American Music Festival

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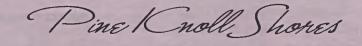
The American Music Festival presents the Zora Quartet, artists in residence at the Jacobs School of Music at Indiana University, on September 24 at 8 p.m. at the History Museum of Carteret County. The 2015 Fischoff Gold Medal winners, this Pan-Asian quartet will feature the Mozart Quartet #15 in D minor, Debussy Quartet in F minor and Turina La Oracion del Torero.

Future concerts will include the Kontras Quartet from Chicago on November 5, Israeli American cellist Amit Peled on January 28, the Horszowski Piano Trio on February 18, and the Jasper Quartet from Temple University on April 22.

Season tickets for all five concerts can be ordered from AMF, PO Box 1099, Beaufort, NC 28516 for \$120. Individual tickets may be purchased at the door for \$30. More information is available at americanmusicfestival.org or by calling 728-6152.

Enjoy timeless musical offerings and big city names at small town prices—and prepare to be inspired.





VISION AND MISSION STATEMENT

Our *vision* is to provide a quality environment in which all residents and visitors are safe and secure, where individual talents flourish and everyone enjoys the natural resources of our area.

It is the *mission* of the Town of Pine Knoll Shores to provide for the safety and well-being of all residents and visitors in an efficient and well-organized manner, and to develop and implement plans for the continuous improvement of the town, its services and its beach, and to encourage the participation of residents in service to the town and community.

Beaufort Historical Association

Michael Nardozzi exhibits in Mattie King Davis Art Gallery

The Mattie King Davis Art Gallery, located at the Beaufort Historic Site at 100 Block Turner Street in Beaufort, featured artist Michael Nardozzi during August, and will continue to do so through September. Self-taught and fueled by a powerful imagination, Mr. Nardozzi explores all art mediums and styles. His work is inspired by his fascination with natural light and the dramatic mood it creates in our everyday world. His paintings cover many art forms, including realism, land and seascapes, still life, fantasy art, impressionism, abstract and contemporary. He explores them all, even creating three-dimensional metal sculptures.

Mr. Nardozzi has teamed up with his wife, Bari, and they can be found collaborating on their latest piece of art at their gallery, The Path, in Salter Path. Visit michaelfineart.com to view examples of their work.

The Nardozzis are both from eastern North Carolina. Thirteen years ago, they moved to Maui, Hawaii, sight unseen, on "their path." While in the islands, their art was embraced by the art community, and then the mainland, and has now been collected both nationally and internationally. Steven Tyler of Aerosmith is a Nardozzi collector.

But, as the saying goes, "Every path leads home." While the Nardozzis continue to live in Hawaii, they can be found in Carteret County every spring and summer enjoying time with their family and friends and working in their art gallery.

The Mattie King Davis Art Gallery is the oldest gallery in Carteret County and exhibits the work of over 100 local and regional artists. Gallery proceeds benefit the ongoing educational and restoration projects at the Beaufort Historic Site. For more information on Mr. Nardozzi's continuing show, call 728-5225, stop by the Mattie King Davis Art Gallery Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., or visit beauforthistoricsite.org.

Community Yard Sale



Pine Knoll Shores Fire Station Saturday, October 1 8 a.m. until noon

Household items only, please

Reservations for a space will be \$10 and can be made by contacting Natalie Gibble at 252-247-2268 or NGibble@ townofpks.com. You may use your own table, or the town will supply one for an additional \$5. The deadline for reservations is Tuesday, September 27. So start cleaning out those closets!!!!