

Community News



The Amador Gourd Artists will be holding the third annual Gourd Ornament Workshop on Saturday, October 25, from 9am to 4pm at the Amador County Agricultural Department, 12200B Airport Road in Jackson. There will be three gourd art projects which will last two hours each. Participants will be able to take three different pieces of work home with them at the end of the day. Participants should wear work clothes and/or aprons to protect them from paint. Participants also need to bring a lunch; a lunch break is scheduled and classes following it will restart promptly on the hour.

The cost of the class is \$30, not including materials. Proceeds from the program support of the Friends of the Amador County Library. To enroll, send a check for \$30 made payable to "Friends of the Amador County Library to: FACL Gourd Class, P.O. Box 701, Jackson, CA 95642 prior to the beginning of class. A materials and supplies fee of \$15 will be collected at the Ag Dept. on the day of the event. There is room for 24 students. Reservations for class are on a first come, first served basis. For more information, call Aaron Bullock at (209) 274-6565.

The 2014-15 Broadway Sacramento

season features the return engagement of the Tony®, Grammy® and Olivier Award-winning mega-hit musical *Jersey Boys*, the story of Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons; the magic of the brand new Tony-winning production of the classic tale Rodgers & Hammerstein's *Cinderella*; and eight-time Tony Award-winner *Once*, an unforgettable and unique musical based on the 2007 Academy Award-winning film. Broadway Sacramento, sponsored by Wells Fargo and presented by the nonprofit California Musical Theatre, is the largest performing arts event in the Capital Region. All performances are at the Community Center Theater, 1301 L Street, in downtown Sacramento.

Season tickets are available only at the Wells Fargo Pavilion Box Office, 1419 H Street, Sacramento, or by calling (916) 557-1999. Season subscribers save up to \$123 off the price of a pair of single-show tickets, and they get the best seats available. Six-show subscriptions range from \$130.25 to \$393.55, depending on performance day/time and seating location.

Single-show tickets for *Jersey Boys*, *Dirty Dancing*, *Joseph And The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*, and *RAIN: A Tribute to the Beatles* are on sale now. Single-show tickets for *Once* and *Cinderella* go on sale Dec 5 at 10am. Purchase at the Wells Fargo Pavilion Box Office, 1419 H Street, or by calling (916) 557-1999; they are also available at the Convention Center Box Office, 1301 L Street, or by calling (916) 808-5181, or at Tickets.com Groups of 12 or more (10 or more for *Jersey Boys*) can reserve tickets for Broadway Sacramento shows by calling (916) 557-1198. For more information, call (916) 557-1999 or visit BroadwaySacramento.com




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SCSO Stained Glass Concert Launches Season 19

An evening of majesty and fanfare featuring one of Handel's greatest works. Discover the beauty and sound of Fremont's recently renovated Sanctuary and the power and majesty of the new Reuter pipe organ. Featuring Handel's *Dettingen Te Deum*, Renaissance Motets - Gregorian Chant, Karlie Saenz, Mezzo, John Martin, Bass, The SCSO Chamber Orchestra. Donald Kendrick, Conductor, Ryan Enright, Organist.

Saturday, October 25th at 8pm, Fremont Presbyterian Church, 5770 Carlson Dr. (at H Street), Sacramento. Tickets \$35 -Reserved; \$25-General; Students with ID: 50% discount. Sacramento Choral Society Box Office (M-F) 916-536-9065.

CHINA PAINTING

Margaret Anway has decades of experience painting, as well as teaching china and glass painting. She has been published in "The China Decorator" magazine, and is happy teaching beginning artists as well as professional, and is flexible to your needs.

Classes are Tuesday mornings, 9-12 noon at Margaret Anway's home, 26601 High Tree Ave, Pioneer. \$7 per class. Call 209-295-8836 to schedule your first class or if you have any questions regarding the class.

Sutter Creek Theater,

Sat 10/25, **Wendy Burch Steel** - Bluegrass, Old Time, Americana
SUN 10/26, 2pm, **Fiona Joy Hawkins and James Englund** - Join evocative New Age pianist and singer Fiona Joy Hawkins and Guest Artist singer/songwriter and multi-instrumentalist James Englund for an evening of music to dream to. Fiona Joy's 600 Years in a Moment has been hailed as one of the top New Age albums of 2013 internationally.

Tickets available online at: www.suttercreektheatre.com and at Heart & Soul, 42 Main St, 11-5pm everyday. (209) 256-9702 Theater at 44 Main St., Sutter Creek.

