

Columbus events June 11, 2008-June 14, 2008

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Events are listed by start date.

05/15/2008 to 06/13/2008. **Exhibit: Northwest Art Partners** Concourse Gallery, 3600 Tremont Rd., Upper Arlington. Monday-Friday 8 a.m.-5 p.m. Free This juried exhibition brings together the talented artists living in the Greater Columbus Area. Work from the community art leagues of Delaware, Dublin, Upper Arlington and Worthington will be on view in the City of Upper Arlington's Concourse Gallery. 614-583-5311, www.ua-ohio.net

05/30/2008 to 06/14/2008. **Emerald City Players: The Lion in Winter** Emerald City Theater, 6799 Dublin Center Rd., Dublin. Thursday-Saturday 8 p.m. Sunday 2 p.m. \$10-\$12 Treachery, lechery, and traitorous behavior. What family doesn't have its ups and downs? Using smartly written dialogue and comic repartee, this story concerns the interpersonal dynamics and political wrangling of King Henry; his wife Eleanor, whom he has kept imprisoned in a tower for the past ten years; and their three sons, who are vying for the privilege of being named heir to the English throne. Eleanor, who has been let out of prison to celebrate Christmas with her family, favors Richard as heir, while Henry favors John. To complicate matters, the young King Philip II of France has arrived to remind Henry of a treaty he signed many years earlier, promising to marry his heir to Philip's sister Alais. However, Alais has been Henry's mistress for the past seven years, and Henry is hesitant to marry her off to any of his sons. With themes exploring the dysfunctional family, political maneuvering, war and peace, as well as aging, death, inheritance, and posterity, the principle characters plot, scheme, conspire, and counter-plot between each other, with the deep-seated emotional ties between them getting played out in the political arena. 614-470-1525, 614-309-0350, www.emeraldcityplayers.com

06/10/2008 to 06/13/2008. **Columbus Clippers Baseball vs. Syracuse Chiefs** Cooper Stadium, 1155 W. Mound St., Columbus. Tuesday-Thursday 7:05 p.m. Friday 7:25 p.m. 614-462-5250, www.clippersbaseball.com

06/11/2008 to 06/15/2008. **Columbus Jazz Orchestra: Bessie's Barrelhouse Blues** Southern Theatre, 21 E. Main St., Columbus. Wednesday-Saturday 8-10:30 p.m. Sunday 2-4:30 p.m. and 7:30-10 p.m. \$35-\$48 The legend of Bessie Smith oozes with the passion of the blues. With the help of vocalist Miche Braden, the CJO celebrates the "Queen of the Blues" and her undeniable influence on today's musical scene. The orchestra will glance back at the origins of the blues and gaze ahead to music that fuses the past with the present. 614-294-5200, www.jazzartsgroup.org

06/11/2008 to 08/27/2008. **Sounds on the Town Jazz Concert Series** Easton Town Center, 160 Easton Town Center, Columbus. Wednesday 6-9 p.m. Free Easton's concert series features a mix of local, regional, and national jazz performances throughout the summer. 614-416-7000, www.eastontowncenter.com

06/12/2008 to 08/30/2008. **Shadowbox: The Best of Shadowbox 2008** Shadowbox, 164 Easton Town Center, Columbus. Thursday 7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday 7:30 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. \$30. Seniors and students \$20 Only the most-popular-by-audience-demand sketches and songs make it into this all-star line-up for a fast-paced, side-splitting show. 614-265-7625, 614-416-7625, www.shadowboxcabaret.com

06/13/2008 to 06/15/2008. **Juneteenth Celebration** Franklin Park Conservatory, 1777 E. Broad St., Columbus. Friday-Sunday noon-10 p.m. Free This celebration offers fun for the entire family

in celebration of the Emancipation Proclamation, and recognizes the struggle by African Americans for freedom. 614-299-4488, www.juneteenthohio.net

