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## CONCERTS

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**5:40 Summer Music Series: (at East 54) The Moaners**  
Thursday, August 12 • 5:40 - 7:30 pm • Free!

**The Association of Central Carolina Middle Eastern Dancers Presents: Carolina Casbah!**

Saturday, August 21 • 7:30 pm

**5:40 Summer Music Series: (at East 54) Mary Johnson Rockers**  
Thursday, August 26 • 5:40 - 7:30 pm • Free!

**Beausoleil avec Michael Doucet**

Friday, August 27 • 8:00 pm  
2010 Grammy nominee  
[yeproc.com/artist\\_info.php?artistId=12846](http://yeproc.com/artist_info.php?artistId=12846)  
\$23...\$21 ArtsClub members

**5:40 Summer Music Series: (at East 54) Jocelyn Arem**

Thursday, September 9 • 5:40 - 7:30 pm • Free!

**David Wilcox**

Thursday, September 30 • 8:00 pm  
\$20...\$23 day of show

## VOLUNTEER

Help us teach, exhibit, perform and create! We can always use a hand throughout the year! Volunteer and donate your time and talent in the following areas:

- Ushers and merchandise table staff at events
- Front desk administrative duties and data-entry
- Special events and children's show assistance
- ArtSchool and Gallery exhibits
- Marketing

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE ARTSCENTER

AUG • SEPT 2010

## YPAC Youth Performing Arts Conservatory

### Performing Arts Camps with YPAC

#### **Much Ado About Nothing! Camp Shakespeare**

Monday, August 2 - Friday, August 13  
9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Students work on favorite characters from Shakespeare's comedy, *Much Ado about Nothing*. Camp ends with a Cliff Notes-style performance open to the public on The ArtsCenter stage.  
\$450 for the full two-week camp

#### **Ongoing Registration for Fall 2010!**

Classes for rising 1st-12th graders. Tuition varies.

#### **NEW TheatreTech Classes**

Includes classes in: Film-making...Lighting...Sound... Scenic Design...Costume Design and more!

#### **NEW YPAC's School of Rock & Roll**

YPAC is teaming up with The Cat's Cradle for students interested in all that is Rock & Roll. Program ends with a rock show on stage at The Cradle!

#### **NEW Youth Repertory Acting Co.**

Audition-based company that will rehearse a short play to be performed throughout the community!

For Students kindergarten-3rd grade.

#### **NEW Intro to Aerial Dance & Trapeze**

Monday, August 23 - Thursday, August 26  
3:30 - 4:30 pm

\$80

Friday, August 13

Friday, September 10  
6:00 - 9:00 pm

Many participants feature live music and other art-related entertainment. Admission is free.



## CHILDREN & FAMILY

### Registration Now Open for AfterSchool Arts Immersion Fall 2010!

The ArtsCenter's AAI program nourishes the arts in your young artists while providing homework assistance, healthy snack options, and free play under the direction of a caring, well-trained staff. Young artists ages 5-11 explore different art themes including capoeira, puppetry, moviemaking, and much, more! Transportation is also provided from select area schools. Limited space - register today!

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## EXHIBITS

EAST END GALLERY

#### **Masks by**

#### **Paperhand Puppet Intervention**

Sunday, August 1 - Tuesday, August 31

CENTER GALLERY

#### **Our Stories Project: Installation documenting the visual history of Chapel Hill-Carrboro**

Sunday, August 1 - Tuesday, August 31  
More info at: [VisualHistoryProject.com/press/](http://VisualHistoryProject.com/press/)

# WEAVER STREET MARKET ★ MUSIC



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### Sunday Jazz & More Brunch

Every Sunday from 11 am - 1 pm, come out and enjoy our tasty breakfast buffet and some of the best in local jazz music.

**August 1st** - The Magnolia Klezmer Band

**August 8th** - Ecos Duo

**August 15th** - Joe Woodson & the  
Hopscotch Kings

**August 22nd** - The Southern Routes

### Thursday Night After Hours

One of Carrboro's hottest events! Favorite local bands create an intimate musical show from 6:00 - 8:00 pm in the heart of the crowd.

**July 29th** - Climb Jacob's Ladder

**August 5th** - The Swang Brothers

**August 12th** - Milagro Saints

**August 19th** - Tim Stambaugh

### Hillsborough Open Mic

Join us every Thursday night from 6:00 - 8:30 pm as we showcase live, local music at our Hillsborough store.

**August 5th** - Alex Weiss

**August 12th** - Justin Robinson & the  
Mary Annettes

**August 19th** - Charles Pettee



## THE LULL

Many of us were hauled hither and yon so often as children that it seemed whole weeks of late summer were spent in residence in the back seat of a family-sized vehicle.

I missed the annual family reunion this year, but have managed a modest round of visiting as well as a few excursions coastward.

And while I haven't had a lengthy, formal vacation, it has been the most relaxing summer in years, thanks to a heads-up from the brother-in-law about the prospects for our favorite, his and mine, professional baseball team. His prediction of a wonderful season and suggestion to tune in was spot on.

And so the combination of solid pitching, youthful enthusiasm, an \$11.99 app for the iPhone that lets you listen to the hometown radio broadcasts and the recent total score of a comfortable wicker ensemble from the Swap Shed at the Ferguson Road Solid Waste Convenience Center has resulted in a summer in two places at once.

On the deck on the edge of the woods, the call and cheers of the game have mingled

through day games with the cicadas and into the night with crickets, toads and katydids. The Mrs. and I are home and at the ballpark. And during a pennant race, to boot.

The pace draws me in – astonishing that something so still takes place in a timeless world. Game without a clock. Brilliant.

