

Local Area Events

Friday, May 18th

Ogunquit Shakespeare Festival

7:30pm *A Midsummer Night's Dream* Film presented by The Royal Shakespeare Company.

The Ogunquit Performing Arts will present a Shakespeare Festival. All events will be held at the Dunaway Center, 23 School Street, Ogunquit, Maine. This will be an opportunity for adults and children of all ages to learn about and enjoy the works of William Shakespeare. "A Taste of Shakespeare" admission is \$12.00 adults, \$5.00 students. All other events are free.

Old Port Culinary Walking Tour

10:30am. Tour guides will take you to several Old Port venues where you will have an opportunity to sample delectable, Maine-inspired foods and obtain a behind-the-scenes look at those who craft these culinary delights. Along the way, you will learn about the colorful local history unique to the "Port City." As you sample the fare at the various stops, our tour guides and proprietors will reveal the history behind their industry, the uniquely Maine products that are used and a little hint or two as to why they are simply award-winning year after year! Tickets are \$43; tour is 2-2 ½ hours long. Starting at the Old Port Wine Shop, 223 Commercial Street, Portland. FMI 207-233-7485.

Things We do for Love

8 p.m.-*Things We Do For Love* is British playwright Alan Ayckbourn's comic examination of the unrequited love triangle — complete with tears of laughter. A farce in every sense of the word, this regional premiere promises to have you rolling in the aisles and asking yourself "what are the things we do for love?" For tickets, call (603) 433-4793.

Kennebunk Self Guided Tours

Did you know that in 1963, Kennebunk became the first town in Maine to establish a historic district? Examples of Colonial, Federal, Greek Revival, Italianate, Queen Anne and Colonial Revival styles are featured. You can purchase a map for a self-guided tour at The Brick Store Museum (\$4.95) the tour covers less than a mile on sidewalks and flat terrain. 117 Main St., Kennebunk, FMI 985-4802.

Edgar Degas: The Private Impressionist

This will be the first comprehensive exhibition at the Museum devoted to the 19th-century French master Edgar Degas and his works on paper. Comprised of more than 70 drawings, prints, pastels, and photographs as well as several sculptures, the exhibition will provide an insightful exploration of the oeuvre of one of the most skilled and complex artists in art history. In addition to masterworks by Degas, the exhibition will include a select group of rare works on paper by artists of his circle, including captivating works by Mary Cassatt, Paul Cézanne, Jean-Auguste Dominique Ingres, and Henri de Toulouse-Lautrec. Located at the Portland Museum of Art, Seven Congress Square, Portland. FMI 775-6148

Strawbery Banke Museum

10am-5pm. Visitors to Strawberry Banke have the opportunity to experience and imagine how people lived and worked in this typical American neighborhood throughout four centuries of history. Through its restored houses, its featured exhibits, its historic landscapes and gardens, and its interpretive programs, Strawberry Banke tells the stories of the many generations who settled in the Portsmouth, NH, community from the late 17th to the mid-20th century. Located at 14 Hancock St, Portsmouth. FMI 603-433-1100

Saturday, May 19th

Annual Spring Festival and Plant Sale

Enjoy the warming weather by attending our family-friendly Spring Celebration at Wolfe's Neck Farm. We invite local farms and other organizations to participate in our celebration and provide activities, crafts, games, and demonstrations. In past years, activities have included seed planting, felting, a scavenger hunt, nature weaving, crafts, and more. The Spring Celebration offers food, music, education and fun! The Spring Celebration costs \$5 per person or \$20 for a family, with a 50% discount for members. Please call Eric Tadlock, Director of Education for more info at (207) 865-4469 x106. Event typically is from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Wells Reserve Eco-Day

Discover eco-friendly ways to connect to a healthy future at EcoDay, a sustainable planet fair being held at the Wells Reserve at Laudholm on May 19 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. EcoDay offers exhibits, activities, and workshops designed to educate, engage, and entertain people of all ages. Admission is \$4, with kids under 12 free, and proceeds benefit Laudholm Trust in support of the Wells National Estuarine Research Reserve. For more info call (207) 646-4521.

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Things we do for love

See Friday for details. Showtime is at 8pm

Kennebunk Self Guided Tours

See Friday for details.

Cap'n Simeon's Store & Other Stories

See Friday for details. Showtime is at 4pm & 8pm.

Edgar Degas: The Private Impressionist

See Friday for details.

Ogunquit Shakespeare Festival

Transport yourself back into Elizabethan Times for a FREE afternoon of Shakespearean Events 2-4pm

Join Ogunquit Performing Arts for an afternoon of events, Meet actors, poets, scholars and musicians. Costumes are encouraged.

Sunday, May 20th

Cap'n Simeon's Store & Other Stories

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Old Port Culinary Walking Tour

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Marie Antoinette: The Color of Flesh

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Edgar Degas: The Private Impressionist

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Kennebunk Self Guided Tours

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Things we do for love

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Monday, May 21st

Strawbery Banke Museum

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Kennebunk Self Guided Tours

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Tuesday, May 22nd

Strawbery Banke Museum

See Monday for details.

Kennebunk Self Guided Tours

See Friday for details.

Wednesday, May 23rd

Bingo!

Doors open at 5pm, Games begin at 6pm. Located at the Wells/Ogunquit Senior center, Wells.

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Kennebunk Self Guided Tours

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Marie Antoinette: The Color of Flesh

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Thursday, May 24th

Feile Irish Restaurant and Pub

Trivia Night starting at 7:00pm.

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