06/13/2008 to 06/15/2008. **Midwest Haunters Convention and Fantasy Show** Greater Columbus Convention Center, 400 N. High St., Columbus. Friday 4-11 p.m. Saturday 8 a.m.-1 a.m. Sunday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Trade show free. Fee of \$89 for adults to attend the convention. The Midwest Haunters Convention is a weekend event planned for haunted attraction producers, actors and home haunters. Our goal is to provide you with educational seminars and workshops with experienced presenters as well as a place to socialize with others in the industry during our fun social activities. Our agenda provides a variety of classes designed to appeal to each of the groups described above. We'll have a vendor trade show (free admission) with product demonstrations and there will also be retailers with items for carry-out. The Midwest Fantasy Show catering to the face and body art industry as well as entertainment groups. This show will run concurrently, have a unique set of seminars, and will share the tradeshow floor with MHC. 614-431-2600, www.midwesthauntersconvention.com

06/13/2008. **Uptown Friday Night** Courthouse Lawn, 233 W. Sixth St., Marysville. Friday 5-9 p.m. A well known regional band will perform. Plus, you'll enjoy the Celebrity Rib Cook Off and other entertainment. Bring your lawn chair and enjoy some old fashion fun. 800-642-0087, www.unioncounty.org

06/14/2008 to 06/15/2008. **Columbus Clippers Baseball vs. Indianapolis Indians** Cooper Stadium, 1155 W. Mound St., Columbus. Saturday 7:05 p.m. Sunday 5:05 p.m. 614-462-5250, www.clippersbaseball.com

06/14/2008. **Columbus Destroyers vs. Grand Rapids** Nationwide Arena, 200 W. Nationwide Blvd., Columbus. Saturday 7 p.m. 614-431-3600, www.columbusdestroyers.com

06/14/2008 to 06/15/2008. **Columbus Rose Festival** Park of Roses, 3923 N. High St., Columbus. Saturday-Sunday 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Free The Columbus Rose Festival celebrates beauty, nature and the environment with a rose show, educational exhibits and workshops on plant care and floral design. The host site, the Park of Roses, contains 11,000 rose bushes, along with specialized herb, perennial and daffodil gardens. 614-645-3300, www.columbusrecparks.com

06/14/2008 to 06/15/2008. **Ohio Sheep Youth Extravaganza** Ohio Expo Center, 717 E. 17th Ave., Columbus. Saturday-Sunday 614-644-3247, www.ohiosheep.org

06/14/2008 to 06/29/2008. **Parade of Homes** Village at Hanna Farms, Reynoldsburg-New Albany Road, Gahanna. Monday-Saturday noon-9 p.m. Sunday noon-6 p.m. Seven wonderfully designed homes will provide ideas and inspiration to visitors as well as an understanding of new technologies and "green" building practices. 614-818-1398, 614-891-0575, www.biahomebuilders.com

06/14/2008. **Short North Semi-Annual Sidewalk Sale** Short North Arts District, North High Street from Goodale Boulevard to Fifth Avenue, Columbus. Saturday 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Free All the shops in the district will be offering sales and discounts that you won't want to miss. 614-228-8050, www.shortnorth.org

Long Running Events

07/26/2007 to 07/31/2008. **Exhibit: Malcolm!** Motorcycle Hall of Fame Museum, 13515 Yarmouth Dr., Pickerington. Open daily 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Adults \$10. Seniors \$8. Children 12-17 \$3. \$25 family rate. Malcolm! honors the legendary career of off-road racing champion, movie star,

motorcycling ambassador, tireless fundraiser and mega-dealer Malcolm Smith. One of the most multi-faceted competitors ever to take to the dirt, Smith wowed fans for over three decades with numerous trips to the victory podium. His racing career included six Baja 1000 victories, four Baja 500 wins, eight gold medals at the International Six Day Trials (ISDT) and a collection of four-wheel victories. However, it was his co-starring role in the 1971 moto movie epic *On Any Sunday* that garnered him the most recognition. Produced by Bruce Brown and Steve McQueen, the movie helped launch America's love affair with dirt biking - and introduced Smith to scores of new fans. Malcolm! is the fourth in a series of Legends exhibits at the Motorcycle Hall of Fame Museum. The exhibit will feature machines and memorabilia from Smith's own collection. Significant motorcycles will include Smith's first race bike, a 1950 Matchless, and the Husqvarna 400 Cross he rode in *On Any Sunday*. Additional bikes include Smith's first-ever motorcycle, a Lambretta 125DL, and the 1967 Husqvarna ISDE 250 he rode to his first ISDT gold medal. Ephemera such as trophies from Smith's Baja 1000 victories, ISDT gear, personal photographs and previously unseen video will illustrate his illustrious career. 614-856-2222, www.motorcyclemuseum.org

