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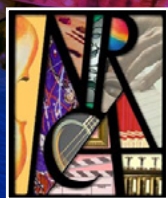
New Rochelle Council on the Arts

# ArtsFest

OCTOBER 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, and 17<sup>th</sup>

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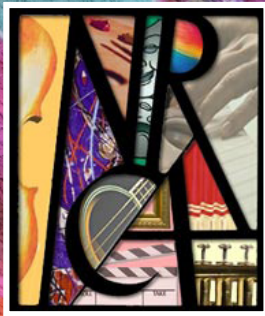
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# ArtsFest



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## What is ArtsFest?

Since 2009 ArtsFest has been a fall tradition, a weekend long festival celebrating the arts in New Rochelle and Pelham with art exhibits, open artists' studios, live music and dance, spoken word, a classic car show and more. ArtsFest is organized every year by the New Rochelle Council on the Arts, a 501 c 3 organization founded in 1975.



## What is the New Rochelle Council on the Arts?



Throughout its history the City of New Rochelle has been home to people responsible for shaping the cultural and artistic fabric of America, and over the last four decades the New Rochelle Council on the Arts (NRCA) has supported that tradition. NRCA serves as an umbrella organization for arts organizations and artists, as well as a resource for business and educational partners. NRCA is dedicated to expanding the public's interest and participation in the arts by sponsoring a broad array of art exhibitions, theatrical productions, dance performances, film screenings, spoken word events and concerts that represent the rich diversity of our community. Ongoing programs include the Summer Sounds Concert Series at Hudson Park Band Shell, quarterly exhibits at NRCA's Rotunda Gallery at City Hall, and ArtsFest.

For more information visit  
**[www.newrochellearts.org](http://www.newrochellearts.org)**



## All Weekend

### Self Guided Tour of the New Rochelle Walk of Fame

(Ruby Dee Park) Installed in 2011, the **New Rochelle Walk of Fame** is a tribute to some of New Rochelle's most notable residents throughout the city's 325-year history. The signs, located along the park's outer pathway, present a micro history of America with figures representing the arts, business, politics, education, the media, entertainment and sports. The Walk of Fame was created and funded by former resident and historian Roderick Kennedy Jr., working in partnership with the New Rochelle Downtown BID, the New Rochelle Department of Parks and Recreation and City Historian Barbara Davis.

## All Weekend

### Self Guided Tour of the Pop-Up Libraries

(various locations) Visit New Rochelle's Pop-Up Libraries, each one designed by a different artist to capture the joy of reading. This project is a collaboration between NRCA, My Brother's Keeper New Ro, the New Rochelle Public Library and New Rochelle Dept. of Parks and Recreation, with additional funding provided by ArtsWestchester. The locations and artists are:

- **New Rochelle Train Station:** Charles Fazzino
- **Columbus School** (275 Washington Ave.):  
"Flying Books" by Aston LeMelle
- **Glenwood Lakes:** (Calhoun Ave.)  
"Branch Out and Read" by Carol Bowen
- **Hudson Park** (1 Hudson Park Rd. at Pelham Rd.):  
"Hogwarts" by Cristina Cerone
- **Huguenot Park** (North Ave. at Eastchester Rd.):  
"Good Night Moon" by Stephanie Lombardo
- **Lincoln Park** (Lincoln Ave. at Prince St.):  
"Matisse Readers" by Alvin Clayton
- **Paws Place** (Ward Acres on Broadfield Rd.): "Rosie" by Laura Heiss



## All Weekend

### Be A Rock Star!

Artists from the New Rochelle Artists Association have hand painted rocks and hidden them at the various ArtsFest venues. If you find one, you get to keep it: And one lucky person will find the Golden Rock, which includes a prize, a \$50 gift card.

## All Weekend

### Highbrook Highline

(Highbrook Avenue Bridge, Pelham) In 2016, the New York, Westchester & Boston Railway and Highbrook Avenue Bridge in Pelham were listed on the [National Register of Historic Places](#). This 2-acre railbed has been transformed into a passive walk-through greenway and bird sanctuary, with the 1910 Highbrook Avenue Bridge providing a connective greenway as the center piece of the "Highbrook Highline." Open until dusk.

# ALL WEEKEND cont'd

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### Self Guided Tour of the NRNY Murals

In collaboration with Street Art for Mankind (SAM) and the City of New Rochelle, NRCA brought the NRNY Murals to New Rochelle in 2019. Created by an international group of prominent street artists organized by SAM, the murals are linked by a free, downloadable app, "Behind the Wall", which combines augmented reality content and audioguide features, making the murals truly interactive. The NRNY Murals join SAM's other projects in Larchmont and Mamaroneck, together forming a continuous belt of street art along the Sound Shore. For more about SAM visit [www.streetartmankind.org](http://www.streetartmankind.org).

