

Joyce Utting Schutter



AN EVENING TO BENEFIT THE ARTS FOUNDATION OF CAPE COD THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 2019 HYANNISPORT CLUB Greetings Prelude to Summer Guests,

The word prelude has specific connotations. It's a precursor to something more important.

Could it be the Pops by the Sea? Yes, in a literal sense, that's what tonight's Prelude to Summer refers to. And four years ago, when I started at the Arts Foundation of Cape Cod, that's what I would have thought.

But the prelude – the something more important – is what happens behind the scenes when the last song is played by the Boston Pops on the second Sunday of August. It's why your presence here matters.

The something more important is high school students like Brian, whose family is facing homelessness. This winter, your donations allowed him to attend a 10-week acting camp at Cape Cod Theatre Company. For two hours a week, he immersed himself in scenes, in character work, and in connecting with other actors. For two hours a week, he was able to forget he was homeless, and he was able to focus on his passion for acting.

On Cape Cod, Brian is not alone.

Many school districts in our region have high percentages of students who are economically disadvantaged.

With your support, we are removing barriers, connecting children in need to creative outlets at organizations like the Cultural Center of Cape Cod, the Provincetown Art Association and Museum, and the Cape Cod Theatre Company.

This school year, 23 students from across Cape Cod have taken classes in the culinary arts, animation, drama, painting, and comedy. They are accessing creative opportunities they otherwise would not have the chance to experience.

Being here tonight is not just a prelude to summer, it's a prelude to change. It's a prelude to a Cape Cod where all students, especially those like Brian, are given the opportunity to connect with others, and to deepen their understanding of themselves and the world around them through the arts.

Thank you,

Julie

Julie Wake Executive Director



Evening Program

5:30 PM Cocktails and Artistic Hors D'Oeuvres

6:45 PM

Welcoming Remarks Rana Murphy, AFCC Board Chair Julie Wake, AFCC Executive Director

Honorary Chair Michael K. Lauf President and CEO, Cape Cod Healthcare and CEO, Cape Cod Hospital

> A Chance for the Arts Raffle Escape to the Azores!

> > Arts Matter Auction

Fund A Need

7:30 PM After Party on the Deck Chef's Tasting with the fine sounds of Funktapuss!

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Consistency matters! The power of sustained, annual operating support builds capacity and provides consistent resources for the AFCC to grow and fulfill our mission.

AFCC individual and business patrons are recognized for their leadership support through mission-inspired special events, such as behindthe-scenes experiences with our arts and culture member organizations.

Immerse yourself in the Cape's arts and culture and see how your patron gift makes an impact. Join the Patron Program tonight!



We cannot fulfill our mission without the generous support of our funding partners. Thank you!

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Honorary Chair Michael K. Lauf

President and CEO, Cape Cod Healthcare and CEO, Cape Cod Hospital



Walk through any Cape Cod Healthcare facility and you'll notice an array of art that serves to relax, inspire, and nourish the soul. The company's widespread embrace of the arts is no accident. Since arriving at Cape Cod Healthcare in 2008, President and CEO Michael Lauf has served as a champion of the arts, understanding their power to heal, connect, and uplift.

As this year's Prelude to Summer Honorary Chair, we are recognizing Michael Lauf's longstanding commitment to strengthening arts and culture in our region.

That commitment can be witnessed in Cape Cod Healthcare's most recent gift to the Arts Foundation of Cape Cod, supporting the first two years of AFCC Access, a program launched last September to connect children in need to artistic and cultural opportunities on Cape Cod.

As Michael told us, "exposure to a variety of creative outlets and opportunities helps foster health in every way and at every stage of life, and should be available to everyone, regardless of their economic circumstances."

We couldn't agree more, and we think that approach should not only be celebrated, but serve as a model for how our local leaders can make a direct, positive impact on this special place we call home.







QUINTA OCEANIA ECO-LODGING IN THE AZORES

Escape to the Azores Raffle Only 100 tickets sold \$50 per ticket

Win a 6-night getaway at Quinta Oceania Eco-Lodging in the Azores! You'll be staying in your own Sao Miguel Island farmhouse featuring gardens, vineyards, and authentic Azorean-style accommodations for up to 8 people.

Immerse yourself in nature and travel back in time to a simpler way of life where wine and fresh local foods are the foundation of community and culture. Stay in a recently-renovated and modernized version of a traditional farmhouse. This four-bedroom house includes three full bathrooms, two kitchens, and multiple living spaces where you can enjoy Portuguese wines with views over the vineyard and ocean. The backyard is filled with flowers, fruit trees, seasonal vegetables, and a small vineyard. Also located on the property is a private clifftop cabana where you can find complete peace and tranquility as you enjoy an orchestra of rolling ocean waves and seabirds. Visit QuintaOceania.com to learn more about this very special place!

