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Arts and cultural happenings in Florida's Capital Region

this week

May 9 - May 15, 2011

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Florida Landscapes: Two Perspectives

Museum of Florida History

May 13 - August 7



Two extraordinary exhibits have been brought together to give visitors these views of Florida landscapes. "The Road to Prosperity: Art of the Florida Highwaymen" and "Visions of Florida: The Photographic

Jazz For Justice

Chez Pierre

May 15



Jazz it up! This annual benefit brings great musicians together for the community, a

Art of Clyde Butcher" are sure to impress and inspire.

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Rock The Diamond

World Ballet

Ruby Diamond Concert Hall, FSU

May 14 - 15



World Ballet presents a rock ballet with a vivid and exciting mix of adventurous choreography, memorable live music by local rock band CommonZenZ, and high-intensity dancing. Experience a multimedia celebration of dance, original costumes and rock music by The Beatles, AC/DC, The Who, Led Zeppelin, Joan Jett, and John Lennon. *Rock the Diamond* will change the way you view a classically trained ballet dancer!

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21st Annual Spring Concert

Tallahassee Youth Orchestras

Lawton Chiles High School

May 15

silent auction, and dancing under the tents at Chez Pierre. Featured performers include Big Daddy & Red Hot Java, Dayve Stewart & 'The Vibe' and all the way from New Orleans - Daddy B! Plus, the event continues with Jazz for Justice-Afterglow at the Filling Station at Midtown. Don't miss the Jazz For Justice art exhibit currently on display at Chez Pierre as well.

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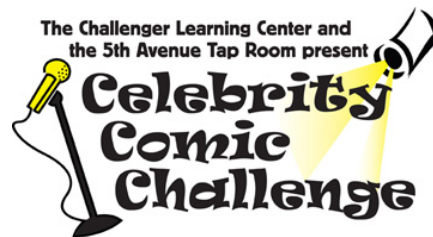
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Celebrity Comic Challenge

Challenger Learning Center

5th Avenue Taproom

May 11



It's time for the fourth annual Celebrity Comic Challenge! Local celebrities will each perform a 3-5-minute comedy routine, then the audience will decide who will be crowned the Celebrity Comic Champion. This year's comedians include: Pam Butler,



This concert features over 160 members of the Tallahassee Youth Orchestras in their final performance of the season. Students will perform music by Haydn, Copland, Mussorgsky, and Eric Clapton. In addition, this event will feature the conclusion of the TYO's "Maestro for the Moment" fundraising campaign. One of the candidates, Eric Favier, Jackie Pons, or Sue Semrau, will win the opportunity to conduct the TYO Symphony Orchestra in the concert finale!

[More Info Here](#)

Jeff Cameron, Alan Hanstein, Ann Howard, Jeff Kottkamp, Vince Long, Elizabeth Mack, Scott Maddox, Tim Meenan, Bill Proctor and Todd Sperry. Don't miss the laughs!

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17th Century Military Muster at the Mission San Luis Fort

Mission San Luis

May 14



Experience colorful pageantry and the firing of muskets and cannons at Mission San Luis' Castillo de San Luis. Enjoy the opportunity to learn about the world of Spanish soldiers and Apalachee warriors at Spanish Florida's western capital. There will be hands-on activities for children too! This living history program will bring Florida's heritage to life as visitors focus on the lives and tasks of soldiers and militias.

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Also This Week

ART

[2nd Annual Plant A Tree: Plant Hope Art Show](#)

Tallahassee Garden Club and Ruediger Elementary School
Ruediger Elementary School
May 13

[Florida Landscapes: Two Perspectives](#)

Museum of Florida History
May 13 - August 7

[AmeriCorps Art Festival](#)

AmeriCorps
LeMoyne Center for the Visual Arts
May 15

[Jazz for Justice Art Exhibit](#)

Legal Services of North Florida
Chez Pierre Restaurant
Through May 15

[5th Annual Leon County Middle School Art Show](#)

FAMU Foster Tanner Fine Arts Gallery
Through May 26

[Out of the Trenches - The Chronicles of the Extraterrestrials of Sector 12](#)

Oglesby Gallery
Through May 26

[Secret Life of a Butterfly "Embracing Change"](#)

Show by Eduardo Carriazo
Renditions, An Art Space
Through May 27

[30th Anniversary Exhibition](#)

621 Gallery
Through May 27

[Art Opening](#)

South of Soho Art Gallery
Through May 28

[23rd Tri State Juried Water Media Exhibition](#)

Tallahassee Watercolor Society
FSU Museum of Fine Arts
Through June 3

[Jazz for Justice Art Exhibit](#)

Legal Services of North Florida
Chez Pierre Restaurant
Through May 15

[Natural Florida: Selections from the David](#)

FILM

[Orgasm Inc.](#)

Tallahassee Film Society
All Saints Cinema
May 13-15

MUSEUMS & HISTORIC SITES

[17th Century Military Muster at the Mission San Luis Fort](#)

Mission San Luis
May 14

[Florida's Got the Blues](#)

Tallahassee Museum
Through May 29

[Big Bugs: The World of Giant Insects](#)

Mary Brogan Museum of Art and Science
Through August 21

[Cameras in Focus](#)

Museum of Florida History
Through August 31

MUSIC

[Otis Gibbs](#)

The Bookshelf and Gallery with Donna's Americana
The Bookshelf and Gallery, Thomasville
May 11

[Happy Hour with The Ned Devines](#)

Cafe 501
May 13

[Fridays at Noon: All-Mozart with Valerie and Brian Arsenault](#)

Arts For the Community/Thomas University
First United Methodist Church
May 13

[Golden Ring - A Tribute to George Jones and Tammy Wynette](#)

Quincy Music Theatre
May 13-14

[Jazz for Justice](#)

Legal Services of North Florida
Chez Pierre Restaurant
May 15

[Jazz for Justice - After Glow](#)

Legal Services of North Florida
The Filling Station at Midtown

[LaHart Collection](#)

Heritage Gallery, Museum of Florida History
Through May 30

[Randy and Debra Brienen](#)

Cypress Restaurant
Through May 31

[Baroque Exhibition World Debut](#)

The Mary Brogan Museum of Art & Science
Brogan Museum
Through June 24

[Eluster Richardson: The Life of a Quilt](#)

Gadsden Arts Center
Through July 9

[GAC Artists Guild](#)

Gadsden Arts Center
Through July 9

[Heather Parker: The Creative Process](#)

Gadsden Arts Center
Through July 9

[Florida Highwaymen Art Presentation](#)

Museum of Florida History
Through December 31

DANCE

[Contra Dance](#)

Tallahassee Community Friends of Old Time Dance
Tallahassee Senior Center
May 13; June 10; July 8

[Rock the Diamond](#)

World Ballet Inc.
Ruby Diamond Auditorium
May 14-15

May 15

[TYO's 21st Annual Spring Concert](#)

Tallahassee Youth Orchestras
Chiles High School
May 15

READINGS

[Goats, Books, and Fun!](#)

The Bookshelf and Gallery with Sweet Grass Dairy
The Bookshelf and Gallery, Thomasville
May 14

THEATRE

[Special Showing of "CURTAINS" to benefit the Tallahassee Symphony Orchestra](#)

Tallahassee Symphony Society
Tallahassee Little Theatre
May 12

[Curtains](#)

Theatre A La Carte
Tallahassee Little Theatre
May 13-15

[Virginia Jones & the Curse of Nergal](#)

Monticello Opera House
May 13-14



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