The NRNY Mural Walk route is:

- **134 North Avenue** (at Bonnefoy Place) "Artistic Creativity" by Loic Ercolessi
- **542 Main Street** "Mother Nature" by AEC
- **555 Main Street** (Diamond Glass) "Diversity" by Mr. Cenz
- **38 Division Street** (Irish Benevolent Society) "City Vibe" by Dan Kitchener
- **49 Lawton Street** (HSBC wall) "Gender Equality" by Elle
- **309 North Avenue** (Platzner Building) "Harmony by the Sea" by Lula Goece
- **44 Fountain Place** "Connecting" by JDL
- **1 Radisson Place** (Radisson Hotel) "New Rochelle 2050" by Victor Ash



## FRIDAY OCTOBER 15<sup>TH</sup>

**6:30 am – 7 pm**

### Art Exhibit and Coffee Tasting: R Café & Tea Boutique

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**9 am – 2 pm**

### Farmers Market: Down to Earth Farmers' Market

(Thomas Paine Cottage Museum, 20 Sicard Ave. off North Ave., NR, [downtoearthmarkets.com](http://downtoearthmarkets.com))

New Rochelle's Friday Farmers' Market offers fresh produce, baked goods, and for ArtsFest live music from 12 noon to 2 pm. Vendors include 1841 Farm, 1857 Spirits Barbers Farm Distillery, 4E Green Farm, Anthi's Greek Specialties, Arlotta Food Studio, Daegele Brothers Produce, Cano Cofee Company, Eggcellent Quiche, Gaele's French Pastries, Hand Held Kitchen, Mangalitsa by Mosefarm, Mushrooms NYC, My Most Favorite Dessert, Orchards of Concklin, Orwashers Bakery, P & S Seafood, Pickle Licious, Serra Provisions.

**9 am – 4 pm**

### Art Exhibit: Rotunda Gallery

(NR City Hall, 515 North Ave., NR, [www.newrochellearts.org](http://www.newrochellearts.org))

What inspires the artist? The struggles we have survived, the beauty of nature, an experience or poem, new beginnings, the coming together of friends and family? "Turning A New Leaf – In Pursuit of Your Muse" (on exhibit through November 16th) is dedicated to what inspires artists, from the beauty of Nature to an experience or poem.

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**10 am – 5 pm**

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(155 Fifth Avenue, Pelham; 914-576-7747, x115 ; [www.pelhamartcenter.org](http://www.pelhamartcenter.org))

Meditations, curated by Susan Nathenson, features six artists (Andras Böröcz, Elizabeth Goldman, Anki King, Elaine Lorenz, Howard Nathenson, and Melita Westerlund) working in painting and sculpture whose work resonates with the calming, healing, and repetitive mental and physical notions of meditating. Large scale oil paintings, steel sculptures, and found object assemblage pieces. Recommended for ages 18+ but all ages welcome.



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## Art Exhibit: Successful Vision

(106 Fifth Ave., Pelham 914-235-5068 ; [info@svbshop.com](mailto:info@svbshop.com); [www.svbshop.com](http://www.svbshop.com))

Works by artist Paolo Fiorino will be on exhibit at this popular eyewear boutique.

**10 am – 7 pm**

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(240 North Ave., Suite 215, NR, 917-825-9810; [www.lordandandragallery.com](http://www.lordandandragallery.com))

"Big Action in Small Spaces IV" exhibition from the National Association of Women Artists. This small, woman-owned and run gallery shows powerful artworks in an intimate space. Live music and wine tasting from 5 to 7 pm.

**11 am – 4 pm**

## Open Studio: Fran Sisco

(30 Mill Road, NR; [www.TransFranSisco.com](http://www.TransFranSisco.com). 914-589-1013)

Sculptures and paintings by artist Fran Sisco and others on exhibit; plus artist discussion and opportunities for hands-on creativity. 2 to 3 pm: Multiple artists on site will talk about their process and inspiration. 3 pm to 4 pm: Hands-on creativity: A group effort at making a 6-foot-tall wood sculpture and a 24 x 26 inch abstract acrylic painting.

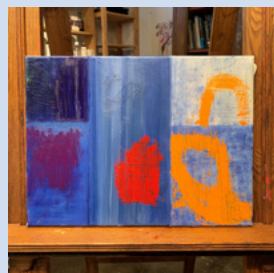


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(2 Division Street, NR; 914-354-0636) Visit multiple venues.

# FRIDAY OCTOBER 15<sup>TH</sup> cont'd

**4:30 pm – 6:30 pm**

## Live Music at the Train Station

(1 Railroad Plaza, NR 10801)

Eric Katz (vibraphone) and Alec Safy (bass), will be live, offering a mellow musical welcome to New Rochelle.

**4 pm to 8 pm**

## ArtExhibit: Accel 7 Innovation Station

(1 Railroad Plaza, NR 10801; 2nd floor – entrance near track 3)

Meet artist Rick Freeman and view an exhibit of his photographs. Fireface Designs encompass action pictures of fireworks performed in Westchester skies during various Fourth of July celebrations from 2011-2021. All ages.

