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#### Evening Program

7:30

Cocktails and Auction Viewing

8:30

Enter Dining Room

9:00

Welcome & Program

Live Auction

Paddle Raise

9:30

Dinner & Dancing

10:30

Auction & Raffle Close

Celebrate till Midnight!

Special Thank You

Athena Longoria  
&  
Stephen Byfield



The Pelham Art Center is a non-profit educational and cultural institution committed to providing access to study, experience and appreciate the arts.

The Pelham Art Center strives to be a vibrant, engaging arts space that provides unique opportunities to learn and enhance artistic skills and practices. With community at our core, we welcome participants of diverse backgrounds to foster connections and encourage the open exchange of ideas.

Pelham Art Center values include:  
Creativity, Innovation, Community, & Respect







The Pelham Art Happening started in 1970. Hundreds of people-artists, musicians, and Pelham area residents of all ages-participated in a town-wide arts festival inside the Pelham Memorial High School gymnasium, which developed into the Pelham Art Center. The "Art Happening," took place as part of the Metropolitan Museum of Art's 100th anniversary outreach initiative "Project in Education." The two-day celebration of art and music was a great success. In 1975, the Art Happening transformed into Pelham Art Center, a 501c3 nonprofit. A devoted team of volunteers donated tremendous amounts of time, money, creativity, and energy to turn a former bicycle shop and real estate office on Fifth Avenue, Pelham into a year-round community art center.

In 1985, Pelham Art Center transformed a former Cities Service gas station into the multi-arts space that stands today. The organization now continues its fifty-year+ history of providing public access to see, study and experience the arts. Scholarship opportunities and outreach programs began as soon as there was year round space for the Pelham Art Center.

Pelham Art Center is a 5,000+ sq foot multi-purpose art facility that features a large gallery space, 3 art studios including a media lab, and a 2,500 sq foot public courtyard. The large studio, Studio I serves multiple purposes. It has 8 ceramic wheels, 10 easels, painting racks, sculpture storage shelves, and a kiln room with 2 kilns. This studio hosts most of the traditional art technique classes such as figure drawing, oil techniques, portrait intensives, drawing and painting, abstract painting, collage classes, and a thriving ceramics program. We also have open studio opportunities, workshops, and public programs where this space is used for creative minds to expand.

Studio II is a more intimate art space that hosts smaller classes and youth oriented classes including Preschool Art, magna drawing, comic book drawing, stop motion, watercolor class, cartooning, imagination station, and art exploration. In Summer 2022 this studio also acquired a printing press so PAC can offer printmaking classes!

In the Media Lab a variety of STEAM classes take place including Photoshop for Animation, Stop Motion, Scratch Coding, Digital Art and Design, Photography, Computer Literacy, and Video classes. The Media Lab reopened in Summer 2022 with newly updated technology and venting.

Pelham Art Center aims to make art as accessible as possible and to engage as many local artists as possible. PAC works with over 100 artists annually and has thousands of people interact with our free exhibitions, programs, public art projects and affordable classes, workshops and free educational programs made possible through our outreach partnerships.

### Gallery Programs & Public Art

Each year Pelham Art Center presents six or seven art exhibitions that feature local, national and international artists. All styles and disciplines are represented: painting; drawing; photography; ceramics; sculpture; prints; film, video and sound art; installation art; and contemporary craft, fiber and folk arts. The gallery is free to visit, open to the public, and accessible to disabled visitors. Exhibition openings are open and free to all. Public Art projects are curated and on view in the PAC courtyard, on the outside of the building, and in Wolfs Lane Park in the Village of Pelham.

Pelham Art Center regularly hosts lectures, artist events, discussions, community concerts, the beloved Folk Art Programs including Day of the Dead, Diwali, Bomba and a variety of free public programs to engage with art such as Community Art Day, ArtsFest, and an Art Happening!

### Education & Outreach

The education and outreach programs are facilitated through the work of Alejandra Hernandez, Director of Education, Sonika Gupta, Education & Programs Coordinator, and a team of 35 diverse teaching artists in the PAC network. Continuous studio and technology upgrades, new equipment purchases and building improvements keep these programs current.

PAC offers classes and workshops in fashion illustration, painting, drawing, figure drawing, pastels, comics, ceramics, wheel throwing, printmaking, 3D printing, stop motion animation, watercolor, collage, mixed media and more for students of all ages, youth, teen and adult. Scholarships are available for all ages and applications are available in English and Spanish.

Outreach Programs: PAC offers offsite education classes, after school, in schools, community settings, and public spaces, occasionally with a field trip to Pelham Art Center to use our professional facilities. By investing in the PAC Education Department, PAC has strengthened the relationships and programs to continue to provide art accessibility for everyone.