You don't notice it as much on television because they fill the voids with baubles and chatter. Radio is far less cluttered. A good announcer is a steady reporter, pitch by pitch, with a cadence respectful of the game and a presentation that allows the crowd some space to murmur and holler.

And somewhere in those spaces, time passes unnoticed and, officially, nothing happens. That's a good thing.

This issue arrives during the annual pause before the storm. In three weeks, we'll be well into the school year and whatever passes for normalcy around here. The recent round of heat has made that much activity difficult to contemplate. Fortunately, we have a couple of weeks to try our best to continue to do nothing well.

There's a lull in the action. Back in a moment.



THE DARK WOODS

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## ART NOTES



### She didn't just float away

The bright-orange sculpture of a floating girl by artist Cecilia Lueza titled "Landing" disappeared from its exhibit location in front of the Chapel Hill Museum last week and a \$250 reward is offered by the Chapel Hill Public Arts Office for its safe return or information leading to its safe return, no questions asked. The missing sculpture is an orange-and-yellow urethane form mounted on a steel pole, 6 feet tall by 5 feet wide and 2 inches thick. It depicts a girl in a dress and striped stockings jumping or floating. "Landing" was reported missing July 21. The sculpture is temporarily on loan from the artist and is exhibited as part of the 2009-10 Sculpture Visions outdoor exhibit, which places art in public places around Chapel Hill. Please contact the Public Arts Office with any information regarding the piece at 968-2750 or [info@chapelhillarts.org](mailto:info@chapelhillarts.org)

### Wells and Hahn open show in Hillsborough

Two artists from the rural regions of Orange County open a combined show this weekend at the Hillsborough Arts Council. Susan Wells is a sculptor from

Cedar Grove who runs Maidenhair Studio. Painter Jennifer Hahn has produced a series of works focusing on the county's endangered farmlands.

Their show runs through Aug. 20, with an opening reception July 30 from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m.

### Locopops launches POP ART Contest

Locopops is holding a contest in August asking artists to create a "Locolebrity" pop art drawing.

To enter, download the entry sheet at [ilovelocopops.com](http://ilovelocopops.com) or pick one up at your local Locopops store. Submissions will be judged in three age-group categories: under 8 years, 8 to 14 and 15 and over. A panel of judges, led by local artist Galia Goodman, will select the finalists.

Winners for all store locations will be announced the week of Sept. 6. Prizes include free pops and a "Think Global, Act Loco" T-shirt.

### Triangle ArtWorks launched

A new organization aimed at connecting the Triangle's creative community has announced its launch, with plans "to provide the services, support and resources necessary to cultivate and ensure a vibrant creative community in the Triangle region." Triangle ArtWorks founder Beth Yerxa said last week that she hopes the group's new website, [triangleartworks.org](http://triangleartworks.org), is the first of many efforts to help knit the community together across disciplines and county lines. Chapel Hill's FRANK gallery will host a Triangle ArtWorks event in August, with the date soon to be announced.

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if you get up early



**brunch**  
if you like to sleep in



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## IT'S ALL GOOD

Ask a few people what they think of Vimala Rajendran's cooking and the most common response is something to the effect of, "It's all good."

Vimala built her reputation over the past few years by word of mouth and leveraged it through a savvy bit of social networking. She took it to the masses mainly through a regular Friday night gig at Johnny's.

Now, with the opening of Vimala's Curryblossom Cafe, she's finally got a storefront, at The Courtyard on Franklin Street, and a busy one at that. The opening party on July 17 was packed and set the pace for a busy first month.

Johnny's owner Brian Plaster, who got to know Vimala's cooking during her tenure at his place, was one of those polled who had a hard time deciding.

"I can't say there's anything of hers I haven't liked," Plaster said. While he's plenty fond of the chicken curry, vegetable dishes like eggplant, lentils and peas are still memorable, he said.

Plantains and tandoor dishes are popular, and also highly recommended are the samosas. This menu blurb explains why:

"Two handmade pastries stuffed with potatoes and green peas, with fresh ginger, green chilies, and ground pomegranate seeds. Organic flour from Lindley Mills. Served with cilantro-mint & tamarind-date chutneys. Vegan."

Now that's love. Hours are Tuesdays through Saturdays 5 to 9 p.m. On the web at [curryblossom.com](http://curryblossom.com)



Vimala Rajendran stands in her newly opened restaurant, Vimala's Curryblossom Cafe. PHOTO BY AVA BARLOW

## PIE ME TO THE MOON

If you want to get The Eater's attention, send along a notice with the word "pie" in the subject line.

If you want to get your pie-est efforts noticed, bake something up using local ingredients and head down to the South Estes Farmers' Market on Aug. 7 for their Pie Cook-Off. Pies will be judged

by local chefs in both sweet and savory categories.

On behalf of your friends and family, The Eater reminds you pie geniuses to bake at least one additional pie. I mean, you know, while you're at it.

## VAMPIRE-FREE ZONE

Garlic lovers and *Twilight* freaks may wish to take note that Glasshalfull is holding a special farmer's dinner next Thursday (Aug. 5) featuring Lu Livermon, whose Quarry Dog Farm produces some excellent organic garlic.

Chef Adam Cobb's menu in-

cludes ajo blanco soup with petite summer melon and almond garnish; prawns with pickled scape puree, barley, eggplant, bell pepper and pancetta salad; those wonderful steak frites with garlic chimichurri; and garlic chocolate chip cookie ice cream sandwiches.

You may want to bring a mint.