**4 pm to Midnight**

## Art Exhibit and Live Music:

### Diner Brew Co. Tap Room

(40 Division Street , NR 914-815-0507, [www.dinerbrewco.com](http://www.dinerbrewco.com))

Featuring an exhibit of works by artist Victoria Rollett.



**5 pm – 8 pm**

## Live Music: Singer Songwriter Showcase at Pelham Art Center

(155 Fifth Avenue, Pelham; 914-576-7747, x115 ; [www.pelhamartcenter.org](http://www.pelhamartcenter.org))

On Friday, October 15th at 5:00pm, Pelham Art Center will host live acoustic music as part of New Rochelle Council on the Arts' ArtsFest weekend. Enjoy live performances by local musicians while viewing the Meditations exhibition. There is a suggested \$10 donation for this event.

**5 pm – 9 pm**

## Art Exhibit and Live Music: Alvin & Friends Restaurant

(14 Memorial Highway, NR; 914-654-6549; [www.alvinandfriendsrestaurant.com](http://www.alvinandfriendsrestaurant.com))

View artwork by owner Alvin Clayton and enjoy ArtsFest drink specials at the bar and live music from 7 to 10 pm.

**5:30 pm – 9 pm**

## Open Studio: Charles Fazzino Studio at Museum Editions, Ltd.

(32 Relyea Place, NR; 654-9370, [www.fazzino.com](http://www.fazzino.com))

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Tour Charles Fazzino's personal studio; enjoy a Fazzino art exhibition; interactive demonstrations make this fun for all ages and an ArtsFest favorite.

**6 pm – 8 pm**

## Live Muisic: ArtsFest Cabaret Vertatis at the Ossie Davis Theater

(New Rochelle Public Library, 1 Library Plaza, NR, 914-632-7878, [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org))

An evening of cabaret-style music featuring Claudia Knafo and Alexander Yagupsky at 6 pm, followed by IMPetus at 7 pm.

**6 pm – 9 pm**

## Live Music: Colonial Tavern @ Paine's Pub: Thomas Paine Cottage Museum

(20 Sicard Ave., NR; 914-633-1776, [www.thomaspainecottage.org](http://www.thomaspainecottage.org)) Free entry with a suggested donation of \$10 Will be serving light fare. Beer and Wine available. Local distillery samplings. A 21 or over event, minors have to be accompanied by adult to enter. Back again, period music & entertainment performed by Eliza Vincz- Lichack & Erik Lichack The Museum will be open for visitation and will exhibit our featured artists work. Grand opening of our Bonneville & Paine Exhibit.



# FRIDAY OCTOBER 15<sup>TH</sup> cont'd



**TBD**

## Film Festival: The Picture House Regional Theater

(175 Wolf's Lane, Pelham; 914-738-7337; [www.thepicturehouse.org](http://www.thepicturehouse.org))

German Film Festival kicks off on Friday evening with *When Hitler Stole Pink Rabbit* followed by a pre-recorded Q&A with filmmaker Caroline Link, who joined TPH at a screening of the film earlier this year. A complimentary German beer and wine tasting will take place outside the theater prior to the opening night film. Other festival selections include *Curveball* by Johannes Naber, *Free Country* by Christian Alvart, and *Undine* by Christian Petzold, whose 2012 film, *Barbara*, was Germany's entry for the Best Foreign Language Oscar. The festival will also include the family-friendly film *Rocca Changes the World*, directed by Katja Benrath. Check website for times. Sponsored by the Westchester Community Foundation.

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### Flower Bake by Angela

(494 New Rochelle Rd., Bronxville; 914-632-CAKE; [www.flowerbake.com](http://www.flowerbake.com))

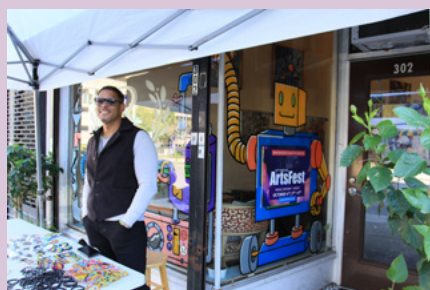
You can buy a special ArtsFest cupcake for \$4 or decorate your own (two cupcakes for \$15) at this "Cafe Boutique, Café and Creative Shop."

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**10 am – 5 pm**

## Open Studio: Highbrook Artists Studios

(222 Highbrook Avenue N., Pelham; 914-843-8808 (text only)

(Highbrookstudios@gmail.com; <https://www.facebook.com/HighbrookStudios/>)

Artist studios will be open for self-guided tours, exhibition and sales. Visit the open studios of artists Maria, Mills, Rolett and Seaboldt and shop their Annual Clothesline Sale of reasonably priced artwork. Enjoy the Highbrook Highline Invitational, an under-bridge exhibition designed with the public, pedestrian and passerby in mind. Visiting artist installations TBA.

