

# FESTIVAL OF Women IN THE ARTS

CELEBRATING WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH  
MARCH 2009

## Saturday, February 28

"Festival of Women in the Arts 2009 Gala Opening" at Rural Research Laboratories  
3 p.m.

## Sunday, March 1

"American Women of Music" at Lake Street Presbyterian Church  
3 p.m.



Cantata Singers will offer a concert titled 'American Women of Music'. This program of commissioned works includes a ground-breaking new work by American contemporary composer Carol Barnett. "The World Beloved: A Bluegrass Mass", a work for choir and bluegrass ensemble, was premiered in Minnesota in January of 2007. Our performance will be a regional and possibly New York State premier.

The concert will also include a work commissioned 115 years earlier. "Festival Jubilate" was composed by Amy Beach for the opening of the Women's Building at the World's Columbian Exhibition of 1892.



## Thursday, February 26

"Women Artists Invitational" at Elmira College's George Waters Gallery  
5 - 8 p.m., Feb. 26 - March 12

## Sunday, March 1

"From One to Another: An Interactive Exhibit" at Rural Research Laboratories  
Noon - 4 p.m., Saturdays through March

"Photographs by Elmira College Alumna: Christine Heusner" at Gannett-Tripp Library at Elmira College  
9 a.m. - 9 p.m., Daily through March

"The Cloth of Life" at Steele Memorial Library  
Regular business hours

"Works From Area Women Artists" at Elmira City Hall  
Regular business hours

## Monday, March 2

"Women in the Arts" Exhibit at the CCC Academic and Workforce Development Center, 318 Madison Avenue, Elmira  
8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday - Friday through April 17  
Opening Reception, March 6, 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

## Sunday, March 8

"A Spring Celebration of Women in the Arts - Music and Dance" featuring Crystal Chords, The Women's Chorale of 171 Cedar, Members of Common Time Choral Group, Boogie Woogie Girls, and Mirage Belly Dancers at Cohen Middle School  
2 p.m.

## Wednesday, March 11

"South African Song and Dance Workshop" at Southside High School  
11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

"Cornell University Chorus Festival of Women in the Arts Concert" at Park Church, Elmira  
6 p.m.

## Thursday, March 12

"Livy: The Life and Times of Olivia Clemens" at the Chemung Valley History Museum  
7 p.m.

## Sunday, March 15

"Dear Kathryn, you gave my soul voice" at 171 Cedar Arts Center  
2 p.m.

"Words, Women and Song" at First Congregational United Church of Christ, 171 W. Pulteney St., Corning  
4 p.m.

## Tuesday, March 17

"Celebration of St. Patrick's Day: Irish Songs and Witty Sayings" at Clemens Center's Mandeville Hall  
7:30 p.m., Admission - \$10

## Wednesday, March 18

"Readings by Women Who Write" at Zonta House  
7 p.m.

## Friday, March 20

"Talking With" at Elmira Psychiatric Center Theater  
7:30 p.m., Friday and 2 p.m. on Saturday, March 21

## Wednesday, March 25

"Sage Daughters of the Muses: A Gentle Concord of Poetry and Art" at Arnot Art Museum  
Poetry Reading 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
Art Exhibit through June 27

## Thursday, March 26

"An Evening with the Palmers: Anna Campbell and Georgianna Palmer" at the Chemung Valley History Museum  
7 p.m.

## Saturday, March 28

"Sisters in Sound" at Trinity Episcopal Church, Elmira  
4 p.m.

## Sunday, March 29

"All Female Jam Session" Valley Folk at 254 Baldwin St.  
1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

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