

CHRONOLOGY

FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS 2017 *Culture, Arts and You!*

FRIDAY MARCH 31

Lasell College Empty Bowls Night to benefit Centre Street Food Pantry
6-8pm Lasell College
www.lasell.edu

SATURDAY APRIL 1

Spring Newton Open Studios
11am-5pm Locations throughout Newton
www.newtonopenstudios.org

SATURDAYS (APRIL 1-29)

The Paper Mouse: National Letter-Writing Month
12-5pm The Paper Mouse
www.thepapermouse.com

SUNDAY APRIL 2

Spring Newton Open Studios
(See description above)

Highland Jazz presents Strike up the Band

2pm Newton South High School
www.highlandjazz.org

MONDAY APRIL 3

Raise the Roof: A Film
7pm Temple Shalom of Newton
<http://bit.ly/210OW96>

"Open Ended" Newton Art Association Exhibit (thru April 29)

United Parish of Auburndale
www.newtonartassociation.com

FRIDAY, APRIL 7

"In Flawed Abundance" (Exhibit thru May 6)
New Art Center in Newton
6-8pm Opening Reception; Gallery Hours: Tues.-Sat. 1-6pm
www.NewArtCenter.org;

SATURDAY APRIL 8

Workshop: Traditional Swedish Tunes with Sunniva Brynnel
11am Scandinavian Cultural Center
www.scandicenter.org

Night Tree: Folk Sextet with Swedish and Celtic Roots

1pm Scandinavian Cultural Center
www.scandicenter.org

Spring Fling honoring Elizabeth Berg & Wally Lamb

Hosts: Hank Phillippi Ryan & NPR's Tom Ashbrook

6:30pm Newton Free Library
www.newtonfreelibrary.net

Toni Lynn Washington & Paul Speidel Jazz
7:30pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
www.NewtonArtsCalendar.org

SATURDAYS APRIL 8, 22, 29

Workshop: Collaborative Drawing with Grey Held
10am-1pm New Art Center
www.newartcenter.org

THURSDAY APRIL 13

**Newton Art Association Demonstration: Artist Lynda Goldberg
Monotype Printing with a Press**
7-9pm Newton Senior Center
www.newtonartassociation.com

SUNDAY APRIL 16

**Manha de Carnaval! A Feast of Brazilian Music
Walden Chamber Players**
4pm Wilson Chapel
www.waldenchamberplayers.org

TUESDAY APRIL 18 - FRIDAY APRIL 21

Vacation Art Program for Children & Teens
www.NewArtCenter.org

WEDNESDAY APRIL 19

Reception: "Open Ended" Newton Art Association (Exhibit thru April 29)
United Parish of Auburndale
www.newtonartassociation.com

THURSDAY APRIL 20

The Inspired Word Banners (thru April 28)
Lasell Village
www.lasellvillage.org

SATURDAY APRIL 22

**A Musical Voyage from Vienna to Kiev
Featuring Olga Lisovskaya and Rupert Bergmann**
7pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
www.OlgaLisovskaya.tix.com

SUNDAY APRIL 23

Highland Glee Club
3pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
www.highlandgleeclub.com

MONDAY APRIL 24

Reception: The Inspired Word Banners
4pm Lasell Village
www.lasellvillage.org

WEDNESDAY APRIL 26

Curator Workshop with ICA's Dan Byers

6-8pm New Art Center
www.NewArtCenter.org/COP

THURSDAY APRIL 27

Bouncing Off the Walls: Newton Open Studios Spring Juried Show (thru July 15)

Daily including weekends at NewTV Gallery
www.newtv.org

FRIDAY APRIL 28

An Evening of Cabaret with singers from the Boston Association of Cabaret Artists

7pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

Runway 2017: Lasell College

7pm Lasell College
www.lasell.edu/academics/departments/fashion/fashion-show

Boys and Girls Club Theater Showcase

7pm John M. Barry Boys and Girls Club of Newton
www.newtonbgc.com

SATURDAY APRIL 29

Flutes, Fins and Paws by the Willow Flute Ensemble

1:30pm Newton Cultural Center
www.willowfluteensemble.com

Senior Collections: Lasell College

7pm Lasell College
www.lasell.edu/academics/departments/fashion/fashion-show

SUNDAY APRIL 30

NewtonSERVES

9am Newton City Hall
www.NewtonCommunityPride.org

Music for Food Benefit/ The Conservatory at Highlands

3pm Newton Highlands Congregational Church
www.musicforfood.org; www.highlandconservatory.com

New Phil Orchestra Family Discovery Concert "Musical Characters"

3pm First Baptist Church in Newton Center
www.newphil.org or (617) 527-9717

MONDAY MAY 1

The Artful Pianos Debut

9 locations: Auburndale, Newton Center, Newton Highlands, Newton Upper Falls, Newtonville, Nonantum, The Street | Chestnut Hill, Waban, West Newton
www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

A Conversation with Amy & Sonya Kurzweil

7pm Newton Free Library
www.newtonfreelibrary.net

WEDNESDAY MAY 3

Telling Our Stories

1-3pm Scandinavian Cultural Center
www.newtonathome.org

Quilts & Wall Hangings by Peter & Jean Stringham (thru June 28)

Lasell Village
www.lasellvillage.org

THURSDAY MAY 4

Newton Camera Club Exhibition (thru May 29)

5:30-7pm Opening Reception 2nd floor Gallery, Newton City Hall
www.newtoncc.org cynthiahcole@gmail.com

Music at Johnny's Luncheonette: Aunt Mimi Duo: Steven Malatesta & Dermot Whittaker

7-8:30pm Johnny's Luncheonette
www.johnnysluncheonette.com

Joint Art Reception for Barney Levitt & Eli Portman

7pm Newton Free Library
www.newtonfreelibrary.net

FRIDAY MAY 5

YCCA Singers Showcase

7pm West Suburban YMCA
www.wsymca.org/ycca

Moliere's "The Bourgeois Gentleman" or "The Would-Be Hipster" presented by Newton Theatre Company

8pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
www.NewtonTheatreCompany.com

SATURDAY MAY 6

Official Opening: Festival of the Arts Outdoor Sculpture Exhibition (thru July 31)

Curator Talk, Poetry Reading, Guided Tour

11am Newton City Hall
www.NewtonArtsCalendar.org

The Artful Piano

Waban Piano Summit with Tim Ray & Dayramir Gonzalez

1-3pm Waban Library
www.wabanimprovement.org

The Artful Piano: Boston Minstrels

1pm Newton Center Green
www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

Suzuki School of Newton Advanced Student Masterclass with Thoreau Piano Trio

6:30-8pm Scandinavian Cultural Center
www.suzukinewton.org

Moliere's "The Bourgeois Gentleman" or "The Would-Be Hipster" presented by Newton Theatre Company

8pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
www.NewtonTheatreCompany.com

SUNDAY MAY 7

The Artful Piano: Cynthia Sanger performs Gershwin's Rhapsody in Blue

11am Newton Center Green

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

Highland Jazz presents **Newton's Finest**
2pm Newton South High School Auditorium
www.highlandjazz.org (781) 237-1917

Moliere's "The Bourgeois Gentleman" or "The Would-Be Hipster" presented by **Newton Theatre Company**
2pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
www.NewtonTheatreCompany.com

Crowes Pasture Plays Traditional and Original Folk Music
Monique Byrne and Andy Rogovin
2pm Newton Free Library
www.newtonfreelibrary.net

Suzuki School of Newton Student Recitals
3pm Scandinavian Cultural Center
www.suzukinewton.org

WEDNESDAY MAY 10

Newton at Home Concert & Brunch
Featuring the Newton Senior Center Orchestra
9:30am Scandinavian Cultural Center
www.newtonathome.org

Quilts & Wall Hangings Reception
4-5pm Lasell Village
www.lasellvillage.org

Artful Unveiling: a Celebration of The Street's Artful Piano and Hidden Poetry Installation
5pm Green at The Street | Chestnut Hill
Rain date Thursday May 11 5pm
www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