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This small, woman-owned and run gallery shows powerful artworks in an intimate space. From 5 to 7 pm: Body Painting (adults only).

**10:30 am – 6 pm**

## Dance Classes: New Beginnings Performing Arts

(2 Division St, Suite 301, NR; 914-712-8878; [newbeginningsdance@gmail.com](mailto:newbeginningsdance@gmail.com); [www.newbeginningsdance.com](http://www.newbeginningsdance.com))

Special pricing for ArtsFest (\$10 per class) for all ages, including: Tiny Steps (ages 3 - 5) 10:30 am; Rising STARS (ages 6 to 8) 11:30 am;

Praise Dance (ages 8 & up, adults) 12:30 pm; Leap, Jumps, Turns (all levels) 2:30 pm; Ballet (all levels) 3:30 pm; Pre-Pointe 4:30 pm.

Advance registration is not required but please arrive 10 minutes before scheduled start time.

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## Third Annual ArtsFest Artisan Market

(Thomas Paine Cottage; 20 Sicard Ave., NR; 914-633-1776, [www.thomaspainecottage.org](http://www.thomaspainecottage.org))

Come spend the day shopping at our outdoor artisan market which will feature nearly two dozen vendors offering hand-crafted jewelry, home decor items, crocheted items, baked goods and much more!



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# SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16<sup>TH</sup> cont'd

**11 am – 4:30 pm**

## Classic Car and Vintage Harley Show

(Hamilton Avenue Parking Lot, North Ave. at Hamilton, adjacent to City Hall)

The Art, Culture & Design of the Automobile and Motorcycle is a design retrospective featuring an eye-catching bevy of classic auto beauties and Harley Davidson motorcycles from the 1920s through the 1970s, on exhibit by invitation only. With rollicking live music by Fat Boi Brass Band from 12 to 2 pm. In addition, a special Automotive Art Show will be open to the public in AJ's Restaurant (directly across the street) featuring auto related photography by Stephen Garnett. Sponsored by AJ's Burgers. (Rain Date: Sun. Oct.17)



**11 am – 5 pm**

## Live Music: ArtsFest Music Festival at NewRo Park

(455 Main St. between North Ave. and LeCount Pl.)

Opening weekend for New Rochelle's newest park and outdoor beer garden. The day starts with a free yoga class at 11 am and the arrival of ArtsWestchester's ArtsMobile, offering interactive art activities for all ages. Then enjoy live music all afternoon, featuring Downstate Darlings at noon, singer songwriter Ben Clark at 1:15, One Accord Gospel at 2:30, and John Cobert at 3:45.



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## Open Studio: Barry L. Mason

(Life Storage Building, 320 Washington St., Mt. Vernon; [barrymasonart.com](http://barrymasonart.com); 914-649-2399)

Visit the studio of noted artist and photographer Barry L. Mason, whose work includes huge abstract paintings on shaped canvas, photography and graphic design. All ages.

**12 noon – 4 pm**

## Interactive Art: ArtsWestchester's ArtsMobile

(at North Avenue at LeCount Place) Free visual arts workshops at ArtsWestchester's ArtsMobile, a colorful RAM van that brings free arts programming to children and audiences of all ages outside the traditional classroom or studio setting. With funding from White Plains Hospital and Con Edison, the ArtsMobile offers free, hands-on arts experiences led by professional teaching artists in the visual and performing arts. For more information about the ArtsMobile, go to: <https://artswestchester.org/the-artsmobile/>

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**12 noon – 5 pm**

## Open Studio: Vincenzo Costa

(44 Lincoln St., NR; 914-813-1640) Wood carvings by Vincenzo: Hand carved walking sticks, hiking sticks, defensive sticks, and decorative sticks for sale. Demonstrations. All ages.



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## **Family Fun Day: Thomas Paine Cottage Museum**

(20 Sicard Ave., NR; 914-633-1776, [www.thomaspainecottage.org](http://www.thomaspainecottage.org))

All ages welcome. Shakerattleandrollmusic.com, the 2021 Best Music Class by *Westchester Magazine*, will be on the grass of the Paine Cottage doing two sets from 3:30-4:15 and 4:30-5:15. Bring a blanket & percussion instrument to play along. Get ready for Halloween inside the one-room schoolhouse with pumpkin decorating, wizardry butterbeer and photo opps with dragons, plus more arts & crafts. Thomas Paine Cottage will be open for self-guided tours. And original artwork from the internationally recognized artist H. Lloyd Weston will be on display  
**Weston dans la maison de Paine Art Exhibit.**

**12 noon - 6 pm**

## **Artist Market and Spoken Word Stage: Acupuncture Unlimited**

(38 Lakeside Dr., NR; 914-356-2327; [Acupuncture.Ultd@gmail.com](mailto:Acupuncture.Ultd@gmail.com))

Artist Market: Featuring Cecilia Duncan Originals; Obeah Apothecary, offering Healing arts springing from a deep well of Ancestral Knowledge; and Amelia E. Jones, L.Ac.: Open studio, Zen painting. Spoken Word Stage will feature performances on the quarter hour: Featuring BORN TO FLY: Stories & Music from the African Diaspora by Therese Folkes Plair, internationally acclaimed musician, storyteller, arts educator, and Children's Rights advocate; Jocelyn Ffriend, Educator, poet, artist; and Danielle Jefferson: Apothecary, educator, artist. Families welcome.