10/25/2007 to 03/01/2009. **Exhibit: Spotlight on Milton Caniff** Ohio Historical Center/Ohio Village, 1982 Velma Ave., Columbus. Tuesday-Wednesday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday noon.-5 p.m. Adults \$7. Students \$3. Children 5 and under free. Parking \$4. Milton Caniff, who was born and raised in Ohio and spent his early career years in Columbus, was a seminal cartoonist of the 20th century best known for *Terry and the Pirates* and *Steve Canyon*, popular comic strips from the mid-1930s through the late 1950s. Visitors to the Ohio Historical Center in Columbus can now get to know the man behind the cartoons with *Spotlight on Milton Caniff*, an exhibit which highlights the cartoonist's life during what would have been his centennial year. On display will be artifacts of his childhood and artist's studio from the Ohio Historical Society's and The Ohio State University Cartoon Research Library's collections, including photographs, toys, furniture, an extensive weapons collection, and art supplies. Visitors also can watch Caniff tell his life story through his art as frames from an auto-biographical cartoon are shown on video. 614-297-2300, 800-686-6124, www.ohiohistory.org

12/08/2007 to 12/27/2008. **Walk With a Doc** Highbanks Metro Park or Polaris Fashion Place, 9466 Columbus Pike or 1500 Polaris Pkwy., Columbus. Held most Saturdays at 8:30 a.m. at Highbanks Metro Park. Winter site is Polaris Fashion Place. Free Start your Saturday right. Walk with a Doc is free and open to anyone interested in taking steps for their health. Come alone or bring loved ones, and enjoy a rejuvenating walk in the park. Board-certified cardiologist Dr. David Sabgir, other specialists, and additional healthcare professionals can provide support and answer questions. Among the free activities are: blood pressure checks, healthy snacks, recipes and information to make better lifestyle changes, and opportunities to talk with the docs. The walks are held most Saturdays. Please check WalkWithADoc.org to confirm times and locations. 614-273-8030, walkwithadoc.org

01/04/2008 to 11/14/2008. **Shadowbox: The Lunchbox** Shadowbox, 164 Easton Town Center, Columbus. Friday noon. Doors open at 11:15 a.m. \$10. Seniors and students \$5 Shadowbox kicks the weekend off early with its matinee, *The Lunchbox*. *The Lunchbox* draws on Shadowbox's past productions to present a truly entertaining matinee that features Shadowbox's newest ensemble members. Be sure to come early or pre-order and enjoy Shadowbox's bistro-style menu and full bar prepared and served by the performers before the show. 614-265-7625, 614-416-7625, www.shadowboxcabaret.com

03/12/2008 to 08/21/2008. **Extreme Screen Movie: Sea Monsters 3D: A Prehistoric Adventure Film** COSI Columbus, 333 W. Broad St., Columbus. Sunday noon-6 Wednesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. COSI will be open seven days a week from March 5-30 and May 26-Sept. 1, 2008. \$7.50. \$6 when purchased with a general admission pass. *Sea Monsters* brings to life the extraordinary marine reptiles of the dinosaur age, through revolutionary CGI animation and real paleontological digs from around the globe. The film is a compelling story about

scientists working as detectives to answer questions about this ancient and mysterious ocean world. Watch scientists excavate the remains of some of the most awe-inspiring creatures of all time - unearthing amazing discoveries which shed light on exactly what happened to some of Earth's most incredible sea monsters. 614-228-2674, 888-819-COSI, www.cosi.org

03/22/2008 to 09/07/2008. **Blooms & Butterflies** Franklin Park Conservatory, 1777 E. Broad St., Columbus. Tuesday-Sunday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Wednesday until 8 p.m. Adults \$7.50. Seniors and students \$6. Children \$4. Children under 2 free. To celebrate the 15th anniversary of Blooms & Butterflies, Franklin Park Conservatory will host it's most exotic butterfly experience ever. Thousands of butterflies, consisting of dozens of different species from around the world, will be released in the conservatory's Pacific Island Room. The butterflies, ranging from one-and-a-half inches to 12 inches, hail from such places as North America, Central America, Asia and Africa. In summertime, the outdoor butterfly garden located at the conservatory's entrance will be in full bloom to attract butterfly species native to Ohio. At the Butterfly Discovery Center, visitors of all ages can learn about what it is like to be a butterfly. Newly emerged butterflies are released at 1 and 3 p.m. daily. 614-645-8733, 800-214-TREE, www.fpconservatory.org

