# ART DUJOUR

## VAL'S VIEW

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#### The Revere Beach Sand Sculpting Festival!

The International Sand Sculpting Festival is back in Boston for its 12th year, and these aren't you're average sand castles we're talking about. You won't find any plastic pails and shovels here, but you will find 15 of the most talented sand sculptors in the world. From July 24th - 26th come down to Revere Beach to watch the masters in action. Along with the amazing sand art, there will be live entertainment, gourmet food trucks, children's sand sculpting lessons and fireworks! Best of all, the event is FREE and open to the public! For more information visit www.reverebeachpartnership.com

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### Midsummer Night's Fashion & Culinary Event

to benefit the **Chefs Table Foundation** at the Sons of Italy,

Roslindale on Thursday July 30, 2015 at 6 pm

Scene One:

Lovely reception of talented local chefs, mixologist & stylish festivities *Scene Two*:

The Mixologist From Burke Distributors

Scene Three:

Summer Eats

Chiara Bistro – shrimp & leek quiche with vanilla and tarragon Eat with Jack O'Neill – kale salad

Salem Food Market – chicken and seasonal vegetables

Scene Four:

The Fashion Show: experience the thrill & excitement of the runway featuring the styles of Fabutique.

Tickets: \$15 per person - Tickets can be purchased: at:

#### Marika Fabutique

Tues-Sat 11am-5pm

164 Spring Street, West Roxbury MA 02132 617-477-4057

#### Terry Curran at the Sons of Italy Lodge

30 Birch Street, Roslindale MA 02131

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#### Carol O'Connor

via email caroloc@tablecritic.com or phone: 617-323-0670 www.tablecritic.com/midsummer-nights-fashion-and-culinary-event

#### Boston Center for the Arts - South End

Exhibit July 10 to September 20

"Arcadia" brings together a diverse group of artists and artistic practices that focus on the idea of the landscape as a site of human endeavor and a source of human experience.

Artists Panel Discussion

Friday, September 18 from 6:30-7:30pm

Curator Steve Locke moderates a discussion with exhibition artists and invites the audience to participate with questions

http://bcaonline.org.

### **OPEN STUDIOS SEASON SCHEDULE**



One of the best art adventures (for art lovers and artists) in the Boston area is the *Open Studios* circuit. Many neighborhoods offfer a weekend of free and amazing interactions with art and artists. So clear your calendar and let the art adventures begin. Note: Our personal favoriite is

Roslindale Open Studios - first weekend in November!

**United South End Artists** - September 19 & 20, 11am - 6pm http://www.useaboston.com

**Jamaica Plain Arts Council** - September 19 & 20, 11am - 6pm http://jpopenstudios.com

Roxbury Open Studios - October 2, 6pm-8pm

October 3 & 4, 11am-6pm http://www.roxburyopenstudios.org

Fort Point Arts Community - October 16, 4pm - 7pm

October 17 & 18, noon – 6pm http://www.fortpointarts.org

**Dorchester Open Studios** - October 23, 6pm-8pm

October 24 & 25, noon - 5pm http://mydorchester.org

**South Boston Open Studios** - November 7 & 8, noon - 6pm http://southbostonopenstudios.org

**Roslindale Open Studios** - November 7 & 8, 11am - 5pm http://www.roslindaleopenstudios.org

**Fenway Studios** - November 14 & 15, 11am - 5pm http://www.friendsoffenwaystudios.org

**Allston Arts District** - November 14 & 15, noon - 6pm http://allstonarts.org

**Artists Group of Charlestow**n - December 5 & 6, 11am - 5pm http://www.artistsgroupofcharlestown.com

# "What art offers is space — a certain breathing room for the spirit". John Updike

Art Dujour is brought to you by *Its All About Arts*, a television show on Boston Neighborhood Network Television with host Glenn Williams and co-host Valerie Eliason. The show features local artists both visual and performing and art admnistrators. Watch on BNN*Live* - Comcast 9 or RCN 15 or streamed live on bnntv.org. Mondays from 6-7 pm. To be a guest visit itsallaboutarts.com/cableshow.htm or call 617-543-7443. LIKE https://www.facebook.com/pages/Its-All-About-Arts/711758485539757

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