**1 pm**

## **Dance Performance: Wolf's Lane Park, Pelham**

Musa Hixson's "The Conversation Sculpture" will be the site for an art activation with live music. The 9ft x 6ft x 6ft steel sculpture with three seats enclosed in its frame mimics a blooming flower; it will be on display through June 2023. The artist says his sculpture "is derived from my observation of how people use public space. Kids come to play. People exercise. Meet to talk. Or walk their dogs. This sculpture is for public use, just like a park or garden. I hope the seating in the sculpture will promote dialog, contemplation, and understanding." Free; suggested donation \$10.



**1 pm - 3 pm**

## **Exhibit and Artists Reception: Rotunda Gallery**

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Artists Exhibit will take place from 1 to 3 pm.

**1 pm - 6 pm**

## **Open Studio: James "BuJo" Williams**

(430 Garden Ave., Mt. Vernon) "Understanding Creativity"

**1 pm to Midnight**

## **Art Exhibit and Live Music: Diner Brew Co. Tap Room**

(40 Division Street, NR (914) 815-0507, [www.dinerbrewco.com](http://www.dinerbrewco.com))

featuring an exhibit of works by artist Victoria Rollett and live music.



**1 pm**

## **Pop Up Performance: A Vente on the Veranda at Starbucks Wykagyl**

(1278-80 North Ave., NR; 914-654-8651; [www.starbucks.com](http://www.starbucks.com)) Pop-up Theater Performance by New Rochelle High School's PAVE 4 students:

"Stories From The Starbuck's Patio" Come hear students share a collection of monologues and performance pieces. Developed and arranged by students, staged outside to demonstrate that you don't need a theatre to create great art. Help support our community and our future artists by being part of a unique audience experience. You might never think of your Chai Latte the same way again.



# SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16<sup>TH</sup> cont'd

**1 pm to 5 pm**

## Open Studio: Michael Cammer

(9 Vaughn Avenue, NR; mcammer@gmail.com ; 914-309-3270; coxcammer.com) Informal retrospective of drawings, paintings, and other art. Note: The venue is a large garage, not the artist's studio, for more space and covid safety.

**2 pm**

## Art Exhibit and Spoken Word: Thomas Paine Cottage Museum

(20 Sicard Ave., NR; 914-633-1776, www.thomaspainecottage.org ) An exhibit of original artwork from the internationally recognized artist H. Lloyd Weston is on display, and at 2 pm Mr. Weston will read samplings from his latest poetry book.

**2 pm – 3 pm**

## Interactive Art: Rock Painting Event sponsored by

## New Rochelle Artists Association at the New Rochelle Public Library

(1 Library Plaza, NR, 914-632-7878, www.nrpl.org) All ages are welcome to paint rocks outside with some of the artists of the New Rochelle Art Association. In addition, painted rocks created by NRAA Artists will be hidden around different ArtsFest venues for people to find and take home. One lucky winner will find the golden rock which will have a \$50 gift. card!

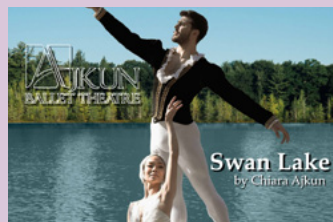
**3 pm – 4 pm**

## Dance Performance: Ajkun Ballet Presents

## "Swan Lake" at the New Rochelle Public Library

(1 Library Plaza, NR; 914-632-7878; www.nrpl.org) The outstanding **Ajkun Ballet Company** returns to the intimate stage of the Ossie Davis Theater for a memorable performance of *Swan Lake*.

(Turned into a Swan by the evil sorcerer Von Rothbart, Odette must find faithful love to break the spell. Black Swan Odile traps Odette's promised, Prince Siegfried, into breaking his vow, setting the ultimate scene stealer of the 32 fouettés.) Performed by The Swans of the Ajkun Ballet Theatre, who provide an exquisite "taste" of superb ballet for both first-time and seasoned audiences. Free. Made possible by the New Rochelle Council on the Arts, the Friends of the New Rochelle Public Library, and the New Rochelle BID. Ossie Davis Theater.



**3 pm – 5 pm**

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**5 pm – 7 pm**

## Body Painting and Art Exhibit: Lord and Andra

(240 North Ave., Suite 215, NR, 917-825-9810; www.lordandandragallery.com)

Enjoy the exhibit "Big Action in Small Spaces IV" from the National Association of Women Artists and, from 5 to 7 pm, Body Painting (adults only).