04/01/2008 to 12/31/2008. **Exhibit: MotoStars: Celebrities & Motorcycles** Motorcycle Hall of Fame Museum, 13515 Yarmouth Dr., Pickerington. Open daily 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Adults \$10. Seniors \$8. Children 12-17 \$3. \$25 family rate. The exhibit features over 100 stars from screen, sports, music and even the board room. Priceless machines, exclusive memorabilia and tales from celebrities' favorite two wheel adventures are sure to enthrall visitors. 614-856-2222, www.motorcyclemuseum.org

04/17/2008 to 06/28/2008. **Exhibit: Living Red: Are You Feeling Me?** The King Arts Complex, 867 Mt. Vernon Ave., Columbus. Tuesday-Saturday 1-7 p.m. \$0-\$3 Red has an unmistakable, alluring mystery about it. Its boldness draws your emotions and often entices celebration. Come see the color red take form as Women of Visions, Inc. (WOV) presents Living Red: Are you Feelin' Me, an exhibition of striking visual works created by the members of WOV. This exhibition will explore the artists' personal journey, history, and memory of the color red as it relates to African American women artists living and working in America. The work produced will be of a diverse sampling of vivid artistic styles and media including but not limited to painting, drawing, sculpture, photography, ceramics, fiber, and jewelry. Each artist expresses their personal interpretation of how the color red related to them. WOV, founded in 1981, is a Pittsburgh-based visual arts collective of African American women visual artists that share a common interest and passion for their art and history by promoting and educating the community and women artists around the world. This organization mounts collaborative exhibitions with museums, corporations, individuals and arts groups regionally and nationally. They have also published their own exhibition catalogs, posters, publications and are the proud producer of 3 symposiums, and most recently, the Migrations of the African Diaspora Film Series. 614-645-0642, 614-645-KING, www.thekingartscomplex.com

04/25/2008 to 07/25/2008. **Exhibit: Capture the Moment: The Pulitzer Prize Photographs** Ohio Historical Center/Ohio Village, 1982 Velma Ave., Columbus. Tuesday-Wednesday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday noon.-5 p.m. Adults \$7. Students \$3. Children 5 and under free. Parking \$4. The largest and most comprehensive exhibition of Pulitzer Prize-winning photographs, Capture the Moment, presents powerful images that have changed lives and the way we think. The 138 photographs include the Pulitzer winners from 1942 to 2007. There are the iconic pictures of the World Trade Center attack, the flag raising at Iwo Jima, Kent State and tender moments like Babe Ruth's last day as a Yankee. Don't miss these great photographs that have captured the defining moments of history. 614-297-2300, 800-686-6124, www.ohiohistory.org

05/04/2008 to 06/22/2008. **Exhibit: Best of 2008** Ohio Craft Museum, 1665 W. Fifth Ave., Columbus. Monday-Friday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday 1-4 p.m. Free Ohio Designer

Craftsmen's annual juried members' exhibition, featuring works in clay, glass, metal, fiber, wood and multimedia. This year's show is juried by Brion Clinkingbeard, deputy director of programming/curator, Kentucky Museum of Art and Craft, Louisville. 614-486-7119, www.ohiocraft.org

05/06/2008 to 06/24/2008. **Mayhem & Mystery Dinner Theatre: Malt Shop Mischief** The Spaghetti Warehouse, 397 W. Broad St., Columbus. Tuesday 7 p.m. \$23.95 A 1950s style mystery is an evening of fun including a surprise guest at the Malt Shop. Mystery performs interactive mystery productions where the action takes place in and around the audience. Audience members are chosen to portray additional characters in the production, sometimes being given lines to read and costume pieces to wear. Shows are performed in a dinner theater style, with each act taking place around the meal. Each show has a unique theme. 614-464-0143, www.mayhemmystery.com

05/08/2008 to 07/06/2008. **Exhibit: Kleibacker: New York Designer to Ohio Curator** Ohio Arts Council's Riffe Gallery, Riffe Center, 77 S. High St., Columbus. Tuesday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesday-Friday 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Saturday noon-8 p.m. Sunday noon-4 p.m. Free A retrospective of curatorial work by nationally recognized fashion icon Charles Kleibacker. Known as the "master of the bias cut," Kleibacker has curated numerous fashion-focused exhibitions and had a thriving studio in New York City. 614-644-9624, www.riffegallery.org

