



LA GRUA CENTER

November 2016

FRIDAY THE 4TH FROM 5-7PM

Exhibit Opening:
World Around Us~Artistic Creations
Northeast Connecticut Art Guild

SATURDAY THE 5TH AT 5PM

Poetry Reading with Merrill House:
The Offering
with poet Eleanor Kedney

THURSDAY THE 10TH AT 6PM

Stonington Historical Society:
The Farm to Table Movement
with Sandy Oliver

SATURDAY THE 12TH FROM 9:30AM-3PM

8th Annual Holiday Craft Show

WEDNESDAY THE 16TH AT 6PM

World Affairs Discussion:
Forging the Threads of a Shared Society in Israel
with Mohammad Darawshe

SATURDAY THE 19TH AT 5PM

Music Matters Concert:
Piano Quartets by Mozart, Joaquín Turina, & Fauré
featuring Omni Piano Quartet

Classes at La Grua Center

Visit our website LaGruaCenter.org for class description and fees.

Yoga by the Sea with Casey Gash
Basic/Gentle Yoga (Tuesdays 9:30-10:45am, Sundays 10-11:15am)

Stretch and Strengthen--Maintaining Mobility and Stability; Improving Your Balance, Posture, and Gait (Mondays & Wednesdays 1-2pm)

Traditional West African Drumming & Dance w/Ashley Jones (Tuesdays: Drum 6-7:30, Dance 7:30-9pm)

Beginner's Mind Yoga with Alice Despard (Mondays 9-10:15am, Thursdays 9-10:30 am)

Kripalu Yoga with Priscilla Humphrey (Thursdays 4-5:15 pm)

Medicaid Made Clear with Financial Advisor Scott Nelson (Wednesday the 2nd from 10:30-12:30 and Thursday the 10th from 12-2pm)

Artist Feedback Workshop with Marija McCarthy (Friday 11/18 10am-noon)

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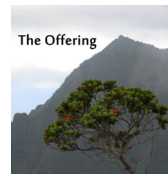
ARTS & CULTURE

FRIDAY from 5-7PM • November 4
Exhibit Opening: The World Around Us in Artistic Creations
Northeast Connecticut Art Guild



Opening reception for the Northeast Connecticut Art Guild exhibit. Artists will exhibit a variety of works with the theme, *The World Around Us in Artistic Creations*. Viewers can look forward to a wide selection of lovely member artworks in various mediums including oils, acrylics, watercolors, pastels, fibers, pen & ink, and refurbished woodwork. Come meet the artists at our opening! Exhibit will run through the end of December. Please call for hours.
Suggested donaton \$5.

SATURDAY at 5PM • November 5
The Offering
with poet Eleanor Kedney



Poet Eleanor Kedney will read from her book, *The Offering*, and talk about writing in a narrative voice and working with autobiographical material. She will discuss the distinctions between poems that come out of a writer's life experiences and those that are purely autobiographical. Eleanor will share craft elements used in individual poems to engage the imagination, get to an emotional truth, and interest the reader. Come join us for an engaging evening!
Suggested donation \$5.



SATURDAY from 9:30AM-3PM • November 12
8th Annual Holiday Craft Show

Once again we are pleased to present exciting offerings from new and returning favorite exhibitors for our 8th annual Holiday Arts and Crafts Show. Each artist will be showcasing their own unique talents. Items will be available for purchase. Come on down, get ideas, get inspired, and get a start on your holiday shopping!

LECTURE

WEDNESDAY at 6PM • November 16
Forging the Threads of a Shared Society in Israel
with Mohammed Darawshe



Givat Haviva, the Center for Shared Society in Israel brings you their Director of Planning, Equality & Shared Society, Mohammad Darawshe. Mohammad brings an authentic perspective on the realities of those living in the midst of these struggles as both an Arab-Israeli and a leader in the field of Shared Society. With this talk, Mohammad will bring contextual knowledge of the realities in Israel coupled with the actual progress and hope for a Shared Society that goes on every day at Givat Haviva's campus.
Suggested donation \$5.

MUSIC MATTERS



SATURDAY at 5PM • November 19
Piano Quartets by Mozart, Joaquín Turina, & Fauré
featuring Omni Piano Quartet

It is with great pleasure that we welcome New York's OMNI Piano Quartet to share their love of two seminal works for their instrumental combination. They will also grant most of us our first encounter with a quartet from the hand of Spain's prolific and gloriously colorful chamber (and theater, and symphonic) composer, Joaquín Turina. The sound of the piano quartet encompasses haunting solos, soulful duos, and orchestral fullness, plucking mightily at our heartstrings along the way. If expressive variety attracts you as much as incomparable beauty, you'll find this concert irresistible.

Suggested donation \$10.

EVENTS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

Designated parking is in the main lot of Stonington Commons.

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