



Photography Exhibition

PRAC 5th Annual Photographic Show
www.pineridgearts.org
to May 26, 2018

Awards Reception: Thurs. May 3 at 7 pm.
Susan Brown: siennasue01@gmail.com
McLean Community Centre Chair:
95 Magill Dr., Ajax

PRAC will be awarding over \$2,400 in cash prizes so be sure to drop by the McLean Community Centre on May 3rd and enjoy the eclectic display of artistic talents by 60 of our community photographers. The show will continue until May 26th.

PRAC is a proud sponsor of this event.

Calls for Musicians

Durham Philharmonic Choir

durhamphilharmonic.ca

Music Director: Robert Phillips

Administrator June MacLean at 905-728-1739

Call for Choristers

The DPC is seeking choristers for the soprano, alto, tenor, and bass sections of this large community choir which rehearses on Monday nights in Oshawa from September through May. This successful choral group is in its 25th season and has a diverse repertoire. Each season includes three concerts - including two concerts with orchestra.

Durham Notables

Music Director: Judy Scott-Jacobs

905-831-3358.

Do You Love to Sing?

Judy Scott-Jacobs is looking for people who love to sing to form a choir in Durham to be called the *Durham Notables*. The call is out for singers for a non-auditioned adult mixed voice choir and an accompanist. Rehearsals will most likely be on Tuesday afternoons from 1:30-3:30. Rehearsal location TBA.

Durham Community Choir

durhamcommunitychoir.on.ca

Music Director: J.-C. Coolen

Durham College Main Campus, Rm C113,
Gordon Willey Building, Oshawa

For Those Who Love to Sing!

If you love to sing and are over 16, come join this non-auditioned, mixed community choir each Monday night from 7:30 to 9:30 pm. Sing, socialize and have fun! Call Jennifer at 905-550-1804.

Pickering Community Concert Band

pccb.ca ~ 905-767-0773

publicrelations.pccb@gmail.com

East Shore Comm. Centre

910 Liverpool Rd. Pickering

Tuesday nights at 7:30 pm

Dust off that old instrument and join us in this non-auditioned community concert band.

Art Exhibitions

Ajax Creative Arts

Spring Fling Art Show and Sale

May 11 to 13 from 10 am to 5 pm

ajaxcreativearts.com

Village Community Centre

22 Sherwood Road West. Ajax

Over 40 artists participating and featuring hourly draws for artwork prizes! Join us for tea, coffee and treats in Bonnie's Cafe with all proceeds going to the Canadian Mental Health Association, Durham Free Admission and a welcoming carnation for MOM on Mother's Day (while supplies last).

Lemonville Group of Artists

25th Annual Show and Sale

May 4 from 7 to 9 pm

May 5 & 6 from 10 am to 5 pm

Opening Reception: Fri. May 4 at 7:00 pm

Lemonville Community Centre

13453 McCowan Rd., Stouffville

905-640-3965

lemonvillegroupofartists.com

Original works of art by the group members.

Browsers welcome. No Admission charge.

Free Parking. Wheelchair accessible.

Port Perry Artists Association

Art at the Waterfront ~ Show & Sale

June 8, 9, 10

Scout Hall

15585 Simcoe St. Port Perry

ppartists@yahoo.ca

Original paintings by local artists. Free Admission

and fully accessible. Credit cards accepted.

3 Mediums, Styles, Friends

Nesrin Blair, Cathy Clark, Ann Robinson

May 5 to June 7 ~ 2 to 4 pm

Reception: Saturday, May 5

The Kent Farndale Gallery,

231 Water St. Port Perry

Art Show featuring 3 friends with 3 different styles and mediums.

Heritage Arts

Pickering Township Historical Society

Pickering Public Library Auditorium

1 The Esplanade South. 905-831-3811

• **"Local History's Hidden Stories"**

Tuesday, May 8 at 7:30 pm

Guest Speaker: Jennifer Weymark

Local history tends to focus on the stories of the wealthy English who settled in the area. By stepping away from traditional historical narratives we learn just how diverse and interesting our communities have been.