This house is available from July - November 2019 or from May - November 2020. Accommodations for 6 nights and up to 8 people. Must contact owner to secure your week.

Donated by Paul and Kate Blackmore. Value: \$2,500

Prize is considered ordinary income by the Internal Revenue Service Purchase of a raffle ticket is not considered a charitable donation by the IRS

AUCTION PROCEDURES

Check-in: Upon arrival, each guest/couple will receive an auction bidder number at the registration table.

Questions: Volunteers and staff will be wearing name tags and will be available to answer any questions.

Live Auction: A bid is entered by raising your auction book with the bidder number facing the auctioneer. The highest bidder acknowledged by the auctioneer will be the purchaser. Please keep your bid number raised until acknowledged by the auctioneer. The auctioneer will have the discretion to determine the successful bidder on each item.

Value: Fair market value has been estimated as accurately as possible for all items. Purchases made at the auction are tax-deductible as provided by law only to the extent that the purchase price exceeds the estimated fair market value of the merchandise. "Priceless" indicates that the item has no ascertainable market value.

Payment: Full payment is due tonight by cash; check made payable to the Arts Foundation of Cape Cod; or by Visa, Mastercard, Discover or American Express credit cards. All auction items must be taken this evening.

Checkout: Proceed to the checkout table with your bidder number to make your payment and pick up you item.

Please take care to read all specifications and restrictions of all auction items. There are no exchanges. By making a purchase, the buyer waives any liability claims against either the AFCC or the donor of the property or services.

Thank You!

LIVE AUCTION

Item #1 Patriots Game Package

The ultimate Patriots experience. Enjoy the thrill of Gillette Stadium from Suite Red 27. You'll be watching our six-time Super Bowl winning New England Patriots take on the New York Giants on Thursday, October 10, 2019 at 8:20 PM. Your Patriots Game Package includes two tickets and a parking pass! Go Pats!!!



Available October 10, 2019 only Donated by Tom and Trish Kennedy of Zudy Value: \$5,000

Item #2 Bright Lights, Big City!

Be whisked away for a memorable getaway to Boston that includes your own "fly over" stressful city traffic courtesy of Cape Air. Your luxurious room awaits for an overnight stay at the Boston Harbor Hotel. Your day will include VIP passes to



the Museum of Fine Arts Toulouse-Lautrec and the Stars of Paris exhibition and a very special dinner at Lucca Restaurant, where you will enjoy fine Italian dining in the historic North End. Ahhh... now that's the way to travel!

Cape Air, Two round-trip tickets between Hyannis and Boston. Expires 6/6/20 and intended for use by the original recipient(s).

Boston Harbor Hotel, your stay must occur between 7/1/19 - 6/30/20. Stay is for single or double occupancy in one standard guest room. Reservations are subject to availability; We recommend booking at least 60 days in advance. All taxes/resort fees are the responsibility of purchaser at check-in.

Lucca Restaurant & Bar, gift certificate expires 06/06/20, value up to \$250. Donated by Cape Air, Lucca Restaurant & Bar, and the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston. Value: \$1,850

Item #3 Outdoor Space Redesign

Are you ready to rethink your outdoor space? Architectural designer Amanda-Clare Cunningham of A.M. P.M. Design will make your outdoor living space the gathering place for family and friends that you always dreamed it could be! This item includes 12 hours of design time from Amanda-Clare, a Cape Cod Fire Pit Kit from Stonewood Products, Landscaping/Hardscaping up to \$500, and \$300 gift certificate from RPM Carpets for an indoor/outdoor carpet!



Donated by: A.M. P.M. Design, Stonewood Products, and RPM Carpets Value: \$2,000

Item #4 Hinckley Yacht Cruise to Martha's Vineyard with Joseph Carr

Spend the day with Joseph Carr, winemaker and storyteller, along with Julie Wake, Executive Director of the Arts Foundation of Cape Cod, on a 44-foot Hinckley Yacht. Joseph will tell stories as Julie pours a selection of Josh Cellars Wines while crossing the sound to Martha's Vineyard for lunch at the famed Atlantic restaurant in Edgartown.

