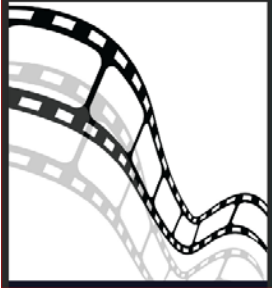


Arts and Letters

In the Spotlight



MOVIES

Local Theater

TYREL (DVD)

TYREL follows Tyler, who joins his friend on a trip to the Catskills for a weekend birthday party with several people he doesn't know. As soon as they get there, it's clear that (1) he's the only black guy, and (2) it's going to be a weekend of heavy drinking. Although Tyler is welcomed, he can't help but feel uneasy in "Whitesville." The combination of all the testosterone and alcohol starts to get out of hand, and Tyler's precarious situation starts to feel like a nightmare.

Local Theater

If Beale Street Could Talk

In early 1970s Harlem, daughter and wife-to-be Tish vividly recalls the passion, respect and trust that have connected her and her artist fiancé Alonzo Hunt, who goes by the nickname Fonny. Friends since childhood, the devoted couple dream of a future together, but their plans are derailed when Fonny is arrested for a crime he did not commit.

Local Theater

Jane and Emma (DVD)

In 1844, after travelling hundreds of miles on foot, a black woman finds friendship with the wife of the founder of the Mormon Church. Two women. One white. The other black. Society mandated they be enemies. The gospel of Jesus Christ required they be friends. On the eve of the death of Joseph Smith, his widow, Emma, is on the brink of destruction. In order to stand with her friend in her darkest hour, one woman, Jane Manning, will need to hear the voice of God once more. Can she hear His voice again? And if so, can she find the strength to abide it?

Morris Museum

Chiefs (2002)

Thursday, January 17, 2019, 7:30PM

Challenged by poverty, alcoholism, racism and youth suicide, Wind River Indian Reservation is hardly an environment conducive to success. But despite all of this or perhaps because of it, basketball is played on the reservation and played very well by the students of Wyoming Indian High School who are trying to convert the pride and success they experience on the court and move ahead with the rest of their lives.



PERFORMING ARTS

NJPAC

Schooltime - Turning 15 on The Road to Freedom

January 17, 2019 10:00am - 12:30pm / January 18, 2019 10:00am - 12:30pm

The true story of Lynda Blackman - one of the youngest participants in the Selma to Montgomery march in 1965 - who fought alongside Martin Luther King, Jr. to secure the right to vote for African Americans. Audiences learn what it took to struggle nonviolently while changing American history.

NJPAC

January 18, 2019

CeCe Winans, Anthony Brown & JJ Hairston: An MLK Weekend Celebration

BROADWAY

Choir Boy (Musical)

Choir Boy centers on the Charles R. Drew Prep School for Boys, which for a half a century has been dedicated to the education of strong, ethical black men. One talented student has been waiting for years to take his rightful place as the leader of the school's legendary gospel choir. But can he make his way through the hallowed halls of this institution if he sings in his own key?

MAYO ARTS

The Havana Cuba All-Stars

February 1, 2019

With rhythms and melodies ranging from the salsa to the cha-cha to the rumba, the Havana Cuba All-Stars showcase a wide variety of Cuban beats. In "Asere," the All-Stars will be backed by some of Cuba's finest dancers in a spirited spectacle of song and dance exemplifying Cuba's greatest musical traditions.

MORRIS COUNTY LIBRARY

Open Mic Night

Thursday, February 7, 2019 | 6 - 8pm

Location: Public Meeting Room Description: For all ages.

Performers, Musicians, Instrumentalists, Singers, Storytellers, Comedians, Poets and all others are welcomed into a supportive and sober environment where they can explore and expand their talents. Walk-ins are welcome, but registration is suggested by email: lross@co.morris.nj.us or phone: 973-285-6948.

EVENTS

NEWARK SYMPHONY HALL

2nd Friday Soul Line Dance Party

January 11, 2019 6pm - 11pm / \$6 before 7pm \$8 after / 21 and older

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LITERARY LOUNGE