**The 2022-23 outreach partners have included: Mount Vernon Central School District (Going to Kindergarten Summer program, PreK Parent Academy, ATLAS Gifted & Talented Program), Youth Community Outreach Programs (YCOP), Westchester Jewish Community Services (Hartley Park, Mount Vernon), New Rochelle Community Development (Taste of Union Ave), Pelham Library, Amani Public Charter School, Project Community (Project CHILDD for youth with developmental disabilities), Girl Scouts of America (3 troops from Pelham and New Rochelle), Prospect Hill Elementary, Hutchinson Elementary School, and Colonial Elementary School.**



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## and its continued GROWTH

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the seeds for the future of PAC!

An advertisement for DeCicco & Sons Events & Catering. The background is a vibrant image of a charcuterie board featuring various cheeses, pomegranate seeds, figs, grapes, and bread. The text is overlaid on a semi-transparent white box. At the top is the company logo, followed by the tagline 'MAKE ENTERTAINING EASY WITH OUR Award-Winning Events & Catering'. Below this is a paragraph describing their services, followed by instructions on how to view the menu and place an order. At the bottom, there is a 'BEST WESTCHESTER WINNER' seal, social media handles, and a QR code.

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Congratulations PAC on another year of  
great programming!

Thanks for bringing art to life in Pelham!



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# Congratulations!



~ From ~  
**Leg. Terry Clements**

I am proud to continue to support the  
great work that the Pelham Art Center  
does in our community every day!

A thriving arts scene makes the Sound  
Shore so much more vibrant.

Congratulations on another successful  
year, and good luck on the year ahead!



Congratulations Pelham Art  
Center on another fantastic year!

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**JUNIOR LEAGUE OF PELHAM**



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*Happy to support local artists!*

*Keep Growing Pelham Arts Center!*

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## Thank you Stephen Byfield!

Stephen has served up great music for audiences for over 30 years (from England to Toronto to New York), while having a co-career in Digital Television & Video production for over 20 years.

He has been awarded the Best DJ (Alternative Styles) Award by Stella Artois. His performances include both music / music video options.

Over the years, Stephen has held residency at Toronto's top venues, and has been selected to DJ private events for Grammy Winning Artists & Celebrities including: Prince, Maxwell, Alicia Keys, John Legend, Robert Plant, Robert De Niro, Vince Vaughn, Joan Jett, Lance Bass, & Others, The Toronto International Film Festival, Toronto Fashion Week, & Major Corporate Operations.





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Congratulations to Pelham Art Center on  
another great year of programming!  
Thank You PAC Board and Staff for your  
continued dedication to providing art,  
education and access to the Pelham  
community and beyond!

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**JUNE 16TH**

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127 Toonerville Music Festi...  
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114 Harlem And All That J...  
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128 Whiskey Basket from ...  
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102 Gerbera Daisies by Be...  
\$175



121 Tig & Peach Play Space  
\$120



111 Custom Pet Portrait  
\$75



## Live Auction Highlights!

### Weekend getaway in North Fork - 2 Nights

Renovated 4-bed, 3-bath vacation home. Outdoor, in-ground, heated saltwater pool from shallow to deep. Plenty of spaces & nooks to spread out with your friends & family. Small beach with private access 2 blocks away, with larger beaches less than 1 miles from the property. Minutes away from the best wineries & restaurants that the North Fork has to offer. The heated pool is open from mid May through mid October.

Starting Bid: \$500  
(Value \$2,000)



### Utah Mountain Adventure Home

Beds: 2 Kings, 3 Queens, 2 Twin Beds. Six nights in Heber City Utah - go skiing in the winter or hiking and biking in the summer! Amazing views of Timpanogos! Enjoy this 6-bedroom home that will sleep 12 as the home base for your Utah outdoor adventures. Located between Park City and Sundance, it is a short drive to those two ski resorts and so much more! An outdoor pizza oven and fire pit await you for evening entertainment, or if the weather isn't cooperating, use the home's movie theater and popcorn machine for a night in!

Starting Bid \$1,000  
(Value: \$7,200)

### Fri. Sept. 8th - PAC Cocktail Party for 50 Guests!

Pelham Art Center Board Hosts a Cocktail Party for you and 50 of your best friends! You provide the venue, we get the rentals (value \$1,000) and do all the work. Delicious hors d'oeuvres, cocktails, and a creative and sophisticated vibe! Let's party!

Starting Bid: \$3,500  
(Value: \$5,000+)







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