**5 pm – 9 pm**

## Art Exhibit and Live Music: Alvin & Friends Restaurant

(14 Memorial Hwy, NR; 914-654-6549; alvinandfriendsrestaurant.com) View artwork by owner Alvin Clayton. ArtsFest drink specials and live music.

**5 pm – 9 pm**

## Art Exhibit and Live Music: Town House

(559 Main Street, NR) Visit New Rochelle's newest restaurant, with works by Selena Lozano on exhibit and live music and nibbles; drink specials available. Featuring Gypsy Jazz Trio with Dan Elias on clarinet, Pavol Matej on violin and Maurice Sedacca on guitar, from 5 to 7 pm, then local legend Jon Backer (piano) and John Fumasoli (trombone) from 7 to 9 pm.

# SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16<sup>TH</sup> cont'd

**5:30 – 6:30 pm**

## Artists' Reception: New Rochelle Public Library

(1 Library Plaza, NR, 914-632-7878, [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)) *The 106th Annual Juried Exhibition of the New Rochelle Art Association*, featuring exceptional works in oil, watercolor, graphics, mixed media, pastel, photography, digital media, sculpture, and fine crafts in the Lumen Winter Gallery. Exhibit runs through October 24th.

**TBD**

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# SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17<sup>TH</sup>

**6:30 am – 7 pm**

## Art Exhibit and Coffee Tasting: R Café & Tea Boutique

(302 Huguenot St., NR; 914- 358-1841) Group show on exhibit: "Road Maps of Life." Emerging local and international artists will be participating in this exhibit. A coffee tasting will be served from 1 to 2:30 pm daily; free. This café/salon offers exquisite coffee, hand-blended teas, and pastries, and is also "home base" for local writers like Karen Dukess (*The Last Book Party*) and Amy Bass (*One Goal*).



**10 am – 5 pm**

## Open Studio: Highbrook Artists Studios

(222 Highbrook Avenue N., Pelham; 914-843-8808 (text only)  
([Highbrookstudios@gmail.com](mailto:Highbrookstudios@gmail.com); <https://www.facebook.com/HighbrookStudios/>)

Artist studios will be open for self-guided tours, exhibition and sales. Visit the open studios of artists Maria, Mills, Rolett and Seaboldt and shop their Annual Clothesline Sale of reasonably priced artwork. Enjoy the Highbrook Highline Invitational, an under-bridge exhibition designed with the public, pedestrian and passerby in mind. Visiting artist installations TBA.



**10 am – 4 pm**

## Art Exhibit: Pelham Art Center

(155 Fifth Avenue, Pelham; 914-576-7747, x115; [www.pelhamartcenter.org](http://www.pelhamartcenter.org)) "Meditations" curated by Susan Nathensen features six artists working in painting and sculpture whose work resonates with the calming, healing, and repetitive mental and physical notions of meditating. Large scale oil paintings, steel sculptures, and found object assemblage pieces. Recommended for ages 18+ but all ages are welcome.

**10 am – 10 pm**

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"Big Action in Small Spaces IV" exhibition from the National Association of Women Artists. This small, woman-owned and run gallery shows powerful artworks in an intimate space.





# SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17<sup>TH</sup> cont'd

**11 am – 4 pm**

## Open Studio: Fran Sisco

(30 Mill Road, NR; [www.TransFranSisco.com](http://www.TransFranSisco.com). 914-589-1013) Sculptures and paintings by artist Fran Sisco and others on exhibit. 2 to 3 pm: Multiple artists on site will talk about their process and inspiration. 3 pm to 4 pm: Hands-on creativity: A group effort at making a 6-foot-tall wood sculpture and a 24 x 26 inch abstract acrylic painting.

**11 am – 4 pm**

## Open Studio: Atelier Crashcup

(373 Stratton Rd, corner of Mohegan. Park on Mohegan; 914-216-3792) Visit the studio of artist John Mignault. Artist will be present at studio; paintings and drawings for sale; light refreshments; All ages welcome.

**11 am – 5 pm**

## Open Studio: Barry L. Mason

(Life Storage Building, 320 Washington St., Mt. Vernon; [barrymasonart.com](http://barrymasonart.com) ; 914-649-2399) Visit the studio of noted artist and photographer Barry L. Mason, whose work includes huge abstract paintings on shaped canvas, photography and graphic design. All ages welcome.

**11 am – 5 pm**

## Live Music: NewRo Park and Beer Garden

(455 Main St. between North Ave. and LeCount Pl.) Opening weekend for New Rochelle's newest park and outdoor beer garden. The day starts with a free yoga class at 11 am. Then enjoy live music all afternoon, featuring Avalanche at Dawn at noon, Fall Fling at 1:15 pm, Monica Uhm and Trio of Awesuhm at 2:30 pm and Bombay Rickey at 4 pm.