## JUST PASSING THIS ON

Insiders at the Carrboro Farmers' Market sent The Eater the following brief but effective tip:

"Apples, dude. They're in big time."

Consider yourselves clued.



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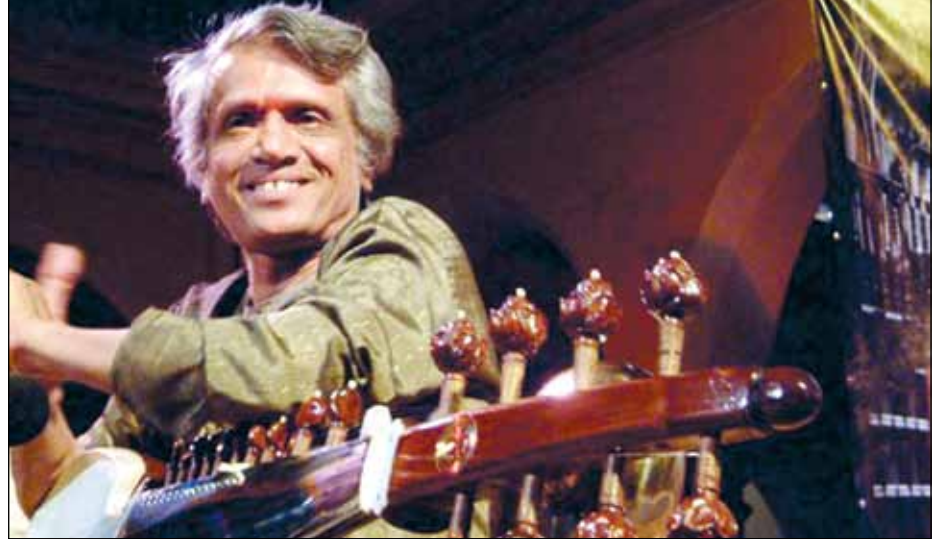
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PAPERHAND PUPPET INTERVENTION 8/6 - 9/6 FOREST THEATRE



K. SRIDHAR 7/31 THE BARN AT VALHALLA

7/29

### OLD CEREMONY

Wallace Parking Deck

The band would like it very much if it doesn't rain this time. Ryan Gustafson opens. 7 p.m. Free

7/31

### K. SRIDAR

The Barn at Valhalla

The sarod master performs at 7:30 p.m. \$18, \$10 students

8/2

### BORIS

Cat's Cradle

Multi-genre rock from Japan. With Russian Circles and SAADE. 9 p.m. \$15

8/6 - 9/6

### PAPERHAND PUPPET INTERVENTION

Forest Theater

11th annual extravaganza with a new original production, "Islands Unknown." Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays only.

8/7

### PETER CASE

The ArtsCenter

The Plimsouls leader has bounced back with a tour and new set of recordings. 8:30 p.m. \$18, \$16

### FIRST SUNDAY

Pittsboro

Music crafts and stuff to do in Circle City. 4 to 8 p.m.

8/12

### BRAVE COMBO

Cat's Cradle

Killer Filler opens. 8:30 p.m. \$12, \$15

### THE MOANERS

East 54

Swamp rock in August with Swingle and King. 5:40 p.m. Free

8/13

### MISSION OF BURMA

Cat's Cradle

On Tour? Wow. That's when I reach for my wallet. 9 p.m. \$16, \$18



## STANDUP COMEDY

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**BRAVE COMBO 8/12 CAT'S CRADLE**

**8/19**

**LOU BARLOW & THE MISSINGMEN  
Cat's Cradle**

The lovely duo Wye Oak open. 9:30 p.m. \$12

**8/20-22**

**FEMME FEAST  
The Cave, Talullah's and West End Wine Bar**

Three days of music showcasing women in music. Hosted by comedienne Michelle Maclay and Jennifer McGinnis.

**8/20**

**FREE ELECTRIC STATE  
Nightlight**

With The Sky Drops and White Cascade. 10 p.m.

**8/21**

**PINCHE GRINGO  
Nightlight**

The genius of Josh, with Wild Wild Geese, Sh\*thorse and Shortstack. 9:30 p.m.

**CAROLINA CASBAH!**

**The ArtsCenter**

The Association of Central Carolina Middle Eastern Dancers presents a gala production featuring dancers from throughout our region. 7:30 p.m. \$15, \$5 for children 5 to 11