Approximately a five-hour commitment. No holidays. Date and time restrictions, weather permitting. For up to six passengers. Donated by Joseph Carr Value: Priceless



Item #5 Northern California Getaway

Winery Tours & Tastings, Chauffeur, Fairmont San Francisco 2-Night Stay & Fairmont Sonoma Mission Inn 2-Night Stay for 2

Experience San Francisco, one of America's favorite cities. Take a stroll along Pier 39 or hop on a cable car and explore the sights. At Fisherman's Wharf, you can taste the freshest Dungeness crab and get one of the best views in the entire city. And of course, there is plenty of fabulous shopping - everywhere! Wine **Country** is at its best in Sonoma Valley, where rich soils mark the birthplace of California's wine industry. This very special trip includes six consecutive hours of chauffeured luxury sedan service for your tour and wine tastings at the stunning 1920's estate of Chateau St. Jean and the historic Benzinger Family Winery in Sonoma where you'll learn about their biodynamic growing techniques and the time-honored history of this family-owned property. Your destinations are the epitome of a northern California lifestyle!

This experience includes:

- •2-night stay in a standard Fairmont room (1 king or 1 queen or 2 queen beds) at The Fairmont San Francisco
- •2-night stay in a standard Fairmont room (1 king or 1 queen bed)
- at The Fairmont Sonoma Mission Inn & Spa •Daily breakfast for 2
- •6 consecutive hours of chauffeured luxury sedan service
- •Tasting for 2 at Chateau St. Jean, Sonoma •Tour and tasting for 2 at Benziger Family Winery, Sonoma
- Winspire booking & concierge service







Item #6 34th Annual Citizens Bank Pops by the Sea Commemorative Artwork

"Sea Harp" By Joyce Utting Schutter

"Often when creating a piece, I attempt to capture some of what I see as the visual music of the world around me, synthesizing a harmony of natural and human design."

Patterns are everywhere – in nature, in society, and in art.

These patterns reveal something beautiful about our world: we are all connected to one another, from the microscopic to the cosmic. It is that simple, but powerful concept that has long served as



a major theme in Joyce Utting Schutter's work. And it is the underlying premise behind "Sea Harp", which she created for this year's Citizens Bank Pops by the Sea commemorative art.

The piece represents a first for the Pops; in its 33-year history, there has never been a sculpture that has served as the creative representation of the Cape's seminal summer concert.

Using all-natural materials, Schutter was able to create a magical work of art that is an amalgamation of a ship and a harp, that perfectly blends ocean colors evoking the region's proximity to the water. "I was inspired by the sea and by music," Schutter said during the unveiling of her piece in April.

A native New Englander who earned her MFA at the University of Iowa, this year's Pops by the Sea artist has perfected a style that has allowed her to stand out on our fragile sandbar. She has done so by embracing all that surrounds her, bridging the gap between humanity, creativity, and nature. And in the process, she is revealing the beauty of our world.

"Sea Harp" dimensions are 27" H x 24" W x 4.75" D Value: Priceless

Item #7 Pops VIP Experience



You'll be a VIP at the 34th Annual Citizens Bank Pops by the Sea! Enjoy special backstage access before the concert, including an opportunity to meet world-renowned conductor Keith Lockhart before he heads out on stage!

Whether you're new to Citizens Bank Pops by the Sea, or it's your 34th concert, this is your chance to amp up the festivities.

Your VIP experience on August 11th from 2:00 pm - 7:00 pm will include:

- •Two VIP table seats
- VIP parking
- Pre-show entertainment
- •Catering for two delivered to your table
- •Meet-and-greet with Keith one hour prior to the show
- Professional photograph with you and Keith
- And, of course, the Pops concert!

Value: Priceless!

Item #8 The Counter for 13 at Clean Slate, with Chef/Owner Jason Montigel

One might describe Clean Slate Eatery in West Dennis as more of a dinner party than a restaurant—and it's one to which all Cape Cod gastronomes would like to receive an invitation. With Chef Jason Montigel at the helm, Clean Slate has made quite an impact on the Cape's food scene. You and twelve friends will be seated in the front row at "The Chef's Counter," cozied right up to the lamp-lit, stainless steel finishing table the restaurant's center stage. Each course is thoughtfully paired with the perfect wine, finished on the center table, and served by Jason. Jason



will discuss the background behind the ingredients, their stories, and their origins because after all, food, according to Jason, is about community.

Availability: Dinner to be held on a mutually-agreed date. Donated by The Arts Foundation of Cape Cod Board of Directors and Staff and Jason Montigel Value: \$1,430

Item #9 Boston Holiday Pops

A table for five to the Holiday Pops with Keith Lockhart and the Boston Symphony Orchestra is one for the bucket list! Be a part of this magical holiday tradition at historic Boston Symphony Hall. Includes a meet-and-greet with Keith Lockhart after the concert as well as the Symphony Christmas CD and baton signed by Keith.



