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ART

Art Embraces Words 2-4 p.m. on Sunday, July 14, Lafayette Library and Learning Center, Arts & Science Room. Emerging writers will read excerpts from their works surrounded by visual artwork by local artists. In this way art literally “embraces” the spoken word. Accepting applications online for art and writing at lamorindaarts.org under Programs. Questions contact literary@lamorindaarts.org.

The June exhibit at the art gallery at the Orinda library will feature acrylic paintings by Carla Gelbaum, photography by Jennifer Dzendzel, ceramics by Andrea Ciak, and jewelry and watercolors by Dina Asna. The exhibit will run through June 30.

Valley Art Gallery presents “Around and About Mount Diablo,” a new juried exhibition, through June 29. A competi-

tion juried by Timothy Horn, nationally acclaimed painter of the California landscape, “Around and About Diablo” presents 36 choices of artistic interpretation of the beauty of the iconic Devil Mountain and the vibrancy of the surrounding area. In addition the Gallery has assembled nearly 300 new pieces representing the best of the best by East Bay artists on our unique sliding walls - with all works available for sale or rent. Also on hand is a wide-ranging juried selection of locally created fine crafts and jewelry. www.valleyartgallery.org; (925) 935-4311

Lamorinda Arts Alliance “A Warm Palette” June 3-27 at the Lindsay Dirx Brown Gallery, 12501 Alcosta Blvd., San Ramon. Member artists dazzle with the warm colors of the season: yellows, oranges, reds and pinks. Other colors were always welcome, however; we were looking for the “warmest palette”.

MUSIC

Lafayette's Rock the Plaza series, now in its 14th season, takes place from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Friday nights in June at Lafayette's Plaza Park at the corner of Mt. Diablo Boulevard and Moraga Road. This summer, the special artist alley will open at 5:30 p.m. June 28: The Keep On Truckin' Band www.gigmasters.com Orinda Concerts in the Park, with food trucks, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Tuesday evenings at the Community Center and Park: July 9, Flashback; July 16, Lamorinda Idol; July 23, Dirty Cello.

SonoMusette: Bastille Day Concert at The Freight & Salvage at 7 p.m. on July 14 at 2020 Addison Street, Berkeley. SonoMusette's renditions of timeless French classics provide a freshness and excitement that is contemporary, yet faithful to the spirit and tradition of the original versions. Tickets: \$18 ad-

vance/\$22 door. <https://www.thefreight.org/event/1813128-sonomusette-berkeley/>

Lafayette Rotary, Aegis Living of Moraga, and the Rossmoor Big Band will be producing the annual Tribute to the Troops at the Lafayette Reservoir Band Stand from 5 to 8:15 p.m. on July 13. This free concert honors our troops and the Blue Star and Gold Star Mothers who support our troops. Lamorinda residents are encouraged to attend and bring a picnic and enjoy music from the Rossmoor Big Band and Lafayette's very own native son David Martin and Rob Ross from David Martin's House Party. Seating will be provided but attendees can also bring a blanket to spread out on the grass and enjoy the concert.

Cantare Con Vivo presents My Lord, What a Morning, a 100-voice choir singing African-American spirituals

and gospel songs that are seldom performed today. Fundamental to the formation of essential American genres such as ragtime, jazz, blues and R&B. the history of this music is rooted in American slavery mixed with Christian indoctrination, leading to these insightful and emotionally powerful personal expressions of faith. 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 27 at the Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian Church. Ticket price: \$20.00. www.cantareconvivo.org.

Moraga Commons Park Summer Concerts from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thursday evenings in the summer. June 27 features the Beatles tribute band Beatles Flashback and July 4 will showcase the Rock & Soul band House Rockers. Join your neighbors for a relaxing free concert. Bring your picnic blanket or lawn chairs to the grassy hillside in front of the band shell. Enjoy the music while your children enjoy the park. The volunteers of Moraga Park Foundation cook food with the Snack Bar opening at 6 p.m.

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9:30 a.m. CONGREGATIONAL WORSHIP
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THEATER

California Shakespeare Theater's “The Good Person of Szechwan” by Bertolt Brecht; translated by Wendy Arons; adapted by Tony Kushner July 3 - 21 at the Bruns Amphitheater, 100 California Shakespeare Theater Way, Orinda. Single tickets start at \$20, with discounts available for seniors, students, persons age 30 and under, and groups. For more information and show-times, visit www.calshakes.org.

LECTURE & LITERATURE

KPFA Radio 94.1 FM presents Richard Wolff: 'Save Capitalism? Why? We Can Do Better' from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, June 26 at First Congregational Church of Berkeley, 2345 Channing Way, Berkeley. Richard Wolff will speak on the topic, 'Save Capitalism? Why? We Can Do Better,' answer questions and sign books. Hosted by Sabrina Jacobs. Cost: \$15 advance, \$18 door. For more info see <http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/4097650> or call (510) 967-4495.

Planned Giving: Tips & Techniques – For an Elegant and Efficient Charitable Legacy seminar at 9:30 a.m. on July 13 in the Brother Jerome West Hall at the Saint Mary's College campus. Thoughtful charitable planning is the hallmark of any true legacy. And charitable planning is especially elegant when designed to fit efficiently with your tax and estate planning goals. Through several common-sense examples, you will learn how your gifting strategies can stretch your generosity and leverage your legacy. The event is free, but we ask that you RSVP for planning purposes to cab35@stmarys-ca.edu or (925) 631-4168.

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