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A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR



Hi Friends!

We're springing into the new season with an exciting cultural milestone. Pompano Beach has been selected to host the prestigious Southern Fried Poetry Slam this summer from June 12-15. This national festival is considered one of the largest spoken word and performance poetry tournaments in the world, showcasing over 200 extraordinary writers, orators, and artists who will compete in high energy poetry slams for cash and prizes. Don't miss this unique cultural event!

As the second year of our revamped Artists in Residence program ends, we are honored to exhibit the artworks created by the AIRs during their residencies in a final group exhibit entitled Fields of Vision, on display at BaCA from June 7-30. In addition, this season we are showcasing our final two Artists of the Month.

In April, Oscar Montoya will present his poignant Strokes of Resilience exhibit which reflects both his own and his subject's experience fighting cancer (note: Oscar's artwork is on the cover of this brochure). Then, in May, join us for Louiveste LaCroix's debut exhibit, 'Express Culture: Roots and Revolutions,' as we honor Haitian Heritage Month. The exhibit premieres during Old Town Untapped (May 3rd), which will also feature a stunning fashion show in celebration of Haiti's iconic style. Other fun experiences will include a "konpa" dance event on May 10th and "Ayiti Cheri," an open mic night that includes music, dance, and creative expression – all with a Haitian flair!

For more information and to purchase tickets, visit PompanoBeachArts.org and follow us on social media for all the details about events, classes, art exhibits, and programs. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Ty Tabing,
Cultural Affairs Director



About the Cover | Oscar Montoya, Artist in Residence
Entitled: Medusa of Cancer | Medium: Oil painting on canvas | Size: 48" x 36"

ARTISTS IN RESIDENCE PROGRAM



2023-2024

Bailey Contemporary Arts
Artists in Residence (AiR) Program



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MARCH

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OF THE MONTH

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The City of Pompano Beach Cultural Affairs Department is delighted to continue celebrating the 2023/2024 class of Artists in Residence (AiR) at the historic Bailey Contemporary Arts Center (BaCA).

The AiR Program provides artists with studio space to create new work, collaborate with fellow resident artists, and engage with our community. This dynamic and diverse group of artists will be in residence through June, and we will present each as an "Artist of the Month," offering them the opportunity to showcase their work and create unique programs to attract art lovers to BaCA.

Born in Medellin, Colombia, **Oscar Montoya** studied classical painting at the Institute of Fine Arts of Medellin with the Maestro Gabriel Restrepo and apprenticed with the Maestro Horacio Sanchez at his atelier. Celebrating the timeless allure of classical oil paint, he

embraces this traditional medium as an integral part of his artistic process, enabling him to add depth and emotion to his creations. Evoking a sense of nostalgia, he captivates viewers, inviting them to journey into the realm of art and imagination.

INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN ARTIST IN RESIDENCE?

We are accepting applications through April 4th, 2024. To apply visit: pompanobeacharts.org.bailey/artists-in-residence



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LOUIVESTE
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Louiveste La Croix is a talented mixed-media artist who skillfully uses acrylics, watercolor, and gouache to bring his unique vision to life. His artwork is a reflection of his subconscious mind, with every piece conveying a nostalgic Afro-centric memory that truly represents him. Artwork produced by La Croix possesses a

markable ability to communicate profound messages about life and spirituality. Through its powerful imagery and symbolism, his art has the unique ability to convey truths that resonate deeply with the viewer. and he has a talent for a wide range of styles, from abstract expressionism to surrealism to applied impressions.

UPCOMING
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APR 2024

Oscar Montoya
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MAY 2024

Louiveste La Croix
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Michele Del Campo
micheledelcampo
Featured Oct. 2024



Alejandra Abad
alejandraabad
Featured Nov. 2024



Renée Rey
reneereyart
Featured Dec. 2024

WORKSHOPS AND CLASSES

Support our 2023-2024 AiRs class! These programs not only open doors to artistic discovery but also cultivate a communal space where individuals can share ideas, collaborate, and collectively enrich their artistic journeys while actively supporting our Artists in Residence along their personal development endeavors.



