art exhibits

Jeremy Joseph

There's a playful innocence about the sprightly birds in Easton artist Jeremy Joseph's oil paintings. On view through January 31, his show, Winter Birds Dream of Summer, is full of stories begging to be imagined.



"For the Tidewater Apartment," oil and

2020 Juried Art Show

Celebrating the Arboretum's mission of conservation, the 2020 Juried Art Show, Discovering the Native Landscapes of Maryland's *Eastern Shore*, will be on view February 2 through March 27. There will be a reception Saturday, February 8, 3 to 5 p.m.

Outdoor Sculpture Invitational

Sculptures by artists hailing from around the mid-Atlantic region will be on view in the Outdoor Sculpture Invitational—Artists in Dialogue with Nature June 1 through September 30. There will be a reception and guided sculpture walk Saturday, June 27, 3 to 5 p.m.

Julia Sutliff

With Julia Sutliff's small oil paintings, it's as if you're right there in the landscape. Her show, Swimming in Eden, is on view March 31 through May 29. There will be a reception to meet the artist on Saturday, April 25, 3 to 5 p.m.



"Hillside Carnival," oil, 14" x 16"

Sheryl Southwick

Sheryl Southwick's joyful torn paper collages shimmer with light and color. Her show, Local Color Reimagined, on view June 2 through July 31, offers a fascinating look into her artistic process. There will be a reception to meet the artist on Saturday, June 27, 3 to 5 p.m.



"Dixon Creek," oil, 12" x 12"

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Visit adkinsarboretum.org for full program descriptions and registration links.

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YARN STORMING—Tree Sweaters Sunday, March 8–Sunday, April 6

Reception: March 8, 2-4 p.m.

Sponsored by the Arboretum in partnership with the Fiber Arts Center of the Eastern Shore, Yarn Storming will present an opportunity for local fiber artists to create a whimsical and exciting visual experience in the trees around the Visitor's Center.

SMITHSONIAN MUSEUM DAY Live!

Saturday, April 4

Free admission Take advantage of free Arboretum admission, a self-guided walk or audio tour, an art exhibit, and shopping for nature-inspired gifts.

WHO LAID THAT EGG?

Saturday, April 11, 2-3:30 p.m. Fee: \$10 per family Try a new twist on the classic egg hunt! In Amazing Race style, families will use their map skills to navigate meadow, wetland, and forest habitats on a wildlife scavenger hunt. All families who complete the

hunt within one hour will be entered in a raffle for cool prizes.

TRIPS

Philadelphia Flower Show—Riviera Holiday Tuesday, March 3, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Fee: \$95 members/\$120 non-members

The world's leading floral and garden designers will immerse visitors in the sights, scents, and tastes of the region. Citrus trees and sweeps of lavender will form a vision of Riviera life along intimate pathways to a whole new crop of experiences, garden displays, and artistic design.

New York Botanical Garden

Tuesday, May 12, 8 a.m.-10 p.m. Fee: \$155 members/\$185 non-members

Your next art-selfie destination may just be the Bronx! Our first spring visit to NYBG will include blooming magnolias and a massive exhibition by Japanese artist Yayoi Kusama. The garden will be the only stop for the show, billed as "the first-ever large-scale exploration of the artist's profound engagement with nature."

Glenstone

Thursday, June 11, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Fee: \$65 members/\$80 non-members

Located just 30 minutes from Washington, DC, Glenstone seamlessly integrates art, architecture, and landscape into a serene and contemplative environment. Join us to explore the grounds and

the new Environmental Center with Chief Sustainability Officer Paul Tukey. The Center embodies the latest thinking in sustainability and advances Glenstone's mission of environmental stewardship.

SPEAKER

Catherine Carter Tuesday, March 10, 3–5 p.m.



THE ARBOR DAY 5K/10K Run and One-Mile **Fun Run/Walk**

Saturday, April 11, 10 a.m.

