



February Happenings in the Lake Sunapee Area

and Ongoing Events

February 1 5:30pm



First Friday - Gallery Night

Stroll these MicroGalleries, meet the artists and enjoy some refreshments.

New London Inn: breathtaking photography of Marc Beerman

Bar Harbor Bank & Trust: bold abstract work of Roger Wells along with the colorful sculptures of Loren Howar

Blue Loon Bakery: boldly simple photography of Rick Stockwell

Whipple Hall Gallery: Proctor Academy Students

Plus... **Emil Nelson Gallery** and Annex on Main Street directly across from Whipple Hall.

Free and open to the public. www.centerfortheartsnh.org/first-fridays

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Northern Stage First Friday Artists' Reception

Featured artist: Olivia Janna at Roesch Family Lobby in the Barrette Center for the Arts.

Northern Stage's Lobby Artists Program offers an opportunity for local and regional artists to exhibit visual arts in two Barrette Center for the Arts' lobby areas. <https://northernstage.org/>

February 1 5:30pm



WAC first annual Mac & Cheese Fundraising Supper

Warm up with a cozy bowl of mac & cheese and help raise funds for the Wilmot Community Association (WCA). 5:30-7pm at the Red Barn, 64 Village Road in Wilmot. The old cost of this fulfilled and delicious event is \$10. It is free for children 5 and younger and anyone over 100 years. More information online at www.WilmotWCA.org and the WCA's Facebook page.

February 1 7pm



Sunapee Coffeehouse Presents Etna Olde Time

Marc Shapiro and Billy Corbett are a new-old-time duo rooted in the hills of Vermont and New Hampshire. Located downstairs at the Sunapee Methodist Church, 9 Lower Main Street in Sunapee. www.sunapeecoffeehouse.org

February 3 3pm



Spot On Venus Rising: Dignified Decision Making

Join Marisa Smith, Venus Rising Director Jess Chayes, and special guest panelists Cameron Ford (Executive Director of Headrest) and Donna Soltura (Continuing Care Manager for the Palliative Care Service at Dartmouth Hitchcock Medical Center) for a conversation about decision making for the best life possible. Free and Open to the Public, with lobby reception to follow.

<https://northernstage.org/>

February 4th 6pm



Foxtrot for Beginners

4 week workshop (4 sessions)

Monday, 6:00 - 7:00 pm, February 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th The Fox trot is the dance of Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers. \$40 single/\$80 couple (No partner required). 18 years and older.

[Reserve Here](#)

February 7 8pm**John Gorka at the Flying Goose Brew Pub**

From New Jersey, John Gorka is a world-renowned singer-songwriter who got his start at a neighborhood coffeehouse in eastern Pennsylvania.

*Reservations required! Please call (603) 526-6899 to reserve your tickets. Seating is assigned by order of reservation www.flyinggoose.com/music/

Begins February 7**Becoming A Ballerina**

Taught by Angela Tarleton from Kearsarge Conservatory for the Performing Arts.

(6) weeks, February 7,14,21 & March 7,14,21,

At the Hopkinton Rec Center, Slusser Center Lower Level Exercise Room

Level I - For kids in grades K-3, Thursdays 3:30-4:30

Level II-For kids in grades 4-5, Thursdays, 4:30-5:30

For more information and registration: <https://www.hopkintonrec.com/info/activities/program>

February 8 7pm**Sunapee Coffeehouse Presents Open Mic**

The Tradition continues, Stop by to listen or join in. Sign up on site with the host for your 15 min or three songs. Storytellers also welcome! Located downstairs at the Sunapee Methodist Church, 9 Lower Main Street in Sunapee. www.sunapeecoffeehouse.org

February 10 4pm**Jazz on a Sunday Afternoon (JOSA) presents Nancy Kelly**

Nancy Kelly's live performances are legendary, always swinging and joyful, with an undercurrent of the blues. With her trademark swing/bop, back-to-the-roots style and resonant, soulful voice, Kelly has captivated audiences at jazz clubs and festivals across the U.S., Europe and Asia.

At the Center at Eastman in Grantham, NH. For tickets information and reservations www.josajazz.com

February 11 7pm**The John Hay Poetry Society Meets**

Led by Newbury Poet Laureate Dianalee Velie. This month's prompt is "A rewrite of last year", and poets are invited to write poems based around that theme. All are welcome to attend. At the Newbury Public Library. newburynhlibrary.net/

February 15 5pm**2019 Juried Regional Show Opening Reception**

A juried regional exhibit of New Hampshire and Vermont Artists in all mediums. Show opens February 9 - March 21 with the opening reception February 15 from 5-7pm.

www.libraryartscenter.org

February 15 7pm**Sunapee Coffeehouse Presents The Whispering Tree**

The Franco-American duo, which includes singer/songwriter Eleanor Kleiner and multi-instrumentalist Elie Brangbour, craft richly immersive folk-rock encompassing traditional folk, indie rock, classic rock, and 1960s pop and rock n' roll. Located downstairs at the Sunapee Methodist Church, 9 Lower Main Street in Sunapee. www.sunapeecoffeehouse.org

February 15 7pm**Andover Coffee House presents Dana & Susan Robinson**



Combining vivid, songwriting and storytelling, with fiddle tunes, clawhammer banjo, elegant melodies, and rich harmony singing. Located at the intersection of Route 11 and Chase Hill Road in East Andover. The Andover Community Coffeehouse operates under the umbrella of the Andover Community Association (ACA). www.andovercoffeehouse.org

