

WEDNESDAY

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FEB. 21

CLASSICAL CONNECTIONS, our early presidents, for home-schooling families, 11 a.m. Feb. 21, Clark Pleasant library, 530 Tracy Road, Suite 250, New Whiteland, 535-6206

THURSDAY
FEB. 22

DAUGHTER OF THE REGIMENT, excerpts performed by the Indianapolis Opera Ensemble, 7 p.m. Feb. 22, Pulliam Great Hall, Indianapolis Museum of Art, 4000 Michigan Road, Indianapolis, free, 923-1331, ima-art.org

PIZZA AND A BOOK DISCUSSION, "Stand Tall," for Grades 4 to 6, 6 p.m. Feb. 22, Clark Pleasant library, 530 Tracy Road, Suite 250, New Whiteland, 535-6206

FRIDAY
FEB. 23

CHRIS CAGLE, 8 p.m. Feb. 23, 8 Seconds Saloon, 111 N. Lynhurst Drive, Indianapolis, \$19 to \$28, www.ticketmaster.com

SATURDAY
FEB. 24

EXHIBIT: Maria Magdalena Campos-Pons: Everything Is Separated by Water, 3 p.m. Feb. 24, Indianapolis Museum of Art, Special Exhibitions Gallery, 4000 Michigan Road, Indianapolis, members free, \$12 public

GUSTER, 8 p.m. Feb. 24, Murat Centre, 502 N. New Jersey St., Indianapolis, \$22.50, 231-0000, www.livenation.com



GEORGE STRAIT, 7:30 p.m. Feb. 22, Conseco Fieldhouse, 125 S. Pennsylvania St., Indianapolis, www.ticketmaster.com

ADVISORS

GET SMART ABOUT TAXES, presented by John Tatman, master tax adviser, learn about taxes and smart tax planning, 11 a.m. to noon Feb. 23, OASIS South, The Centre, 1675 W. Smith Valley Road, Suite B3, Greenwood, Donna Grider, 888-8577

THE NEW INDIANAPOLIS AIRPORT, the new airport will feature a new passenger terminal, concourse, parking garage, airfield improvements, learn how the airport will benefit the state and all air travelers worldwide, 1 to 2 p.m. Feb. 23, OASIS South, The Centre, 1675 W. Smith Valley Road, Suite B3, Greenwood, Donna Grider, 888-8577

SQUARE DANCING, Franklin Squares Square Dance Club, 1 to 2:30 p.m. first and third Wednesday of each month, Franklin Senior Center, 160 E. Adams St., Franklin, \$3, 736-3696

DIY CRAFTS

SOUTHSIDE A.M. SEWING GROUP OF THE AMERICAN SEWING GUILD, 10 a.m. third Wednesday of the month, Christ United Methodist Church, Stop 12 Road and U.S. 31, Indianapolis, 535-2580

KNITTING GROUP, crocheting and knitting, 1 p.m. every Wednesday, BoPeep Fiber Shop, 176 W. Main St., Greenwood, 535-4484

QUILT, KNIT OR CROCHET, 1 to 3 p.m. Wednesdays, meeting room, Baxter YMCA, 7900 Shelby St., Indianapolis, members only, 881-9347

GREENWOOD NIGHT STITCHERS, Arms Building at Greenwood Village South, 295 Village Lane, Greenwood, 882-7471

JEWELRY DESIGN SOCIAL, bring along your own beads and tools, receive 20 percent off purchases of beads and supplies the night of the social, snacks and drinks provided, 7:30 to 11 p.m., Feb. 2, Feb. 16, March 2 and March 16, Timeless Designs, 103 N. State Road 135, Trafalgar, \$6, 878-7890

Extra

For more events, activities near your home or miles away.

MUSIC

COFFEE HOUSE CONCERT, live entertainment, open microphone and karaoke, 7 p.m. Feb. 16, Franklin Christian Fellowship Church, 2112 Early Lane Drive, Franklin

BRENT BENNETT & THE MOVERS, 9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Feb. 16, Ironhorse Roadhouse, 1061 U.S. 421 North, Greensburg

BX3, featuring Stu Hamm, Billy Sheenan and Jeff Berlin, 9 p.m. Feb. 17, Music Mill, 3720 E. 82nd St., Indianapolis, \$18, 841-1850, www.musicmillvenue.com

MEN OF GOD SING PRAISE, featuring Luke Austin Daugherty and Tim Hof, 3 to 5 p.m. Feb. 18, Gospel House Coffeehouse, 345 N. Kitley Ave., Indianapolis, 357-8596

