



5 Things To Do in the Hamptons & East End Through February 23, 2016

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Looking for things to do this week on the East End? Included this week are [Winterfest's Musical Kickoff Party](#), live jazz paired with wine, performance art, a hosted film screening and more. If you're searching for art exhibitions or what's on view in the galleries, visit our [Exhibition Finder](#) to discover art exhibited in galleries and museums in The Hamptons and East End. The [East End Galleries Scene](#) for February reveals exhibition openings taking place throughout the month in galleries in The Hamptons, The North Fork and Riverhead.

1. Winterfest - Live on the Vine Kickoff Party

The 9th Annual [Winterfest - Live on the Vine Kickoff Party](#) takes place on Friday, February 19, 2016 at the Suffolk Theater. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Long Island rock favorites [Miles To Dayton](#) and roots-music guitar wizard [Toby Walker](#) headline an evening of Americana music. Singer-songwriter [Andrew Fortier](#) opens the night. Click [here](#) for details on the musical line up.

Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. Tickets are limited and are available online by clicking [here](#) or by calling the Box Office at 631.727.4343. The Suffolk Theater is located at 118 E Main Street, Riverhead, NY 11901. www.liwinterfest.com.

Click [here](#) for event details.



Miles To Dayton.

2. Candlelight Friday at Wölffer Estate Vineyard

Live jazz heats up the tasting room at Wölffer Estate Vineyard during "Candlelight Friday" taking place on Friday, February 19, 2016 from 5 to 8 p.m. The evening features Vintage Jazz musician [Vanessa Trouble](#). Wine, cheese and charcuterie plates are available for purchase.

Admission is free. Wölffer Estate Vineyard is located at 139 Sagg Road, Sagaponack, NY 11962. www.wolffer.com.

Click [here](#) for event details.

3. Open Rehearsals by 7 Daughters of Eve Thtr. & Perf. Co. and Sahra Motalebi at Watermill Center

Watermill Center offers a pair of Open Rehearsals on Saturday, February 20, 2016. Leading the evening is visual artist, composer and vocalist Sahra Motalebi presenting her open rehearsal from 6 to 7 p.m. Presenting from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. is Sibyl Kempson's performance company 7 Daughters of Eve Thtr. & Perf. Co. with Thomas Riccio ([rescheduled from last week](#)).

Sahra Motalebi will present *Flesh, Format*, a section of musical dialogue from *Rendering What Remains*, a 40 minute opera that includes multiple staged performances, video, sculpture installations and a novella. The semi-autobiographical piece explores the inner lives of two sisters living in dissimilar circumstances 100 years from now. The libretto is based on a year-long period of online communication between Motalebi and her sister living in Iran, to whom she bares a striking resemblance but has never met in person. Motalebi plays both herself and her sister and utilizes experimental musical structure, narrative chorus, and visual dramaturgy. Motalebi will present the work at National Sawdust in Brooklyn, NY on February 25, 2016 at 10 p.m.

12 Shouts to the Ten Forgotten Heavens is a performance immersion project that will be presented, as a finished production, at The Whitney. Beginning in March 2016, the piece will be presented in a series of one-day performances staged four times per year for the next three years. 7 Daughters of Eve Thtr & Perf. Co. unearths and contemplates - in contexts of live performance, ritual and installation - places in human history where science, religion, and feminism intersect.

Admission is free and space is limited. Registration is required and can be made by clicking [here](#). Watermill Center is located at 39 Water Mill Towd Road Water Mill, NY 11976. www.watermillcenter.org.

Click [here](#) for event details.

4. Alec Baldwin Hosts Hamptons International Film Festival Film Screening

Guild Hall screens *McCabe & Mrs. Miller* on Saturday, February 20, 2016 at 7 p.m. as part of the Hamptons International Film Festival's Winter Classic series. Alec Baldwin hosts the evening featuring Robert Altman's 1971 Western about love and the pursuit of wealth in early America. The move stars Warren Beatty, Julie Christie, Rene Auberjonois, William Devane, and John Schuck

[Admission](#) is \$22, \$20 for members. Guild Hall is located at 158 Main Street, East Hampton, NY 11937. www.guildhall.org.

Click [here](#) for event details.

5. JDTLab Staged Reading: *My Girl* by Judy Spencer at Guild Hall

A staged reading of *My Girl* by Judy Spencer takes place on Tuesday, February 23, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. in Guild Hall's John Drew Theater Lab. *My Girl* is the story of two women involved in an unexpected romance. The staged reading is directed by Minerva Scelza and stars Sharon O'Connell, Diana Walker, Lydia Franco-Hodges, Kate Mueth, Amy Kirwin, and Amanda Griemsmann.

Admission is free. Guild Hall is located at 158 Main Street, East Hampton, NY 11937. www.guildhall.org.

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"Fish Bowl" by Dan Shupe. Courtesy Guild Hall.

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