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# ARTS CALENDAR MAY 2009

## PERFORMANCES/CLASSES

**MAY 9 RICHARD SHINDELL: EVENING STAR CONCERT** series is performing at the Sautee Nacoochee historic gym. Performance: 8pm. Tickets: \$15 members; \$20 non-members; \$8 children 6-17. Information: 706-878-3300 or [www.snca.org](http://www.snca.org).

**MAY 10 GARDEN PARTY** is presented by the Gainesville Ballet Company in Brenau University Amphitheater. Information: 770-532-4241 or [www.gainesvilleballet.org](http://www.gainesvilleballet.org).

**MAY 16-17 BREAD AND PUPPET THEATER** Vermont's famous street theatre troupe performing in the Sautee Nacoochee historic gym. Tickets: \$15 members; \$20 non-members; \$8 children 6-17. Information: 706-878-3300 or [www.snca.org](http://www.snca.org).

**MAY 22 JAZZ DEPOT...EVENINGS OF INTIMATE JAZZ** is presented by the Arts Council at the Smithgall Arts Center on the patio at the Smithgall Arts Center. Artist: Havana Son Trio. Performance: 8PM. Tickets: \$25 Information: 770.534.2787 or [www.theartscouncil.net](http://www.theartscouncil.net) (Rain date: June 5, 2009).

**MAY 25 THE LAST FULL MEASURE OF DEVOTION** a concert by the Northwinds Symphonic Band presented at First Baptist, Church Green St Gainesville. Performance: 7:30pm. Admission: Free. Information: 770-531-7675.

## EXHIBITS/OPEN HOUSES

**APR 2-JUN 7 CONTEMPLATIONS, GENERATIONS & RUSTICATIONS** is at the Quinlan Visual Arts Center featuring works by Charles Walls from the Atlanta Fine Arts League; also GENERATIONS featuring local mother/daughter artists Ruth Money and Ann Goble. RUSTICATIONS featuring works by Jane Taylor.

Admission: Free:  
Gallery Hours: Mon-Fri 9am to 5pm, Sat 10am to 5pm, Sun 12pm to 4pm.  
Information: 770-536-2575 or online [www.quinlanartscenter.org](http://www.quinlanartscenter.org).

**APR 10-MAY 17 WOMEN IN ART/FEMININE MYSTIQUE EXHIBIT** is presented in the Sautee Nacoochee Center Gallery. Featuring works by Jeanie Daves, Carol Rabb, Nancy Garrett and Maraiiah Wenn Collier. Artist Reception: April 18 from 6:30pm to 8pm. Admission: Free. Gallery Hours: Monday-Saturday 10am to 5pm; Sunday 1pm to 5pm. Information: 706-878-3300 or [www.snca.org](http://www.snca.org).

**MAY 22-JUNE 28 GARDEN FANTASY EXHIBIT** is presented in the Sautee Nacoochee Center Gallery. Featuring florals by Ann Thompson, Becky Threlkeld, Madeline Epp and Carol Cutts. Artist Reception: May 23 from 6:30pm to 8pm. Gallery Hours: Monday-Saturday 10am to 5pm, Sunday 1pm to 5pm. Information: 706-878-3300 or [www.snca.org](http://www.snca.org).



## HAVANA SON TRIO SET TO CLOSE OUT 2008-2009 EVENINGS OF INTIMATE JAZZ SEASON

On Friday, May 22nd the Arts Council's 2008-2009 Evenings of Intimate Jazz season will close out with the Latin sounds of the Havana Son Trio. To make room for some dancing this concert will be outdoors on the Smithgall Arts Center Patio.

Havana Son features the husband and wife team of Rene and Lillian Herrera. The sultry sounds of a tropical paradise come to mind when one hears the pulsing rhythms and sweet melodies of Havana Son. Created by Cuban native Rene Herrera - not only known for being an award winning composer and arranger but also a former Mercury Records recording artists, this world re-nowned bandleader brings the music to life through his use of piano, vocals, guitar and TRES (traditional Cuban stringed instrument). Rene creates the true Latin sound. Rene's wife Lillian Herrera is of Cuban heritage and adds her unique vocal style to create an intoxicating cocktail of Latin and American sounds. Lillian has sung professionally in the classical music world as well as with many Latin bands. By moving this event outdoors there will be plenty of space and opportunity to show off your Latin dance moves.

Havana Son Trio tickets are \$25 per person. To order your 2008-2009 tickets you may order online at [www.theartscouncil.net](http://www.theartscouncil.net) and click on Evenings of Intimate Jazz or you can call us at 770-534-2787. As always complimentary glasses, ice, set-ups, coffee and light snacks will be available.



## THE ARTS COUNCIL PRESENTS MALLORY LEWIS AND LAMB CHOP

On Sunday, July 12th The Arts Council in conjunction with Puppets Take Atlanta & Beyond will present Mallory Lewis and Lamb Chop.



Mallory is the daughter of Sherry Lewis the creator of Lamb Chop. Mallory carries on the family tradition of presenting a wonderful performance suitable for the entire family.. This family fun program is presented at Pearce Auditorium. The performance is at 2:30pm and admission is \$10 for adults and \$8 for children and students. For more information contact the Arts Council at 770-534-2787 or send an email to: [info@theartscouncil.net](mailto:info@theartscouncil.net)

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## PURPLE HOUSE GALLERY & FRAME STUDIO

Purple House Gallery is donating all the framing for the art exhibition. Purple House Gallery is owned by Malia H. Bolt, MCPF. Malia is donating all labor in framing for some 30 pieces of art from the Arts Council's collection. Framing materials are being provided by Larson-Juhl.

Malia Bolt received her MCPF (MASTER CERTIFIED PICTURE FRAMER) in February 2008. MCPF is the highest level of achievement in the framing industry. The Professional Picture Framers Association (PPFA) announced at its annual convention in Las Vegas Malia Bolt, became only the 48th person in the world to earn its highest level of professionalism and the only one in Georgia; MASTER CERTIFIED PICTURE FRAMER.

Bolt, after intense scrutiny of four pieces that she framed before the convention, and one random piece she was asked to complete at the convention was granted her MCPF by a group of international judges. The pieces were disassembled, analyzed, and scored by the judges. She was judged on creativity, accuracy, preservation, and design. Many people never make it to this level of professionalism, much less past the criticism of the judges.

"I am very thrilled to have reached this level. It has been my goal since I bought The Purple House to provide Gainesville and its surrounding areas with the highest quality picture framing and preservation available in the world."

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