February 16th 7pm



Winter Performing Arts Series - "Crooners, Cabaret, and Chocolate" with Nancy Tripp & Trio

Join us for a Valentine's Treat! Chocolate, Desserts, Champagne.... and Dancing!. At Whipple Hall, 25 Seamans Road, New London NH. Whipple Hall will be transformed into a cabaret complete with round tables, soft lights, great music and a dance floor. Enjoy Nancy Tripp and her Trio as they celebrate the "Glory of Love" with classic songs including: Goody Goody, How Long has this been Goin' On, Skylark, Don't Get Around Much Anymore, That Old Black Magic and many more. Advance tickets for the performances can be purchased at Morgan Hill Bookstore, Tatewell Gallery, or online at www.CenterForTheArtsNH.org.

February 22 7pm



Sunapee Coffeehouse Presents Davey Davis

His songs and poetry emanate from a deep love of the land. Located downstairs at the Sunapee Methodist Church, 9 Lower Main Street in Sunapee. www.sunapeecoffeehouse.org

February 24 4pm



Jazz on a Sunday Afternoon (JOSA) presents Tiger Okoshi

Toru "Tiger" Okoshi was born near Osaka, Japan in 1950 - the year of the tiger. At age 13, he had a chance to see a performance by Louis Armstrong. The experience mesmerized Okoshi, who immediately dedicated himself to learning to play the jazz trumpet. At the Center at Eastman in Grantham, NH. For tickets information and reservations www.josajazz.co

Starts February 27



Northern Stage presents Buyer & Cellar

Buyer & Cellar is an outrageous comedy about the price of fame, the cost of things, and the oddest of odd jobs. Through March 15 for ticket info and times visit <https://northernstage.org/>

February 28 8pm



Ari Hest at the Flying Goose Brew Pub

I've been making music and touring the planet for about 15 years. What started out as an occasional creative outlet is now my way of life. Reservations required! Please call (603) 526-6899 to reserve your tickets. Seating is assigned by order of reservation www.flyinggoose.com/music/

Save the Dates: 2019 Winter Performing Arts Series



A Cappella Concert -The New Hampshire Troubadours

Sunday, March 10th at 2:00
Whipple Hall, Main Street, New London



Old Time Music - The Bradford Bog People

Saturday, April 27th at 7pm
Warner Town Hall, Main Street, Warner

[BUY YOUR TICKETS HERE](#)

March 1 5pm**First Friday - Colby-Sawyer Dance Ensemble Performance**

Directed by Laura Shepherd at Colby-Sawyer College

Free and open to the public. [www./centerforheartsnh.org/first-fridays](http://www.centerforheartsnh.org/first-fridays)**Resources and Events for Artists****Upper Valley Arts Alliance**The Upper Valley Arts Alliance (UVAA) is a regional organization with focus on the arts in New Hampshire and Vermont. To learn more visit www.uvarts.org.**Revels North**One Saturday a month, folks gather at Tracy Hall in Norwich for Revels Teens, Revels Singers, and the Band of Fools, followed by a community potluck supper and dance, or Pub Sing. This day-long celebration of music and community is open to all ages and abilities--no experience necessary. <http://revelsnorth.org>**Kearsarge Conservatory Of The Performing Arts**Ongoing classes in Dance, Drama and Music for students of all ages and all levels including excellent Pre-School and Adult Classes. We offer: Ballet, Pointe, Tap, Jazz, Hip Hop, Musical Theatre, Acting, Acro. www.NHPerformingArts.org**Ongoing Events [Back to Top](#)****Thur April 30****CFA MicroGalleries**The New London Inn features the breathtaking photography of Marc Beerman, Bar Harbor Bank and Trust on Main Street will be showing the bold abstract work of Roger Wells along with the colorful sculptures of Loren Howard, the Blue Loon Bakery will have the boldly simple photography of Rick Stockwell and Whipple Hall will feature the outstanding work of Proctor Academy students. www.centerforheartsnh.org**Thru Feb 8****Opening Reception of Echos Exhibit Featuring Renowned Master Art at Colby-Sawyer**

Colby-Sawyer College's will host "Echoes: Selections of Art from the College's Permanent Collection," an exhibition of extraordinary work by master artists including Rembrandt, Katsushika Hokusai and Picasso. At the Center for Art + Design's William H. and Sonja Carlson

'56 Davidow Fine Art Gallery. The exhibition runs through Feb. 8. Free and open to the public; the gallery is open weekdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. For more information contact Professor Keenan at jkeenan@colby-sawyer.edu or 603.526.3667.**Thru February 17****Venus Rising begins at Northern Stage**Playwright Marisa Smith, the creative mind behind 2016's hit Mad Love, is back with a hilarious and deeply perceptive story of aging gracefully - or sometimes not so gracefully - and how we try to care for one another in the face of life's challenges. northernstage.org**Thru March 17****Northern Stage presents Buyer & Cellar**Buyer & Cellar is an outrageous comedy about the price of fame, the cost of things, and the oddest of odd jobs. For ticket info and times visit <https://northernstage.org/>**Thru April 26****Art Exhibit at New London Hospital**



Featuring the works of these New England artists: Barbara Hunting, Luci Lesmerises and Katie Runde. Exhibit on display until April 26, 2019. For more information visit www.newlondonhospital.org/art

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