05/10/2008 to 08/03/2008. **Exhibit: Jane Hammond: Fallen** Wexner Center for the Arts, 1871 N. High St., Columbus. Tuesday-Wednesday 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Thursday-Saturday 11 a.m.-8 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Free Now on a national tour, Jane Hammond's *Fallen* features a large field of colorful, handmade leaves, each inscribed with the name of a U.S. soldier killed in Iraq. The leaves in the piece - made of paper and fabric - are based on leaves gathered by Hammond between 2004 and 2007, and the spread of leaves grows as soldiers die. *Fallen* was first exhibited at Galerie Lelong, New York, in 2005, and shortly after was acquired by the Whitney Museum of American Art (and is on view at the Kemper Museum in St. Louis this winter). The current iteration of *Fallen* includes more than 3,500 leaves; the first version opened with 1,511. The New York-based Hammond has been featured in solo and group exhibitions across the country, and her work is in public collections around the world. 614-292-3535, www.wexarts.org

05/10/2008 to 08/03/2008. **Exhibit: Jeff Smith: Bone and Beyond** Wexner Center for the Arts, 1871 N. High St., Columbus. Tuesday-Wednesday 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Thursday-Saturday 11 a.m.-8 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Free Based in Columbus, Jeff Smith is one of the country's most acclaimed and influential comic book artist/writers, best known for the epic graphic novel *Bone*. In 2005, *Time* magazine called *Bone*, which Smith wrote and drew, one of the 10 greatest graphic novels of all-time. This exhibition - a partnership between the Wexner Center and Ohio State University's Cartoon Research Library - will include approximately 75 original drawings: primarily original black-and-white pages from *Bone*, with a smaller selection of full-color *Bone* covers and post-*Bone* work, including original drawings from Smith's recent *Shazam* series for DC Comics and from *Rasl* (forthcoming), a time-travel story. 614-292-3535, www.wexarts.org

05/10/2008 to 08/03/2008. **Exhibit: Mary Heilmann: To Be Someone** Wexner Center for the Arts, 1871 N. High St., Columbus. Tuesday-Wednesday 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Thursday-Saturday 11 a.m.-8 p.m. Sunday 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Free This nationally touring show is the first retrospective of work by influential New York-based painter Mary Heilmann. A pioneer of infusing abstract painting with influences from popular culture and craft traditions, Heilmann is one of the most important yet least-recognized artists in the United States today. One of the very few female abstract painters of her generation, she has maintained a steadfast commitment to producing eccentric, engaging, visceral paintings. Featuring 75 works from the last three decades, the exhibition also explores Heilmann's interest in ceramics, decorative arts, film, and music. The show also tours to the New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York, in 2008. 614-292-3535, www.wexarts.org

05/10/2008 to 09/14/2008. **Exhibit: Paul Shambroom: Picturing Power** Columbus Museum of Art, 480 E. Broad St., Columbus. Tuesday-Sunday 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Thursday until 8:30 p.m. Adults \$8. Seniors and students \$5. Children under 6 free. Free admission on Sunday. Picturing Power brings together for the first time selections from Paul Shambroom's five most important series to date - Factories (1986-88), Offices (1989-90), Nuclear Weapons (1992-2001), Meetings (1999-2003), and the ongoing series Homeland Security (begun in 2004). In Picturing Power Shambroom addresses the places and practices of power in America. Together these series explore how everyday citizens intersect with the dominant institutions of their times. Shambroom's images are remarkable both for their stark portrayal of people and places of power and as evidence of his access to the sites. Negotiating access in an open and democratic manner is a hallmark of the artist's process. Embodying curiosity, persistence, and empathy, Shambroom's work illustrates and champions engaged citizenship and democracy. 614-221-4848, 614-221-6801, www.columbusmuseum.org

05/16/2008 to 07/03/2008. **Quilt & Surface Design Symposium Invitational Exhibition** Ross Art Museum, Ohio Wesleyan University, 60 S. Sandusky St., Delaware. Tuesday-Friday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday 1-5 p.m. Free This exhibition of contemporary art quilts by artists from around the county coincides with the quilt symposium in Columbus and other exhibitions around Central Ohio. This exhibit is In partnership with the Quilt Surface Design Symposium, LLC. 740-368-3606, 740-203-6908, www.owu.edu

