



Mission Statement: It is the mission of the Bay Area Friends of the Fine Arts, Inc. (BAFFA) to bring music and fine arts to the students and residents of Long Island. Through our Symphony Orchestra, Chorus and Art Gallery, we welcome all members of the community to participate.

Not To Be Missed

Beautiful music, artists at their work, and lovely gardens. Put them all together and you have “A Little Garden Music”. Whether it be in the joy of a song, the creation of an artistic endeavor, or the appreciation of horticultural wizardry, you’re sure to be inspired by what’s in store on Saturday, June 19, 2010.

Once again this year, BAFFA will produce this event in conjunction with the Sayville Garden Club. Seven private gardens—some belonging to garden club members—will be opened to the public. Six of the gardens are in Sayville and one is in Bayport.

The tour begins at 10 AM at the Gillette House located at 47 Gillette Avenue in Sayville. Exchange your pre-purchased ticket on the day of the tour for the self-directed tour guide. Admission tickets at \$20 per person are now available in Sayville at Coming Home to Country, and in Bayport at Bayport Flower Houses, Inc., Country Junque, Daisy Garden, and Denise’s East End Bloomers. Tour guides may also be purchased on the day of the event. Other highlights of the tour include a raffle of beautifully wrapped and packaged theme baskets, an artists’ exhibit, plant sale, and free refreshments. The gardens as well as the artists’ exhibit at the BAFFA Gillette House Gallery will be open until 3 PM. “A Little Garden Music” has been said by former tour-goers to be **“one of the best garden tours on Long Island.”** We’re sure you’ll agree.

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BAFFA ART GALLERY

Located in the Gillette House, 47 Gillette Avenue, Sayville, NY 11782

The BAFFA Gallery is pleased to host

The National League of American Pen Women—Suffolk Branch

Exhibit Dates: June 5, 6, 12 and 13 from 12 to 4

June 13* Poetry Reading at 2 PM



Artists In The Gardens

An exhibit of the works of the artists who will be featured on the garden tour.

Exhibit Dates: June 19*: Gallery open 10 AM to 3 PM

June 20: 1 to 4 PM

June 22, 24, and 25 10:30 AM to 1 PM

* denotes artists' receptions — refreshments served

Connetquot Artist Captures Two Awards at Student Invitational Juried Show

The BAFFA Board extends its thanks to the art teachers and students from the 9 local high schools who submitted art work for 2010 Juried Show. The eighty two pieces of work on display represented 18 various categories and was proudly viewed by the students, family members, teachers and the public at the Artists' Reception held at the Gillette House Gallery on Sunday, April 25, 2010.

Rachel Deangelis, a senior at Connetquot High School, captured Best in Show as well as the Jacqueline Carling Palmer Award with her mixed media painting, "Ophelia". The Palmer Award, donated by the family in memory of former board member Jackie Palmer, is a monetary gift given to a graduating senior applicant who excels in art. Rachel intends to pursue a fine arts degree at SUNY Purchase.

Judges awarded ribbons for their 1st, 2nd, 3rd and Honorable Mention selections in the various medium to the talented artists from Connetquot, Bayport Blue Point, Bellport, Brentwood, Longwood, Patchogue-Medford, Sachem-East Campus, Sayville, and William Floyd High Schools.

Orchestra and Chorus Conductors Plan an Interactive Concert Program Especially For Children and Their Families

Join us for an afternoon of fun with music as on Sunday, June 6th, the Bay Area Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Dr. Richard Wright, and the Bay Area Chorus under the direction of Martha Campanile combine to present our June Pops Concert at 3 PM at the Bayport-Blue Point High School Auditorium. **This program is specifically planned for children, parents and grandparents** as our conductors have planned an “interactive” program which includes a play and a sing along with the talented musicians in both the orchestra and chorus.

...children will have the opportunity to play along with the Bay Area Symphony Orchestra

The first 50 children who arrive with a stuffed animal will receive chimes. They will rehearse and have the opportunity to play along with the Bay Area Symphony Orchestra during a portion of this concert program.

Children will also be introduced to the instruments of a symphony orchestra at the “**Instrument Petting Zoo**” where they may hear the sounds and

.....visit the “Instrument Petting Zoo” to see and hear the various instruments of the orchestra

names of the various instruments as well as learn where to look for them on the concert stage. Refreshments will be served following the concert. Admission is free, but as always, your donations are gratefully appreciated. Please refer to the flyer insert for more information regarding the concert program. Remember to bring your stuffed animal if you'd like to be a part of the Bay Area Symphony Orchestra at this event.

