March 4th - March 10th, 2013

"All children are artists. The problem is how to remain an artist once he grows up." - Pablo Picasso

The Muse wishes all a wonderful spring break!

take one :: the big picture

The Muse TED Talk series continues! Click here to view "There are no mistakes on the bandstand," a TED talk by Stefon Harris. "What is a mistake? By talking through examples with his improvisational Jazz quartet, Stefon Harris walks us to a profound truth: many actions are perceived as mistakes only because we don't react to them appropriately."

"Riveting talks by remarkable people, free to the world: TED is a nonprofit devoted to Ideas Worth Spreading. It started out (in 1984) as a conference bringing together people from three worlds: Technology, Entertainment, Design. TEDTalks began as a simple attempt to share what happens at TED with the world. Under the moniker "ideas worth spreading," talks were released online. They rapidly attracted a global audience in the millions. Indeed, the reaction was so enthusiastic that the entire TED website has been reengineered around TEDTalks, with the goal of giving everyone on-demand access to the world's most inspiring voices."

take two :: campus arts

3/5 - Kimi Grant, K. A. Hays, and Tyler Mills - Poetry and Prose Reading and Reception, 6:30 p.m, Bucknell Hall. Three Bucknell University alumnae will give a prose and poetry reading at 6:30 p.m. in the Stadler Center for Poetry in Bucknell
Hall. The reading is free and open to the public. Kimi Grant MA '08 is the author of the memoir *Silver Like Dust* and the recipient of a grant from the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, among other awards. K. A. Hays '03 has published two books of poetry, most recently *Early Creatures, Native Gods*. Her work has appeared in Best American Poetry and widely in periodicals. Tyler Mills '05 won the 2011 Crab Orchard First Book Award for her book *Tongue Lyre*. She is pursuing a PhD in English at the University of Illinois-Chicago.

3/5 - Linntown Pops Performance - 7:00 p.m., Weis Center for the Performing Arts.

3/6 - Jason McCloskey: "Writing a Tragic Image: Lope de Vega, Torquato Tasso, Michelangelo and the Battle for Jerusalem" - 5:00 p.m., Traditional Reading Room.

3/6 - Movement & Atmospheric Music Public Workshops featuring Rob Schwimmer in the Samek Art Gallery. Yoga noon to 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 to 8:00 p.m., tai chi from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. Click here for more information.

3/6 - **Jonestown Series**: Jordan Vilchez lecture/discussion: "Women's Lives in the People's Temple" - 7:00 p.m., Hunt Formal. Jordan Vilchez became a member of the Peoples Temple at age 12 when she moved to Redwood Valley with her older sister Diane. During her time in the temple she became a part of the inner workings of the organization and was sent to Guyana when she was 20. She fortuitously missed being among those who died by leaving Jonestown the day before to attend to duties in the capitol. She has contributed her writing to yearly editions of the Jonestown report. Today, Jordan lives in California and has an integrative mentoring practice, Cosmology of You™, in Berkeley.

3/6 - Jazz@Bucknell Performance - 8:30 p.m., Bucknell Hall.

3/7 - Third World Film Series - *A Day Without a Mexican* (2004, 100 min) - 4:00 and 7:00 p.m., Coleman 151. A comedy spoof about a day when a strange purple fog engulfs the state of California causing all people of Hispanic descent to vanish. The non-Hispanic population suddenly realize how critical this segment of the population is to the state's well-being. Directed by Sergio Arau.

3/8, 3/9 and 3/10 - The RiverStage Community Theatre Presents "FOOLS" by Neil Simon at the Campus Theatre! 7:30 p.m. 3/8 and 3/9, 2:30 p.m. on 3/10. Directed by Jove Graham, with Benjamin Hartman and Sarah Bell. Called "bright, fresh, witty and warm" by CBS-TV, this fabulous comedy about love, family, destiny, and the very nature of intelligence will have you laughing like a fool yourself! This show is appropriate for audiences of all ages. Order tickets here.

**Showing at the Samek Art Gallery:**
Main gallery: **Jim Campbell: At the Threshold** through 3/24

Connections gallery: **Life of Nichiren** through 3/26

**Showing at the Downtown Art Gallery:** **Anna Kell: Pentimenti** through 3/22

**Showing at the Campus Theatre:** Rock 'n Roll High School, Peeping Tom, Island President, Zero Dark Thirty, "Fools" by River Stage Community Theater

**take three :: campus creativity**

**Are you interested in drawing from the human figure?** The BU ART COLLECTIVE hosts a free figure drawing session every Thursday night from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the Art Building Room 315. All skill levels are welcome!

**Art-ful Fridays is a recurring program of the Art Galleries at Bucknell University, held every third Friday of the month (upcoming dates: 3/22, 4/19).** This program is designed to unearth how art and other interdisciplinary fields overlap in contemporary practice. Held in the Conversations Gallery from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m., each meeting is an informal lunch-time gathering of students, faculty, retired faculty, and the public. Each month an participant will volunteer to choose a topic they wish to discuss and select a source to circulate among the group. This could be an article, short essay, even a YouTube clip! It should relate in some way back to the arts.

Individuals will have two weeks to review the selection at their leisure. Each one hour gathering will be an open dialogue that begins in reflection to the selected topic... but from there allow the conversation to organically reveal other topics coming to mind. Participants are encouraged to bring a "+1" such as a friend or peer that might be interested in that month's topic of choice. The more diverse the group, the greater the breadth of subjects covered and exchange of interests will be! The only rule is... there are no rules!

Come every other month or be a regular- it's up to you! This is a non-credit zone, meaning there are no pressures of writing papers or faculty calling on you. The idea is to carve a niche for non-class related reading in your everyday life. Art-ful Fridays will be hosted by the Samek Art Gallery's two graduate assistants: Alex-
Rae Campbell of Curatorial Studies and Laura Hildebrandt of Museum Education.

Be sure to answer the newest question on *The Pulse*, a student poll located on the new Arts. Everywhere. kiosk in the front lobby of the ELC! Click [here](#) for more information about the kiosk.

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To add to or update an event currently in The Muse or to advertise an upcoming event earlier than the week in which it occurs, please contact Heather Hennigan at heather.hennigan@bucknell.edu.