An Exhibition of Orehek’s

Lights ‘n Giggles is a one of a kind art experience showcasing not only the creativity of this Long Island native Uncle-Nephew pair, but also a delightful dichotomy of artistic styles, generational ideals, and social commentary.

Visitors can prepare to have loads of fun with the art on display in each gallery. Clayton uses everyday household items in innovative ways and lets us play with magneto cranks to light up neon and a socially distanced bicycle built for two. Don’s originals give rare insight into the publishing process with iterations and editor notes from magazines like Playboy and Saturday Evening Post...not to mention the perfect injection of vintage humor.

Exhibition Gallery Hours:
- Thursdays | 12PM - 5PM
- Fridays | 2PM - 7PM
- Saturdays | 12PM - 5PM

Opening Reception
Friday 4/1 | 4PM - 7PM

11th Annual Music Masters
Concert April 8

The Great American Songbook

This year’s Music Masters program features ten young East End musicians, directed by Masters Richie Iacona and Madeline Kole. The final Music Masters performance is always an astonishing treat. Show is open to the public!

Friday, April 8, 2022
Doors at 6:00 PM - Concert at 7:00 PM
Hotel Indigo Ballroom
[1830 West Main Street, Rt. 25 Riverhead, NY 11901]

$29 Price Fixe Dinner offered in Bistro 72 for ticket goers! Call 631-369-3325 to make your reservations.

Special thanks to our program sponsors Harlan & Olivia Fischer!
Save $75 when you purchase 3 Full Weeks before April 30th!

To all the artists who generously donated their work to the fundraising auction at the benefit concert on March 27th!

Kids Camp - Camp Superstar! [5yo-10yo]
Weekly, July 5, 2022 through August 26, 2022.
Half-Day and Full-Day options available.

Fine Art Camp [9yo-14yo]
Full-day, one-week camps: July 7, July 25, & August 8, 2022.

Rock that Band Camp [9yo-14yo]
Full-day, one-week camps: July 18, August 1, & August 15, 2022.

Early Drop Off & Aftercare Available!

Spring into Painting

26th Annual Mosaic Festival
Sunday, May 29 | 12PM - 5PM
Our biggest community event of the year is back, and sign ups are open!

Purchase a square

Be a vendor

Sponsor

Volunteer

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Special thanks to Ellen & Logan Kingston, Brian Burke, Diane Van Velsor, Adele Wallach, Lisa Claisse, and Debra Hryvniak for your volunteer efforts!

This event raised $35,000!
STUDENT SPOTLIGHT: ZOFIA GEIGER

A Blooming Frida

Zofia Geiger is a creative, young art student who began her art journey at an early age. She is always attentive to details and good with translating those details on paper. Like her favorite artist, Frida Kahlo, Zofia loves to paint self-portraits and portraits of others. She also loves to dance, swim and experiment with science projects. The children’s art classes at East End Arts & Music School help her to grow as an artist and hone her skills in different mediums. She enjoys her After School Art class with teacher Marta Baumiller most of all. We look forward to seeing her creations!

TEENY AWARDS REPORT
Celebrating Local High School Theatre Talent for 20 years!

April Showtimes

Mount Sinai High School
Thur. 3/31 7:30PM
Fri. 4/17 7:30PM
Sat. 4/2 7:30PM

Bellport High School
Fri. 4/1 7:30PM
Sat. 4/2 7:30PM

Hampton Bays High School
Fri. 4/1 7:00PM
Sat. 4/2 2:00PM
Sun. 4/3 2:00PM

Newfield High School
Fri. 4/1 7:00PM
Sat. 4/2 2:00PM
Sun. 4/3 2:00PM

Riverhead High School
Thurs. 4/7 7:00PM
Fri. 4/8 7:00PM
Sat. 4/9 1:00PM
Sat. 4/9 7:00PM

“The Sound of Music”
Longwood High School
Fri. 4/6 7:00PM
Sat. 4/9 2:00PM
Sat. 4/9 7:00PM

“Matilda”
Shelter Island High School
Thurs. 4/20 7:00PM
Fri. 4/21 8:00PM
Sat. 4/22 8:00PM
Sun. 4/23 3:00PM

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“For your generous donations that improve our music programs!”

