

Goddard Riverside



Community Arts Program



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Goddard Riverside's Community Arts program provides opportunities for people of all ages to experience and participate in the arts. We are a resource hub for the Upper West Side community to learn, heal, innovate, and excel.

We invite you to join us this season!

Visit us at goddard.org/communityarts for tickets, more information & performance updates.

\$0 House Tickets Available for most performances.

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WINTER & SPRING 2025 SEASON

 www.goddard.org/CAEVENTS

ON VIEW

Saltwater Symphony: Creatures of the Caribbean

Visual Art Exhibition with originals and prints for sale in support of our charitable mission. Hidden deep-sea creatures and wild island birds rendered as solar plate eco-prints by community activist, teacher, and passionate environmental conservationist, Catherine F. Traykovski.

March 6 Opening Reception with Music. Refreshments Served. **Thursday 6:30-8:30PM.**

March 13, 20, 27, April 3, 24 Selected Gallery Viewing Hours only on **Thursdays from 5-8PM**

April 12 Coffee & Conversation with the Artist, **Saturday from 11AM-2PM**

EVENTS

Jan. 24 Third Annual Upper West Side Short Film Festival

Independent cinematic creations spanning fiction, documentary, and animation curated by The Greenhouse Ensemble. Live music, popcorn, and a Q&A. **Fri. Doors 6:30PM, Films 7PM.**

Feb. 8 Harlem's In Living Color Sketch Comedy Show

Celebrate Black History Month with an unforgettable night of stand-up, original skits, and cultural commentary honoring Black culture, resilience, and creativity. With live musical guest. **Rated PG-13. Sat. Doors 7:30PM, Show 8PM.**

March 1 "Courage" Fashion Show [W.H.A.M. Festival Launch Party]

Don't miss the event of the season! Discover stunning hand-made garments (hoodies, jackets, hats, etc.) and accessories for sale by Lisa McFadden Millinery, Kulture Krochet, and Harlem's Hope Center. Emcee Shailah Edmonds—a trailblazing Black supermodel who's graced runways for Versace, Armani, and Gucci—will guide our fabulous models down the runway with Live R&B Music by Amira B and her full brass band. Refreshments Served. **Sat. 7PM. \$20 Entry. Limited Seating, Advance Tickets Highly Recommended.**

March 14 All Ages Maker's Night [W.H.A.M. Festival]

Let's get artsy! Join us for a fun, pressure-free community event and float around at arts and crafts stations for drawing, collage, clay, jewelry-making, face-painting, and more. Kids under 5 will enjoy sensory and movement-based activities led by educators. Bring extra supplies to share or use those provided by Arts Ignite and BLICK Art Materials. Refreshments Served. **Fri. 4-7PM. \$5 Participation Fee.**

March 29 Eva's Cooking Demonstration [W.H.A.M. Festival]

Join the Community Arts Associate Eva Rivas for a cozy cooking class for all ages! Learn super easy, quick recipes and treat yourself to a delicious meal. We've got you covered with the tools and supplies—just bring your appetite! **Sat. 2PM-4PM. \$5 Participation Fee.**

April 5 Impact Theatre's Performance Salon

Season 24-25 Artists-in-Residence Impact Theatre will present four short dramatic works in progress ranging from physical theatre, to solo performance, to film. A sharp evening of humor and mystery. **Sat. 7PM.**

May 16-17 Medicine Women / Kelsey Productions: Zora Speaks

A dramatic deep-dive into the life of Zora Neale Hurston, the celebrated Harlem Renaissance author who depicted racial struggles in the novel *Their Eyes Were Watching God* (1937), later adapted for television by Oprah Winfrey. **Fri. 7:30PM, Sat. 3PM & 7:30PM.**

June 12-13 BodyStories: Teresa Fellion Dance

Season 24-25 Artists-in-Residence BodyStories performs fresh choreography examining the darkest and brightest moments, inviting audiences to witness their dynamic, purposeful movement. As seen at HERE Arts Center, Ailey Theater, Jazz at Lincoln Center, Bryant Park Summerstage, and more. Showcase features newest works *Let the Chips Fall Where They May?* and *purple flame*. **Thurs. 7PM, Fri. 7PM & 9PM**

CLASSES

Dance: Ballet, Modern, & Hip-Hop for Youth 8-14, Days Vary. Ballet & Beyond NYC: michelle@balletandbeyonddnyc.org

Young People's Chorus of NYC for Grades 3-6, Tues. Assistant Conductor Maria Peña: mpeña@ypc.org

Events Held At Goddard Riverside's Bernie Wohl Center
647 Columbus Ave Btw 91st & 92nd Street