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### Events at The Hub on Canal - MAY 2018

#### **WHAT/WHO: 1st Saturday at The Hub on Canal and the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Derby Day Celebration**

**Art Stroll** from one end of Canal Street to the other, including local artists represented at The Hub on Canal. **Opening reception** in the Mackay Gallery during Gallery Walk for the May exhibition, "Scenes and Trees" featuring Rick Seguso. Oil paintings by this artist/ actor/musician portray his reverence for the strength, beauty and stature of trees. His art reminds us, do not take them for granted. **Artist Talk** at 4:45PM in The Mackay Gallery.

**DERBY DAY at The Hub on Canal from 4-7pm.** Join us for the fun and festivities in the lobby at The Hub on Canal from 4-7pm during Gallery Walk. Live-streaming of **Pre-Race Activities** begins at 5pm, followed by the **Kentucky Derby Race** around 6:30pm.

*Images attached.*

**WHEN:** Saturday, April 7. *Art Stroll* runs from 10am-4pm. *Gallery Walk* at The Hub on Canal is from 4-7pm. *Live Music* outside The Hub on Canal with The Hub's own eclectic blues/ jug band, The HubCats from 11am-1pm. Show runs through May 27. Event is free and open to the public.

**WHERE:** The Hub on Canal, 132 Canal Street, New Smyrna Beach. For more information visit [www.theHUBoncanal.org](http://www.theHUBoncanal.org) or phone (386) 957-3924. Food courtesy of Beachside Publix.

*1<sup>st</sup> Saturday along Canal Street: Derby Day*

**Farmer's Market** (7:30am – 12:30pm), **Art Stroll** (10am – 4pm), **Live music** outside The Hub on Canal with The Hub's own eclectic blues/jug band (11am-1pm), **Craft Beer Walk** (1-7pm) and **Gallery Walk** (4-7pm).

#### **Celebrate The Kentucky Derby on Canal Street**

*Derby Hat-Making* in front of DeLoach & Peterson PA, 418 Canal Street, 1-3pm

*Hat Judging Contest, Sams and Canal* at 3pm

*3rd Annual Derby Horse Races on Canal*, 3pm

Take your photo with the donkey & mini-horses along Canal Street, 1-3pm

Live Streaming of the Kentucky Derby and pre-race activities, 5pm at The Hub on Canal

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**WHAT: 1st Saturday Art Connections** at The Hub on Canal.



The Hub on Canal offers an inside look at the work of more than 70 local artists. Learn about the process of creating art while exploring two floors in one historic building located in the heart of the New Smyrna Beach Arts District.

**WHEN:** Saturday, May 5 from 10am - 2pm. Free and open to the public.

**WHERE:** The Hub on Canal, 132 Canal Street, New Smyrna Beach. For more information visit [www.theHUBoncanal.org](http://www.theHUBoncanal.org) or phone (386) 957-3924.

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**WHAT: Talk Art! - Artist Demonstration & Talk**

Talk Art! featuring Frank Ferrante, "*Landscape Painting with Oils.*" Get to know this Hub Artist through an informal session. Learn how the artist works, media and techniques. Bring your enthusiasm for the arts and lots of questions! Free drawing!

**WHEN:** Saturday, May 5 from 1- 2:30pm. This informal session is free and open to the public.

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**WHAT: 100 Years of Hollywood Musicals II: The Hub on Canal Film Series with Paul Marino.** Sing and dance through Hollywood history in this entertaining and educational review of the musical genre from the 1920's to 2016. Each session will feature introductory comments by the instructor, viewing of the entire film and a post-viewing discussion of cultural significance, major songs and themes, symbolism and historical context. Series includes **Chicago** on May 9, and **La La Land** on May 23.

**WHEN:** Every other Wednesday, May 9 through May 23, 2018 from 5:45-9pm. Fee: \$10 per individual movie.

**WHERE:** The Hub on Canal, 132 Canal Street, New Smyrna Beach. For registration details visit [www.theHUBoncanal.org](http://www.theHUBoncanal.org) or phone (386) 957-3924.

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**WHAT: Special Music Night at The Hub on Canal with Anthony "Packrat" Thompson and Robert "Lightning Boy" Thomas**

Anthony "Packrat" Thompson and Robert "Lightning Boy" Thomas (aka "Top") are founding members of the 4-piece swamp blues band "Smokehouse" which formed in



1989 in New Smyrna Beach. Specializing in Florida Swamp Blues, they are powered by the songwriting, storytelling, lead vocals, harmonica, guitar and percussion of the leader, "Packrat." Guests will be thrilled to know that Robert "Top" Thomas is returning to The Hub on Canal with his guitar and vocals. Aaron "Pop" Watson joins them with drums and vocals. Kenny "The Wizard" Sly will be on bass guitar and do vocals. Kings of the Florida Swamp Blues...that's the music of *Packrat's Smokehouse!* You won't want to miss this evening of music! Sponsored by Richard and Terry England.

*Image attached.*

**WHEN:** Friday, May 11 from 6 – 8pm. \$5 for members. \$10 for non-members.

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## ##

**WHAT: Slo' Jam Session**

An event for every musician from beginner to experienced. Play, sing or just listen. Bring your ukulele, harmonica, guitar or percussion instruments. Playbooks provided.

**WHEN:** Thursday, May 17 from 6:30– 8:30pm. \$5 at the door.

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**WHAT: Art in the Form of Film: The Hours**

Nicole Kidman won the 2003 Best Actress Oscar for her portrayal of author Virginia Woolf in this weaving of 3 storylines set over 3 different decades. Director Stephen Daldry ultimately pulls the 3 tales together in dramatic fashion. Also stars Meryl Streep and Julianne Moore. Nominated for 8 other Oscars. Instructor Paul Marino will introduce the film, raise questions to ponder and host a post-viewing discussion.

**WHEN:** Friday, May 18 from 5:45-9pm. Special Fee: \$5 includes a glass of wine or a bottle of water.

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**WHAT: Poetry Night** at The Hub on Canal

Come to The Hub on Canal for a delightful evening of poetry and music! Dan Pels, a surrealist poet, will emcee the evening, along with his co-host Mary Jane Barenbaum, a realist/romantic poet. Guest poets will also be invited to share. There will also be a performance by a talented musician.

**WHEN:** Saturday, May 19 from 5– 6:30pm. \$5 Fee for all.

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