About Our Concert Journals

Concert Journals are given to our audiences at each of our Symphony and Choral Concerts. Board member Ann Eden heads up the journal committee and prepares the booklet for printing. Inside the journal you will find ads from business owners as well as sentiments of support from members—both of whom are the backbone of the Bay Area Friends of the Fine Arts, Inc., a not-for-profit organization known as BAFFA.

Through small grants, fundraising events and funds gathered through our journal sponsors, BAFFA is able to support a community symphony orchestra and chorus, each with a conductor, as well as the Gallery where artists of all ages are welcome to exhibit their works. We are so proud that we have been able to continue to bring music and art to our area for the past 42 years! We know that it's only through your consistent support that we will be able to continue this tradition.

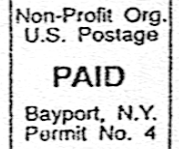
Ad renewal forms will soon be mailed to all present advertisers. Our sincere thanks to them for their continued support and also a reminder to shoppers to please patronize our advertisers.

If you would like to become a journal advertiser, please complete the enclosed form and return it to the BAFFA office along with your tax-deductible payment. Thank you for supporting area events as well as your local cultural organization.

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Special Event News

Garden Sitters/Hostesses Needed for Tour

Many of our members enjoy sitting in one of our gardens or assisting at the Gillette Gallery for about an hour on the day of the garden tour.

Sitters also enjoy the benefit of a half-price tour ticket and still have the time needed to see all of the gardens on the tour.

If you would like to be a garden-sitter, please call the office at 631-589-7343 before June 1st On Tuesday, Thursday or Friday between 10:30 and 1 PM



Sayville Garden Club and the Bay Area Friends of the Fine Arts

2010 Garden Tour

"A Little Garden Music"



7 Local Gardens
with **Live Musical Entertainment**
and **Artists In Each Garden**



Saturday, June 19, 2010

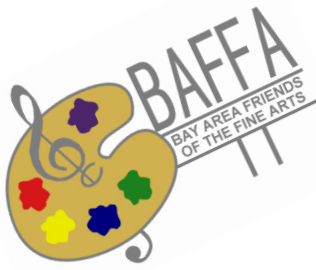
10 to 3 Rain or Shine

Start: Gillette House, 47 Gillette Ave. Sayville
Artists' Exhibit * Plant Sale
Raffle Prizes * Free Refreshments

Admission \$20

Tickets: In Sayville at *Coming Home to Country*
Or in Bayport at *Bayport Flower Houses,*
Country Junque, Daisy Garden,
Denise's East End Bloomers
Info at BAFFA 631-589-7343





Symphony Orchestra and Chorus



Present

“Music for Children and Family”

The purpose of this concert is to entertain and educate the child in us all

Bay Area Chorus

Disney's Beauty and the Beast
The Little Mermaid
Pinocchio and many more favorites



Bay Area Symphony Orchestra

Music of Bizet, Copland, Joplin, Sousa, Anderson, Gliere
Introduction to Instruments of the Bay Area Symphony Orchestra

The first 50 children with stuffed animals receive chimes and will rehearse and play along with the Bay Area Symphony Orchestra

Admission Free – Donations Accepted



June 6th, 2010 - 3:00pm
Bayport - Blue Point High School
Snedecor Ave. - Bayport, NY



This concert is made possible, in part, by a grant from New York State, thanks to Senator Brian X. Foley, through the Office of Parks, Recreation and Historical Preservation.
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A Not-For-Profit Organization which Provides Local Cultural Activities and Events

WHERE ARE WE LOCATED? --- **Gillette House**
47 Gillette Avenue
Sayville, N.Y. 11782

WHAT DO WE DO? --- **Sponsor the Bay Area Symphony Orchestra, the Bay Area Chorus and Exhibits at the Gillette House BAFFA Art Gallery**

HOW CAN YOU HELP? --- **Purchase an advertisement in our yearly journal which is distributed at all events.**

HOW MUCH IS IT? --- **The cost is based on ad size.**

CHECK SIZE OF AD (approximate sizes)	_____ 1/8 page...	\$40.00	(business card size)
	_____ 1/4 page...	\$60.00	(2"x6") or (3 3/4" x 3 1/2")
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	_____ Full page...	\$145.00	(7 1/2" x 6")

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