THURSDAY MAY 11

Music at Johnny's Luncheonette: Aunt Mimi Duo: Steven Malatesta & Dermot Whittaker
7-8:30pm Johnny's Luncheonette
www.johnnysluncheonette.com

Newton Art Association Artist Demo: Helen Payne – Drawing Women & Scholarship Awards
7-9pm Newton Senior Center
www.newtonartassociation.com

Playwrights Group Staged Readings
7pm Newton Free Library
www.newtonfreelibrary.net

FRIDAY MAY 12

Friends of the Newton Free Library Book & Author Luncheon
Featuring Larry Tye and Joseph Finder
11:30am Newton Marriott Hotel
www.newtonfreelibrary.net

The Artful Piano: David Polansky
12:15pm Newton Center Green
www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

Angels and Villains presented by **Commonwealth Lyric Theater**
7:30pm Newton Cultural Center City Hall
www.CommonwealthLyricTheater.com

SATURDAY MAY 13

Festival of the Arts Showcase
10am-5pm Newton Center Green (Newton City Hall in case of rain)
www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

Outdoor Ceramic Sculpture Exhibit
Durant-Kenrick House and Grounds, 286 Waverly Ave., Newton Corner
www.historicnewton.org

The Artful Piano
Waban Piano Summit with Alan Rowe and Dominique Eade
1-3pm Waban Library
www.wabanimprovement.org

Newton Has Talent!
Sponsored by The Rotary Club of Newton
7:30pm Jewish Community Center
www.newtonhastalent.com

Commonwealth Chorale presents:
“Music of Triumph and Homecoming”
8pm Second Church in Newton
www.commonwealthchorale.com

Newton Community Chorus
“A Celebration of American Composers”
8pm First Baptist Church
www.newtoncommunitychorus.org

Moliere’s “The Bourgeois Gentleman” or “The Would-Be Hipster” presented by the **Newton Theatre Company**
8pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall
www.NewtonTheatreCompany.com

SUNDAY MAY 14

Multi-Cultural Festival (Newton City Hall in case of rain)
10am-5pm Newton Center Green
www.NewtonCommunityPride.org/festival

Pianist Fred Wanger performs an Impromptu Schubertiade
2pm Newton Free Library
www.newtonfreelibrary.net

Cappella Clausura presents Music for Louie Q
4pm Eliot Church
www.cappellaclausura.org

WEDNESDAY MAY 17

Newton Festival of the Arts Story Slam @ the Newton Free Library
Theme: Out of the Blue with featured storytellers & audience participations
7pm Newton Free Library

www.newtonfreelibrary.net

THURSDAY, MAY 18

Reception: "Bouncing Off the Walls" (Exhibit thru July 15)

Newton Open Studios Spring Juried Show

6:30-8:30pm New TV Gallery

www.newtv.org

Pro Arte Chamber Music Concert

7pm Gregorian Rugs and Carpets

www.proarte.org

Music at Johnny's Luncheonette: Aunt Mimi Duo: Steven Malatesta & Dermot Whittaker

7-8:30pm Johnny's Luncheonette

www.johnnysluncheonette.com

FRIDAY MAY 19

"The Creative Process" Opening Reception (Exhibit thru June 17)

6-8pm; Gallery Hours Tues.-Sat. 1-6pm New Art Center

www.NewArtCenter.org

David Carrier's 20th Anniversary at Temple Shalom of Newton Celebration Shabbat

6:30pm Temple Shalom of Newton

www.templeshalom.org

Nigun Ensemble

7:30pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall,

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

SATURDAY MAY 20

Music in May

9-5pm All Newton Music School

www.Allnewtonmusicschool.com

The Artful Piano: Waban Piano Summit with Alexei Tsiganov & Nina Ott-Chris Lopes Trio

