

# Upcoming

## Annual island art show coming in July

Artists are invited to participate in the annual Conanicut Island Art Association Art Show to be held at the Community Center July 19 to 23.

At the opening reception, which will be held Wednesday, July 19, from 7 to 8:30 p.m., everyone will have a chance to vote on a Peoples' Choice Award for the most popular piece of work.

David Barnes, instructor of painting and drawing at the Newport Art Museum, will serve as juror for the show and will award cash prizes, ranging from \$25 for an honorable mention to \$500 for Best-in-Show. The winners will be announced at the reception.

The show will run each day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and admission is free.

Visit [www.Jamestownri.com/CIAA](http://www.Jamestownri.com/CIAA) for more information.

## Visit the Godspeed replica in Newport next month

A replica of the 17th-century ship Godspeed will visit the Newport Yachting Center for tours and events the week of July 25 to 30.

The ship is making land at ports on the East Coast in celebration of the 400th anniversary of the founding of America's first permanent settlement, Jamestown, Va. The Godspeed carried the original settlers from England to Jamestown.

All events and tours conducted in period costumes are free and they will be held from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily.

For more information, go to [www.Americas400thanniversary.org](http://www.Americas400thanniversary.org).

## Tan book discussion on tap for July 11 session

The Afternoon Book Discussion at the Jamestown library continues on Tuesday, July 11, from 1 to 2 p.m. with the novel "The Bonesetter's Daughter" by Amy Tan. Amazon review said the book gives "empathetic insight into the complex relationship of Chinese mothers and their American-born daughters."

On Tuesday, August 8, the group will discuss "Shadow Divers: The True Adventure of Two Americans Who Risked Everything to Solve One of the Last Mysteries of World War II" by Robert Kurson.

The Tuesday group will be choosing its book selections for the next six months, so participants are invited to bring along suggestions.

These books may be obtained through the Jamestown library by placing holds on one of the many copies in the state available through the Cooperating Libraries Automated Network or CLAN.

## Picnic for seniors scheduled

The Jamestown Housing Authority will hold their annual Commissioner's Picnic on Saturday, July 8, at noon.

The picnic will be held outdoors at the Pemberton Apartments and all seniors are welcome to attend.

The rain date is July 9.

## Newport mansions host Wine and Food Festival this fall

Hosted by the Preservation Society of Newport County, the Newport Mansions Wine and Food Festival will debut this September with a remarkable three-day extravaganza in some of America's most beautiful and historic settings.

From Sept. 28 through Sept. 30, wine and food lovers will enjoy restaurant wine dinners pairing Newport's best chefs with some of the world's great wineries, a grand tasting on the lawn of Marble House, a gala celebration at Rosecliff, auctions of spectacular luxury goods and international wines, and seminars and cooking demonstrations by leading experts, including Kevin Zraly and Steve Olson.

For a complete list of participating wineries, restaurants, and ticket prices visit [www.newportmansions.org](http://www.newportmansions.org).

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