

KeyCalendar

April 21

The Sarasota Ballet's Spring Finale Festival will open at 8 p.m. at FSU's Center for Performing Arts. The program will include two world premieres, Javier Dubrocq's "Triptych" and Robert de Warren's "Episodes," and the return of de Warren's "Bolero." Tickets start at \$15. For more information, call 351-8000.

April 22 - 23

The Sarasota Sports Foundation will host the 2nd Annual Celebrity Tennis Classic. The tournament includes a player's party, celebrity pro exhibition and an island barbeque beginning at 5 p.m. Saturday at the Island Tennis Center. For more information, call 927-0559.

April 23

Celebrate Mother Earth and Oscar Scherer State Park's 50th Birthday at 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Park entry fees are waived for the entire day. There will be lots to do: take a guided nature walk, fish or canoe in South Creek, (rentals are available, but come early to secure one), hike or bike one of the beautiful trails in the Park and much more. At 12:30 p.m. at the Nature Center, the Friends of Oscar Scherer Park will kick off the Park's fiftieth anniversary year. 1843 South Tamiami Trail. Call 483-5956.

The Alliance for Lupus Research will hold Walk With Us to Cure Lupus. The 5K walk starts at 10 a.m. at Siesta Key Beach in Sarasota. Walker check-in starts at 9 a.m. Call (866) 925-5257 or visit www.lupusresearch.org.

April 24

The Republican Club of Longboat Key is holding its 3rd Annual luncheon at 11:30 a.m. at the Harbourside Dining Room at the Longboat Key Club. The honoree will be Katherine Harris. Rolls, fruits, and vegetables as well as coffee and tea will be served.

April 26

The 29th Annual Meeting of Friends of the Selby Public Library will be held at 4 p.m. in the Jack J. Goldbart Auditorium. The meeting is open to the public. President Beth Bloechl will introduce guest speaker Lori White, associate superintendent of schools in Sarasota County. For information, call 861-1140 or 365-5228.

The Ringling School of Art and Design will hold an art lecture on "Collectors and Collecting" at 9:45 a.m. The lecture will be presented by Daphne Lange Rosenzweig, a faculty member in the Liberal Arts Department at Ringling School of Art and Design and an accredited appraiser of Asian and Islamic Art. Rosenzweig will talk about the art of collecting including inheritance, purchasing, preservation, valuation and researching collections. The lecture is free for Library Association members and \$10 for non-members. For more information, call 925-1343.

April 27

A fundraiser for the Mote Marine Laboratory Research Library will be held at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., at 1600 Ken Thompson Parkway, 3rd floor, Buchanan Room. Sarasota pilot turned mystery author Ward Larsen shares: "A Writer's View from 35,000 Feet." Larsen's talk will cover his experiences as a fighter pilot in Desert Storm, aspiring writer of a Middle East suspense novel, and now a published writer. Tickets are available at Circle Books (St. Armand's Circle); Longboat Library and Mote library for \$10. For reservations, call 388-4441, ext. 333, or e-mail: library@mote.org.

SaBra Hadassah will feature Kate Brown who will present "Organize It" at the next meeting at 2 p.m. in the Jewish Federation building. Brown will explain how to organize our lives and deal with items such as the sometimes overwhelming issue of paper. Refreshments will be served. For more information, call 359-9401.

April 28

The Sarasota Writers Connection will present "How to Self-Publish and Market a Bestseller" at 7 p.m. at the Fruitville Public Library. Admission is free. Call 861-2500.

Chavurah Ner Tamid will hold its commemoration of Yom HaShoah, Holocaust Remembrance Day, at 7 p.m. at the Lakeside Clubhouse in Bradenton. The service will be led by the chavurah's Rosh Chodesh study group, with a special Oneg following the program. For more information, call 755-1231.

Dean Johannesen and Anson Mitchell from The Human Condition will be performing at Mickey's in Sarasota from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. There is no cover charge and all ages are welcome. For more information, call 365-4430.

April 29

Ward Larsen will be signing copies of his book "Perfect Assassin" at 1 p.m. at Circle Books (see April 27).

May 7

A local fundraiser to benefit 4-year-old Sarasota girl will be held from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., and proceeds will help pay for cochlear implant and surgery to help the preschooler learn to hear just in time for kindergarten. The local fundraising event will feature the jazz music composed by Ear Surgeon Herbert Silverstein, MD, and other local musicians. Event includes complimentary wine tasting and hors d'oeuvres provided by Fred's Restaurant, 1917 Osprey Ave.

May 8

The festival film "A Father With His Twenty-Five Children," will be shown at 5 p.m. at the Players Theatre at 838 N. Tamiami Trail in Sarasota. This is a modern Chinese film and includes an optional Chinese buffet dinner in the Players Theatre lobby. An audience discussion led by Dr. Carolyn Bloomer will take place after the films. Bloomer is a cultural anthropologist specializing in modern Chinese culture and a professor at the Ringling School of Art and Design. Tickets are \$6 for adults and \$4 for students. The buffet is an additional \$8. Package discounts for both films and the buffet are available. Call 365-2494 between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. on weekdays and 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. on Saturdays.

May 12 - June 18

The play String of Pearls opens at the Asolo Theatre

at 8 p.m. String of Pearls traces the journey of a literal string of pearls from the 1960s to the present. The opening night performance is followed by a complimentary champagne and "mingle with the stars" reception. Ticket prices are from \$29 to \$33, with special discounts for students and groups of 10 or more. Call 351-8000 or toll-free at 800-361-8388, or order online at www.asolo.org.