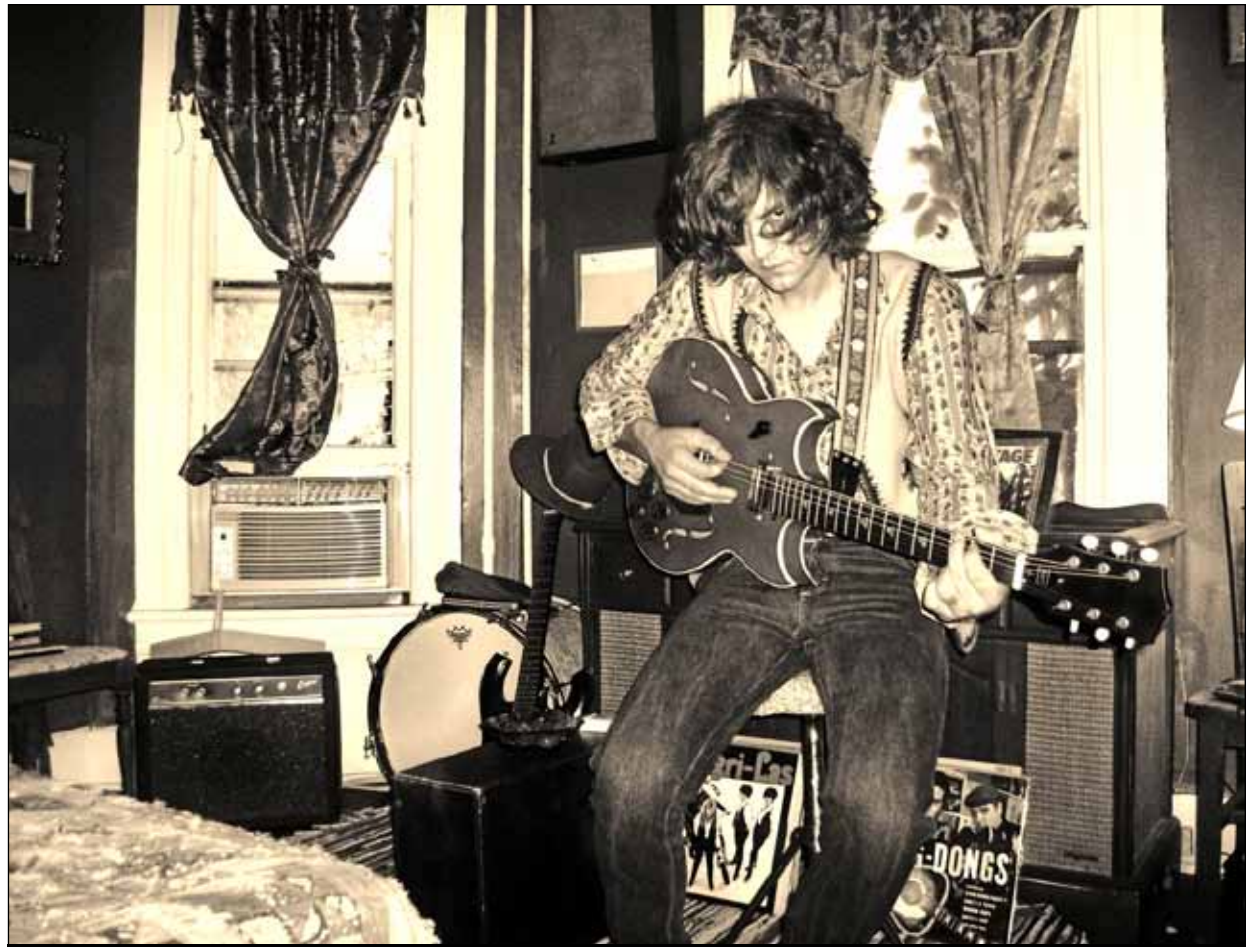
**STARS IN THE ROUND  
Shakori Hills**

A benefit for Shakori Hills Community Arts Center with Holy Ghost Tent Revival, Greg Humphreys, John Howie Jr., Katharine Whalen and Mary Johnson Rockers. 7:30 p.m.

**8/24**

**THE ENGLISH BEAT  
Cat's Cradle**

Less than a month to find your fedora. Bad Manners and Chris Murray open. 8 p.m. \$18, \$20



**PINCHE GRINGO 8/21 THE NIGHTLIGHT**

**8/26**

**LOST IN THE TREES  
Wallace Parking Deck**

The Home Grown series continues. Physics of Meaning open. 7 p.m. Free

**8/27**

**BEAUSOLEIL  
The ArtsCenter**

The band, avec Michael Doucet, won a 2010 Grammy nomination for Alligator Purse. Dancing permitted. 8 p.m. \$23, \$21

**8/27-8/18**

**MI VIDA LOCA  
Deep Dish Theater**

A family of misfits gather to send their father off to detox. Tickets and times at [deepdishtheater.org](http://deepdishtheater.org)

**8/28**

**HONORED GUESTS  
Local 506**

Schooner and Calico Haunts open.

**8/29**

**JON LINDSAY  
Local 506**

The Small Ponds open.



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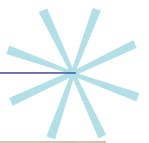
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## LITERARY

### CARRBORO BRANCH LIBRARY

**Ongoing Events** — Storytime, Saturdays, 10:30am; Toddler Time, Thursdays, 4pm; Entertainment Adventures with family fun programs featuring dancing, song, animals and sometimes magic, third Sunday of every month, 3pm

### CHAPEL HILL PUBLIC LIBRARY

**Ongoing Events** — Story Time, for ages 3-6; Junior Book Club, for readers grades 1-3; Time for Toddlers, for stories, songs and activities; Baby Time, for children between 6 and 18 months; Teen Book Club, for teens in grades 6 and up; Bookworms Club, for grades 3-6. Dates and times vary.

**Big Sale of Books for Children**— July 29. 12-5pm

**Battle of the Books** — Grades 3-5, 3-3:45pm. Grades 5-8, 4-4:45pm

**Family Movie Matinee** — Fridays. 2pm. Info: 968-2778

**Book Discussion** — *Picking Cotton* by Jennifer Thompson-Cannino. Meeting Room. 11:30am-4pm

**Knitting for Charity** — Aug 3, Aug 24, Aug 31. Library Conference Room. 10:30am

**Movie Nite** — Aug 3. Library Meeting Room. 968-2780. 6:30pm

**Fins and Grins Family Concert** — Aug 16. 2pm. Registration: 968-2778

**Teen Gamething** — Aug 17. Meeting Room. 7pm

**Mockingjay Release Party** — Aug 23. Meeting Room. 7pm

**Friends book Sale** — Aug 27, 28, 29

### MCINTYRE'S

**Brett Webb-Mitchell** to read from *Beyond Accessibility: Toward Full Inclusion of People With Disabilities in Faith Communities*. Aug 1, 2pm