1-3pm Waban Library

www.wabanimprovement.org

New Art Center Open House

1-4pm New Art Center

www.NewArtCenter.org

Boston Ballet School Newton May Open House

3-4:30pm Boston Ballet School

www.bostonballet.org

One-Day String Orchestra, Open to All: Play Vivaldi & Bach

4-6pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

The Artful Piano: Linda Marks & Terry Smith

6pm Newton Center Green

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

Newton Baroque: 18th Century Lieder

7:30pm In the Parlor at Second Church in Newton

www.newtonbaroque.org

New Philharmonia Concert

8pm First Baptist Church

www.newphil.org

SUNDAY MAY 21

Waban Village Day

Featuring Brazilian virtuoso Ebinho Cardoso and the Newton Family Singers

10am-3pm Waban Village

www.wabanimprovement.org

Piano Run and Piano Bike Circuit

10am Newton Center Green

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

The Artful Piano: The Newtaliens

11am Newton Center Green

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

Historic Newton House Tour

12-5pm

www.historicnewton.org

Suzuki School of Newton Advanced Student Showcase

2pm Newton Free Library

www.suzukinewton.org

Newton Dance Concert

3pm Newton Highlands Congregational Church

www.dancecurrentsinc.com

New Philharmonia Concert

3pm First Baptist Church

www.newphil.org

MONDAY MAY 22

Students for a Greener World, Green Newton's student group

7pm Newton Free Library

www.newtonfreelibrary.net

TUESDAY MAY 23

Suzuki School of Newton Student Violin Recitals

5:30pm First Baptist Church

www.suzukinewton.org

THURSDAY MAY 25

The Artful Piano: Paula Gannon

10am Newton Center Green

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

Music at Johnny's Luncheonette: Aunt Mimi Duo: Steven Malatesta & Dermot Whittaker

7-8:30pm Johnny's Luncheonette

www.johnnysluncheonette.com

SUNDAY MAY 28

Memorial Day Parade

3pm Stepping off at Newton North High School

www.newtonma.gov

TUESDAY MAY 30

Dining out in Boston: A Culinary History Featuring Newton Restaurants: Author Jim O'Connell

7pm Newton Free Library

www.newtonfreelibrary.net

THURSDAY JUNE 1

Artists Reception for Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit

4-5:30pm Durant-Kenrick House and Grounds

www.historicnewton.org

FRIDAY JUNE 2

Newton Art Association "New Member Show" (thru June 30)

Scandinavian Cultural Center

www.newtonartassociation.com

SATURDAY JUNE 3

Pops Concert & Picnic with the New Philharmonia Orchestra

Rain date: June 4 11:30am-2:30pm The Street | Chestnut Hill

www.newphil.org

Newton Art Association: New Member Show Reception

3pm Scandinavian Cultural Center

www.newtonartassociation.com

SATURDAYS JUNE 3 - 24

June Come and Color: Coloring Saturdays

12-5 The Paper Mouse

www.thepapermouse.com (617) 928-9898

FRIDAY JUNE 2

7:30pm Classic Rock Meets the Blues

Newton Cultural Center at City Hall

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

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SUNDAY JUNE 4

The Monologue Project presented by Newton Theatre Company

3pm Newton Cultural Center at City Hall

www.newtontheatrecompany.org

TUESDAY JUNE 6

Exhibition Opening: Wendy Wolfe Fine's "The Pearl that Slipped its Shell" Revisited

(Exhibit thru June 30)

5:30-7pm 2nd Floor Gallery, Newton City Hall

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

THURSDAY JUNE 8

Mayor's Gala Festival of the Arts Reception

6:30pm Showcase SuperLux at The Street | Chestnut Hill

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival

SATURDAY JUNE 10

Suzuki School of Newton Student Recitals

3:30-6pm Scandinavian Living Center

www.suzukinewton.org

WEDNESDAY JUNE 14

Zamir Chorale of Boston performs Awe-Psalm

7:30pm Temple Emanuel

www.zamir.org

THURSDAY JUNE 15

6th Strawberry Festival

5-8pm The Allen House

www.newtonculture.org

Festival of the Arts Sculpture Exhibit Closes

Newton City Hall Grounds, thru July 31

www.newtoncommunitypride.org/festival