May 12

Putting for the Poochies is the title of the 14th Annual Pat Lonsdale Invitational Golf Tournament to benefit the Humane Society of Sarasota County. The popular event will kick off at 6:30 p.m. with the rollicking "Party with Pat" at Bird Key Yacht Club. Golfers and other partygoers will enjoy drinks, a sumptuous full-course meal, dancing, live and silent auctions and more. Saturday, May 13, golfers will tee off at the exclusive Longboat Key Club, followed by an awards party back at the clubhouse. Tickets are \$200 per golfer, which includes two tickets to "Party with Pat." Call 955-4131, ext. 101 for more information.

May 13

Many free musical events will be featured on two stages along the Bayside at the Van Wezel Performing Arts Hall at Efest from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Featured musicians and bands include StitchCraft, Ideal and The Cultural Revolution, Tanya Radtke, Radio-Free Carmela and the Transmitters and Big Night Out. Visit www.efest.us.

KeyCrossword

On the Move

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ACROSS

- 1 Work hard
- 5 Gog and ___
- 10 Silkworm state
- 15 Stimulate
- 19 Where to see Mauna Kea
- 20 Convex molding
- 21 "A Woman Called ___": 1982 movie
- 22 Garden need
- 23 Pickler's plant
- 24 He wrote "The Cloister and the Hearth"
- 25 Actress Deborah, of "Dynasty"
- 26 "The Thin Man" scene-stealer
- 27 1960s dancer
- 29 Habitual drunkard
- 31 Aggressive person
- 33 Chimney dirt
- 34 ___ Ababa
- 36 Odets' "Awake and ___"
- 37 Humble
- 40 Self-centered people
- 42 Strung up
- 46 Pisces-Taurus intermediary
- 47 Expression of displeasure
- 48 Highest note of Guido's gamut
- 50 Hungarian composer Franz
- 51 Peddle
- 52 Well ___ is half done
- 53 Available wealth
- 55 "___ Time Next Year"
- 56 Boat or house lead-in
- 57 French legislature
- 58 More mawkish
- 60 Hawaiian acacia tree
- 61 Leave in a helpless position
- 63 Lawful
- 65 Exceed
- 67 Root ___
- 69 Fully gratified
- 71 California valley
- 72 Divide the spoils
- 76 Ueberroth or Ustinov
- 78 Freebie, often
- 82 Actor Vigoda
- 83 Circumscribed
- 85 Word before cash or larceny
- 87 Bulgarian coin
- 88 Wampum
- 90 Quart's cousin
- 91 Medieval merchant guild
- 92 I ___ at the office
- 93 Son of Phares: Luke 3:33

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Answers on Page 5B

- 95 Dance like Ann Miller
- 96 Bill of fare
- 97 Antisocial one
- 98 Man has five
- 100 Sharp, swift retort
- 102 Occupancy contracts
- 103 Pitfall, perhaps
- 105 He wrote "The Three Musketeers"
- 106 Loom or apparent lead-in
- 107 Railroad handcars
- 111 Joplin composition
- 112 Examines thoroughly
- 116 Nepal's continent
- 117 ___ lazuli
- 119 Fragrance, in London
- 121 African river
- 122 Suet
- 123 French school
- 124 Came up
- 125 Dickens's Little ___
- 126 Affected
- 127 Discouragement
- 128 Classified, as blood
- 129 Strong, low cart

DOWN

- 1 Rug or dance
- 2 Floor covering, in Coventry
- 3 Designer Cassini
- 4 Deteriorate
- 5 Crested helmet
- 6 Turn aside
- 7 It's reached on a TD
- 8 "___ Devil Moon"
- 9 Suffers defeat
- 10 West Indian pea trees
- 11 Create a lawn
- 12 Dross of metal
- 13 Ta-ta, in Tijuana
- 14 Border
- 15 ___ up must come down
- 16 Innkeeper
- 17 Italian noble family
- 18 Lacerate
- 28 Long-haired antelopes
- 30 Chief Norse god
- 32 Carbon compound
- 34 Grizzily rodents
- 35 "... and a star to ___ her by": Masefield
- 37 Confederate president
- 38 Upright
- 39 Clementine's father
- 40 Potential energy
- 41 Jargon
- 43 Grenadiers' headdress
- 44 Ireland's De Valera
- 45 Overpowering fear
- 47 Swamp
- 49 Negatively charged atom
- 52 Plague
- 53 Sacred song
- 54 Herod's name for Samaria
- 57 Clever
- 58 Quoted
- 59 Reward or punish
- 62 Legal org.
- 64 Wild, foolish action
- 66 Sweet potato
- 68 Send in payment
- 70 Leaves
- 72 Stares in wonder
- 73 Corpulent
- 74 "Youma" author
- 75 Hindu guitar
- 77 French income
- 79 Architect's drawings
- 80 River embankment

- 81 Tinker to ___ to Chance
- 84 Lukewarm
- 86 "The Hollow Men" initials
- 89 Date, in high school
- 91 Makes an attempt
- 92 Circumambulate
- 94 Griffin, of TV
- 96 Stuporous state
- 97 Hawaiian garlands
- 99 "___ off in a wooden shoe"
- 101 Ship's officer
- 102 Glanced slyly
- 104 "Peyton ___"
- 106 Guard or mad follower
- 107 Festive occasion
- 108 Eskers
- 109 Malicious gossip
- 110 Recognize
- 112 Sticky substance
- 113 Change direction
- 114 Eugene O'Neill's mother
- 115 Depend
- 118 One of many in the Seine
- 120 Parched