BUCKWHEAT ZYDECO, 8:30 p.m. Feb. 18, Music Mill, 3720 E. 82nd St., Indianapolis, \$15 advance, \$17 day of show, 841-1850, www.musicmillvenue.com

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CHRIS BOTTI, 8 p.m. Feb. 22, Murat Centre, 502 N. New Jersey St., Indianapolis, \$42.50 and \$47.50, 231-0000, www.livenation.com

CHRIS CAGLE, 8 p.m. Feb. 23, 8 Seconds Saloon, 111 N. Lynhurst Drive, Indianapolis, \$19 to \$28, www.ticketmaster.com

CARBON LEAF, 9 p.m. Feb. 23, Music Mill, 3720 E. 82nd St., Indianapolis, \$15, 841-1850, www.musicmillvenue.com

LUKE AUSTIN DAUGHERTY, 8 to 10 p.m. Feb. 24, Higher Ground Café, 116th Street and Olio Road, Fishers, www.highergroundsonline.com

GUSTER, 8 p.m. Feb. 24, Murat Centre, 502 N. New Jersey St., Indianapolis, \$22.50, 231-0000, www.livenation.com

SPECIAL EVENTS

ART AND SOUL, celebration of African-American art and artists, Indianapolis Artsgarden, above the intersection of Washington and Illinois streets, free, www.indyarts.org, 631-3301

Griot Drum Ensemble, West and South African drumming and storytelling, 12:15 p.m. Feb. 15

Allen Imagery, spoken word artist from Shared Spaces/Shared Voices/IndyGo public art project, 1 p.m. Feb. 17

Global Dancers, high-energy Nigerian dance performed by children, 1:30 p.m. Feb. 17

Kevin "Flash" Ferrell and Friends, contemporary vocalist sings jazz and pop with quartet, 12:15 p.m. Feb. 20

ORI, five-piece fusion band with steel drums and sax performs island songs and jazz tunes, 12:15 p.m. Feb. 21

Clifford Ratliff Quintet, five-piece jazz

quintet performs Indiana Avenue classic jazz, 12:15 p.m. Feb. 23

Nyama Dance Company, drummers and dancers perform a variety of West African dance, 1 p.m. Feb. 24

A.P. Spaulding, spoken word artist, 2 p.m. Feb. 25

Gregg Bacon & Friends, contemporary jazz saxophonist performs original tunes, pop and jazz hits, 12:15 p.m. Feb. 27

CHOCOLATE BOUTIQUE, one-day spiritual retreat open to the public, 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. March 3, Mount Pleasant Christian Church women's ministry, 381 N. Bluff Road, Greenwood, \$35, includes a box lunch with chocolate fountains and several take-home gifts, registration required by Feb. 21, www.mount.org

CLASSES

DIVORCE CARE, video seminar featuring leading experts on divorce and recovery subjects, participants will spend time as a support group discussing what was presented in the videos, 6:30 to 8 p.m. Feb. 21 to May 9, Mount Pleasant Christian Church, 381 N. Bluff Road, Greenwood, \$15 per person, child care available for nominal fee, Penny Clayton, 881-6727, Ext. 238

FAMILY TO FAMILY, 12-week education program focuses on schizophrenia, bipolar disorder and major depression, emphasizes the clinical treatment of these illnesses and teaches knowledge and skills family members need when faced with the problems of a mental illness, 7 p.m. March 6, Mount Pleasant Christian Church, 381 N. Bluff Road, Greenwood, free, 767-7653

COMPUTERS

BEGINNING EBAY: HOW TO SELL, for teens and adults, 10 a.m. Feb. 15, White River library, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood, 885-1330

WORD PROCESSING: THE BASICS, for teens and adults, 10 a.m. Feb. 19, Franklin library, 401 State St., 738-2833

INTERMEDIATE INTERNET, for teens and adults, 10:30 a.m. Feb. 20, White River library, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood, 885-1330

INTERNET: THE BASICS, for teens and adults, 6 p.m. Feb. 26, Franklin library, 401 State St., 738-2833

E-MAIL: THE BASICS, for teens and adults, 10:30 a.m. Feb. 27, White River library, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood, 885-1330

INTERMEDIATE INTERNET, for teens and adults, 10 a.m. Feb. 28, Franklin library, 401 State St., 738-2833

BEGINNING COMPUTERS, for teens and adults, 10 a.m. March 5, Franklin library, 401 State St., 738-2833

