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A CALENDAR OF CULTURAL EVENTS

Insert by First Night Columbia

JUST FOR KIDS**Columbia Art League**111 S. 9th St., 573-443-2131

- *Arts for Pre-Schoolers*: Nov. 11 & 25, 10:30am, ages 3-5
- *Young Artists Class*: Nov. 7 & 21, ages 6-9; Nov. 14 & Dec. 5, ages 10-13
- *After School Art*: Nov. 4, 11 & 18, 4pm, K-5
- *Youth Drawing*: Nov. 2, 9 & 16, 4pm; middle schoolers
- *Creative Fun Days*: Nov. 3 & 13, 8am, K-5

Columbia Parks & Recreation7th & Broadway, 573-874-7460

- *Tumble Tots*: Nov. 3-24, 6pm, ages 4-5
- *Jazz & Ballet*: Nov. 3-24, 6:40pm, ages 4-5 or 7:20pm, ages 6-10
- *Children's Yoga*: Nov. 10-17, 5:30pm, 3-6 yrs

Kindermusik with Brenda

601 Business Loop 70 W., 573-881-1574

- Singing, dancing & instruments. Classes for birth-18 mo., 19 mo.-3 yrs., 3-5 yrs., 5-7 yrs., Family Time for all ages & ABC Music & Me

Theater Reaching Young People & Schools (TRYPS)

Columbia Mall, 573-449-4536

- *Live at 11*: Nov. 7 & Dec. 5, 11-11:45am, Columbia Public Library
- *Scrooge*: Nov. 20 & 22, 7pm; Nov. 21, 2 & 7pm; Launer Aud.
- *Holiday Princess Tea Party*: Dec. 12 & 19, 10am & 2pm
- *Play Days*: Nov. 3, 5 & 13, 8:30-5pm, K-5

CALL FOR ENTRIES/AUDITIONS**Columbia College**

1001 Rogers, 573-875-7517

- *31st Annual Paper in Particular*: national exhibit of work on/of paper; deadline Nov. 6

Columbia Entertainment Co.

1800 Nelwood Dr., 573-474-3699

- *Auditions for RENT*: Dec. 2 & 3

Columbia Parks & Recreation7th & Broadway, 573-874-7460

- *Photo Contest*: submit your favorite P&R photos; 18 yrs. and older, deadline Mar. 1

Columbia Values Diversity Celebration, 573-874-7488

- *Everyone Counts!*: essay, poetry & poster contest for grades 4-12, deadline Nov. 20

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS**Columbia Parks & Recreation**7th & Broadway, 573-874-7460

Classes for ages 15-adult...

- *Swing Dance*: Dec. 1, 8 & 15, 6-7pm
- *Ballroom Dance*: Dec. 1, 8, & 15, 7-8pm

Village Glass Works315 N. 10th St., 573-443-0393

- *Classes*: ornaments, glass beadmaking, mosaics & fused jewelry

West African Dance Class

573-814-3632, Moon Belly Dance Studio

- *Drumming by Pulguinha & the BoCoMo Drumheads*: Suns., 3-4pm

MUSEUM & GALLERY EXHIBITS**Ashby-Hodge Gallery of Art**

Central Methodist Univ., Fayette, 660-248-6304

- *Art from the Domicile*: thru Dec. 10
- *50th Anniv. Barbie Exhibit*: thru Dec. 10

Capital Arts

Jefferson City, 573-635-8355

- *Give the Gift of Art*: Nov 14-Jan. 21

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Columbia Art League

111 S. 9th St., 573-443-2131

- *Retrospective*: 50 years of CAL, thru Nov. 21
- *CAL Members' Show*: Nov. 24-Jan. 9, reception, Dec. 10

Davis Art Gallery

Stephens College, Walnut & Ripley Streets, 573-876-7175

- *Paintings, Prints, & Prophets*: thru Dec. 11

Elizabeth Rozier Gallery

101 Jefferson St., Jefferson City, 573-751-2854

- *Rally Round the Flag*: Civil War Battle Flags, thru Nov. 28

George Caleb Bingham

Gallery, MU, A125 Fine Arts Bldg., 573-882-3555

- *Alumni Exhibit*: thru Nov. 5
- *MFA Thesis Exhibit*: Nov. 9-Dec. 3
- *Senior Exhibit*: Dec. 7-17, reception Dec. 17, 5-7pm

Museum of Art & Arch.