Join fellow runners and nature enthusiasts for the fifteenth annual Arbor Day 5K/10K Run and One-Mile Fun Run/ Walk. Proceeds benefit the Arboretum's goat herd, which provides targeted grazing of invasive plants. All 5K and 10K participants will receive Arbor Day Run T-shirts featuring the goats. Register at runsignup.com/HustleForTheHerd. New this year: timing and race management by Tri Cycle and Run.

SPRING OPEN HOUSE & NATIVE PLANT SALE

Friday, April 24, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, April 25, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, April 26, noon-4 p.m. Prepare for spring in the garden! Shop the region's largest selection of landscape-ready native trees, shrubs, perennials, ferns, and grasses for spring planting. Guided walks, discount for members.

JAZZ AT WOODLAND'S EDGE Saturday, May 23, 4–6 p.m.

Fee: \$20 for adults, \$5 ages 3–18, free for ages 2 and under. Adult fee increases to \$25 on the day of the event.

Enjoy cool jazz by the Peter Revell Band on a warm spring evening with a glass of wine in hand. Led by Revell on bass, this premier quartet includes trumpeter and vocalist Tim Stanley, guitarist Shawn Purcell, and drummer and percussionist Kevin McDonald. Together and separately, these outstanding musicians have performed throughout the country and around the world. Beer, wine, and small plates by the Olé Tapas food truck will be available for purchase.

How to Speak About Climate Change Series Sundays, March 15, April 19, & May 17, 12:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$15 members/\$20 non-members Fee for three-part series: \$35 members/\$50 non-members Learn to speak effectively, accurately, and confidently about climate change in this series with Coreen Weilminster and Mary Helen Gillen. The training will explore social factors that influence opinions, beliefs, and perceptions of climate change and will consider the use of art as a means to empathy and connecting climate science to action.

Bird Identification: From Coo to Who Cooks For You Mondays, March 30-May 4, 8:30-11 a.m.

Fee for the six-week series: \$75 members/\$95 non-members This series led by longtime birder and educator Jim Wilson will examine characteristics that can be used for bird identification, including size, shape, behavior, song, call notes, drumming, time of year, habitat, and feeding habits.

Docent Naturalist Training Program

Third Tuesday, March–June and September–November, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Training is free; volunteer service is required outside of class. Do you have contagious enthusiasm for the outdoors? Are you passionate about nature? Register for our Docent Naturalist Training Program and become part of a stellar group of individuals who volunteer their time and skills by leading guided nature walks at Adkins Arboretum. To apply, email jhoughton@ adkinsarboretum.org or call 410-634-2847, ext. 23.

Nature's Calendar—Introduction to Phenology

Fridays, April 3, 1:30–2:30 p.m. and July 31, 10–11 a.m. Fee: Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members Phenology is the study of seasonal cycles such as the migration of birds and the flowering of trees. Arboretum Land Steward Kathy Thornton will discuss how tracking phenology over time teaches us how changes in climate and precipitation alter plant and animal responses.

Top Ten Nature Series

Wednesdays, April 22 (Wildflowers) and June 24 (Reptiles), 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee per class: \$10 members/\$15 non-members *Fee for five-part series: \$40 members/\$60 non-members* Have you ever left an environmental program armed with a dichotomous key when what you really wanted was the ability to name the most common trees in your area? If so, this series is for you! By the end of each class, you'll be able to identify ten species common to the Chesapeake Bay region in addition to learning fun facts and basic lore. Other themes in the series: Wetland Plants (July 22), Butterflies (August 26), and Trees (September 23).

Celebrating Natives SPRING GARDEN TOUR

Saturday, May 30, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Fee: \$25 in advance/\$30 day of event Join us for a celebration of native gardens! The Spring Garden Tour will feature several gardens from the Easton area to the Wye River. From quiet waterfront sanctuaries to herb gardens and havens for birds and pollinators, these unique native gardens are sure to inspire!

FOREST MUSIC

Thursday, June 4, 3 p.m. This event is free. Forest Music returns to the Arboretum with the New Bassoon Institute. Innovative musicians from Chestertown's National Music Festival will present a unique performance in



the forest, responding to one another's playing in a musical conversation that winds through the trees.