The Bach Brunch, Oct 26, at the Twain Harte Golf Club, rounds out the fabulous four-event season. The Youth Strings, a collection of Suzuki violin players from Tuolumne County will enchant attendees with a combination of classical music and an idyllic setting. Chef Dave Ingram caters this popular finale to the 2014 SBF season. Twain Harte Golf Club, 22909 Meadow Lane, Twain Harte, CA. \$35. For reservation information, call (209) 536-6330; (209) 536-6330 or online at www.sonorabach.org

Reach Out to Our Veterans
They went beyond the Call for YOU

The Foothills Fitness program of the Amador Senior Center along with United Home Care will be hosting a free workshop at the Senior Center on Saturday, October 25th from 9am to 1pm. The workshop will feature an evaluation of general health by an R.N., a balance assessment by a registered Physical Therapist and Medications Inventory evaluation by a Registered Pharmacist. In addition, there will be a class on home safety principles with demonstration of home modification and safety equipment. There will also be a small vendor display of local agencies and resources for help seniors stay safe while living in their own home.

The workshop is free but due to limited space, you must pre-register. Call 209-223-0442 for more information and to register for this event. According to the CDC (from September 2014)

- One out of three older adults (those aged 65 or older) falls each year but less than half talk to their healthcare providers about it.
- Among older adults, falls are the leading cause of both fatal and nonfatal injuries.³
- In 2012, 2.4 million nonfatal falls among older adults were treated in emergency departments and more than 722,000 of these patients were hospitalized.
- In 2012, the direct medical costs of falls, adjusted for inflation, were \$30 billion. Falls are one of the most preventable causes of injury to people over 65. Sign up for this valuable workshop and learn how you can become safer. There are many excellent and inexpensive local resources to assist you to say safe and comfortable in your own home.

The Mother Lode Friends of Music,

the regional organization of classical music performance serving the central region of the gold country, presents its first concert of chamber music in the new season on Sunday, November 2, starting at 2pm in the Church of the Nazarene, 14050 Ridge Road, in Sutter Creek. The concert is free and open to the public. The concert is devoted to music of the Baroque era and presents seven of the organization's top performers: Corina Stoian on violin, Ron Brickman on harpsichord, Sandra Betti on flute, Hank King on recorder, Jane Buzzard on oboe, Gail Buzzard on bassoon and Alice Williams on cello.

The concert opens with the dazzling Sonata in D for violin and harpsichord by Jean-Marie Leclair, famous throughout musical history for its final movement "Le Tambourin" (The Tambourine), performed by Stoian and Brickman. Hank King, with Brickman and Williams, performs the enchanting Recorder Sonata in A minor of Georg Frideric Handel. The first half concludes with the majestic Trio Sonata in D minor of Johann Sebastian Bach, performed by Betti, Jane and Gail Buzzard, and Brickman.

The second half of the program opens with the charming Trio Sonata in C for Recorder and Flute, with bassoon and harpsichord accompaniment, by Johann Joachim Quantz. It is one of the rare works of Baroque music featuring both the recorder and the flute. The grand Chamber Concerto in G minor of Antonio Vivaldi follows, with six of the seven instruments represented: recorder, oboe, violin, bassoon, cello and harpsichord. The concert continues with the Quintet in D of Johann Christian Bach, one of J. S. Bach's sons who incorporated elements of Baroque music into the musical ideas of the emerging Classical era.

The concert concludes with a contemporary work for violin and harpsichord by Japanese-American composer Asako Hirabayashi, combining both modern romanticism and brilliant virtuosity in both instruments. For further information, call (209) 293-4227 or go to www.mlf.org

2014 Lamplight Tours at Columbia State Historic Park

Come one and all to Columbia State Historic Park's annual Lamplight Tours on Friday, December 5th and Saturday, December 6th! Get ready to laugh and be merry with the costumed citizens of Columbia during this annual holiday themed event. Participants will be guided through the decorated town during the walking play and experience Columbia of 1860. While townspeople are preparing for the biggest event of the year, there's something amiss. Uncover what's happening! Join us for an evening of music, frolic, dancing and family fun!

"Trip The Toe Fantastic" Lamplight Tour script was written by Columbia docents based on newspapers of actual events in 1860. Each stop will focus on a different event based on the newspaper research. Be prepared to be amazed at some of the real happenings of the town during the Gold Rush!

Tickets for the family friendly event may be purchased online at: www.friendsofcolumbiashp.com or by calling (209) 532-3184. Tours leave every 15 minutes beginning at 6:30pm on Friday and 5:30pm on Saturday. Tickets are \$20. Ages five and under free. All proceeds from the event will benefit the non-profit Friends of Columbia in the funding of interpretive and educational events and programs at Columbia State Historic Park.