MU, 1 Pickard Hall, 573-882-9498

- *The Sacred Feminine, Prehistory to Postmodernity*: thru Dec. 24

Orr Street Studios

106 Orr St., www.orrstreetstudios.com

- *Lucky*: multi-media works by Orr Street artists, Nov. 10-Jan. 2, reception Nov. 13, 7-9pm

PS:Gallery

812 E. Broadway, 573-442-4831

- *Fall Exhibit*: works by Katie Barnes, Rebecca Crowell, Chris Dahlquist, Hans Droog, Joel Sager, Jo Stealey & Ned Vail, thru Dec. 27

Sven's Kafe & Gallery

110 Orr St., Ste 101, 573-875-0840

- *Four Seasons*: thru Nov.
- *Saint Lucia Festival*: Dec. 12, 8am to noon, seasonal gifts & traditional food and drink
- *Transference*: Dec. 1-31

MUSICAL PERFORMANCES

Central Mo. Celtic Arts Assn

www.moceltic.org or 573-442-2048

- *Brock McGuire Band*: Nov. 4, 7pm at the Unity Center, 1600 W. Broadway

Columbia Civic Orchestra

207 S. 9th St., 573-875-0600

- *Opening Classical Concert*: Nov. 15, Mo. Theatre Center for the Arts, 3pm

Columbia Handbell Ensem.

1112 E. Broadway, 573-442-1149

- *Winter Concert*: Dec. 11, 7pm & 13, 2pm, First Baptist Church

Mo. Theatre Ctr. for the Arts

209 S. 9th St., 573-875-0600

- *Piano Student Show*: Nov. 21, 7pm
- *Christmas with the Chordbusters*: Dec. 5, 7:30pm

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Mo. United Methodist Church Concert Series

204 S. 9th St., 573-443-3111

- *Columbia Chorale: Carmina Burana*, Nov. 14 & 15, 7pm
- *Columbia Chorale & Civic Orchestra: Handel's Messiah*, Dec. 6, 7pm, Jesse Hall
- *Columbia Chorale & Civic Orchestra: Christmas Celebration & Messiah Sing Along*, Dec. 12, 7pm
- *Holiday Organ Music*: Dec. 19, 7pm

MU School of Music

573-882-2604

Whitmore Recital Hall...

- *Faculty Recitals*: Nov. 1, 3pm & Nov. 2, 8pm
- *Student Ensemble*: Nov. 1, 7pm & Dec. 3, 7pm

- *Community Music Program Recital*: Dec. 13, 1pm

Mo.Theatre Center for the Arts...

- *Student Ensemble*: Nov. 6 & 9, 8pm First Baptist Church...
- *Student Ensemble*: Dec. 6, 2 & 5pm Jesse Hall...
- *Student Ensemble*: Dec. 8, 8pm

Stephens College

100 Waugh St., 573-876-7199

- *Bach's Lunch*: Nov 19, 12:30pm, Senior Recital Hall
- *A Dickens Victorian Christmas*: Dec. 6-8, 7:30pm, Senior Hall Parlors

University Concert Series

Jesse Auditorium, 573-882-3781

- *Camelot*: Nov. 1, 7pm
- *The Marriage of Figaro*: Nov. 2, 7pm
- *Clint Black*: Nov. 4, 7pm
- *Ensemble Galilei*: Nov. 14, 7pm
- *Burning River Brass*: Nov. 15, 7pm
- *MU Choral Union: Brahm's Requiem*, Nov. 19, 7pm
- *Avenue Q*: Dec. 1, 7pm
- *Big Bad Voodoo Daddy Big Band Swing Party*: Dec. 2, 7pm
- *The Nutcracker*: Dec. 5, 2pm & 7pm
- *Wynonna*: Dec. 9, 7pm
- *Cirque Dreams: Illumination*, Dec. 13, 7pm

"We Always Swing" Jazz Series, 218 N. 8th, 573-449-3001

- *Spotlight Jazz: Diverse*: Nov. 1, 7pm & 9:30pm, Murry's
- *Martino Unstrung*: Nov. 3, 7pm, Ragtag Cinema
- *Pat Martino w/ Eric Alexander & Tony Monaco*: Nov. 4, 7pm, Blue Note
- *Christian McBride's Inside Straight*: Nov. 22, 3pm & 6:45pm, Murry's
- *Kurt Elling w/Laurance Hobgood Trio*: Dec. 6, 3pm & 6:45pm, Murry's
- *New Year's Eve w/ Bobby Watson & Horizon Feat, Victor Lewis, Terell Stafford, Edward Simon & Peter Washington*: Dec. 31, 6:30pm & 9:45pm, Murry's

FILMS

Museum of Art and Arch.
MU, 106 Pickard Hall
573-882-5076

- *Agnes of God*: Nov. 6, 7pm
- *The Garden of Allah*: Nov. 19, 7pm
- *Medea*: Dec. 4, 7pm
- *Leave Her to Heaven*: Dec. 17, 7pm

Orr Street Studios

106 Orr St., www.orrstreetstudios.com

- *Seeing Visions*: films about art, artists & creativity, every other Tues., 7pm

Ragtag Cinema

23 N. 10th Street, 573-443-4359

- Daily showings of documentaries & films, go to www.RagTagFilm.com for specific listings.

