

SPARK'S CALENDAR OF LOCAL EVENTS (CONTINUED)

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MUSIC

Celestial Choir of Bright Hope Baptist Church • 1:30 p.m. • Sixty-member ensemble. Special Events Pavilion, Longwood Gardens, U.S. 1, near Kennett Square, Pa. \$12, ages 16-20 \$6, 6-15 \$2, 5 and younger free. (610) 388-1000 or www. longwoodgardens.org

Pipe Organ Concert • 8 p.m. • Dick Smith will play the Grand Kimball Theatre pipe organ, the world's fourth-largest. John Dickinson High School, 1801 Milltown Road, Milltown. \$10 at the door, \$9 in advance. 995-5630

Chesapeake Brass Band • 7:30 p.m. • One of America's few allbrass concert bands in the English tradition. Smyrna Opera House, 107 S. Main St., Smyrna. \$8, children \$3. 653-4236 or www.smyrnaoperahouse.org

David Bromberg and Richie Havens • 8 p.m. • Grand Opera House, 818 Market Street Mall, Wilmington. \$27-\$31. 652-5577, (800) 37-GRAND or www.grand opera.org

Hester Street Troupe • 7:30-9:30 p.m. • Klezmer band from Cranford, N.J. Congregation Beth Emeth, 300 W. Lea Blvd., Wilmington. Advance \$18.50, door \$25. Congregation Beth Emeth 764-2393, or Chuck Marcus 791-

Holmes Brothers • 8 p.m. • Arden Gild Hall, 2126 The Highway, off Harvey Road, Arden. Members \$15, others \$20, 475-3126 or www.ardenclub.com

COMEDY

Comedy Cabaret • Reception 7:30 p.m., show at 9. • Featuring comedians Dina Blizzard, Patrick O'Donnell and Jay Black. 45 W. Main St., Middletown. \$25, includes reception and show. 376-

Wilmington & Western Railroad's Hockessin Arts Festival • 10 a.m.-5 p.m. • Twenty-seven artists will be displaying and selling original works, prints and greeting cards. Benefits the railroad. Hockessin Memorial Hall, Del. 41. \$2, 11 and younger free. 998-1930

HEALTH

Dental Health Fair • 10 a.m.-2 p.m. • For families. Sponsored by the Delaware State Dental Society, Delaware Dental Hygienists' Association and the Delaware Dental Assistants Association. Christiana Mall, Free, 545-5958

KIDS

American Girls Club • 11 a.m. • Learn ribbon embroidery like American Girl Samantha would have made during Victorian times. For age 9 and older Barnes & Noble, next to Concord Mall, U.S. 202, Brandywine Hundred. Free. 478-9677

presentations 1 and 3 p.m. • Juried exhibition of 500 photo-3,000 entries from 35 countries. University of Delaware, Arsht Hall, 2700 Pennsylvania Ave., Wilmington. Free. 479-0222 or www.delawarephotographic society.org

Bob Marley Birthday Bash • 1-8 p.m. • Reggae bands, open mike, cultural exhibits, fashion show, food, drumming, dancing and more. Christina Cultural Arts Center, 705 Market Street Mall, Wilmington. \$5. (856) 451-8663 Jam House • 6-10 p.m. • Monthly party offering games and dancing for aspiring rock stars, American Idolers and more. Kahunaville, 550 S. Madison St., Wilmington. \$5. 791-0504, 571-8402 or goldenvoicestudio.com

Mardi Gras Dinner & Party • 5:30 p.m. • Fun night for all ages. Benefits the Franciscan Center Hagley's Soda House, Del. 100 and Buck Road East, near Greenville. \$25, 11 and younger \$12. Reservations by Feb. 18. 656-0711

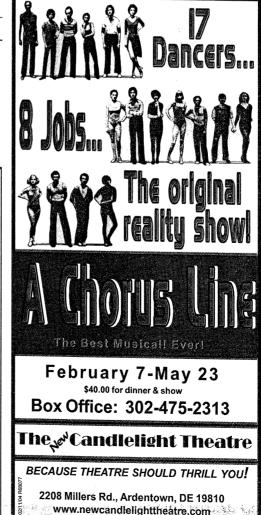
Sports Card, NASCAR, Comic Book and Collectible Show • 10 a.m.-3 p.m. • More than 50 area dealers, plus a special guest. Aetna fire hall, Del. 273, Newark. \$2, 12 and younger free. 438-0967 or harperr@gbc.edu



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