**11 am – 6 pm**

## Open Studio: Charles Fazzino Studio at Museum Editions, Ltd.

(32 Relyea Place, NR; 914-654-9370, [www.fazzino.com](http://www.fazzino.com)) Visit the studio of one of the world's premiere pop artists – the master of 3-D art – and learn about his process and technique. Tour Charles Fazzino's personal studio; enjoy a Fazzino art exhibition; interactive demonstrations make this fun for all ages and an ArtsFest favorite.



**11:30 am – 9 pm**

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**12 noon – 3 pm**

## Open Studio: Fred Spinowitz

(995 North Ave., New Rochelle, NY 10804; 914/309-9298; [www.spinowitzjudaica.com](http://www.spinowitzjudaica.com)) Exhibit: "Abstract Calligraphy" and demo of Spinowitz painted tapestry. Artist Fred Spinowitz will work on current tapestry as an explanation of the unique process will be discussed.

**12 noon – 4 pm**

## Art Exhibit: Accel 7 Innovation Station

(1 Railroad Plaza, NR 10801; 2nd floor – entrance near track 3) Meet artist Rick Freeman and view an exhibit of his photographs. Fireface Designs encompass action pictures of fireworks performed in Westchester skies during various Fourth of July celebrations from 2011-2021. All ages.

**12 noon – 5 pm**

## Open Studios: Gallery Roc

(2 Division Street, NR; 914-354-0636) Visit multiple venues.

**12 noon – 5 pm**

## Open Studio: Vincenzo Costa

(44 Lincoln St., NR; 914-813-1640) Wood carvings by Vincenzo: Hand carved walking sticks, hiking sticks, defensive sticks, and decorative sticks for sale. Demonstrations. All ages.



**12 noon – 5 pm**

## Artist Market and Spoken Word Stage at Acupuncture Unlimited

(38 Lakeside Dr., NR; 914-356-2327; Acupuncture.Ultd@gmail.com)

Artist Market: Featuring Cecilia Duncan Originals; Obeah Apothecary, offering Healing arts springing from a deep well of Ancestral Knowledge; and Amelia E. Jones, L.Ac.: Open studio, Zen painting. Spoken Word Stage will feature performances on the quarter hour: Featuring BORN TO FLY: Stories & Music from the African Diaspora by Therese Folkes Plair, internationally acclaimed musician, storyteller, arts educator, and Children's Rights advocate; Jocelyn Ffriend, Educator, poet, artist; and Danielle Jefferson: Apothecary, educator, artist. Families welcome.

**12 noon – 6 pm**

## Thomas Paine Cottage Museum

(20 Sicard Ave., NR; 914-633-1776, [www.thomaspainecottage.org](http://www.thomaspainecottage.org)) The Thomas Paine Cottage will be open for self-guided tours, and works by H. Lloyd Weston will be on exhibit. At 3 pm enjoy a special lecture on "New Rochelle: Her Part in the Irish War of Independence" by James McGlashin. The lecture connects our city with the major historical events that were unravelling 100 years ago, inspired by New Rochelle's greatest resident, Thomas Paine. An art exhibit featuring works by the Emmet Family will be on display during the lecture.

**1 pm to 5 pm**

## Open Studio: Michael Cammer

(9 Vaughn Avenue, NR; [mcammer@gmail.com](mailto:mcammer@gmail.com) ; 914-309-3270; [coxcammer.com](http://coxcammer.com)) Informal retrospective of drawings, paintings, and other art. Note: The venue is a large garage, not the artist's studio, for more space and covid safety.

**1 pm – 6 pm**

## Art Exhibit and Live Music: Diner Brew Co. Tap Room

(40 Division Street, NR 914-815-0507, [www.dinerbrewco.com](http://www.dinerbrewco.com)) featuring an exhibit of works by artist Victoria Rollett.

**3 pm**

## Historic Lecture: Thomas Paine Cottage Museum

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**3 pm – 5 pm**

## Spoken Word: READ 650 at the New Rochelle Public Library

(1 Library Plaza, NR; 914-632-7878; [www.nrpl.org](http://www.nrpl.org)) **Haunted: A Spoken Word Event** by Read650, the popular live reading series, featuring 650-word stories that can be told in 5 minutes. Writers will tell us about premonitions, superstitions, or the thing that went bump in the night. We'll gather around a virtual campfire to hear eerie tales about the strange, the unexplained, the paranormal. This program is made possible by the New Rochelle Council on the Arts, the Friends of the New Rochelle Public Library, and suggested minimum donations of \$20. Reception follows the event. Visit [www.Read650.org](http://www.Read650.org) or call 845-895-2553 for additional information and upcoming submission topics.

**5 pm – 9 pm**

## Art Exhibit and Live Music: Town House

(559 Main Street, NR) View works by Selena Lozano on exhibit and enjoy live music and nibbles; drink specials available. Enjoy live music with Eric Katz (vibraphone) and Alec Safy (bass) from 5 to 7 pm; then Matt Garrison (sax) and Justin Wert (guitar) from 7 to 9 pm.