05/22/2008 to 06/15/2008. **Actors Theatre: Macbeth** Schiller Park, Bounded by Jaeger Street, City Park, Reinhard, and Deshler Avenues, Columbus. 614-444-6888, www.theactorstheatre.org

05/23/2008 to 09/28/2008. **Exhibit: New to the Collection: Contemporary Art and Photography** Columbus Museum of Art, 480 E. Broad St., Columbus. Tuesday-Sunday 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Thursday until 8:30 p.m. Adults \$8. Seniors and students \$5. Children under 6 free. Free admission on Sunday. This exhibition showcases recent acquisitions to the permanent collection of the Columbus Museum of Art. The selection includes works in a variety of media by artists from around the world, exemplifying the diverse nature of contemporary art and photography at the Museum. Highlights include Chris Finley's painting Randall-Ray (2007) and Linda Besemer's mixed media work Multibulge Fold No. 6 (2005), Hiroshi Sugimoto's Gembok (1980) and Harri Kallio's Le Gris Gris No. 2, Mauritius, 2001. 614-221-4848, 614-221-6801, www.columbusmuseum.org

05/23/2008 to 11/11/2008. **Lima Company Memorial - A Tribute to Our Fallen Marines** Ohio Statehouse, High Street at State Street, Columbus. Daily 7 a.m.-6 p.m. Free The Lima Company Traveling Memorial is a series of eight painted panels honoring the 23 fallen Marines of the Lima Company based in Columbus. This emotional exhibition will be on display in the Ohio Statehouse Rotunda before traveling throughout the country. 888-OHIO-123, 614-728-2695, www.ohiostatehouse.org

05/24/2008 to 09/01/2008. **Exhibit: CSI: The Experience** COSI Columbus, 333 W. Broad St., Columbus. Wednesday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday noon-6 p.m. COSI will be open seven days a week from March 5-30 and May 26-Sept. 1, 2008. Adults \$17.50. Children 2-12 \$12.50. Seniors \$15.50. Children under 24 months free. This summer COSI visitors will have the chance to step behind the yellow caution tape and become real-life sleuths for a day, in the newest traveling exhibit CSI: The Experience. Based on the popular CBS television show, CSI: Crime Scene Investigation, guests will take on the role of forensic scientists as they learn real investigative techniques and use ground-breaking technology used to solve crimes. A car crashes through a living room in a house leaving one person dead, a corpse is found in an ally behind a Las Vegas motel, and a skeleton is discovered by a hiker in an unmarked grave deep in the desert. These are the three crime scenes featured in CSI: The Experience. Similar to crime scenes found on the television show, yet exclusive to the exhibit, visitors will be challenged and delightfully surprised as they learn just what it takes to solve a crime. You will begin the

investigation with an introductory video that includes cast members from the television show along with their real-life forensic science counterparts. As new investigators on the CSI team, museum-goers uncover evidence and learn how real-life investigators fit the pieces of the puzzle together. In recreated, state-of-the-art crime labs, they are able to compare bullet casings to those in a database and learn how to match a victim's DNA to a sample recovered at the scene. Finally, you can pay a visit to the workspace of CSI's quirky hero, Gil Gissom, where they go over the case and discover if their hypotheses were correct. 614-228-2674, 888-819-COSI, www.cosi.org

05/30/2008 to 06/22/2008. **Contemporary American Theatre Company: The Foursome** Studio One Theatre, Riffe Center, 77 S. High St., Columbus. \$11-\$40 Its hilarious series of hole-in-one one-liners is a straight drive down the fairway. What better way to celebrate summer than with a golf comedy! Swing into action and join CATCO for a round of laughs. 614-469-0939, www.catco.org

05/30/2008 to 08/29/2008. **Summer Lunchtime Performing Arts Series On the Statehouse Lawn** Ohio Statehouse, High Street at State Street, Columbus. Friday noon-1 p.m. Free Enjoy a free lunch-time concert on the West Plaza of the Ohio Statehouse each Friday between Memorial Day and Labor Day. 888-OHIO-123, 614-728-2695, www.ohiostatehouse.org

