

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Where To Go, What To Do Near You

- Rodgers & Hammerstein's *The King & I*, Jan. 3-14** — Tony winner for Best Musical Revival with *Whistle a Happy Tune*, is at the *Buell*. Information: 303-893-4100.
- National Western Parade, Jan. 4** — A cattle drive with horses, cowboys, floats and bands starts at *Union Station* and runs down 17th St. at 12 p.m. Information: 303-892-1505.
- The Whiffenpoofs, Jan. 6** — The oldest and best-known collegiate a cappella group sing hits, Yale songs at *Gates Concert Hall* at 2 and 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-871-7720.
- National Western Stock Show & Rodeo, Jan. 6-21** — Richest rodeo and horse show plus huge trade show at *National Western Complex*. Information: 303-893-1505.
- Rumors, Jan. 6-Feb. 3** — A fast and funny farce by America's reigning laugh-meister Neil Simon plays the *John Hand Theater* in Lowry. Information: 720-530-4596.
- Red, through Jan. 7** — Play looks at the links between an artist and his creation at *Aurora's Vintage Theatre* on weekends 7:30, Sun. 2:30 p.m. Information: 303-856-7830.
- Lana Del Rey, Jan. 7** — The singer-songwriter's *LA to the Moon* tour with guests Jhene Aiko & Kali Uchis comes to the *Pepsi Center*, 8 p.m. Information: 303-405-1100.
- International Sportsman's Expo, Jan. 11-14** — *Convention Center* fishing, hunting and outdoor show has fly-fishing and wilderness camp. Information: 800-454-6100.
- Orchid Showcase, Jan. 11-Feb. 19** — View hundreds of colorful and rare orchid blooms in *Botanic Garden's Orangery* and *Marnie's Pavilion*. Information: 720-865-3500.
- Lady Day At Emerson's Bar & Grill, Jan. 12-Feb. 18** — Mary Louise Lee plays legendary Billie Holiday Fri.-Mon. at the *Vintage Theatre*. Information: 303-856-7830.
- Sangre Colorado, Jan. 12-March 24** — See over 100 works spanning 40 years by Denver's Carlos Fresquez at *MSU's Center for Visual Arts*. Information: 303-294-5207.
- Think Italy, Jan. 13** — *Italian Institute* is hosting a free travel planning seminar 10-11:30 a.m. No walk-ins please. RSVP 24 hours prior. Information: 303-733-4335.
- Tim Allen, Jan. 13** — The Golden Globe Award-winning actor-comedian is on stage in the *Bellico Theatre* at the *Convention Center*, 7 p.m. Information: 888-929-7839.
- Tribute To Arthur Fiedler & The Boston Pops, Jan. 13** — Classics and popular hits by the *Colorado Symphony* at *Boettcher Hall*, 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-623-7876.
- Her Paris, through Jan. 14** — *Denver Art Museum* shows work by women artists in Paris 1850-1900. See more than 80 paintings by 37 artists. Information: 720-865-5000.
- Martin Luther King Parade, Jan. 15** — Nation's largest march starts at *City Park* at 9:30 a.m. and marches to *Civic Center Park* for rally. Information: 720-471-1329.
- Buckaroo Breakfast, Jan. 20** — Grandparents' day at the *Children's Museum*. Guests enjoy a cowboy breakfast and wild-west activities. Information: 303-433-7444.
- The River Arkansas, Jan. 23** — Band sound of Mike Clark plays country, blues, folk and Americana at *History Colorado's Hart Center*, 7 p.m. Information: 303-447-8679.
- Banditos, Jan. 23** — The Birmingham-Nashville group, more of a gang, brings soul, doo-wop and backwoods bluegrass, to the *Larimer Lounge*, 8 p.m. Information: 303-291-1007.
- Spectrum Dance Theater, Jan. 26** — Dancers Julie Briskman and Donald Byrd perform *A Rap on Race* at *Gates Concert Hall*, 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-871-7720.
- Denver Winter Brew Fest, Jan. 26-27** — Celebrate craft beverages from around Colorado and beyond at *Mile High Station*, 7-10 p.m. Information: www.denverbrewfest.com/winter.
- American Mariachi, Jan. 26-Feb. 25** — See a heartwarming story about music's power to heal with live mariachi music at the *Stage Theatre*. Information: 303-893-4100.
- Peter Himmelman, Jan. 27** — Singer-songwriter and film-television composer entertains at *Temple Emanuel's* annual fundraiser, 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-388-4013.
- This Might Be a Form of Dreaming, Jan. 29** — The *Playground Ensemble & Voices of Light* at *Regis' Claver Recital Hall*, 7:30 p.m. Information: 720-641-2414.
- Josh Ritter, Jan. 29** — Named one of the 100 greatest living songwriters he brings his Americana style to the *Ogden Theater* on Colfax, 8 p.m. Information: 303-832-1874.
- John Denver Tribute, Feb. 3** — Relive John Denver's music by the *John Adams Band* and John Fielder photos at *Newman Center*, 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-871-7720.