**Rosecrans Baldwin** Author of *You Lost Me There*. Aug 14. 11am

**NC Poetry Society Poetry Series** — This month's event will feature poets David Rigsbee and Ruth Moose. Aug 22, 2pm

### FLYLEAF BOOKS

**Preschool Storytime** — Thursdays, 10:30am



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[www.hillsborougharts council.org](http://www.hillsborougharts council.org)  
Learn how you can join the parade! You'll receive announcements of upcoming events workshops in Stiltwalking, Puppet making Tips, How to's and much more

**A Hillsborough Arts Council Event**  
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**Prompt Writing Class with Nancy Peacock** — Second Saturday, 10am

**Sacrificial Poets Open Mic** — First and third Wednesdays, 6-8pm

**Your Story Writer's Group** — Fourth Saturday, 10am-noon

**Events** — An Evening with Louis Rubin and Duncan Murrell. July 29. 7pm

**Stephen Messer** — reads from *Wind-bowne*, ages 8-12. July 31. 2pm

**DK Star Wars Event** — Co-sponsored by Dorling Kindersley, publisher of *Lego Star Wars: The Visual Dictionary*. Aug 7. 2pm

**Rosecrans Baldwin** — discusses his debut novel, *You Lost Me There*. Aug 12. 7pm

**Flyleaf Summer Reading Program Month Three: August Party** — Suggested ages 8-14. Aug 14. 6pm

**Book Lovers Club Discussion** — *Tinkers*, by Paul Harding. Aug 26. 7pm

**Memoir Boot Camp** — With Alice Osborn. Aug 28. 9:30am. \$49

### INTERNATIONALIST BOOKS

**Anarchist Book Fair** — Third annual Anarchist Book Fair. Jul 30. 5pm. [internationalistbooks.org](http://internationalistbooks.org)

## THEATER

### THE ARTSCENTER

**Alice in Wonderland** —by Missoula Children's Theater. July 31, 3pm and 5:30pm. [artscenterlive.org](http://artscenterlive.org)

### DEEP DISH THEATRE

**Mi Vida Loca (also known as My Crazy Life)** —A family of misfits gather to send their father off to detox. A sharp and savvy comic drama from the creator of the play *On the Verge* and the HBO series *Treme*. Aug 27-Sept 18. [deepdishtheater.org](http://deepdishtheater.org)

### DSI COMEDY THEATRE

**Upcoming Shows** — For shows and times, visit: [dsicomedytheater.com](http://dsicomedytheater.com)

### OC HISTORICAL MUSEUM

**Almost Andy** —Performed by Hillsborough local Art Fettig. This 30-minute skit showcases North Carolina native Andy Griffith. July 30. 6:30 and 7:30 pm. [orangenhistory.org](http://orangenhistory.org)



Send your submissions to  
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# TALES OF THE TIDEWATER

BY VICKY DICKSON



PHOTO BY  
SKY BOGGS

A river runs through Belle Boggs' life. Actually, two rivers.

One is the Haw: Boggs lives very near its waters and will be teaching English to 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade students at Hawbridge School, on the Haw's banks, next fall.

The other is the Mattaponi River in Tidewater Virginia, where the author grew up fishing and boating and listening to the creaks and groans of river ice in winter. Though Boggs left Virginia to live in California, New York, Durham, Washington, D.C., and Chatham County, the Tidewater area stayed with her, and has inspired her debut collection of short stories, *Mattaponi Queen*.

The stories in this collection were written over a couple of summer vacations. Though she never intended to be a teacher, Boggs became a New York City Teaching Fellow after getting an MFA from the University of California at Irvine, and found herself with a classroom of first-graders in

Bedford-Stuyvesant. Since leaving New York, she's taught everything from kindergarten-to-fourth grade writing lessons to GED courses. Which left her little time to submit her stories to magazines, journals or contests. She could muster little enthusiasm for that process anyway, since her efforts at selling the novel she'd written as an MFA thesis had left her pretty disheartened. But her husband, Richard Allen, submitted the stories – without telling her – to the Breadloaf Writer's Conference Bakeless Prize 2009 competition, and they won.

Belle Boggs is a gifted writer who doesn't shy from challenges, as with her portrayal of Marcus, a young black athlete from Bedford-Stuyvesant who comes to Virginia to live with his grandmother after the other adults in his life go to prison for drug dealing. That Boggs succeeds in making this character believable, despite the vast differences between his life and hers, is tribute to her empathy, and to her substantial talent.

Empathy and compassion shine throughout Boggs' stories. Because she cares about the people she describes so well, we care about them too. We root for Skinny, the alcoholic ex-drug addict, in his effort to mend fences with his kids before he dies. We find ourselves unable to condemn Jeremy's dad for getting thoroughly drunk at the Bob Dylan concert he takes his son to, or the people who steal Cutie's ancestral silver. We even (kind of) forgive Cutie her imperial grumpiness.

Since winning the Bakeless Prize, Boggs has been shortlisted for the 2010 Cork City-Frank O'Connor Story Award for the best original collection of stories published in English. Quite an honor when you consider that the list consists of only six authors. We'll be pulling for Boggs when she goes to Ireland in September. After you read *Mattaponi Queen*, you will too.