Always ready to share her love of creativity with her community, Marta is a wonderful addition to the East End Arts faculty. Originally from Poland and trained as a sculptor, she has been a costume maker, milliner, fashion and lighting designer, and educator. She creates artworks across many media with a focus on project-based installations. Her interest lies in merging the functional object with process, form, and politics. Marta lives and creates her work in a renovated barn on the North Fork of Long Island, surrounded and inspired by nature.

“I encourage students to try new experiments, search for their own paths and artistic solutions. So that they can give free reign to their imaginations, act at their own pace, making independent choices. I have a great interest in technique, skill, and materials but our common search becomes more important than the particular effect of any workshop. As a practicing artist, I am inspired to find radical, innovative ways of sharing my knowledge with students. Although art may at times not seem the most urgent need, it plays a critical role in giving form to our inner experiences, bringing us in contact with something bigger, more beautiful and bringing us hope.”

Check out some of Marta’s classes: Homeschool & After School Art; May, Intro to Printmaking - Linocut; and June, Beginning Drawing Learning to Look Closely.
ARTIST SPOTLIGHT: CLAYTON OREHEK
The Art of Craftsmanship
Riverhead local Clayton Orehek has been specializing in neon and metal craftwork both artistically and commercially for over thirty years. His notable pieces include the ‘Sag Harbor’ Cinema sign (2005, 2017), ‘Neon Butterfly Chairs’ as seen in the Illuminators show (OK Harris Gallery, New York City, 2013), ‘Nikola Tesla’ as seen in the Energy: The Power of Art show (Nassau Museum of Art, 2019), and several public art installations in Grangebel Park (Riverhead, 2018-present). Clayton’s work is inspired by shape, time, and light, with craftsmanship being paramount in his artistic expression. “I believe in being a virtuoso in a craft before I can be fully expressive,” says Clayton, “It’s the only way abstract ideas can be engineered into universal pieces.”

Artist Talk After Dark
with Clayton Orehek
Saturday, April 30
7PM - 9PM
EEA Campus

WE ARE TURNING OFF THE OVERHEAD LIGHTS AND TURNING UP THE SHOW!
- LEARN ABOUT THE EXHIBITION WORKS & THE SECRETS OF WORKING WITH NEON AND METAL
- ENJOY ADDITIONAL ILLUMINATED SCULPTURES FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY
- BE ENTERTAINED WITH AN OUTDOOR SHOW BY EEA ROCK BANDS

PUBLIC SPACES MEMBER ART EXHIBITS

The Dimon Estate
Madeline Daversa
Original and giclée watercolors of North Fork
Visit the 2nd floor during restaurant hours and ask for the "loveseat table" for the best view of art and sunsets.
Now through May

East End Food Market
Patricia Kelly-Derenze
Paintings depicting Ireland & the East End
Visit during Saturday market days
April 9, 16, 23, & 30

Visit EEA Artists & Teachers at the EEA Artist Table each week!

Riverhead Town Hall
Lisa Claisse & Student MLK Portraits
Watercolors & Mixed Media paintings
Visit Lisa’s works in the tax office and the students’ mosaics in the main hall during regular business hours
Now through June

50 YEARS OF EEA: A TRIP DOWN MEMORY LANE

Spring 2011: The First Music Masters Program Commences
The first EEA Music Masters initiative was led by Corky Laing, drummer and songwriter from Mountain and West, Bruce & Laing, in 2011. Corky coached and rehearsed with the group of youth musicians on a weekly basis, preparing them for two public performances at local festivals. He even co-produced their CD recording session. Needless to say, it was a great success and launched a special mentorship program that is now in its tenth year. EEA has been honored by the participation of many Masters, and thanks to the continued sponsorship of the Fischer’s, EEA is able to offer this six week intensive program to local students at no cost. Each program ends with a public performance, like this year’s on April 8, 2022 at Hotel Indigo.