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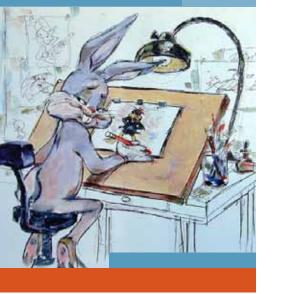
700 W. RIO SALADO PARKWAY, TEMPE, ARIZONA 85281

# Feb. 26-June 18, 2010

The Life and Art of Chuck Jones Chuck Amuck: A Legacy of Laughter

#### GALLERY

During the Golden Age of animation Jones helped bring to life many of Warner Bros. most famous characters—Bugs Bunny, Daffy Duck, Elmer Fudd and Porky Pig. Enjoy a behind-the-scenes look at Jones' films and characters, which include Road Runner, Wile E. Coyote and Pepe le Pew.



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# March 3, 2010

# **Songwriters' Showcase**

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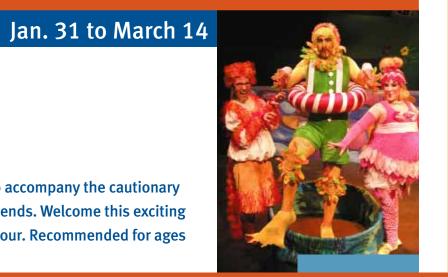
Relive Tempe's music heyday as selected performers from the TCA's Walk-in Wednesdays Open Mic series join a regional headliner for a night of original music with a professional back-up band. The show will be taped for television.

# **Childsplay presents**

Peter & the Wolf

STUDIO

Prokovief's musical themes get a shiny new spin to accompany the cautionary folk tale of Peter, his grandfather and his animal friends. Welcome this exciting new production home after a triumphant national tour. Recommended for ages three and older.



**Open Mic** 



Take in spectacular views, shake off the stress of the week and enjoy music by emerging songwriters at Walk-in Wednesdays, the Valley's most unique showcase for emerging songwriters. All musicians are welcome.

# WALK-IN WEDNESDAYS

### **OPEN MIC WITH WALT RICHARDSON**

#### 7-11 p.m., Wednesdays through February



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#### PUBLIC PERFORMANCES

## GALLERY@ TCA

#### **Chuck Jones Film Event** Through Feb. 6, Gallery

Craig Kausen, grandson of famous illustrator Chuck Jones and representative of the Chuck Jones Center for Creativity, will introduce short films created by the famous illustrator and share personal stories about his grandfather.

#### **Chuck Jones Creativity Festival** Feb. 27, Gallery, Sculpture Garden

Family Creativity Day features free hands-on art projects for children.

#### FACES Through Feb. 6, Gallery

A wide range of artistic and scientific approaches to exploring faces is on display.

#### **Studio in the Gallery** Cynthia Peterson, Jan. 9 Bob Martin, Feb. 6

Meet local artists and watch as they create their artwork.

#### **Business 201 for Artists** Jan. 20 & Feb. 17, 201 Lounge

Join professionals for informative discussions dedicated to professional development practices for visual and performing artists.

Jan. 20 - Copyright Law for Artists Feb. 17 - Marketing and Managing Your Art Career

#### www.tempe.gov/tca/Gallery

## **TCA Tickets & Showtimes**

Online: http://www.tempe.gov/tca Box Office: 480-350-2TCA (2822) 700 W. Rio Salado Parkway Tempe, AZ 85281

## CHILDSPLAY

Peter and the Wolf Jan. 31 to March 14, Studio

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## **TEMPE SYMPHONY** ORCHESTRA

#### Feb. 22, Theater

Violinist Katie Mclin joins the Tempe Symphony orchestra for its annual winter concert. This is a free event; no tickets are necessary. No reserved seating. Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis on the night of the concert.

#### www.tempe.gov/arts/events/TSO

## **TEMPE LITTLE THEATRE**

Sweet Charity March 19-April 4

Little Miss Charity is the girl who wants something so much, that she has lost sight of who she truly is, and it costs her. Charity makes her way through several changes and chances at romance, but does she find love? Don't miss this colorful, somewhat dark and fascinating musical comedy with memorable musical numbers: "Big Spender," "If My Friends Could See Me Now."