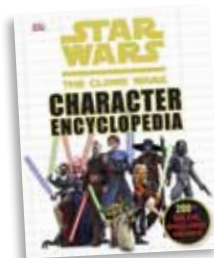
Another local author getting a lot of attention these days is Rosecrans Baldwin, whose *You Lost Me There* has made the summer reading lists of the *Los Angeles Times*, *Entertainment Weekly*, the *Chicago Tribune* and other national media outlets. Baldwin, co-founder of the online magazine *The Morning News*, will hold his book-launch party at Flyleaf on Aug. 12 at 7 p.m. If you can't make it that night, head to McIntyre's in Fearrington Village on Aug. 14 at 11 a.m. or the Regulator in Durham on Aug. 19 at 7 p.m. for a chance to meet the author and pick up some great reading for the dog days of summer.

Stieg Larsson fans will want to check out *Millennium: The Story*, a one-hour documentary about the author of the *Girl with The Dragon Tattoo* trilogy. Featuring interviews with Larsson's close friends and relatives as well as leading actors and professionals from the films, the movie will be shown at Flyleaf this Saturday at 6 p.m. It's suitable for all ages.



## Independent Booksellers.

### Flyleaf August Event Highlights:



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**Thursday, 8/12, 7-8:30pm: Rosecrans Baldwin reads from his debut novel *You Lost Me There*** Baldwin is a founding editor of the website *The Morning News*, and host of the annual "Tournament of Books." His work has appeared in *New York* magazine, *The Nation*, on NPR's *All Things Considered*, and he currently writes a *New York Times* blog. He lives in Chapel Hill.



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## ACME FOOD AND BEVERAGE

Skylar Gudasz and the Ugly Girls (8/3) Michael Holland (8/10) John Harrison (8/17)

## THE ARTSCENTER

Trangle Jazz Orchestra (8/4) Peter Case (8/7) Carolina Casbah! (8/21) Beausoleil avec Micael Doucet (8/27) Ye Olde Shoppe (8/31)

## BARN AT VALHALLA

K. Sridhar (7/31)

## BLUE BAYOU

The String Machine (8/5) Lee Gildersleeve Bad Dog Blues Band (8/6) She Bop (8/7) Under the Sun (8/12) Willie Painter Band (8/13) Jacob Johnson Band (8/14) Chaz Depaolo (8/19) Spoonful of Soul (8/20) Harvey Dalton Arnold Blues Band (8/21) Guitar Shorty (8/27) Cross-over Blues Band (8/28)

## CAFE DRIADE

Now You See Them (7/30) SmallTown Heroes (7/31) Birds and Arrows (8/6) Daniel Sean (8/7) Climb Jacob's Ladder (8/13) Radio Silent Auction (8/14) Bog Segal (8/20) Pablo Valencia (8/21) Southern Routes (8/25) Amy Alley (8/27) The Drowning Lovers (8/28)

## CAT'S CRADLE

Mat Kearney, Jane Carrey (7/29) Cosmic Charlie (7/30) Monte Montgomery (7/31) Boris, Russian Circles, Saade (8/2) Here We Go Magic, Beach Fossils (8/7) Cynic, Intronaut, Dysrhythmia (8/9) Dax Riggs (8/11) Brave Combo, Killer Filler (8/12) Mission of Burma (8/13) Memoryhouse, Twin Sister (8/15) Chiddy Bang, Donniss, SV, 2AM Club, K.O. Kid (8/18) Lou Barlow and The Missingmen, Wye Oak (8/19) The English Beat, Bad Manners, Chris Murray (8/24) Tarrus Riley, Gramps Morgan, Duane Stephenson, Dean Fraser and The Blak Soil Band (8/25) Paul Thorn (8/27)

## THE CAVE

The Riff (7/29) Grass Monkey (7/30) Rocket Biscuit (7/31) Jazz Camp Concert (8/1) Phatl-yinx, Eszett, Blood Red River (8/6) Mary and the Strays (8/7) The Real Fighter Plane, The Carson Mcullers, The Royal Tinfoil, Reid Johnson (8/11)

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## CITY TAP

David Quick (7/29) Jay Manley, The Kinks-men (7/30) Killer Filler (7/31) Jo Gore and The Alternative (8/1) Chris Tichner (8/5) Not Dead Yet, The Swang Brothers (8/6) John Howie Jr. and the Sweethearts (8/7) Jack Maverick and His Wild Rebels (8/12) Tracy Wiebeck, Joe Bell and The Stinging Blades (8/13) The Fairlanes (8/14) Marc Brown (8/19) Hell Camino (8/20) Gasoline Stove (8/21) David Quick (8/26) Jay Manley, Great Big Gone (8/27) Stratocruiser (8/28)

## EAST 54

Bird and Arrows (7/29) The Moaners (8/12) Mary Johnson Rockers (8/26)

## GENERAL STORE CAFÉ

Keenan McKenzie (7/29) The Backbeat (7/30) Applesauce (7/31) Bernie Petteway (8/5) Tad Dreis (8/6) Bleumatics (8/7) Anthony John Clarke (8/11) Bourbon Street Jazz (8/12) Big Al and the Marching Rams (8/13) Room to Breathe (8/14) Tony Galiani Band (8/19) Swang Brothers (8/20) Black Swamp (8/21) Marie Vanderbeck Quartet (8/26) Fayssoux McLean (8/27) New Town Drunks (8/28)

## JACK SPRAT CAFE AND BAR

Chris Reynolds (8/10)

## JESSEES COFFEE AND BAR

Raymond Ward (7/30) The Julies, Static Minds (7/31) Mixed Greenz (8/6) Black Swamp Bootleggers (8/7) The Strugglers, Lions at Lunch-time (8/13) Saludos Compay (8/20) Organos, Wages (8/21) Delta Rae, Climb Jacob's Ladder (8/27) Killer Filler (8/28)