Plant Identification and Uses

Wednesday, April 29, 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Fee: \$25 members/\$35 non-members Enhance your plant identification skills and learn how different plants are used by wildlife, gardeners, and chefs. This class with Arboretum Science Advisor Sylvan Kaufman will include learning to identify plant families and how to use the best reference guides for our region.

Ecology for Land Stewards

Friday, May 1, 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Fee: \$25 members/\$35 non-members Learn how understanding basic ecological principles can help you make better design, planting, and management decisions for your garden or landscape. You'll learn the science background you need to understand how your landscape can support clean water, improve wildlife habitat, and lower maintenance costs while providing a healthy, beautiful environment.

On the Brink: Maryland's Rare, Threatened, and Endangered Species Wednesday, May 27, 1–2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$15 members/\$20 non-members More than 1,200 species have been listed as rare, threatened, or endangered in Maryland. Join MD DNR Education Specialist Kerry Wixted to learn about a few of these rarities and how we can help save them.

The Aronia Berry: America's Native Superfruit! Saturday, June 6, 1–2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$15 members/\$20 non-members Join Andrew Ristvey to learn about the benefits of Aronia, how to grow your own plants, the local industry, where to buy the fruit throughout the year or pick your own, and to sample an Aronia smoothie and/or ice cream.

Invasive Plant Identification and Control

Wednesday, June 10, 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. *Fee: \$25 members/\$35 non-members* Learn to identify common invasive species and how to control them in your landscape. Control methods covered include biological, mechanical, and chemical methods with an emphasis on safety and minimizing the effect of control methods on surrounding plants.

ShoreRivers River-Friendly Yards





Tree Risk Assessment Saturday, July 18, 10 a.m.-noon Fee: Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members This session will cover risk-assessment techniques used to

Chainsaw Safety

Saturday, October 24, 10 a.m.-noon Fee: Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members Learn how to maintain and safely use a chainsaw.

evaluate tree health and potential safety concerns.

cuts. Discover how to properly prune small trees and shrubs

The Climate Challenge

to achieve desired results.

February 26, 1–2:30 p.m.



Terry Bohner and Garrett Dickle of Bartlett Tree in Stevensville, MD, will present this trio of classes.

Arboriculture



STEWARDSHIP Winter Botany: From Buds to Bark Wednesday, January 29, 1–4 p.m. Fee: \$15 members/\$20 non-members Have you ever wondered how to identify

This program is free. In Larvae of the Nearest Stars, poet

Catherine W. Carter offers deeply serious verse that packs profound emotional and spiritual power while encouraging readers to laugh out loud. These guirky, accessible poems bridge and question binaries: human and nonhuman, lyric and narrative, science and magic, river trash and galaxies.

YOUTH

Acorn Academy Nature Preschool

Welcome 2020 with your preschooler at Adkins Arboretum! This series of ten classes is open to children ages 3 to 5. Classes include nature walks, stories, songs, snacks, and an art project to take home. Nature ABCs, 123s, and nursery rhymes are part of the fun. Classes meet on Wednesdays, February 26–April 29, or Thursdays, February 27–April 30, from 10 to 11:15 a.m. Visit adkinsarboretum.org to register.

Fee: \$100 members, \$125 general public; thanks to a generous grant from the PNC Foundation, fees are waived for residents of Caroline County.

HOMESCHOOL PROGRAMS

Animals of the Arboretum (ages 6-8) Thursdays, March 5-April 23, 1-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$110 members/\$135 non-members (\$10 sibling discount) Foxes and rabbits and frogs, oh, my! Budding scientists will explore the Arboretum's wetland, forest, stream, and meadow habitats to study native animals of Maryland. From squirrels to skinks and frogs to fritillaries, this eight-week program

will use a hands-on approach to develop key scientific skills, including observation, experimentation, and documentation. Advance registration is required.



Fee: \$15 members/\$20 non-members There's a lot of hype about climate change—this program seeks to deliver the science. Join environmental educator and naturalist Jenny Houghton to gain a basic understanding of how and why our climate is changing and what we can do to respond and adapt.