#### www.tempelittletheatre.org

Box Office Hours 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Monday - Friday

Noon - 5 p.m., Saturday & Sunday Performance days - Open: earliest of noon or two hours prior to curtain. Close: the later of 5 p.m. or after intermission of the last show.

## **ARIZONA WIND SYMPHONY**

Jan. 13, Theater

This concert will feature recording artist Joe Burgstaller in four pieces by Rafael Mendez, Hummel and Vivaldi, plus three movements of The Mass by Bernstein and more.

#### March 3, Theater

A selection of best-loved American strains highlight this crowd-pleasing concert including "An American Fanfare" by Hal Leonard, "Missouri Shindig" by H.O. Reed and Clare Grundman's "Prairiesong."

www.arizonawindsymphony.org

## **TEMPE SYMPHONIC WIND** ENSEMBLE

#### **Contemporary Classics** March 8, Theater

This evening of music, written for the concert band, will include selections that are recognized as significant works. Pieces by Shostakovich, Reed, Persichetti, and Nelson will be featured.

#### **High School Band Festival** March 9, Theater

Four of Arizona's finest high school bands will perform in concert, followed by a performance by the Tempe Symphonic Wind Ensemble. These gifted young musicians will present outstanding performances not to be missed.

#### www.tswe.org

#### Dates and shows are subject to change.

Accessibility - The Tempe Center for the Arts provides a variety of accessible services and accommodations. Call 480-350-2883 to make arrangements in advance.

## LAKESHORE JAZZ@TCA

#### The Bob Ravenscroft Trio lan, 15, Studio

The trio performs a tribute to jazz pianist Bill Evans. Bob Ravenscroft currently performs in concerts internationally and throughout the United States. Accompanying are Dwight Kilian on bass and Rob Moore on drums.

#### Mose Allison Trio Feb. 26. Lakeside

Living Legend Mose Allison performs a fusion of rustic blues and jazz, embellished with profound and often humorous lyrics. Among those who have covered his songs are: John Mayall, The Who, The Clash, Eric Clapton, Elvis Costello and Bonnie Raitt.

#### The Eliane Elias Ouartet March 26, Theater

World renowned pianist, singer, songwriter Eliane Elias is known for her distinctive and immediately recognizable musical style which blends her Brazilian roots, her sensuous, alluring voice with her impressive instrumental jazz, classical and compositional skills.

#### www.lakeshoreproducers.com

### NOVABALLET

#### **Cedar Lake Contemporary Ballet** Feb. 19-20. Theater

Novaballet presents the Phoenix premiere of New York's critically-acclaimed Cedar Lake Contemporary Ballet. Cedar Lake offers a thrilling dance adventure where daring, athletic movement integrates ballet with contemporary and popular styles.

novaballet.com/CedarLake.html

Enjoy a free cup of coffee and join Friends of TCA for free, indoor concerts. Limited seating. Tickets are available at the door.

> Laurie Fagen an. 19, Lakeside

Martino on piano.

The ASU voice students of Anne Kopta perform with faculty artist Robert Mills.

Stroll through music history as original works of Mozart, Rossini and more are performed by this harmoniemusik ensemble.



Tempe Public Library 3500 S. Rural Road

Youth Library The Books of Chuck lones Through June 18

Second Floor Gallery Annual Pyle Senior Art Exhibition Through March 1

**Connections Café** TBA - Jan. 29-May 12





## Winter '10

## **Performance with a View**

The local jazz vocalist performs with Todd

ASU students, faculty Feb. 16, Lakeside

**Mill Ave Chamber Players** March 16. Lakeside

www.friendsoftca.org • 480-350-2884

#### More to experience

**AZDANCE GROUP: CHRISTMAS DANCE CONCERT** Jan. 8, Studio

FRED ASTAIRE MS BENEFIT PERFORMANCE lan. 23

> **AARON MCGLOIN DANCE: ALIVE** lan. 28-30

**TEMPE/AHWATUKEE YOUNG LIFE:** "A NITE ON BROADWAY" March 6

**CREATION DANCE CHAMPIONSHIPS** March 20



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#### **ART AROUND THE CITY**

**Edna Vihel Activity Center** 3340 S. Rural Road **ART 6 Tempe Union High School District** March 12-May 20

U.S. Post Office 500 S. Mill Ave. TBA - March 5-July 14 Cups, Bowls and Plates Through March 3

Information www.tempe.gov/arts/exhibitions