special someone with a funny presentation by America's foremost humorous and observer of the human condition, Samuel Clemens, also known as Mark Twain. 2/14, 2pm, 428-1864 or www.cnyhistory.org (admission)

TAKE A BREAK! at the Everson Museum of Art. Looking for fun and creative activities during mid-winter recess? Each day will include a different themed activity inspired by the Museum's permanent collection, ceramics and temporary exhibitions. 2/16-19, noon, 474-6064 or agoodall@everson.org (registration required, free)

ARTIST OPEN at the Everson Museum of Art. Central New York artists are invited to this information forum to learn about the Everson's 2010 artist series, The Edge of Art and the highly anticipated, multi-venue 2012 Biennial. 2/18, 6pm, 474-6064 or www.everson.org, email pmclaughlin@everson.org to reserve a seat. (reservations required, free)

Winterfest

Syracuse, NY

February 11 - 21, 2010

12 Days of Fun!

From the center of downtown Syracuse to surrounding areas throughout Onondaga County, everyone joins in the celebration. Kids will be kids, even when they're middle-aged. And there are no age limits when it comes to enjoying the displays, entertainment, games and culinary delights created by hundreds of hands.

What a Party!

With more than 100,000 people attending dozens of indoor and outdoor events, parties, cook-offs, various competitions plus an abundance of other activities, Syracuse Winterfest draws the second largest audience in all of Central New York.

Throughout Winterfest THE POST STANDARD MEDALLION HUNT

Follow the clues printed daily in the Post Standard to find the medallion hidden somewhere in Onondaga County.

Call 703-1703

Begins February 11th

WWW.SYRACUSEWINTERFEST.ORG



FOR MORE INFORMATION,

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466-9468

ALL EVENTS ARE
FREE UNLESS
OTHERWISE NOTED

Saturday, February 13th

WALK A MILE IN MY SHOES beginning in Clinton Square. A one-mile fundraiser walk for the Rescue Mission. **10am – noon.** (registration required, fee)

CHILI COOK-OFF in Hanover Square. Winterfest's signature event, presented by the Updowntowners. Area restaurants and organizations compete to create the best chili. **11am - 3pm.**

HUMAN DOG SLED RACE in Clinton Square. Themed-teams compete in race. **Noon – 1pm.** (registration required, fee)

CULINARY CRUISE at participating restaurants. Sample and vote for your favorite dishes. **Noon – 4pm.** (admission)

TASTE OF ROMANCE in Hotel Syracuse. Sample food and drink specials from the best romantic restaurants in CNY before the Valentine's Day holiday. **5 - 8pm.** (admission)

MARTINI MIX-OFF at downtown restaurants. Restaurants compete to see who has the best martini. **Noon – 4pm.** (admission)

COSMOPOLITAN MIX-OFF at downtown restaurants. Restaurants compete to see who has the best cosmo. **Noon – 4pm.** (admission)

Sunday, February 14th

WINTERFEST BREAKFAST at a downtown location TBD. **9-11am.**

Friday, February 19th

KIDS KARNIVAL at City Hall Commons Atrium. Enjoy carnival-style games, face painting and balloon characters. **11am – 4pm.** (fee to play games)

Saturday, February 20th

CHOWDER COOK-OFF in Hanover Square. Winterfest's signature event, presented by the Updowntowners. Area restaurants and organizations compete to create the best chowder. **11am – 3pm.**

KIDS KARNIVAL at City Hall Commons Atrium. Enjoy carnival-style games, face painting and balloon characters. **11am – 4pm.** (fee to play games)

MARGARITA-OFF at downtown restaurants. Restaurants compete to see who has the best margarita. **Noon – 4pm.** (admission)

Sunday, February 21st

WINTERFEST BREAKFAST at a downtown location TBD. **9 – 11am.**

KIDS KARNIVAL at City Hall Commons Atrium. Enjoy carnival-style games, face painting and balloon characters. **11am – 4pm.** (fee to play games)

BLOODY MARY-OFF at downtown restaurants. Restaurants compete to see who has the best bloody mary. **Noon – 4pm.** (admission)

WING WALK at various downtown restaurants. Sample wings from local restaurants as they compete for title of best wings. **Noon – 5pm.** (admission)