**LOUIVESTE
LA CROIX**

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Express Yourself Workshop Series

Express Yourself Workshop Series is designed to create a dynamic space for artistic development, community building, and individual growth. This program incorporates a range of curated projects and classes, aligning with the goals of the "Express Yourself" initiative. **Location: BaCA**

7-9pm | \$25/ea. class

Be Your Own Van Gogh

April 4: In this immersive workshop, participants will delve into the techniques of Van Gogh's "Starry Night." Guided by step-by-step instructions, they will learn to paint the iconic starry background with a personal twist. The session concludes with a challenge: participants are encouraged to create their own unique interpretation of the starry night, fostering individual creativity and self-expression.

Vision Board

May 2: This workshop invites participants to reflect on their goals and aspirations. Attendees will craft visual representations of their dreams and ambitions for the coming year. This session will feature a collaboration with a guest speaker, adding an inspirational layer to the workshop.



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Exploring Color Theory with Oil Paints

Workshop Series

This art class course is designed for both beginners and intermediate artists who want to master the world of color through oil painting. The course will delve into the fundamental principles of color theory and its application in oil painting. Students will learn how to mix, blend, and use colors effectively to create visually stunning artwork with a focus on color values, hue, intensity, and the creation of a monochromatic value. **Location: BaCA**

10am-12pm | \$25/ea. class

The following classes are part of the course that started in January.

CLASS 6

Still Life & Landscape

April 13: Instructor presents a still life setup or landscape photo, highlighting the potential color harmonies and value scales. Students paint the provided subject, paying attention to applying the color theory principles learned in previous classes.

CLASS 7

Personal Projects

April 27: Instructor provides guidance on students' personal projects, reviewing their concepts and offering suggestions. Students work on their chosen personal projects, integrating color theory knowledge into their artwork.

The course will be offered again during May - August. For the full class schedule visit pompanobeacharts.org.

CLASS 1

Monochromatic Value Scale

May 11: Instructor displays monochromatic value scales in different colors. Students create their own monochromatic value scales, choosing a single color and mixing shades from light to dark on their canvases.

CLASS 2

Introduction to Color Theory

May 25: Instructor presents the color wheel, explaining the relationships between primary, secondary, and tertiary colors. Students create their own color wheels, labeling and mixing the colors to gain a practical understanding.

CLASS 3

Color Mixing Techniques

June 8: Instructor demonstrates how to create a smooth gradient from one color to another using blending and layering. Students practice creating gradients on small canvases, experimenting with different colors and transitions.

CLASS 4

Color Values, Hue, and Intensity

June 22: Instructor shows a painting with strong value contrast, explaining how it impacts the artwork. Students choose a simple object and create two versions: one with high value contrast and one with low value contrast to observe the difference.



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Kaleidoscope of Color

April 6: Did you ever wonder why great painters chose specific colors for their paintings? Did you ever wonder why different paintings make you feel differently?

This workshop is for students who want to explore color and discover how they can create emotion and mood with paint. **Location:** BaCA

Ages 18+ | 1pm | \$25

Powerful Palette Knife

Painting 1

April 17: Utilizing the palette knife, students will have fun painting a lusciously textured painting. In this workshop students will create a painting inspired by a sunflower field. **Location:** BaCA

Ages 18+ | 7pm | \$25

Express your Colorful Self

April 20: This is a fun class in which students will have the opportunity to experiment with line, form, color, collage, acrylic paint, and the written word. Students will create a spontaneous and abstract acrylic painting on paper or canvas. **Location:** BaCA

Ages 18+ | 1pm | \$25

Illuminating Light and Shadow

June 15: Understanding light and shadow is one of the most important principles to creating dynamic drawings and paintings. In this workshop, students will learn and practice the basics of creating light and shadow with drawing and painting materials. For the beginning student or those who want a refresher! **Location:** BaCA

Ages 18+ | 1pm | \$25

Powerful Palette Knife Painting

June 19: Utilizing the palette knife, students will have fun painting a lusciously textured painting. In this workshop students will create a painting inspired by the seashore. Taking my classes, "Color Magic" and "Making Sense of Line & Form," is suggested prior to this class for those without some formal art training. **Location:** BaCA

Ages 18+ | 1pm | \$25

Still Life With Drawing Style

June 29: This is a fun workshop for students who seek to learn and/or elevate their formal and expressive drawing skills. Students will observe and translate form, light, and shadow of a still life set up to an expressive still life drawing. **Location:** BaCA

Ages 18+ | 1pm | \$25

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Join us at the Blanche Ely House Museum for the return of this intimate concert series.



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[EVERY MONTH]

Green Market Pompano Beach

Buy Local. Eat Local. Shop Local.