- A Night With Janis Joplin, Feb. 3** — Musical show celebrates the singer and her biggest influences at the *Paramount Theater*, 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-623-0106.
- Denver Jewish Film Festival, Feb. 7-19** — See edgy, contemporary and historic Jewish-Israeli films in *JCC's* elegant *Elaine Wolf Theatre*. Information: 303-399-2660.
- Keigwin + Company, Feb. 8** — Dance company gives an all-composer Leonard Bernstein show at the *Lakewood Cultural Center*, 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-987-7845.
- Chinese New Year's Party, Feb. 9** — Enjoy food, drinks, music and night market at *Nathan Yip Foundation* benefit in *McNichols Bldg.*, 6 p.m. Information: 303-817-8400.
- Pink Tie Affair, Feb. 9** — Event with silent and live auction, dinner and dancing to benefit breast cancer survivors at *Mile High Station*, 6 p.m. Information: 303-744-2088.
- Artma, Feb. 10** — Annual art auction and fundraising extravaganza to benefit the *Morgan Adams Foundation* at historic *Evans School*, 6 p.m. Information: 303-758-2130.
- Hearts & Hope Gala, Feb. 10** — Dinner, live entertainment and dancing benefit for adult cancer survivors at the *Four Seasons Hotel*, 5 p.m. Information: 303-424-0313.
- Dakota Blonde, Feb. 11** — *Swallow Hill's Valentine Gala* with Mary Huckins, Don Pinnella and Tony Raddell at *Swallow Hill's Daniels Hall*, 7 p.m. Information: 303-777-1003.
- Degas: A Passion For Perfection, Feb. 11-May 20** — *Denver Art Museum* profiles French artist's work with focus on opera and dance. Information: 303-892-1505.
- International Guitar Night, Feb. 17** — Guitar luminaries play solos, duets, quartets in 18th international tour at *Swallow Hill's Daniels Hall*, 8 p.m. Information: 303-777-1003.
- Jorma Kaukonen, Feb. 19** — Founding member of *Jefferson Airplane* and still touring *Hot Tuna* brings new songs to the *L2 Church*, 8 p.m. Information: 303-777-1003.
- Jesse Manley Band, Feb. 20** — The six-piece band's folk music of the Dust Bowl era entertains at *History Colorado's Hart Center*, 7 p.m. Information: 303-447-8679.
- Antonio Sanchez & Birdman, Feb. 22** — Composer and jazz drummer Sanchez accompanies the Oscar film at *Gates Concert Hall*, 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-871-7720.
- An Evening In Verona, Feb. 22** — A *Romeo & Juliet* gala with an Italian dinner and dancing to benefit *Colorado Ballet* in the *Ellie*, 6 p.m. Information: 303-339-1618.
- Voices & Winds, Feb. 23** — *St. Martin's Chamber Choir* and the *Colorado Wind Ensemble* team up for a concert at *Montview Presbyterian Church*, 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-298-1970.
- The Great Leap, Feb. 23-March 4** — Personal pressures and history collide in Beijing basketball drama playing at the *Ricketson Theatre*. Information: 303-892-4100.
- Beaux Arts Bollywood Ball, Feb. 24** — Annual gala to benefit *National Jewish Health* at the *Hyatt Regency* (Convention Center), 6 p.m. Information: 303-728-6546.
- Colorado Garden & Home Show, Feb. 24-March 4** — The state's oldest-largest garden marketplace has 1,400 booths at *Convention Center*. Information: 303-932-8100.
- Maria Schneider Orchestra, Feb. 27** — The 17-member jazz-classical winning ensemble plays at the *Lakewood Cultural Center*, 7:30 p.m. Information: 303-897-7845.
- Banff Mountain Film Festival World Tour, March 2-4** — See set of action and adventure films from fest at the *Paramount Theatre*, 7 p.m. Information: 303-623-0106.
- First Date, through April 22** — Play about a blind date between newbie Aaron and serial-dater Casey in a NY café at *Garner Galleria Theatre*. Information: 303-893-4100.

Escapes Elsewhere

- Beaver Creek Winter Culinary Weekend, Jan. 18-21** — Work up an appetite snowshoeing in *McCoy Park* then enjoy a gourmet lunch. Information: 970-754-4636.
- Stagecoach Classic, Jan. 20** — Cross country ski race and tour on stagecoach route at *Devil's Thumb Ranch* on County Rd. 83, Tabernash, CO. Information: 800-903-7275.
- X Games, Jan. 25-28** — In its 17th year, see action sports athletes and musical performers at *Buttermilk Mountain* in *Aspen-Snowmass*. Information: 970-925-1940.
- Warren Station's Winter Bluegrass, Feb. 2-3** — Two nights of concerts and mountain culture to benefit *Dercum Center* at Keystone. Information: 970-423-8992.
- Loveland Fire & Ice Festival, Feb. 9-11** — Enjoy live entertainment, ice and fire sculpting with signature fireworks and musical light show. Information: 800-980-4155.