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Theater

THE BOOK CLUB PLAY: See Thursday. Sat, 4/20, 7:30pm. Theatre on the Ridge, 3735 Neal Road, Paradise. tottr.org

GUYS AND DOLLS JR.: See Friday. Sat, 4/20, 2pm. \$10. CUSD Center for the Arts, 1475 East Ave. crtshows.com

SUN 21

Special Events

CHICO CITIZENS' CLIMATE LOBBY MEETING: Non-partisan group of grassroots volunteers. Open for new members. Sun, 4/21, 4pm. Gateway Science Museum, 625 Esplanade. citizensclimatelobby.org

PANCAKES FOR PEACE: The Chico Peace and Justice Center hosts its annual all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast with a silent auction and activities for kids. Call 893-9078 or visit website for more info. Sun, 4/21, 8am. \$6-\$15. CARD Center, 545 Vallombrosa Ave. chicopeace.org

Music

PAT HULL: Stellar tunes for brunch. Sun, 4/21, 11am. Tender Loving Coffee, 365 E. Sixth St.

SETH BRAND LIVE MUSIC: Singer/songwriter from North Carolina joined by wife on percussion for a set of Americana originals. Sun, 4/21, 3pm. Secret Trail Brewing Company, 132 Meyers St., Ste. 120., (314) 640-9888. secrettrailbrewing.com

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TUE 23

Special Events

BUTTE COUNTY JOB FAIR: Meet as many as 50 Butte County employers with open jobs to fill in retail, construction, skilled trades, administrative/executive, medical, hotel/hospitality and more. See website or call 961-5125 for more info. Tue, 4/23, 12pm. Free. Manzanita Place, 2357 Fair St. afwd.org

COMMUNITY CONVERSATION: Butte County Library hosts conversation about how our community can grow. Light refreshments provided. Tue, 4/23, 7pm. Chico Branch Library, 1108 Sherman Ave.

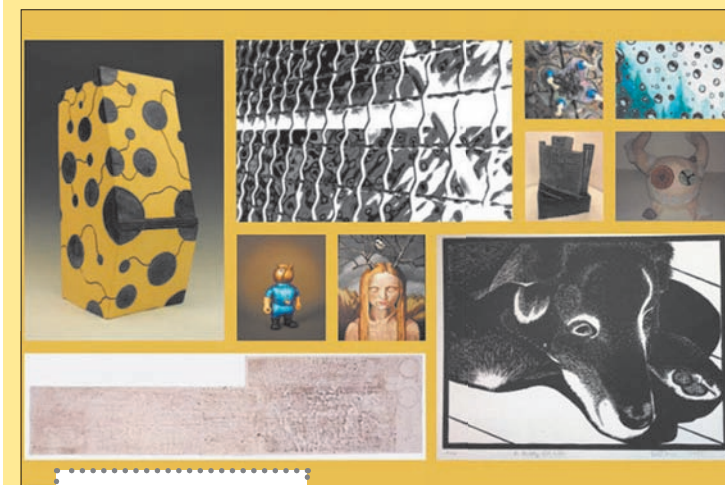
WELCOME TO MEDICARE: This free workshop is designed for "Boomers" and those who will be new to Medicare this year and want to understand how it works. To register call 898-6716. Tue, 4/23, 1pm. Red Bluff Community Center, 1500 S. Jackson St., Red Bluff.

Music

JAZZ II AND CONCERT BAND DOUBLES: Evening will include overtures and marches, big band and swing featuring Bach, Count Basie and more. For info call 898-6333. Tue, 4/23, 7:30pm. Free. Harlen Adams Theatre, Chico State, PAC 144. csuchico.edu

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FINE ARTS



ART EDUCATION SHOW

Shows through May 7
BMU 3rd Floor Gallery

SEE ART

Art

1078 GALLERY: Peter Jodaitis – *The Color of Water If There Were No Sky*, showcase of a life's work, featuring watercolor and drawing. Through 4/21. 1710 Park Ave. 1078gallery.org

BMU 3RD FLOOR GALLERY: *Art Education Show*, 12th annual juried show. Award ceremony Thursday, May 2, 5pm, at Rowland-Taylor Hall, followed by 7pm reception in the gallery. Through 5/7. 400 W. First St.