Every 2nd and 4th Saturday each month at the Pompano Beach Cultural Center campus. The Green Market Pompano Beach is presented by the Pompano Beach Historical Society in partnership with the City of Pompano Beach and takes place through April 27th. Stop by for yoga on the lawn, enjoy a great cup of coffee, try our gourmet food options, grab fresh baked goods, support local vendors and enjoy a variety of produce items! While you're at Green Market, be sure to visit the Pompano Beach Cultural Center, where something wonderful is always happening! Cultural Dance Sampler is returning to Green Market from 12pm to 1pm.

Apr 13 | Apr 27
9am-1pm | FREE

Schedule of Activities:

Free Yoga: 9-10am
Kids Crafts: 10am-12pm
Family Cultural Dance Sampler: 12-1pm
by Ashanti Cultural Arts



Lunch with Art

Live Music Edition - NEW LOCATION

Every 3rd Thursday each month. Take a break from your day, bring your lunch and let our live music performance move you during this FREE monthly program! These sessions are formatted to allow for interaction -- get up and dance, ask questions, sing along or simply sit back and enjoy this FREE concert featuring local talent!

Each melody of LIVE music becomes an escape from the daily stresses of life and reminds us how music is a universal language that we can all understand. Guests are invited to bring their lunch and a friend. *Light refreshments will be available for purchase from Pompano Beach Friends of the Libraries.*

Apr 18 | Featuring Alex Dean
May 16 | Featuring Karina Igelsias
Jun 20 | Featuring Jenny Lopez
12:15-1:15pm | FREE

[APRIL]

The Secret Comedy of Women

April 3-7 & April 10-14: The Secret Comedy of Women® is a laugh-out-loud immersive theatrical celebration that exuberantly triumphs over the challenges of womanhood. This two-woman show liberates the universal female experience through a rollicking spectacle of sweetly-sharp comedy, songs, dances, stories and spontaneous moments of discovery that galvanizes the bonds all women share.

\$65

Wednesday Showtime: 2:30pm
Thursday Showtime: 2:30pm & 7:30pm
Friday Showtime: 7:30pm
Saturday Showtime: 2:30pm & 7:30pm
Sunday Showtime: 2:30pm

Gazebo Concert Series

April 20: In our final concert of the series, music lovers will be treated to the energy and vocal stylings of Dana Paul and Gold Coast Jazz Society!
Location: Gazebo at Palm Aire
6pm | FREE

Intersection: Music and Painting

2X1 TICKET OFFER AVAILABLE

April 28: This collaborative performance explores the captivating interplay of live music and visual artwork, with elements of improvisation, creating a dynamic and fresh encounter between the artist, musicians, and the audience. Every audience member in this multi-sensory experience will be immersed in a one-of-a-kind setting that transcends conventional artistic boundaries.

Program will include songs of Schubert, Obradors, Bachelet, a world-premiere by Mann-Wen Lo and more.

Art created on stage will be auctioned after the show.

7pm | \$20

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A Trip Around the World Borisevich Duo

2X1 TICKET OFFER AVAILABLE

May 14: This immersive musical experience features renowned classical music artists the Borisevich Duo. As the famed pianist and violinist perform from their international repertoire, they will be accompanied by a stunning visual presentation featuring a tour of iconic cultural cities. No need for a passport!

7pm | \$20

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[JUNE]

Southern Fried Poetry Slam

June 12-15: This summer the City of Pompano Beach will become the backdrop for this year's South Fried Poetry Festival! One of the largest spoken word and performance poetry tournaments in the world, this festival showcases some of the world's most extraordinary writers, orators and artists as they compete against 200 of their fellow poets for cash prizes and bragging rights!

Join us across cultural venues for nightly competitive bouts! Visit www.pompanobeacharts.org for more information. The Southern Fried Poetry Slam is an annual festival presented across the South in celebration of poetry, spoken word, and community outreach.

Time: Varies | Cost: \$15 - \$25

Visit www.pompanobeacharts.org for full schedule.