**TBD**

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# ARTSFEST VENUES

**1. Accel 7, FIREFACE Designs**

New Rochelle Train Station, 2nd floor  
freemansound@gmail.com  
www.firefacedesigns.com; 914-523-139

**2. Acupuncture Unlimited**

38 Lakeside Dr., NR  
914-356-2327; Acupuncture.Ultd@gmail.com

**3. AJ's Burgers**

524 North Ave., NR  
914-235-3009; www.ajsburgers.com

**4. Alvin & Friends Restaurant**

14 Memorial Highway, NR; 914-654-6549;  
www.alvinandfriendsrestaurant.com

**5. Atelier Crashcup**

373 Stratton Rd, corner of Mohegan.  
Park on Mohegan  
john.mignault@gmail.com; 914-216-3792

**ArtsWestchester ArtsMobile**

Parked at NewRo Park,  
455 Main St. between North Ave. and LeCount Pl.

**6. Michael Cammer Studio**

9 Vaughan Ave., NR  
mcammer@gmail.com; 914-309-3270

**7. Classic Car and Vintage Harley Show**

Hamilton Avenue Parking Lot,  
North Ave. at Hamilton, adjacent to City Hall

**8. Vincenzo Costa**

44 Lincoln St., NR; 914-813-1640

**9. Diner Brew Co. Tap Room**

40 Division Street, NR; 914-815-0507  
www.dinerbrewco.com

**10. Down to Earth Farmers Market**

Thomas Paine Cottage, 20 Sicard Ave., NR

**11. Charles Fazzino Studio at Museum Editions, Ltd.**

32 Relyea Place, NR; 914-654-9370  
www.fazzino.com

**12. Flowerbake by Angela**

494 New Rochelle Rd., Bronxville (not shown on map)  
914-632-CAKE; www.flowerbake.com

**13. Gallery Roc**

2 Division Street, NR  
914-354-0636, 516-639-8987

**14. Highbrook Highline**

Highbrook Avenue Bridge, Pelham

**15. High Brook Studios**

222 HighBrook Avenue North, Pelham  
914-582-8432

**16. Huguenot Children's Library**

794 North Ave., NR; 914-632-8954

**17. Lord and Andra**

240 North Avenue, Suite 215, NR  
www.lordandandragallery.com

**18. Barry L. Mason Studio**

LifeStorage Building, 320 Washington Street, Mt. Vernon  
blmason@mac.com; 914-649-2399 (not shown on map)

**19. New Beginnings Performing Arts**

2 Division St, Suite 301, NR  
914-712-8878; newbeginningsdance@gmail.com  
www.newbeginningsdance.com

**20. NewRo Park and Beer Garden**

455 Main St. between North Ave. and LeCount Pl.

**21. NewRo Studio**

11 Burling Lane, NR ; 914-886-5180

**22. New Rochelle Public Library**

1 Library Plaza, NR  
914-632-7878, www.nrpl.org

**23. NRCA Rotunda Gallery**

NR City Hall, 515 North Ave., NR  
www.newrochellearts.org

**24. New Rochelle Train Station**

(platform) 1 Railroad Plaza, NR

**25. The Sophia Brewster One-Room Schoolhouse**

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995 North Avenue, NR; 914-309-9298  
www.spinowitzjudaica.com
- 31. Fran Sisco**  
30 Mill Road, NR; 914-589-1013  
FrancisSisco@aol.com
- 32. Successful Vision**  
106 Fifth Ave., Pelham ; 914-235-5068 ; info@svbshop.com
- 33. Town House**  
559 Main Street, NR  
917-364-5145
- 34. VAEA**  
(Venezuelan American Endowment for the Arts)  
360 Huguenot St., NR  
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- 35. Jim (BuJo) Williams Studio**  
430 Garden Avenue, Mt. Vernon (not shown on map)  
near Pelham High School  
914- 413-6337; wbujojames@aol.com
- 36. Wolf's Lane Sculpture Park**  
Wolf's Lane, Pelham



### NRNY MURAL WALK ROUTE

- 134 North Avenue
- 542 Main Street
- 555 Main Street
- 38 Division Street
- 49 Lawton Street
- 309 North Avenue
- 44 Fountain Place
- 1 Radisson Place



### NRNY POP-UP LIBRARIES

- New Rochelle Train Station
- Columbus School
- Glenwood Lakes
- Hudson Park
- Huguenot Park
- Lincoln Park
- Paws Place (Ward Acres Park - not shown on map)

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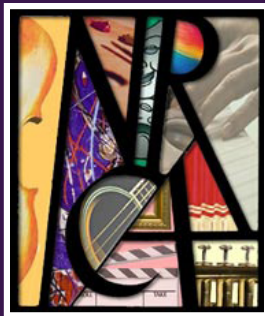


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