Stephens College

100 Waugh St., 573-876-7199

- *Student Film Showcase*: Dec. 13, 2pm, Charters Lecture Hall

"We Always Swing" Jazz Series, 218 N. 8th, 573-449-3001

- *Body & Soul: Jazz Series on Film*: showing *Martino Unstrung*, Nov. 3, 7pm, Ragtag

TALKS & LECTURES

Creative Writing Program
107 Tate Hall, MU573-874-7773

- *Tomaz Salamun*: poetry reading, Nov. 17, 7:30pm, Reynolds Alumni Center

Orr Street Studios

106 Orr St., www.orrstreetstudios.com

- *Hearing Voices*: readings from local authors, every other Tues., 7pm

THEATER & DANCE

Arrow Rock Lyceum Theatre, Arrow Rock, 660-837-3311

- *It's a Wonderful Life*: Nov. 14 & 20, 8pm; Nov. 15, 19 & 22, 2pm; & Nov. 18 & 21, 2 & 8pm

Columbia Entertainment Company, 1800 Nelwood Dr., 573-474-3699

- *Rabbit Hole*: Nov. 5-8 & 12-15, 7:30pm & 2pm Sun.

Independent Actors Theatre, 573-234-4651

- *Doubt, A Parable*: by John Patrick Shanley, Dec. 3-5

Maples Repertory Theatre, Macon, Mo., 660-385-2924

- *Every Christmas Story Ever Told (And Then Some)*: Nov. 27, Dec. 4 & 11, 7:30pm; Nov. 28, Dec. 2, 5, 9 & 12, 2pm & 7:30pm; Nov. 29, Dec. 6 & 13, 2pm

Mid Missouri Traditional Dancers, 573-441-2319

- *Contradances*: Nov. 6 & 20; Dec. 5 & 18, 7pm, First Christian Church, 10th & Walnut

Missouri Contemporary Ballet, for tickets call 573-875-0600

- *Falling*: Nov. 13-14, 7pm at the Missouri Theatre Center for the Arts

Stephens College, 100/104 Willis Ave., 573-876-7199

- *Ah, Wilderness*: Nov. 6-7, 7:30pm, Playhouse Theatre Company
- *The Best Little Whorehouse in Texas*: Dec. 4-5, 9-12, 7:30pm & Dec. 6, 2pm, Playhouse
- *The Dixie Swim Club*: Nov. 18-21, 7:30pm, Warehouse Theatre
- *Senior Dance Concert*: Dec. 10-12, 7:30pm & Dec. 13, 2pm, Warehouse Theatre

Theatre NXS, 501 Fay St., 573-443-0577

- *NXS Souper Supper*: Nov. 16, fundraiser 5:30pm, performance at 7:30pm, Calvary Episcopal Church, 123 S. 9th St.

University of Missouri Department of Theatre, 573-882-7529

- *Holding Up The Sky*: Nov. 12-15 & 17-19, 8pm & 2pm Sun., Rhynsburger Theatre

SPECIAL EVENTS

Access Arts, 1724 McAlester 573-875-0275

- *Holiday Sale*: Dec. 6 & 13, noon-5pm

First Night Columbia, www.firstnightcolumbia.com

- Dec. 31, 6:30pm.-midnight, various locations downtown

The District, 11 S. 10th St., 573-442-6816

- *Living Windows Festival*: Dec. 4, 6-8pm, various locations downtown

Missouri Theatre Center for the Arts, 209 S. 9th St., 573-875-0600

- *Beaux Arts Bizarre*: Nov. 27-29, 10am
- *Annual Holiday Home Tour*: Dec. 5, 10am & Dec. 6, 12pm

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Office of Cultural Affairs

■ Commission on Cultural Affairs Monthly Meeting

The Commission meets monthly, always the second Monday of the month, at 4:15 p.m. Contact the OCA for the specific location. Meetings are open to the public. Welcome to new Commissioner Judy Harper.

■ Thank You, Tonya King Ellis and Ken Greene!

Tonya King Ellis and Ken Greene have both completed their terms on the Commission on Cultural Affairs. Together, they have given nearly 14 years of combined service to the city. Many, many thanks, Tonya and Ken.

■ Missouri Arts Council Grants Workshop

Attend a free workshop about Missouri Arts Council grant opportunities, November 18, 1 to 4 p.m. at the Activity & Recreation Center (ARC), 1701 W. Ash Street. Participants will get information on the application requirements, available funding, and panelist review process. For more information or to register, contact Marie Berens at MAC, 866-407-4752 (toll free), or email marie.berens@ded.mo.gov.

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First Night[®] Columbia 2010

A celebration of Family, Community, The Arts and The New Year



Thursday, December 31 Downtown Columbia



5K Run/Walk!

First Night begins with a 5K run/walk in the afternoon.

6 Fun Filled Hours!

After the 5K Run/Walk, join us for performances and interactive art activities for every age! These events will take place at multiple venues throughout downtown and Stephens College Campus.



Grand Finale!

The night ends with a spectacular procession and fireworks display in the Boone County Courthouse Square at midnight.



Please visit our website for updated information on performers and events at www.firstnightcolumbia.org