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Lyrics Lab

Every 3rd Wednesday each month. Lyrics Lab is a unique, no-ego, open mic night. Get up and share or just kick-back and have a cocktail while enjoying some incredible performance art. Bring your latest work: poems, verse, songs, lyrics, jokes, stories, and beats to share with renowned hosts and poets, accompanied by our Lyrics Lab house band and host Erick Carter. *Interested in performing? Arrive early to get your name on the list.*

Apr 17 | May 15 | Jun 19

Age 18+ | 8-10pm | FREE/performers | \$10

Lunch with Art - NEW! Weekend Writer's Edition

Every 3rd Saturday each month. Enhance your creative writing skills and connect with other writers during this monthly program, which features all genres, including fiction, nonfiction, poetry, and screenwriting. Prompts and feedback will be given, and group discussions will help authors expand their talents. *No prior experience is required.*

Apr 20 | May 18 | Jun 15

12:15-1:15pm | FREE



Creative Art-Making Workshop

Every 3rd Saturday of the Month. Indulge in a delightful opportunity to explore your artistic side and unlock your creative potential with our one-hour art-making activity. Whether you're a seasoned artist or a beginner, this activity is designed to provide you with a fun exciting experience that will leave you feeling inspired and fulfilled.

Apr 20 | May 18 | Jun 15

12:30pm | \$25

WordStage

When the worlds of spoken word poetry and theater collide, the result is an unforgettable experience. WordStage is a unique fusion of spoken word poetry and theatre.

Apr 18 | May 16 | 7pm | FREE

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Konpa Pompano!

May 10: Experience Konpa Pompano, an exhilarating dance event introducing the vibrant world of Konpa. Learn

with instructors from KOTR Konpa Dance Studio, then dance to DJ Mike Cooley's beats. Indulge in delicious food and drinks, immersing in Haiti's rhythms for an unforgettable night of joyous celebration.

Live Painting - Louiveste LaCroix

Food Vendor and Cash Bar on-site

Ages 21+ | 6-10pm | Cost: \$15

Celebrate Haitian Heritage Month

Express Culture:

Revelry Night "Ayiti Cheri"

May 16: Immerse yourself in Haitian heritage at Express Culture: Revelry Night "Ayiti Cheri", a dynamic celebration featuring an open mic night showcasing Haiti's essence through music and dance. Enjoy a mesmerizing performance by Inez Barlatier and her family band, igniting the space with vibrant rhythms. Embrace the spirit of Haiti through colorful costumes and traditional dances.

Food Vendor and Cash Bar on-site

All Ages | 6pm | FREE

[JUNE]

Southern Fried Poetry Slam

June 12-15: Experience four days of poetic brilliance at Pompano Beach's Southern Fried Poetry Festival. Enjoy nightly bouts, workshops, cyphers, and talks. Engage with top artists, immerse in workshops, and celebrate the power of words. Join us as we honor expression and diverse voices.

Time: Varies | Cost: \$15 - \$25

Visit www.pompanobeacharts.org

for full schedule.

Montage 2024 In-Person

Film Screening #2:

A Hero of 1000 Faces

June 27: During the second installment of Montage, our host, Cathleen Dean, will be joined by Emmy Award-winning editor and filmmaker Michael Anderson of Pass Story of Diaspora Forward, Inc. and national artist George Gadson to screen Episode #14 of the powerful episodic documentary Hero of 1,000 Faces. Join us at the Ali Cultural Center for an outdoor film screening and panel discussion. Movie-style refreshments will be available on-site.

7pm | FREE

SAVE THE DATE!

Soulful Sundays RETURNS

The series will kick-off July 14, visit pompanobeacharts.org for more information and the upcoming artist line-up.

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Story Time - *IN PERSON*

Every 1st Saturday each month. **We're back in person** for Story Time! Bring the kids for creative art making and age-appropriate learning in the tradition of pioneering educators Blanche and Joseph Ely. The Elys' lifelong dedication to providing high quality academic and cultural experiences to African-American students in Pompano Beach, Fort Lauderdale, and Dania Beach is at the center of this program.

Apr 6 | 11am | FREE

Book: **Fat Cat Caterpillar**
Live Author

May 4 | 11am | FREE

Book: **Diabetes Helpers**
Live Author

Jun 1 | 11am | FREE

Book: **Zuki and the Oh So Amazing Band From Outer Space**
Live Author

Back by Popular Demand! Living Room Concert Series

Every 4th Thursday. Modeled after NPR's Tiny Desk Concert, this program is a dynamic series of performances by local at musicians and vocalists of varying genres, Seating is limited to 30 people.