06/01/2008 to 10/12/2008. **Exhibit: Quilting Stories** Ohio Historical Center/Ohio Village, 1982 Velma Ave., Columbus. Tuesday-Wednesday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday-Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday noon.-5 p.m. Adults \$7. Students \$3. Children 5 and under free. Parking \$4. Quilting Stories at the Ohio Historical Center will show how 19th- and 20th-century Ohio quilters used quilting to tell stories about family, heroes, celebrations and even political causes. All quilts on display are from the Ohio Historical Society's extensive collection of some 200 years of quilting in Ohio. 614-297-2300, 800-686-6124, www.ohiohistory.org

06/01/2008 to 09/30/2008. **Family Busker Series** Easton Town Center, 160 Easton Town Center, Columbus. Monday-Friday Free Buskers tailored specifically toward children roam the streets of Easton Town Center during the weekdays this summer. The roaming buskers include magicians, jugglers, stilt walkers, balloon artists, and costume characters. Musicians perform on the Town Square each Tuesday. 614-416-7000, www.eastontowncenter.com

06/01/2008 to 09/28/2008. **North District Musicians and Sidewalk Artists** Easton Town Center, 160 Easton Town Center, Columbus. Weekends Free Musicians including a brass trio, string duo and a wind duo, perform on weekends during the summer. In addition, artists from Columbus College of Art and Design capture the essence of the Easton atmosphere in their sketches and paintings each weekend. 614-416-7000, www.eastontowncenter.com

06/01/2008 to 09/28/2008. **Sailing at the Central Park Boat Pond** Easton Town Center, 160 Easton Town Center, Columbus. Saturday-Sunday noon-6 p.m. Free Ages six and up, come sail a lifelike miniature sailboat! 614-416-7000, www.eastontowncenter.com

06/02/2008 to 08/25/2008. **Columbus Zoo visits Easton** Easton Town Center, 160 Easton Town Center, Columbus. Mondays noon-1 p.m. Free Animals from the Columbus Zoo's Animal Adventures visit Easton each Monday for a one-hour appearance. Such animals include an armadillo, alligator, tortoise, dingo, baby leopard and penguin. 614-416-7000, www.eastontowncenter.com

06/06/2008 to 08/29/2008. **Music in the Park** Friendship Park, 150 Oklahoma Ave., Gahanna. Friday 7-9 p.m. Free Enjoy live music and performances every Friday evening in beautiful Friendship Park. 614-342-4250, 614-418-9114, www.visitgahanna.com

06/07/2008 to 08/23/2008. **Classic Motorcycle Saturdays at the Museum** Motorcycle Hall of Fame Museum, 13515 Yarmouth Dr., Pickerington. Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Adults \$10. Seniors \$8. Children 12-17 \$3. \$25 family rate. Classic Saturdays are your chance to see some great bikes and show off your own, enjoy the company of other enthusiasts and take part in some great seminars. 614-856-2222, www.motorcyclemuseum.org

06/07/2008 to 09/27/2008. **Sunset Safari at the Wilds** The Wilds, 14000 International Rd., Cumberland. Saturday 5-8 p.m. Starting September 4:30-7:30 p.m. \$60 Twilight is a very special time of day to experience the Wilds, one of the largest and most innovative wildlife conservation centers in the world. Saturday evenings June through September you can enjoy a buffet dinner on the deck of the Overlook Cafe, then board one of our open-air (weather permitting) safari transports for a guided tour through our open-range animal areas, where rhinos, giraffes, antelope and other animals roam in large, natural habitats. This tour includes a brief stop at the Lake Trail. This stop on the tour features a walking trail and overlooks the largest lake on the property. You will also stop at some of our unique animal management centers such as those for cranes, rhinos and other hoofstock, as well as our Mid-Sized Carnivore Conservation Center. Your tour will be escorted by a member of the Wilds' animal management staff who can answer your questions about our important conservation work. 740-638-5030, www.thewilds.org

06/10/2008 to 08/23/2008. **Exhibit: Link to Life: Link to Art** The King Arts Complex, 867 Mt. Vernon Ave., Columbus. \$2. Free on Saturday The King Arts Complex is proud to showcase works from members of the Twin Rivers Chapter of the Links, Inc. This exhibition celebrates the cultural diversity of art and the personal commitment and support of members of the chapter for artists and arts institutions. 614-645-0642, 614-645-KING, www.thekingartscomplex.com