WORD PROCESSING: THE BASICS, for teens and adults, 10:30 a.m. March 6, White River library, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood, 885-1330

BEGINNING EBAY: HOW TO BUY, for teens and adults, 10 a.m. March

8, White River library, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood, 885-1330

INTERNET: THE BASICS, for teens and adults, 10 a.m. March 12, Franklin library, 401 State St., 738-2833

INTERNET: THE BASICS, for teens and adults, 10:30 a.m. March 13, White River library, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood, 885-1330

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COMPUTER TIPS AND TRICKS, for teens and adults, 10 a.m. March 21, Franklin library, 401 State St., 738-2833

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STORY TIMES

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME, stories, activities, film and crafts for 3- to 6-year-olds, 10 to 11 a.m. Wednesdays, registration required, White River library, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood, 885-1330

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME, stories, activities, film and crafts for 3-year-olds through kindergarten age, 10:30 to 11:15 a.m. Tuesdays and 1:30 to 2:15 p.m. Wednesdays, Franklin library, 401 State St., Franklin, 738-2833

PRESCHOOL STORY TIME, for ages 3 to kindergarten, 11 a.m. Tuesdays, Clark Pleasant library, 530 Tracy Road, Suite 250, New Whiteland, 535-6206

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME, for children age 3 to 5, 9:30 to 10:15 a.m. Wednesdays, puppets, finger-plays and books, Greenwood Public Library, 310 S. Meridian St., Greenwood, 881-1953

WONDERFUL ONES, stories and activities for children 12 to 23 months, 10 to 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays, registration required, White River library, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood, 885-1330

WONDERFUL ONES, stories and activities for children 12 to 23 months, 10 to 10:30 a.m. Thursdays, Franklin library, 401 State St., Franklin, 738-2833

TERRIFIC TWOS, singing, finger-plays and storytelling for 2-year-olds, 9:30 to 10 a.m. and 10:30 to 11 a.m. Mondays and Tuesdays, Greenwood Public Library, 310 S. Meridian St., Greenwood, 881-1953

TERRIFIC TWOS, stories and activities for 2-year-olds, 11 to 11:30 a.m. Thursdays, Franklin library, 401 State St., Franklin, 738-2833

TERRIFIC TWOS, stories and activities for children 2 to 3 years old, 11 to 11:30 a.m. Tuesdays, registration required, White River library, 1664 Library Blvd., Greenwood, 885-1330

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WINE

MALLOW RUN WINERY, wine sales and tasting, noon to 6 p.m. daily, 6964 W. Whiteland Road, Bargersville, 422-1556

OLIVER WINERY, Indiana's oldest and largest winery, free tasting, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday; noon to 6 p.m. Sunday; weekend tours every half-hour, noon to 4:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday; 1 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Sunday, 8024 N. State Road 37, Bloomington, (812) 876-5800 or (800) 25-TASTE

CHATEAU THOMAS WINERY, wine sales and complimentary tasting daily, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday; noon to 7 p.m. Sunday, 6291

Cambridge Way, Plainfield, 837-WINE

EASLEY WINERY, sales and tasting, free wine tasting every day, free tours on weekends, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday, noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, 205 N. College Ave., Indianapolis, 636-4516

DEANO'S VINO RESTAURANT AND WINE BAR, beer tasting at 6 p.m. Tuesdays, wine tasting at 6 p.m. Wednesdays, 1112 Shelby St., Indianapolis, \$5 per tasting, 423-3154

SIMMONS WINERY, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 8111 E. County Road 450N, Columbus, (812) 546-0091

AUDITIONS

MUNCHKIN AUDITIONS, for Beef and Boards' "The Wizard of Oz" performances from May 17 to July 1, auditions by appointment only at Performer's Edge School of Dance in Carmel, make an appointment online at www.beefandboards.com, deadline to make audition appointment is 5 p.m. March 1; must be at least 8 years old as of May 2007 and less than 55 inches in height, boys and girls should have a song prepared and a current photo

OUR TOWN PLAYERS, will conduct auditions for "Dangerous Obsession," two men and a woman needed, will be asked to read from a script and use a British accent, production crew openings for light designer and lightboard operator, auditions 7 to 9 p.m. March 4 and 5, Franklin Cultural Arts & Recreation Center, 396 Branigan Blvd., performance dates April 20 to 29, www.ourtownplayers.net, Kathy Stokes, 371-1694, kstokes@earthlink.net