Apr 25 | May 23 | Jun 27

All Ages | 7pm | \$10

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Old Town Untapped

Every 1st Friday each month. Join the City of Pompano Beach's Cultural Affairs Department the first Friday each month for a robust cultural arts and music block party enjoyable for the entire family! Patrons experience a night filled with live music by local bands, DJ, food trucks, and vendors selling unique and artistic merchandise. Be sure stop in at BaCA for monthly gallery openings, meet our '23-'24 Artists in Residence, and check out their studios!

Apr 5 | 6-10pm | FREE

Featuring AiR of the month *Oscar Montoya's* opening exhibition and live music from the *Crazy Fingers*.

May 3 | 6-10pm | FREE

Featuring AiR of the month *Louveste La Croix's* opening exhibition and live music from *Girlfriend Material*.

Jun 7 | 6-10pm | FREE

Featuring the AiR's culminating party & exhibition and live music from *Barefoot Mailman*.



Docent Led Art Tour

This is a docent-led tour, which means you will have the opportunity to learn fascinating details about the collection and current exhibitions from a trained tour guide.

**Apr 5 | May 3 | Jun 7
All Ages | 8pm | FREE**

A Taste of Jazz

Every 2nd Thursday each month. Join us for a new kind of combo! Enjoy a pre-performance wine tasting and then experience an educational journey through the history of jazz hosted by Martin hand and the Gold Coast Jazz Quartet. Presented in partnership with the Gold Coast Jazz Society, a major presenter of jazz concerts, jazz education and jazz outreach programs in Broward County since 1992. They have maintained and preserved the heritage of jazz by presenting the

music celebrating jazz's evolution over the past 100 years.

**Apr 11 | May 9 | Jun 13
Ages 21+ | 7-8:30pm**

\$20/residents | \$25/adults | \$5/students

Lunch with Art Visual Arts Edition

Every Wednesday each week. Nourish your creative side! Creating a new artistic hands-on project each week. Bring your lunch and join the fun!

**First-come, first-served OR guarantee
your spot for \$5. Max: 25 Attendees**

**Apr 3 | Apr 10 | Apr 17 | Apr 24
May 1 | May 8 | May 15 | May 22 | May 29
Jun 5 | Jun 12 | Jun 19 | Jun 26**

12:15-1:15pm | FREE

Introduction to Clay Wheel Throwing Workshop

Every 3rd Wednesday and every 4th Saturday each month. Create pottery

using the ancient technique of wheel throwing. Each class is independent; however, multiple workshops will help advance your skills on the pottery wheel. *Wheel Throwing (4 seats). Prerequisite: One or more Introduction to Clay: Hand Building classes or demonstration of necessary clay handling skills.*

**Apr 17 | May 15 | Jun 19
Ages 13+ | 6-9pm | \$30**

**Apr 27 | May 25 | Jun 22
Ages 13+ | 3-6pm | \$30**

Introduction to Clay Hand-Building Workshop

Every 2nd Thursday and 4th Saturday each month. Explore the basic elements of clay hand-building methods. One hand-built object will be made during class. Underglaze (color) will be added during class by the student, with firing, and clear glaze work done by the instructor. Final pieces completed in about 2 weeks. Each session is independent; however, multiple workshops will enhance your skills.

Hand building (6 seats)

**Apr 11 | May 9 | Jun 13
Ages 13+ | 6-9pm | \$30**

**Apr 27 | May 25 | Jun 22
Ages 13+ | 11am-2pm | \$30**

Clay Open Studio

Every 2nd and 3rd Saturday each month. Want to practice your creativity with clay? Clay open studio gives returning students the opportunity to work on personal projects with supervision. No instruction occurs during open-studio time. Participants will be able to purchase clay in 5lb increments (\$1/lb).

*Hand building (6 seats)
Wheel Throwing (4 seats)*

**Apr 13 | Apr 20 | May 11 | May 18
Jun 8 | Jun 15**

Ages 13+ | 2-5pm | \$30

All events, programs and classes are subject to change. Visit www.pompanobeacharts.org for additional information.

Introduction to Painting

Every 1st Saturday each month. Expand your artistic palette with a painting course for beginners. Learn about watercolors and acrylics, the properties of color, chemistry texture and so much more.

Apr 6 | May 4 | Jun 1
Ages 13+ | 10am-1pm | \$30

Introduction to Drawing

Every 3rd Saturday each month. Learn how to create compelling still-life images with charcoal or graphite inspired by the composition, technique, and observation of specific periods in art history.