Value: Priceless!

Item #10 Cape Cod Golf Trio

A golfer's dream...you're bidding on one golf package that includes three of the finest private courses on Cape Cod!

Eastward Ho!, Threesome

A threesome will enjoy a fantastic day at Eastward Ho! with a member at this 18-hole, par 71 links-style course that offers guests breathtaking vistas and challenging play. The day will also include lunch. Golf can be played on most days (on- and off-season) and must be coordinated with member, Michael Garrison. Expires June 15, 2020 Donated by Michael Garrison

Hyannisport Club, Foursome

Founded in 1897, the iconic Hyannisport Club boasts some of the most scenic views on Cape Cod. Winning bidder will receive a round of golf for four (4). Available weekdays between: September 15, 2019 - June 14, 2020. Expires June 15, 2020. Donated by the Hyannisport Club,

arranged by AFCC Patron Diane Boudreau

The Club at New Seabury, Foursome

Two championship courses await you at New Seabury! Winning bidder will receive a round of golf for (4) at their choice of one of New Seabury's two premiere courses: the Ocean or the Dunes. Valid October 15, 2019 - May 15, 2020. Subject to availability. Tuesday-Thursday after 11:00 am. Expires June 6, 2021.

Donated by The Club of New Seabury

Value: \$1,900







Item #11 The Paddy Wagon - Inflatable Irish Pub

Do you have a milestone event coming up? Or looking to host a super fun party with friends - just because? Do something original to enjoy your special day!

Say hello to The Paddy Wagon Inflatable Pub! This inflatable "Pub House" transforms your backyard into a place where you can celebrate and enjoy a pint with friends! Take a walk inside the pub to see fun, authentic



decor, complete with brickwork, chimneys, a faux fireplace, and light fixtures printed on the inflated vinyl. Interior also includes a stone bar, with a keg of Guinness, whiskey barrels, and tables and chairs. Your pub can hold up to 55 people. So what are you waiting for? Let's get this party started!



This item includes delivery, set-up and break-down, keg of Guinness, and furnishings noted above. Additional services like bartending, music, and catering are the responsibility of the winner. The Paddy Wagon can accommodate these services at the winner's request and cost. *Requirements* Dimensions of pub inflated are 30 feet by 30 feet. Value: Once in a Lifetime



Fund A Need AFCC Access

She may only be in kindergarten, but Amanda has already learned how difficult life can be. Because her parents aren't around, she is being raised by her grandmother.

With your support, we were able to send Amanda to Cape Cod Theatre Company's Creative Movement class this year. The aim? To have fun through self-expression in song, dance, visual art, pantomime, sequencing exercises, and games.

In these classes, Amanda found a supportive, nurturing environment where she could smile, laugh, and escape into a world of creativity for a few hours each week.



Tonight's Fund A Need will support our AFCC Access program, which helps. children facing economic, emotional, social, and physical obstacles. Your support ensures that all children on Cape Cod can access the arts.

Your gift will not only give youth the opportunity to engage in creative outlets, it will:

- Provide transportation for Cape Cod students to explore the hundreds of theaters, galleries, museums, and art collections in our region.
- Educate underserved families about the multitude of cultural opportunities available on the Cape.
- Fund grants that create access to arts and culture for underserved youth.

Tonight let's send a message that all kids deserve access to arts and culture so they can experience joy, create meaningful relationships with their peers, and use creativity as a way to channel their emotions and pursue their dreams.

Our kids deserve a chance. Together, we can give it to them!





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The Creative Exchange Podcast

The Creative Exchange is now a podcast series! What makes a good story? How do you get your movie into a film festival? What are some ways you can use the arts as a form of therapy? These are just a few of the questions we're asking on our new series in collaboration with Provincetown Community Television. The podcast is a celebration of creativity on Cape Cod and a reminder that #ArtsMatter in our community.

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New this year! The Pops is going back. *Way back*. All the way back to the Summer of '69!

Funktapuss will kick off this year's throwback-themed party at 2PM with Keith Lockhart and friends (the Boston Pops & guest performers) taking the stage at 5PM!

So get your bell bottoms, summer dresses, and mock turtlenecks ready for the concert of the summer. Tickets start at \$25. VIP Tables available.

Wine & Local Beer available for sale at concession.

Tickets at artsfoundation.org

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