



LA GRUA CENTER

June 2017

FRIDAY THE 2ND AT 6PM
Fundraiser Cocktail Reception and
Preview Concert

SATURDAY THE 3RD STARTING AT 10:00AM
Stonington Sounds Music Festival

SUNDAY THE 4TH AT 5PM
James Merrill House Presents:
Louise Gluck

SATURDAY THE 10TH AT 5PM
Music Matters Concert
Ensemble Vermillian

MONDAY THE 26TH AT 6PM
DVD Screening:
The Brendan Voyage

THURSDAY THE 29TH AT 6PM
Stonington Historical Society:
New American Revolution -
Community Forum

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 1:30-
2:30pm)

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

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

Full Moon Meditation with Sunshine
Estar (June 7 at 7pm)

Mommy/Daddy & Me Psychic
Development Class with Sunshine
Estar (Mondays 10-11am)

Sensitive Child Psychic Development
Class with Sunshine Estar (Mondays
4-5pm)

Sensitive Kids Psychic Development
Class with Sunshine Estar (Sundays
1-2pm)

Beginner Psychic Awareness Class
with Sunshine Estar (Sundays 2-3pm)

Advanced Psychic Development
Class with Sunshine Estar (Sundays
3-4pm)

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EXCLUSIVE PREVIEW PERFORMANCE

FRIDAY at 6PM • June 2
**Fundraiser Cocktail Party on the Green
& Preview Concert**
featuring pianist John Davis



HALLEY'S COMET: AROUND THE PIANO
with Mark Twain and John Davis

John Davis pays musical tribute to America's most famous author, Mark Twain. John will perform pieces with connections to Twain, interspersed with the pianist's own readings of the often hilarious and always fascinating quotations from Twain and his contemporaries.

Tickets \$100 per person. Visit our website to purchase.



SATURDAY starting at 10AM • June 3

Stonington Sounds Summer Music Festival



All day free concerts in Stonington Borough.
Shop, dine, and enjoy some music!

- 10am- Salt Water Shoes (Acoustic Guitar) *Farmer's Market*
- 11am- Sing & Play with Ms. Bergin (Children's Concert) *Stonington Commons Green*
- 1pm- Musical Tribute to Mark Twain with John Davis *La Grua Center*
- 2pm- U.S. Coast Guard Dixieland Jazz Band *Stonington Commons Green*
- 3pm- Harpsichord Concert with Elena Zamolodchikova *La Grua Center*
- 4pm- Mike Casey Trio (Jazz) *Stonington Commons Green*
- 7pm- Sonia Bettencourt & Guitarras do Atlantico (Fado) *Portuguese Holy Ghost Society*

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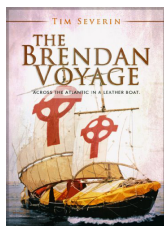
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DOCUMENTARY SCREENING



MONDAY at 6PM • June 26
DVD Screening: *The Brendan Voyage*
Braving the North Atlantic in a Leather Boat

Could an Irish monk in the sixth century really have sailed all the way across the Atlantic in a small open boat, thus beating Columbus to the New World by almost a thousand years? Relying on the medieval text of St. Brendan, award-winning adventure writer Tim Severin painstakingly researched and built a boat identical to the leather curragh that carried Brendan on his epic voyage. He found a centuries-old, family-run tannery to prepare the ox hides in the medieval way; he undertook an exhaustive search for skilled harness makers and located one of the last pieces of Irish-grown timber tall enough to make the main mast. But his courage and resourcefulness were truly tested on the open seas. *The Brendan Voyage* seamlessly blends high adventure and historical relevance.

Open to the public. Suggested donation \$5.

MUSIC



SATURDAY at 5PM • June 10
**Music Matters Concert:
Ensemble Vermillian**

17th-century Chamber Music

The spare, note-covered page of a chamber score from the 17th century tosses performers a gauntlet that Ensemble Vermillian (California & North Carolina) takes up with verve and delight. Whether in florid, highly ornamented passages for solo recorder and violin, or in long, sinewy strands of shivering stillness, this is the music out of which today's living chamber tradition grew. La Grua Center's fine acoustics lend wings to these heavenly works. Won't you join us for this sumptuous chamber feast, as June's welcome warmth surrounds us?

Open to the public. Suggested donaton \$10.

EVENTS ARE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

Free parking is in the main lot of Stonington Commons, 32 Water St., Stonington Borough.

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