Materials included. No experience necessary.

Apr 20 | May 18 | Jun 15
Ages 13+ | 10am-1pm | \$30

Drawing Human Anatomy

Every 1st Saturday of the month. Discover all aspects of drawing the human form in this monthly 3-hour workshop series taught by artist Leonardo Montoya. Each session is independent; however, multiple workshops will enhance your skills.

Materials included. No experience necessary.

Apr 6 | May 4 | Jun 1
Ages 13+ | 2-5pm | \$30

Paint and Sip:

Painting Outside of the Box

Every 4th Thursday each month. Join our monthly painting party! Bring your friends or meet new ones at this fun-filled class taught by artist Gregory Dirr. Learn new techniques and get personal input! Class includes a free drink, and all supplies are provided.

Apr 25 | May 23 | Jun 27
Ages 21+ | 7-9pm | \$30

Kids Creative Studio

Every 4th Saturday each month. Unleash your young one's inner artist!

Children ages 6-13 years will learn about acrylic painting and various art techniques. Please note children are required to be dropped off by a parent or guardian to complete a check-in form.

Apr 27 | May 25 | Jun 22
Ages 6-13 | 10am - 12pm | \$30

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Foto FUN!

Phone Photography Class

Join award winning local photographer Jeremiah Jenner as you learn how to take better photos on your cell phone or digital camera. Enjoy a FUN time with a creative group of aspiring photographers such as yourself. Learn how to use editing apps such as Photoshop and Snapseed. Students will also engage and encourage each other throughout the classes. You'll enjoy sharing creative ideas and your fun photos with others.

May 9 | May 16 | May 23 | May 30
All Ages | 10am-12pm | \$25

Express Culture Ayiti Cherie Express Culture: Roots and Revolutions

May 6: BaCA during Old Town Untapped. Embark on a captivating journey through Haitian culture as we proudly present "Express Culture: Roots and Revolutions," the multidisciplinary exhibition by our Artist of the Month, Louveste La Croix. This vibrant celebration, in honor of Haitian Heritage Month, is a testament to La Croix's commitment to fostering cultural awareness, community connection.

- Exhibition Opening 6pm
- Fashion Show during OTU intermission featuring Haitian American artist and poet, Joshua Buron a/k/a MoLo.

All Ages | 10pm | FREE

Purvis Young:

The Onliest Thing I Could Mostly Do Artist Talk by FAT Village Arts District

May 21: Join Tayina Deravile and Terrence Cribbs-Larrant as they explore a variety of Purvis Young's narratives found in the featured works at the Bailey Contemporary Arts gallery. Through his unique perspective, Young invites viewers to confront societal and racial issues inspired by his life in Overtown, deploying symbolism to expound on his storytelling. Deravile and Cribbs-Larrant will examine layers of meaning found in his paintings and its relevance to today.

7pm | FREE
During Old Town Untapped

[JUNE]

AiRs Culminating Event

June 7: Come celebrate the conclusion of this year's Artist in Residence Program and the final Old Town Untapped of the season!

All Ages | 6pm | FREE

Southern Fried Poetry Festival

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EXHIBITIONS:

POMPANO BEACH CULTURAL CENTER



Spirit of this Place
Photographs by Phoenix

April 12 - May 25: Join us for the opening reception of “The Spirit of This Place” exhibition by Phoenix, showcasing the extraordinary beauty of nature and wilderness. With a painterly approach to composition, light, color, and texture, Phoenix’s internationally collected works capture the essence of conservation photography.

Opening Reception
 April 12 | 6-8pm | FREE



Amara Chi
by Joanne Hampstead

June 14 - July 23: Explore “Amara Chi” by painter/curator Joanne Hampstead on exhibit from June 14 to July 23. Hampstead’s captivating paintings highlight the strength and resilience of women. Don’t miss this powerful exhibition! Light refreshments available.

Opening Reception | Meet & Greet
 June 21 | 6-8pm | FREE

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EXHIBITIONS:

BAILEY CONTEMPORARY ARTS CENTER



Artists in Residence by Oscar Montoya and Louiveste La Croix

April 5 - May 31: We are so excited to continue celebrating the 2023/2024 Artists in Residence (AiR) class that has officially moved in to Bailey Contemporary Arts Center (BaCA)! Each month we will be featuring an "AiR of the month" with the opening exhibition coinciding with our monthly cultural arts and music block party, Old Town Untapped!

