Bird Migration Walks
Saturday, May 6; September 9; 9–10 a.m.
Join Wylene Rufolo to look for birds in the Arboretum’s forest and meadows.

Shore Shakespeare Company presents
A Midsummer Night’s Dream
Friday-Sunday, June 2–4

Fall Night Out at the Nursery
Friday, September 8; 2–7 p.m.

Open House at the Nursery
Saturday, September 9; 10 a.m.–4 p.m.
Sunday, September 10; noon–4 p.m.

Another Kind of Magic
Saturday, September 23

Fairy Festival
Saturday, October 14

Fall ‘Celebrating Natives’ Garden Tour
Saturday, November 4

Holiday Open House & Wreath Sale
Saturday, December 2

Candlelit Caroling Celebration
Saturday, December 9

Earl-Morning Walks
Dog Walks

Bird Chronicles
on view
through January 29

2017 Juried Art Show, Discovering the Native Landscape of Maryland’s Eastern Shore, will be on view through March 31. Now in its eighteenth year, this annual show draws extraneous artists from the Mid-Atlantic region and beyond. This year’s juror, Katherine Yourkavitch, PhD, Director of the Kohl Gallery and Lecturer in Art History at Washington College, will discuss her choices for the show at a reception Saturday, February 11 from 2 to 5 p.m.

The magic of momentary effects of light and atmosphere permeate Mark Muse’s exquisite landscape photographs that shot in Maryland, West Virginia, and Pennsylvania. For Muse, who lives in Shepherdstown, West Virginia, photography can escape for going out into nature and becoming immersed in its beauty. On April 4 through June 2, in an exhibition of the Native Garden, works by Katherine Markoski, Ph.D., and Kevin Garber, "The Magic of Momentary Effects of Light and Atmosphere,” will be on view.

Katherine Markoski’s choices for the show are loosely sketched mono prints in archival pigment print and the soaring sweep of tree trunks, the intricacy of billowing leaves and grasses, and the vigor and fragility of bare branches spreading through the sky. There will be a reception to meet the artist on Saturday, April 22 from 2 to 5 p.m.

Mark Muse’s exquisite landscape photographs on view beginning April 4

Nature as Muse
9–11 a.m.

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Cercis canadensis

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Mark Muse, Arrangement for Nature as Muse, 13" x 20", watercolor, archival pigment

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Visit adkinsarboretum.org for full program descriptions and registration links.
Viva Italia! 
NATIVE TABLE RUFFLE 
An Italian Alfresco Feast

This season’s Native Table ruffle features the feasts of Italy in honor of the Arboretum setting of your choice. Why not along the woodland paths? Antiquated on the waterfront bridge? Bovino benal Catering will be provided by Piazza Italian Market of Easton, specializing in fresh, premium, uniquely Italian food.

Camps have given children the opportunity to enjoy their summer nature activities and learn new things. For more information on our Summer Nature Camps, please visit adkinsarboretum.org.

Acorn Academy Nature Preschool Workshops will include an introduction to IDing your native plants to the kids. On Arbor Day 5K, parents have a chance to show their support for the Arboretum by completing a painting to take home at the end of the night. Design your own butterfly or insect that will be used to document a preserved butterfly or insect project. A list of iPhone apps will be emailed to you prior to the workshop.

Dr. Nancy Andrus, gleaned from her interview of Karen Ellenbecker for her book “How to Build a House to Live in Forever: A Book for Women of Any Age,” reveals the surprising insights she gained from her interview of local architect Sarah Lyle.

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