



Academy Notes

Monday, July 14, 2014

Today's Breaks are Sponsored by:

**Belmont University College of Visual and Performing Arts
Miller Piano Specialists – Home of Yamaha
R & H Theatricals (A Division of Rogers & Hammerstein)**

Monday's Performance



Kofi and Rebekah

Mawuko

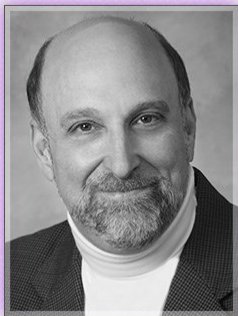
Mawre & Co.

Performance Troupe

11:30 AM

Massey Concert Hall

Monday's Muser



Dr. Peter Boonshaft

1:10 PM

Massey Concert Hall

Announcements

Lunches Monday through Thursday will be in the Belmont University Dining Hall. Since all 300+ of us will arrive almost simultaneously, please disperse yourselves amongst the serving areas as you enter the Dining Hall.

Group Photo: Please plan to gather with other teachers from your county or school system for a group photo after the midday performance based on the following schedule:

Monday—all participants from **East Tennessee**

Wednesday—all participants from **Middle Tennessee**

Thursday—all participants from **West Tennessee**

Teachers from the "county/school system of the day" should remain seated following the performance as they will be dismissed by school system to allow picture-taking to move quickly.

On Friday, the Academy will honor arts education colleagues who have died during the past year with a moment of silence. Please give any names for the **"In Memoria"** listing to the TAA office representative at breakfast or lunch. The deadline for including a name in the Finale Lunch program is mid-day on Wednesday. Please also identify any name by the school system in which they taught or worked.

Special Opportunities

"High Tea" at Belmont Mansion: Join us for light refreshments after classes on Monday and take a tour of the Belmont Mansion from 5:00-6:00 p.m. Also, enjoy Susan Ramsay on hammered dulcimer!

DVDs of the musings and Friday Chorale will be available for sale in the lobby of the Massey Performing Arts Center before and after each day's musings. The complete set is \$65; however, those who purchase **on Monday only** receive it for the discounted price of \$55!

Silent Auction: Thanks to all of you who brought items for the Silent Auction. Bidding begins Tuesday during lunch and will continue through lunch on Wednesday and Thursday.

Art Crawl and Reception: Please join us Tuesday from **5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** in the Leu Center for Visual Arts and the Leu Art Gallery (Lila D. Bunch Library) to celebrate the wonderful work of **James Kuol Makuac** and some of Tennessee's most gifted and accomplished student artists and artist-teachers! In addition to the art crawl and reception, don't miss the following events:

Student and Teacher-Artist Recognition Ceremony at **5:45 p.m.** in the Leu Center for the Visual Arts.

Artist Talk with James Kuol Makuac at **6:45 p.m.** in the Leu Art Gallery of the Lila D. Bunch Library.

Remember to share thoughts and reflections about your Academy experiences on the new **Community Page**. Visit tnartscommunity.ning.com and select "Click here to join" in the upper right-hand corner to start posting!

Recap : Overture and Reception Celebration



Reminder!

Sign-up for Wednesday evening's Bravo Banquet at easels near the Academy Office table at Breakfast and Lunch **on MONDAY and TUESDAY** and at Breakfast only on **WEDNESDAY**. It's important that all TAA participants **sign up no later than 8 AM on WEDNESDAY!**

Important Numbers

Safety/Security	460.6617
Emergency Security	460.6911

FYI: Academy Visitor Guide

1. The Academy Office is located on the top floor at 1521 Bernard Avenue directly across from the entrance to the Curb Event Center parking garage. Office hours are 7:30 am - 5:30 pm, Monday through Friday. Also, a representative from the TAA office will be available all week during breakfast and lunch to help participants with any Academy questions or concerns. Look for the TAA Office sign.
2. **Computers** in the Bunch Library are available for your use. Please see one of the librarians if you would like to check your email. Much of the campus is also wireless, and no password is needed.
3. Please be mindful that video and audio recordings of classes, performances, or musings are not permitted without the direct permission of those involved.

. . from Sunday Night's Opening Remarks

"You can't do anything about the length of your life, but you can do something about its width and depth."

- H.L. Mencken as quoted by Frank Bluestein

"We want you to have fun this week. My definition of "fun" means that you're successful and yet you're challenged" - Madeline Bridges
"(Far and away the best prize that life has to offer is to) work hard at work worth doing." - Theodore Roosevelt as quoted by Frank Bluestein

"We just got word. Calories don't count this week!" - Madeline Bridges

"The arts truly are the first language, and I might add, the most important." - Frank Bluestein