Oscar Montoya

Opening Reception

April 5 | 6-10pm | FREE

During Old Town Untapped

Louiveste La Croix

Opening Reception

May 3 | 6-10pm | FREE

During Old Town Untapped



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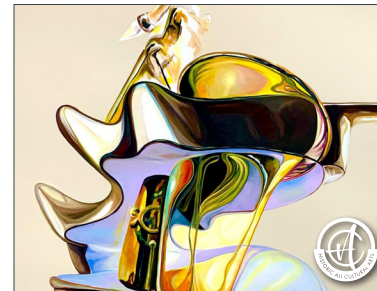
March 29 - May 17: Green symbolizes nature, healing, prosperity, and growth! Join us for this year's "Go Green" exhibition by ArtsUnited, Inc. at BaCA, showcasing artistic interpretations of the pride flag's green stripe. Featuring artists from ArtsUnited, Florida's largest LGBTQ+ arts nonprofit, the exhibit celebrates inclusivity and creativity.

Exhibition Reception

April 5 | 6 -10pm | FREE

EXHIBITIONS:

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Surreal Harmonies: When Art Defies Boundaries by Andy Beauchamp

April 12 - June 1: Step into a world where art transcends the ordinary and music sets us free. "Surreal Harmonies" is a visual symphony wherein the artist explores the extraordinary within the everyday. Immerse yourself in the realm of surrealism as Andy breathes life into the mundane, making the ordinary defy its intended purpose.

Through the incorporation of musical instruments, Andy blends the universal language of music with the vivid strokes of paintings. Join artist Andy Beauchamp in this captivating journey where his creations resonate deeply and invite you to see the world through the harmonious lens of art and music. photographsbyphoenix.com

Extended Through June 1



Good Jeans and Brown Suga Photography Exhibition By Joshua Buron

June 19 - August 24: Good Jeans and Brown Suga' is a display of resilience and beauty in the black community. It is a collection of photos and poetry brought together to highlight the aesthetic of the black community laced in denim. It is a journey through the photographer's eyes and soul as he traversed through the year it took to create it: 2020.

Opening Reception

June 26 | 6 - 8pm | FREE

All events, programs and classes are subject to change. Visit www.pompanobeacharts.org for additional information.



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Patty Labelle

April 13: The songbird's name has become synonymous with grace, style, and class. Her effortless ability to belt out classic rhythm and blues renditions, pop standards and spiritual sonnets has created the unique platform of versatility that the artist is known and revered for.

Doors Open at 5:30pm
8pm | \$49+

Charlie Wilson

June 14: "Icon," does not truly describe the musical powerhouse whose vocal prowess began as founding member and lead singer of the legendary GAP Band ("You Dropped the Bomb on Me," "Outstanding," "Party Train," and "Burn Rubber on Me.")

Doors Open at 5:30pm
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Buddy Guy

July 19: The legendary blues artist's eighteenth solo LP and follow-up to 2015's Born to Play Guitar showcases his raw and unadulterated sound, its fifteen tracks of true pleasure for aficionados and genre newcomers alike.

Doors Open at 5:30pm
7pm | \$47+

POMPANO BEACH PUBLIC ART PROGRAM

Since the Public Art Committee's inception in 2012, the City has acquired sculptures, murals, wrapped traffic boxes, and even created an underwater sculpture garden. You may have noticed the four large murals located near the Pompano Beach Cultural Center and City Hall. These asphalt murals are part of a Community Foundation of Broward Grant- Art of Community Grant the City was awarded in 2020. The project is entitled Asphalt Art - The Crossroads Connection. It involved artist Bill Savarese and the City Utilities Department working with the community and local schools in the form of community engagement activities and surveys. These activities helped lead artist Bill Savarese design the 8 storm drain and 4 asphalt murals. The storm drain murals were installed by local citizens under the guidance of Mr. Savarese. The project was an opportunity to educate, energize, and engage our entire community while celebrating our City's unique characteristics through public art.

For more information on the City's Public Art Program, and to be involved in upcoming art projects, please contact Laura Atria 954.545.7800, #3813, or go to the City's Public Art website at www.pbpublic.com and sign up for our Artist Network.

The City's Public Art Committee meets every third Thursday at 5 pm at the Pompano Beach Cultural Center. Meetings are open to the public and all are welcome to join! For more information visit pompanobeacharts.org

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