## LOCAL 506

Ariels Pink's Haunted Graffiti, Magic Kids, Puro Instinct (7/29) The Tell, Sinful Savage Tigers (7/30) Son of a Bad Man (7/31) Dizzy Smith (8/4) Wylie Hunter and the Cazadores, Luego, Lizzy Ross Band (8/5) Dark Water Rising, Inflowential (8/6) The L In Japanese Dance Party (8/7) Screaming Crayons, Bagriel Reynolds (8/10) Pseudo Blue and the Majestics (8/11) The Legendary Shack Shakers (8/14) Evan Garmon and Friends, Miles To The Clouds (8/16) Dead To Society, Bad Idea (8/17) Warpaint, Old Bricks (8/18)

Miniature Tigers, Aminor, Jordan and the Sphinx (8/19) The Delta Mirror (8/20) Wembley (8/21) Funtion (8/23) Rio Bravo (8/24) The Second Take (8/25) This Year's Models, Archbishops of Blount Street (8/26) Twelve Thousand Armies, The Houstons (8/27) Honored Guests, Schooner, Calico Haunts (8/28) Jon Lindsay, The Small Ponds (8/29) Jacqui and the Woodsides, The Lake Isle (8/20) Josh Hoge, Keaton Simons, Matt Duke (8/31)

## UNC MEMORIAL HALL

Yo-Yo Ma (8/17)

## MILLTOWN

Tim Stambaugh and Friends (8/8) Puritan Rodeo (8/15) Zeke Graves and Pals (8/22) North Columbia, Michael Laslie (8/29)

## NIGHTLIGHT

Remora, Weather Machine, Slicnaton, Arte Povera (7/29) Big Picture, Humble Tripe, Pistil (7/30) Dirty Little Heaters, Jews and Catholics, Love Craft (8/6) Savage Knights, Vampire Squid, Phantascist, Prehistoric Horse (8/10) Spermcount, Leeches of Lore, Bitter Resolve (8/11) Noveller, Horseback, UnFact (8/12) Justin Robinson, Mary Annettes, Birds and Arrows (8/13) Inspector 22, Hume (8/19) Free Electric State, The Sky Drops, White Cascade (8/20) Pinche Gringo, Wild Wild Geese, Shithorse, Shortstack (8/21) Flesh Epic (8/29)

## OPEN EYE CAFÉ

Audrey Auld (7/30) Over The Hill (7/31) Freedy Johnston (8/1) Jason Masi (8/6) Loose Mood (8/21) Saludos Compay (8/28)

## SOUTHERN VILLAGE

John Howie Jr and the Sweethearts (8/1) Tad Dreis (8/8) The Laura Ridgeway Duo (8/1) David Dyer and the Crooked Smile Band (8/22) The Nomads (8/29)

## WEAVER STREET MARKET

Climb Jacob's Ladder (7/29) Magnolia Klezmer Band (8/1) The Swang Brothers (8/5) Ecos Duo (8/8) Milagro Saints (8/12) Mark Cool and the FolkStars, Joe Woodson and the Bean Trees (8/15) Tim Stambaugh (8/19) The Southern Routes (8/22) Equinox (8/26) Craicdown (8/29)

## SPOTLIGHT MISSION OF BURMA

### MISSION OF BURMA - CAT'S CRADLE - FRIDAY, AUG. 13

The premature break-up (in '83) and reformation (in '02) of Mission of Burma is the stuff of yesteryear's news cycle; the band's hypnotic pop/punk charge and art-rock experimentation is, thankfully, not. Persistently tearing out punchy, hook-laden tracks as anthemic as they are elementally textured, the band has somehow constituted itself as both a pioneer of underground rock and a dynamic force in the modern movement. This may be post-punk revival, but it may also be the most spirited rock show at the Cradle for some time. Tickets are \$16 adv / \$18 day of the show. See [CatsCradle.com](http://CatsCradle.com) for more information.





Ashley Melzer writes the Gimme Five! column for The Carrboro Citizen's MILL blog ([carrborocitizen.com/mill/tag/gimme-five](http://carrborocitizen.com/mill/tag/gimme-five)), in which she asks local bands five probing questions. Below is a selection of favorites from the column to date.

### MATT DAMRON OF BRIGHT YOUNG THINGS

*TC:* Describe your typical band practice.

*Damron:* Typically our practices start an hour later than they were supposed to.... Cameron, our lead guitarist, evangelizes about his newest favorite band (currently Dr. Hook and the Medicine Show) and we run through a few songs to get everyone in the right mindset. If there's a new idea, I'll play through it and ask for some insight, then we'll run with it, hoping for some lucky spark. Once we're satisfied with what we've covered (or the beer fridge is emptied out), we move on – usually to a bar.

### ERIC HIRSCH OF ORQUEST GARDEL

*TC:* If your band were a kitchen appliance, what would it be?

*Hirsch:* Definitely a Cuisenart food processor. Its power is restrained by its simple design and the careful attachment of the variety of accessory parts. You can cut things up many ways, but at the end of the day you're just making salsa. And everyone likes salsa.

### SETH MARTIN OF SINFUL SAVAGE TIGERS

*TC:* Who/what are a few inspirations or influences that might really surprise people?

*Martin:* The name of the band comes from a stray line in a BBC radio comedy from the 1950s called *The Goon Show* that I became obsessed with when I was 12 or so. I believe very strongly in the idea of counterweights in songwriting. If we're working in a very rural Southern genre and with folk arrangements, I wanted to have a seemingly alien point of reference for the lyrics and concepts for the songs. A lot of my writing begins with ideas or notions pulled from postwar British radio and teleplays, even if they don't end up in the finished song. Kind of like hitting a tennis ball against a backstop; it's fun to see how your ideas get thrown back at you.