For more information or to register, visit adkinsarboretum.org or call 410-634-2847.

Wildlife Mythbusters (ages 9–12)

Thursdays, March 5–April 23, 1–2:30 p.m. Fee: \$110 members/\$135 non-members (\$10 sibling discount) Do opossums really hang by their tails? Are daddy longlegs unable to inject venom because their mouths are too small? Can female goats grow a beard? In this science-based homeschool program, students will separate fact from common fiction in their understanding of the animal world, gaining insight through hands-on exploration of the habitats where animals live. Advance registration is required.

Summer Nature Camps

For the past fourteen years, Adkins Arboretum's Summer Nature Camps have given children the opportunity to enjoy their precious summer the old-fashioned way—outdoors! Campers will make new friends and lifelong memories while exploring the Arboretum's woodland, meadow, stream, and wetland habitats. From grazing on blackberries to splashing in the Blockston Branch, the Arboretum's Summer Nature Camps provide children with a truly enchanted experience.

Camp descriptions and registration information will be available online by March 1. Space is limited, and advance registration is required. Sign up your young adventurer to grow with the Arboretum.

Camp Bumblebee (ages 2–3): June 22–26, 10–11:30 a.m. Camp Pollywog (ages 4–6): June 29–July 3, 10 a.m.–noon Camp Paw Paw (ages 7–9): July 6–10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Camp Egret (ages 10–12): July 13–17, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. Camp Turtle (ages 4–6): July 20–24, 10 a.m.–noon

ARTS & CRAFTING

Nature Photography for Beginners

Every second Wednesday, 2-4 p.m. Fee: \$10 members/\$15 non-members Join Kellen McCluskey, self-taught photographer and Adkins staff image creator, in a workshop-format class to review basic principles of camera settings and learn how to compose the images you've always wanted to make.

Floraging

Friday, April 24, 1–2:30 p.m. Friday, July 17, 10–11:30 a.m. Sunday, September 13, 1–2:30 p.m. *Fee: \$15 members/\$20 non-members per class*

Learn how floral designer and Chesapeake Blooms owner Samantha McCall creates her stunningly beautiful and environmentally friendly floral designs. The program will emphasize sustainable practices, the use of branches, twigs, and chicken wire as armatures, and floraging.

BOTANICAL ART PROGRAMS Materials lists will be provided

Open Botanical Art Studio with Lee D'Zmura

Second Fridays, January–August, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Fee: \$25 members/\$30 non-members per session Participants will receive individual instruction and critiques and learn about a new concept, technique, or plant species. Based upon that topic, a project that will be due and discussed at the following month's workshop will be assigned.

WALKS

Dog Walks

First Thursdays, 10–11 a.m., Second Saturdays, 10–11 a.m. *Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members* Join fellow dog walkers to explore the Arboretum's paths with your furry friend.

Nature's Interconnections: Spring Ephemerals Sunday, April 19, 1–2:30 p.m.

Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members Spring at Adkins Arboretum offers a dazzling diversity of flowers that emerge and are gone in the blink of an eye. Join Arboretum docent and Maryland Master Naturalist Margan **Glover** to look for early spring's botanical treasures.

Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members Join a docent naturalist to discover the Arboretum's rich and forests, meadows, a wetland, rain and pollinator gardens, the Native Plant Nursery, and the children's garden. Tours begin at the Visitor's Center and last approximately one hour.

First Sundays, 1–3 p.m.

Sunday, June 14, 1–2 p.m. This program is free. A river-friendly yard mimics the natural environment to benefit water quality, native species, and the local ecosystem. ShoreRivers Program Manager Darran White Tilghman will discuss river-friendly yard practices, resources, and ShoreRivers' rebate program.

Butterflies Workshop

Friday March 6, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Fee: \$65 members/\$80 non-members This program taught by **Anna Harding** introduces the techniques used to document a butterfly. Each participant will draft a detailed drawing of a butterfly and complete the colored pencil study on Mylar film. Prerequisite: Colored Pencil II.