KIDS KARNIVAL at City Hall Commons Atrium. Enjoy carnival-style games, face painting and balloon characters. **11am – 4pm.** (fee to play games)

SPORTS, HEALTH & FITNESS

HARLEM GLOBETROTTERS at the War Memorial. **2/4**, 435-2121 or www.oncenter.org (admission)

SPECIAL OLYMPICS NEW YORK 2010 STATE WINTER GAMES at the Nicholas J. Pirro Convention Center at Oncenter. State Winter Games showcase the achievements of Special Olympics athletes and is one of three annual state games and 4,000 competitive experiences held each year throughout New York. **2/5** opening ceremonies at 7:30pm, **2/6** 8:30am, 518-388-0790 x.113 or www.nyso.org (free)

ICE SKATING AT CLINTON SQUARE, Mondays – Thursdays 11am-8pm, Fridays & school vacations 11am-10pm, Saturdays 10am-10pm, Sundays 10am-8pm, 423-0129 or www.syracuse.ny.us/parks/clintonsquarerink.html (admission)

DAILY HEALTH CARE CLINICS at the Mulroy Civic Center at Oncenter. Sponsored by the Onondaga County Health Department, 435-3252 or www.ongov.net/health

DOWNTOWN YMCA, 340 Montgomery Street. 474-6851 or www.downtownsyracuseymca.org (fee)

PERSONAL FITNESS, 205 Salina Street, a full-service executive fitness center specializing in personal training since 1995, video clips at www.thirtydayresults.com, 426-8917, pfp1on1@aol.com or www.personalfitnessprogram.com (fee)



SYRACUSE CRUNCH HOCKEY GAMES

War Memorial at Oncenter

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| 1/2 vs. Albany, 7:30pm | 2/6 vs. Adirondack, 7:30pm |
| 1/16 vs. Rochester, 7:30pm | 2/17 vs. Texas, 7pm |
| 1/22 vs. Wilkes Barre/Scranton, 7:30pm | 2/19 vs. Lake Erie, 7:30pm |
| 1/23 vs. Worcester, 7:30pm | 2/27 vs. Springfield, 7:30pm |
| 1/29 vs. San Antonio, 7:30pm | 2/28 vs. Norfolk, 3pm |

473-4444 or www.syracusecrunch.com
(admission)

OTHER EVENTS

BRIDES WORLD at the Nicholas J. Pirro Convention Center at Oncenter. Bridal Fashion Show & Exhibition. **1/9**, 10:30am-4pm, 800-724-1800 or www.oncenter.org (admission)

LIGHT THE WAY DINNER DANCE FOR CATHOLIC SCHOOLS at the Nicholas J. Pirro Convention Center at Oncenter. **1/29**, 6-11pm, 470-1450 or www.oncenter.org (admission)

Live Entertainment

Al's Wine & Whiskey Lounge, 321 S. Clinton St., 703-4773,
www.alwineandwhiskeylounge.com

Bar, 400 S. Clinton St., 446-5533

Blue Tusk, 165 Walton St., 472-1934, www.bluetusk.com

Bull & Bear Pub, 125 E. Water St., 701-3064,

www.bullandbearpub.com

Daisy Dukes, 414 S. Clinton St., 475-1600

Dinosaur Bar-B-Que, 246 W. Willow St., 476-4937,

www.dinosaurbarbque.com

Empire Brewing Company, 120 Walton St., 475-2337,

www.empirebrew.com

Fuel, 404 S. Clinton St., 471-9059

Kitty Hoynes's Irish Pub & Restaurant, 301 W. Fayette St.,
424-1974, www.kittyhoynes.com

Limerick Pub, 134 Walton St., 475-1819

Pastabilities, 311 S. Franklin St., 474-1153

Shenanigans, 318 E. Fayette St., 422-9292,

www.shenanigansbar.net

Sophistications Jazz Café, 441 S. Salina St., 372-0970,

www.sophisticationscafe.com

Syracuse Suds Factory, 320 S. Clinton St., 471-2253,

www.sudsfactory.com

The Water Street Café, 133 E. Water St., 422-4040

Wise Guys Comedy Club, 201 S. Salina St., 477-9898,

www.wiseguysyracuse.com

World Lounge & Martini Bar, 134 E. Genesee St., 422-3404

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