

Southampton Cultural Center Presents Two Events to Support Cultural Programming

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Southampton Cultural Center Hosts a Benefit Gala and Vocal Performances to Benefit its Year-Round Cultural Programming.

The Southampton Cultural Center (SCC) is hosting two benefit events in June to celebrate its contributions to the arts in the Hamptons and East End community and in support of its art and culture programming. Immediately after Memorial Day Weekend, the chance to have fun and support the arts takes place in its Second Annual Gala "An Evening of Wine & Roses," taking place on Sunday, June 4, 2017. The following week, a series of vocal performance will benefit SCC's theater programming and help kick off its upcoming season.

Annual Gala: An Evening of Wine & Roses

Southampton Cultural Center holds its <u>Annual Gala</u> on Sunday, June 4, 2017 from 5 to 8 p.m. The Gala celebrates 31 Years of education, exhibitions and performance on Sunday, June 4, 2017 from 5 to 8 p.m. The event features delectable dishes and wines along with live and silent auctions.

The Gala honors **Tom Clavin**, NY Times Bestselling Author; **Dan Gasby**, Restauranteur and Brain Health Advocate; **Bonnie Grice**, Actress, NPR Broadcaster and host of The Song is You; **Phil Keith**, Author, Publisher, Educator; and **Paton Miller**, Artist, Educator.

Master of Ceremonies is **Gus Rosendale**, NBC Anchor - Channel 4 News.

Southampton Social Club is located at 256 Elm Street, Southampton, NY 11968.

Tickets are \$225 and \$125 for Emerging Leaders under 35 years old. For tickets, visit www.scc-arts.org; call 631-287-4377 or email scc@scc-arts.org.



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Center Stage Benefit: "Darren Ottati: The Boys of Broadway"

<u>Center Stage</u> at Southampton Cultural Center presents "Darren Ottati: The Boys of Broadway" from June 16 through June 18, 2017. All three performances benefit Center Stage and kicks off the local theater troupe's 10th Season.

Darren Ottati leads a quintet of tenors, baritones and basses in this benefit concert highlighting Broadway's most treasured male musical numbers. Featuring songs from "Damn Yankees," "Guys and Dolls," "The Civil War," "Beauty and the Beast," "On the Town," "South Pacific," "Brigadoon," "Les Miserables" and many more.

In addition to Mr. Ottati, the evening features David Michael Cress, Tom Rosante, Doug Sabo and Jack Seabury.

Amanda Jones musically directs the Center Stage Orchestra.

Light refreshments and beverages will be served.

"<u>Darren Ottati: The Boys of Broadway</u>" will be performed June 16 to 18, 2017. Friday and Saturday shows are at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday's matinee is at 2:30 p.m.

General admission tickets are \$45.00. Ringside table seats are \$55.00. Tickets may be purchased online at www.scc-arts.org and at Gayle's Beauty Salon in Hampton Bays. Reservations may be made by calling (631) 287-4377.

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Darren Ottati. Courtesy of Southampton Cultural Center.

About Southampton Cultural Center

Southampton Cultural Center (SCC), a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, combines art, education, dance, music and theatre to engage and nourish the entire community with the arts. Established in 1985, SCC serves all East End residents and visitors by providing a variety of programming including classes, art exhibitions, and live performances for children and adults at affordable prices. A bequest by the late Willard Levitas and his wife, Aura, allowed for a renovation and expansion that led to the 2006 opening of SCC's lauded performance space The Levitas Center for the Arts.

Southampton Cultural Center is committed to taking a leadership role in the expansion of the Southampton Village Arts District as part of its mission to engage our diverse community and nourish excellence in all creative art forms.

BASIC FACTS: "An Evening of Wine & Roses" takes place on Sunday, June 4, 2017 from 5 to 8 p.m. Tickets are \$225 and \$125 for Emerging Leaders under 35 years old. For tickets, visit www.scc-arts.org; call 631-287-4377 or email scc@scc-arts.org . "Darren Ottati: The Boys of Broadway" will be performed June 16 to 18, 2017. General admission tickets are \$45.00. Ringside table seats are \$55.00. Tickets may be purchased online at www.scc-arts.org and at Gayle's Beauty Salon in Hampton Bays. Reservations may be made by calling (631) 287-4377.

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