

Red Rock Center's November Calendar of Events

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Artist of the Month – Aprons By Yvonne Cory of Easton



Fiber artist, Yvonne Cory, will be the featured artist for the month of November. The main focus of her wearable art collection will be center around the most indispensable part of any wardrobe “The Apron.” Several vintage reproductions, shabby chic and up-scaled aprons will be displayed throughout the gallery. A variety of fabrics ranging from new, vintage and repurposed are used to create each apron. Also several construction techniques, embellishments, colors and design elements provide interesting details. Several of the styles were designed especially for this show. Vintage reproductions will feature 1800’s, hand embroidery and 40’s and 50’s styles. Yvonne’s

fiber art collection also includes historical and theatrical costumes, wearable art jackets, wall hangings and garden flags. The most recent theater costumes were for the musical Shriek for the character, Fiona.

An Artist reception will be held on Sunday, November 3 · 3-5pm

Saturday, November 2 · Gaelic Harp Program · 7pm



FREE PUBLIC ADMISSION

After two hundred years of silence, the famous harp of Ireland and Scotland is once again being heard—Meet Gaelic harper Ann Heymann, a pioneer who recreated techniques documented in medieval manuscripts to recreate a performance practice that is the basis for courses in Ireland, Scotland and around the world.

Ann and musical husband Charlie Heymann will give a series of five seminar-performances in the communities of Duluth, Fairmont, Hutchinson, Rochester and the Twin Cities. These events, supported by a Minnesota State Arts Board “Arts Learning” grant, are free and open to the public.

An exciting component of this grant is that two individuals from each community are being selected to receive—free of charge—a year's worth of lessons and their own Gaelic harp made by master harpmaker David Kortier of Duluth. Recipients will be announced and their harps will be presented at the first seminar-performance in each community.

Tuesday, November 12 · Noon Lunch with the Arts

Storyteller, Yvonne Cory will present a noon program entitled “Half Apron Fun”. Yvonne has created for her historical apron collection business. Joys & Tears in the Apron Strings offers historical, cultural and artistry stories about hundreds of aprons from past decades. “Half Apron Fun” features only the half apron, but one will be amazed by the size of the palette these creations from the past reflect. Every apron has a story including many artistic details.

Saturday, November 16 · 7pm Chad Elliott singer/songwriter

www.chadelliott.net



Averaging over 150 shows per year, Elliott has been on the road for more than a decade performing a blend of Americana, roots and country music. Along the way he’s collected more than a few interesting stories, many of which end up crafted into lyrics. Perhaps the most surreal moment in his career happened in 2009 while he was portraying Buddy Holly for the Surf Ballroom on the 50th anniversary of the fateful plane crash which took the rock legend’s life. He was asked to sing “Oh Boy” with Buddy’s widow Maria Elena Holly. She whispered in Elliott’s ear after the song faded, “You’re my Buddy.”

He has also shared the music stage with greats such as: Eric Church, Lonestar, Counting Crows, Brantley Gilbert, R.L. Burnside, Odetta, Tom Paxton and Loudon Wainwright III, among others.

Elliott has released 18 full-length albums since he began his songwriting career. Elliott’s latest album, “So Sang the Crow” was released in March of 2013. Chad visited Basecamp Recording Studio in Montana to lay the tracks. Basecamp Recording is run by Chris Cunningham of the folk-duo Storyhill. Cunningham produced the album, adding his meticulous attention to detail to the well-crafted project. “So Sang the Crow” speaks to the souls of those “fighting the good fight” in a life of challenge.

Tickets on sale now at the Red Rock Center for the Arts and Hy-Vee in Fairmont

\$10/advance \$12/door

(Out of town guests may call and reserve tickets for \$10)

Upcoming events:

Tuesday, December 3	Lunch with the Arts – Bill Busse, Joyce Schultz & Sandy Ettesvold
Sunday, December 15	Fairmont Area Choir Christmas Concert
Tuesday, December 17	Lunch with the Arts – Children’s Handbell choir
Friday, December 20	Glenn Henriksen’s Holiday Piano Concert



Office Hours: Monday – Friday 10am-3pm
Extended Gallery Hours: Tuesday & Thursday until 6pm