Pen and Ink

Fridays, March 27 and April 3, 10 a.m.-2p.m. *Fee: \$105 members/\$130 non-members*

If art media options feel overwhelming, you'll enjoy learning the basics of pen and ink for botanicals in this two-session class with Kelly Sverduk. Instruction will focus on techniques to render detail and texture on subjects from craggy bark to delicate new leaves and buds.

Illustrated Phenology Wheel

Fridays, May 15 and 22, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. *Fee: \$105 members/\$130 non-members* A phenology wheel is a circular calendar used to record observations of the natural world. This workshop with Kelly **Sverduk** will walk students through illustrating a complete sample wheel and then setting up a fresh one to complete over the months ahead.

Summer Wreath

Friday, June 5, 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Fee: \$65 members/\$80 non-members Paint a decorative watercolor wreath featuring some of the Arboretum's early summer foliage. This workshop with Kelly Sverduk will cover some watercolor basics, so it is suitable for both new students and those with more experience.

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Save the date!

PLANTS, PUPS, AND PINTS BENEFIT Saturday, July 11, 4–6 p.m.

SHORE SHAKESPEARE Saturday, August 29, 4–6 p.m. Sunday, August 30, 2–4 p.m.

FALL OPEN HOUSE & NATIVE PLANT SALE Friday and Saturday, September 11 & 12, 10 a.m.–4 p.m. Sunday, September 13, noon-4 p.m.

BEER GARDEN Saturday, September 26

FAIRYFEST Saturday, October 10, 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

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Registration is limited to 10.

Bird Migration Walk

Saturday, April 25, 8–10 a.m. *Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members* Join Wayne Bell to look for birds in the Arboretum's forest and meadows.

First Saturday Walks @ 10 a.m.

unique native plant habitats. Explore mature and young native

Nature Sketchers

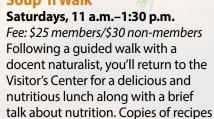
Saturday, June 27, 10 a.m.-noon Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members This special walk is part of an area-wide commemoration of the end of slavery in the U.S. The Arboretum's native landscapes provide a context for exploring this period of history, implications of which still resonate today. As we walk, we'll reflect on nature's challenges—and opportunities—that faced freedom seekers who followed the Underground Railroad north.

Summer Wildlife Walk

Flight to Freedom Walk

Sunday, June 28, 1–2:30 p.m. *Free for members/free with \$5 admission* for non-members During the summer months, life's pace picks up at the Arboretum. Join docent and Maryland Master Naturalist Margan Glover to explore habitats and locate the denizens that keep the Arboretum humming. Look for blooming flowers in the wetland, Jack-in-the-pulpit in the woods, butterflies, dragonflies, and more. All ages are welcome.





GARDEN GLOW AT LADEW TOPIARY GARDENS Saturday, October 17, 3–11 p.m.

VOLUNTEER DINNER Thursday, October 29

MEMBER APPRECIATION DAY Sunday, November 8

WREATH SALE Saturday, December 5

A LONGWOOD CHRISTMAS Monday, December 14, noon–9 p.m.



Free for members/free with \$5 admission for non-members Led by fine artist and Maryland Master Naturalist Diane **DuBois Mullaly**, this monthly nature walk along the Arboretum trails allows stops for sketching in graphite, ink, or watercolor. Each walk will focus on what's in bloom, budding, or of interest along the paths.

Food Lab Forest Walk

Sunday, May 31, 1–2:30 p.m. Fee: \$15 members/\$20 non-members Join the ethnobotanical research team from the Eastern Shore Food Lab at Washington College for a guided tree walk exploring historical foodways and future food resources. Discover how a permaculture approach toward plant functions supports ecological stewardship and food security.

are provided. All gift shop purchases are 20% off on Soup 'n Walk days.

Saturday, February 15 Winter Greens & Distinctive Bark

Saturday, March 21 Early Blooms, Songbirds, & Spring Frogs Saturday, April 18

WALKS

Spring Ephemerals & Pollinators Saturday, May 9 Tuckahoe Creek,

Beavers, & Beyond