CHICO ART CENTER: *Creative Fusion*, an exhibition of student artwork selected and prepared by Chico Art teachers. Through 4/26. 450 Orange St. chicoartcenter.com

HEALING ART GALLERY: Beth Bjorklund, oil paintings by Northern California artist. The Enloe Cancer Center gallery features artists whose lives have been touched by cancer. Through 4/19. 265 Cohasset Road, 332-3856.

MAIN EVENT GALLERY: *Views of the West*, gallery member artists and photographers depict ranch life, cowboys, round-ups, animals and the scenic beauty that surrounds the North State. Featured are works by Suzanne Bears, Karen Roy-Crockett, Debbie Carlisi and Clare Jones-Carbonell. Through 5/4. 10 S. Main St., Red Bluff, 391-3259.

ORLAND ART CENTER: *Witty and Wild and Whimsical*, featuring the works of Gary Baugh, Marilyn Jennings, and Paula Busch showcasing a range of techniques including collage and encaustic painting. Through 5/25. 732 Fourth St., Orland. orlandartcenter.com

PROVISIONS GALLERY: *Grand Opening & First Group Art Show*, artwork from local artists. Through 5/9. 122 W. Third St. provisionsgallery.com

VALENE L. SMITH MUSEUM OF ANTHROPOLOGY: *Altar States Spirit Worlds and Transformational Experiences, The Works of Peter Treagan*, interactive tech art complete with 3D glasses and hidden imagery so visitors can participate in the show. Through 5/17. Chico State, 400 W. First St.

Museums

BOLT'S ANTIQUE TOOL MUSEUM: This fascinating, unique museum has over 12,000 hand tools on display, charting cataloging the evolution and history of tools. Closed Sundays. Through 6/15. \$3-\$0. 1650 Broderick St, Oroville.

CHICO CHILDREN'S MUSEUM: Featuring tons of cool stuff for kids to explore including a miniature city, complete with a junior vet clinic, dentist, cafe and farmer's market, a giant fish tank, multi-sensory room, imagination playground and much more. Check website for hours and admission information. Through 8/3. \$7-\$9. 325 Main St. chicochildrensmuseum.org

CHICO CREEK NATURE CENTER: Living Animal Museum & Nature Play Room, learn all about local critters, plants and wildlife. Through 5/25. \$2-\$4. 1968 E. Eighth St. chicorec.com

GATEWAY SCIENCE MUSEUM: *From Here to There*, explore the science of how things move by land, sea and air. Also on display are *The Foothills*, and *America's Wolves: From Tragedy to Inspiration*. Through 5/12. \$5-\$7. Also: Museum Without Walls lecture series, Wednesdays at 7:30pm. This week: "All Creatures Great and Small," by Sarah J. Blackstone. 625 Esplanade. csuchico.edu

MUSEUM OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA ART: *Tend*, Chikoko presents an exploratory multimedia exhibit that utilizes found, broken, burnt and re-purposed items with a focus on textiles to examine the meaning of home. Also, *Trapeze Acrobats*, featuring paintings of acrobats, divers, gymnasts and dancers by Clay Vorhes. Closing event Saturday, May 25, 6-8pm. Through 5/25. 900 Esplanade. monca.org

PATRICK RANCH MUSEUM: Working farm and museum with rotating exhibits open every Saturday and Sunday from 11am to 3pm. Through 5/26. 10381 Midway, Durham. patrickranchmuseum.org

VALENE L. SMITH MUSEUM OF ANTHROPOLOGY: *Remarkable Lives*, exploring the intertwined worlds of birds and humans, in partnership with the Altacal Audubon Society and Snow Goose Festival. Exhibits include bird songs and behaviors, local photography and a robotic recreation of the late Jurassic Archaeopteryx. Through 7/31. 400 W. First St.