• **"The Girl in the Photograph: Lessons of Life"**

Tuesday, June 12 at 7:30 pm

Guest Speaker: Kim Phuc

Kim Phuc was the girl in the photograph running naked on the road after being severely burned by a South Vietnamese napalm attack in 1972. She comes to us 46 years later with a message of love, hope and forgiveness.

Scugog Council for the Arts

scugogarts.ca

181 Perry St Unit G-1, Port Perry

905-982-2121

Summer Celebration, Canadian Living

June 22 to July 29

What does summer look like to you? Is it time spent at the cottage, the lakeside or in the garden? The deck, friends and family, the beach? The colours of summer are as unique as the shades of autumn. Show off your favourites! All pieces must be original works, ready to be hung or displayed and available for sale. Entry cost is \$20.

Studio Tours

Annual Lake Scugog Studio Tour

"Our Art Belongs in Your Home"

Saturday and Sunday, May 5 & 6 ~ 10 am

scugogstudiotour.ca

We've gone through the jury process for our 2018 tour. It's going to be a great tour - 44 artists at 17 sites.

Fun Outings

Spectacular Garage Sale & Bar-B-Q

Saturday, June 16 from 8 am to 2 pm

Dunbarton Fairport United Church

1066 Dunbarton Rd., Pickering

dunbartonfairport.on.ca

This event will be on the front lawn of the church (inside if raining). Items for sale will include books, tools, small appliances, toys, kitchen items, sporting equipment, clothing and gardening items. Also, a garage sale, BBQ, Bake Sale and 'home party' event.

Fundraiser Concert

For the Love of George In Story and Song

Saturday, May 12th at 7:30 p.m.

Durham Storytellers and Club Carib

600 Wentworth St. E., Oshawa

hewhaley.storysong@gmail.com

Come celebrate the extraordinary life of Dr. B. George Blake through story and song with Singer/Storyteller Host and Artistic Director Heather Whaley, singer Shaundell Parris and Kalalu, Oshawa Sounds of Steel, Durham Storytellers, Storyteller Dianne Chandler, Poet Daniel Healy, Storyteller Rita Cox. Proceeds to create and preserve a legacy audio and video archive of George's pre-recorded stories.

Accessible, Parking on premises, Refreshments Reservations to pay at door contact Heather Whaley hewhaley.storysong@gmail.com Call or text 289 688-1492

Tickets \$20

Online: Eventbrite

<https://fortheloveofgeorge.eventbrite.ca>

Keith Thirgood Retreats

Ottawa Valley Art Retreat

June 14, 15, 16, 17

949 Lake Clear Road, Eganville

wilsonstreetstudios.com/ottawa-valley-retreat-2018.html ~ 647-551-3387

Keith is a Canadian Post-Impressionist. His style could be described as semi-abstract reductionism. Keith will take you to places A.Y. Jackson and others of the Group of Seven painted.

He acts as mentor and instructor, helping you reach new insights in your painting. He will also teach you Modern Colour Theory and practical color mixing.

Great scenery, instruction & accommodation

Workshops

Cobourg Art Club

The Fine Art of Discovery

Tuesday, June 12 from 10 am to 4 pm

cobourgartclub.ca ~ 905-377-1477

This unique workshop, lead by Claudia McCabe (cjmccabe.com), is about reclaiming your sense of adventure, encouraging freedom of creative expression and inspiring your sense of wonderment in the mysteries of painting's process. Fee: \$50-\$62.50

Cavan Art Club

May through June at 9:30 am

cobourgartclub.ca ~ 905-377-1477

Cover wildflowers, composition, the urban landscape and early summer in oil, acrylic and mixed media. Learn from Lucy Manley and Keith Thirgood.

Farmers' Market

Tuesdays from June 5 to October 2

8 am - 2:30 pm

Pickering's municipal parking lot right beside City Hall and across from the Pickering Town Centre.

Each week in 2018 will have a particular theme and July 31 will be Arts & Music Day at the market. PRAC will have a booth and are looking for member artists interested in displaying their artwork for the day.