

ARTS FESTIVAL '18

The artistic and educational talents of the students in the Rockland Public Schools are presented for your viewing pleasure during the one-day festival. This marks the forty-fifth year that the students, faculty, and staff have presented the Arts Festival. Due to the fragile nature of some of the exhibits, we ask that children under twelve be accompanied by an adult.

We hope you enjoy your evening!

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ROCKLAND PUBLIC SCHOOLS

PRESENTS THE

2018 ARTS FESTIVAL

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4TH &

THURSDAY, APRIL 5TH

6:00—8:30 PM

ROCKLAND HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Arts Festival 2018

Rubik's Cubers

The Rubik's Cubers will be presenting a mosaic built from cubes as well as demonstrating easy methods to solve the 2x2 and 3x3 Rubik's Cube.

Computer Science

The introduction computer science classes are showcasing programs created in a variety of programming languages such as Scratch, C, and Python. Students in 9 through 12 created these programs.

Slime Station-run by science teacher Angela Armstrong

Science at its gooiest! Make and take a little homemade slime

Robotics-Interact with robots made by some of Dr. Graciela Mohamedi's Robotics students.

The Rockland Youth Commission will display various projects created by the children that attend the Tot Enrichment "Chipmunk" Program. In addition, the Youth Commission will provide information on upcoming spring, summer, community events, and the very popular Tot Enrichment "Chipmunk" Nursery and Pre-Kindergarten Program.

In Family and Consumer Science we believe creativity can and should be a part of our everyday lives. From our culinary art to our sewing projects, Art is all around us. FamConSci will be highlighting a variety of student skills in cooking, hand-stitching, machine stitched and applied projects. Work will be on display and entail: Stitch Book Samplers, Upcycled Glove Monsters, Empowerment Hearts, Pillows, Blankets, Stuffedies, Backpacks and Totes! We also believe in upcycling and recycling fiber arts. Upcycling adds value by transforming an otherwise disposable item into something of higher quality. It's the ultimate in reuse!

We're onboard with upcycling and looking to expand projects for next year! We're proud to be featuring a Crepery Station at this year's Art Festival. We'll be offering 3 types of crepes: nutella, jam and cinnamon sugar and butter. We are raising funds for a Grow Tower, to grow our own fresh herbs for cooking classes. Stop by and have a crepe -- it's for a great cause!

Images Magazine

Images will be set up to showcase student art and writing. We will be selling the annual (award winning) magazine, offering on the spot individualized poems created on a vintage typewriter, and running a face painting booth.

English Department

The "Blue Dog" Coffee-House Open Mic: The Arts Fest's Open-Mic event will provide a forum for RHS student poets and performers to share their work in a cozy environment with an enthusiastic audience.

The Positivity Project-Shelley Coulumbe and the newly formed Positivity Project will be running an interactive art mural where the community can leave messages or drawings that promote unity, acceptance, creativity and positivity on Post-It-Notes.

Rockland Music Department

The Rockland Band and Chorus will be performing concert selections in the HS auditorium. The department will also be provide a sneak preview of our spring musical "The Wizard of Oz." After a brief intermission, enjoy music from the Zach Webb band.