### SKYLAR OF SKYLAR GUDASZ AND THE UGLY GIRLS

*TC:* What did you dream of being when you were a kid? How'd that turn out?

*Gudasz:* Then, two of us wanted to be musicians. One of us wanted to be a school bus driver. One of us wanted to be an astronaut, pirate, actress, Peter Pan or a scientist who lived in Antarctica – but especially an astronaut.

Now, four of us are musicians. Three of us are/have been baristas and one of us is in school getting ready for a Real Job. All of us are pirates.

### JUAN HUEVOS

*TC:* Describe the last time you totally jammed out to a song.

*Huevos:* I was working on a song with Missy Thangs and we were laying down keyboard parts. We were super hype on what we were coming up with and we couldn't stop bopping around. We haven't worked on the song since, but we were dancing our asses off.

## LOCAL 506

7/29 THU	ARIEL PINK'S HAUNTED GRAFFITI / MAGIC KIDS / PURO INSTINCT (formerly Pearl Harbor)
7/30 FRI	THE TELL / SINFUL SAVAGE TIGERS
7/31 SAT	SON OF A BAD MAN / CALEB CAUDLE & THE BAYONETS / SHAWN DEENA
8/1 SUN	THE UNKNOWN SPENCER SCHOLLS
8/3 TUE	AMY ALLEY
8/4 WED	DIZZY SMITH
8/5 THU	WYLIE HUNTER & THE CAZADORES EP Release Show w/ LUEGO / LIZZY ROSS BAND
8/6 FRI	DARK WATER RISING / MIKE MAINS & THE BRANCHES
8/7 SAT	THEL IN JAPANESE DANCE PARTY
8/8 SUN	HADWYNN
8/9 MON	CRYSTAL BRIGHT & THE SILVER HANDS
8/10 TUE	SCREAMING CRAYONS / GABRIEL REYNOLDS
8/11 WED	PSEUDO BLUE AND THE MAJESTICS
8/12 THU	THE HELL NO / FUJIYAMA ROLL / BARRON
8/13 FRI	DELTA RAE
8/14 SAT	THE LEGENDARY SHACK* SHAKERS
8/15 SUN	506 Music Trivia Night
8/16 MON	EVAN GARMON & FRIENDS / MILES TO THE CLOUDS
8/17 TUE	SHOOT FIRST / DEAD TO SOCIETY / BAD IDEA
8/18 WED	WARPAINT / OLD BRICKS
8/19 THU	Cat's Cradle Presents MINIATURE TIGERS / AMINAL JORDAN & THE SPHINX
8/20 FRI	THE DELTA MIRROR
8/21 SAT	WEMBLEY
8/22 SUN	BLACK JOE LEWIS & THE HONEYBEARS
8/23 MON	FUNCTION
8/24 TUE	RIO BRAVO
8/25 WED	THE SECOND TAKE
8/26 THU	A Tribute to Elvis Costello and The Specials with THIS YEAR'S MODELS and ARCHBISHOPS OF BLOUNT STREET
8/27 FRI	MAX INDIAN / TWELVE THOUSAND ARMIES / THE HOUSTON BROTHERS
8/28 SAT	HONORED GUESTS / SCHOONER / CALICO HAUNTS
8/29 SUN	JON LINDSAY / THE SMALL PONDS
8/30 MON	JACQUI AND THE WOODSIDES / THE LAKE ISLE
8/31 TUE	JOSH HOGG / KEATON SIMONS / MATT DUKE
9/1 WED	RUSSELL HOWARD
9/3 FRI	Pre-ProgDay Show with JACK DUPON / KINETIC ELEMENT
9/4 SAT	FREE ELECTRIC STATE / SAINT SOLITUDE / BIRDS & ARROWS
9/8 WED	Cat's Cradle Presents COLOUR REVOLT / TURBO FRUITS
9/10 FRI	SONS OF BILL / APACHE RELAY
9/11 SAT	THEL IN JAPANESE DANCE PARTY
9/12 SUN	ANDREW WILLIAMS / THE GOLDSTARS
9/13 MON	THE DRUMS / SURFER BLOOD / THE YOUNG FRIENDS
9/14 TUE	Cat's Cradle Presents THOSE DARLINS / STRANGE BOYS / GENTLEMAN JESSE
9/16 THU	LOWER DENS

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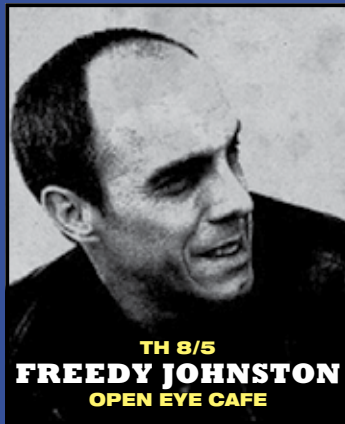
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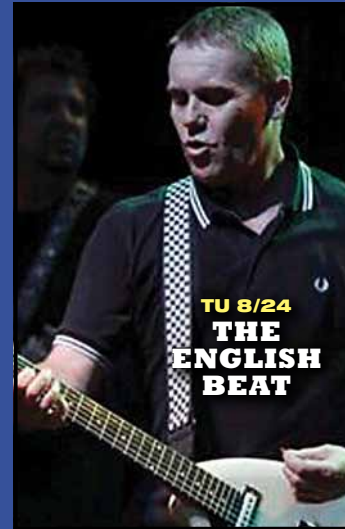
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**TH 8/12**  
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**TU 8/24**  
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