

ART DUJOUR

VAL'S VIEW



Adam O'Day Saturates Boston with Color

On September 10th, the Hynes Convention Center will be home to a multitude of colorful works, by Boston artist, Adam O'Day. The exhibit, appropriately titled "Saturate", features the

artist's vivid and unique pieces. Adam has begun painting with a whole new mantra for 2015, "Paint What You Feel". He's taken his signature urban scenes and transformed them into bold, and colorful pieces with a new perspective. In a statement about his most recent collection, Adam states, "I want to paint everyday urban scenes that have some familiar subject matter, but painted through the eyes of someone from another dimension. I'm using color as value. I'm using alien color schemes. I'm abstracting scenes more. I'm not limiting my decision making to staying within the boundaries. In short, when I have an idea, I paint it without a second thought. The first idea is always the most exciting." The opening reception will be held on Thursday, September 10th, from 6:00 - 8:00pm, but the exhibit will be on display for the public until January 2016. For more information about the artist, visit www.adamjoday.com
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The Berklee Beantown Jazz Festival

The Berklee Beantown Jazz Festival is Boston's biggest block party—a free, annual outdoor concert open to the public that has delighted hundreds of thousands of music lovers over the years with its host of jazz, Latin, blues, funk, and groove performances, along with an array of food vendors and free activities for kids. Each year, the festival is the place to be in Boston on the last Saturday in September as the community comes together in a bond forged in the joy of great live music.

This year's festival, themed "Jazz: The Voice of the People," will take place from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, September 26, 2015 at Columbus Avenue between Massachusetts Avenue and Burke Street. Stretching across six blocks in Boston's historic South End, the festival offers world-class music on three stages, phenomenal food and drink, arts, crafts, and unique gifts. The Natixis Family Park offers facepainting, inflatables, cotton candy, Kid-sJam, an instrument petting zoo, and more.
www.berklee.edu/beantownjazz



"An artist is not paid for his labor but for his vision". - James Whistle

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The Isabellas Free... Forever! program

at Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum
March 28, 2015 - March 24, 2018

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KIDS REALLY ROCK

Presented by The Lawn on D at The Lawn on D
September 26, 2015

Join us for a playful, energetic and musical festival for the whole family at The Lawn on D. Kids Really Rock is a FREE all-day family music and arts festival for children and families in and around Boston created and hosted by "Karen K" Kalafatas of Boston's own Karen K and the Jitterbugs. Kids Really Rock exposes kids to messages of kindness, creativity and community through performances by nationally-acclaimed bands for families and children and hands-on art and community service activities. Featured performers include The Pop Ups, Alphabet Rockers, Josh and the Jam-tones, Mister G, and more! The all day celebration will be a fantastic day of dancing, music, and hands-on activities. <http://lawnond.com>

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