



**Music, Arts & Entertainment**

**March 4 - April 15: Buffalo Niagara Art Association Exhibit**

*Kenan Center, 433 Locust St., Lockport / 716-433-2617*

**Mon., - Fri., 12-5pm | Sat., & Sun., 2-5pm.** Featuring work in a variety of media by member artists from across the Buffalo Niagara region. Gallery will be closed March 30 - April 1.

**March 16: ICE JAM (\$)**

*Cornerstone CFCU Arena, 1 Grigg Lewis Way, Lockport / 716-438-7698*

**8-10pm.** Friday night ICE JAM is a public skate with a state of the art laser light show. Schedule is subject to change.

**March 16: Live Music at the DoubleTree**

*Parkway Prime, 401 Buffalo Ave., Niagara Falls / 716-524-3740*

**5-7pm.** Live music, food and drink specials at Parkway Prime inside DoubleTree by Hilton Niagara Falls.

**March 16: Live Music at Bella Vista**

*Bella Vista Ristorante, 7001 Buffalo Ave., Niagara Falls (Inside Four Points by Sheraton) / 716-299-0344*

**7-10pm.** Enjoy live music featuring Bob Volkman at Bella Vista Ristorante inside Four Points by Sheraton Niagara Falls. Free and open to the public. Food and drinks available for purchase.

**March 16-18: Artists of Color Exhibit**

*Niagara Arts and Cultural Center, 1201 Pine Ave., Niagara Falls / 716-282-7530*

**Fri., 9am - 5pm | Sat., & Sun., 12-4pm.** This annual exhibit celebrates the collective work of African American artists of Western New York and is envisioned as a representation of the African American experience from the historical, contemporary and personal perspective.

**March 16-18: Black White & One Color Photography Exhibition**

*Art247, 247 Market St., Lockport / 716-404-9884*  
**Fri., 10am - 5pm | Sat., & Sun., 11am - 5pm.**

An exhibition of regional photographers exploring photographic and artistic expression through the use of only black, white, and one color.

**March 17: 36<sup>th</sup> Annual St. Patrick's Day Celebration**

*Conference & Event Center Niagara Falls, 101 Old Falls St., Niagara Falls / 716-278-2100*

**5pm.** Featuring traditional Irish food and beverages, music by The Blarney Bunch, and Irish dance performances by the McCarthy School of Dance. Attendees are asked to bring in non-perishable food items to be donated to Heart & Soul Food Pantry. Prior to the party, guests can experience the "World's Shortest Parade," at 4:45 p.m. Children under 12 receive FREE admission.

**March 17: Selected Works by Tom Busch**

*Project 308 Gallery, 308 Oliver St., North Tonawanda / 716-523-0068*

**12-3pm.** This solo exhibition will feature work by Buffalo native, Tom Busch. "Selected Works" will showcase his work depicting faces and figures in environments that are both recognizable and metaphorical.

**March 17-18: Maple Weekend**

*Niagara County Locations*  
See how maple products are produced, from tree to table, and purchase maple products! Participating producers are, Gaeta Family Farm, 3789 Ridge Rd., Lockport, NY 14094 AND Wolf Maple Products, 9355 Chestnut Ridge Rd., Middleport, NY 14105.

**March 18: Creative Crafts (\$)**

*The Winery at Marjim Manor, 7171 E Lake Rd., Appleton / 716-778-7001*  
**2-3:30pm.** Learn the art of painting wine glasses at The Winery at Marjim Manor. For one fee, you will receive all materials, instruction, refreshments and a glass of wine for those 21 years or older.

**March 18: Souper Sundays (\$)**

*Niagara Wine Trail, USA*  
Enjoy soup with a featured wine, cider or mead with regular tasting fee. Visit [niagarawinetrail.org](http://niagarawinetrail.org) for a full list of participating wineries.

**March 20: History of the Fort Enrichment Program**

*Old Fort Niagara, 102 Morrow Plaza, Youngstown / 716-745-7611*

**7pm.** Featuring a free program about Women of Fort Niagara.

**March 20: Lighthouses of Niagara County**

*Niagara History Center, 215 Niagara St., Lockport / 716-434-7433*

**5:30-7:30pm.** Learn all about Niagara County's lighthouses on Lake Ontario. After make your own lighthouse along with other family-friendly activities.

**March 21: Rainforest Café Family Fun Night (\$)**

*Rainforest Café, 300 Third St., Niagara Falls / 716-278-2626*

**4:30-8:30pm.** Make Wednesday night Family Night! Rainforest Café will offer a free kids meal with every purchase of an adult entrée. Kids will enjoy a free game card for At The Falls Arcade, balloon animals, CHA CHA and more!

**March 22: One Like the Sea: Frederick Douglass' Global Search For Democracy and Equality**

*Niagara History Center, 215 Niagara St., Lockport / 716-434-7433*

**2-3pm.** Verdis Robinson will speak about abolitionist Frederick Douglass' continued search for democracy and equality after the end of slavery. Robinson's program will follow Douglass' travel diary as he journeyed to Europe and the Middle East from 1886-87.

**March 22: Jazz at the CAC (\$)**

*Carnegie Art Center, 240 Goundry St., North Tonawanda / 716-694-4400*

**7pm.** Join the historic Carnegie Art Center for live music featuring The Bobby Militello Quartet. Limited seating. Tickets available for purchase online.

## Culinary

**March 16: Niagara Falls Culinary Institute Beverage Class (\$)**  
*Niagara Falls Culinary Institute, 28 Old Falls St., Niagara Falls / 716-210-2525*

**6-8:30pm.** Taste a range of beers that complement the spirit of St. Paddy's Day. (21+)

**March 17: Niagara Falls Culinary Institute Demo (\$)**  
*Niagara Falls Culinary Institute, 28 Old Falls St., Niagara Falls / 716-210-2525*

**5-7:30pm.** Bailey's like you have never had before. Learn an innovative way to stay festive creating a Bailey's Mocha Mousse Cake. Tasting is definitely required. Take home your own 6" cake. (21+)

## Outdoors

**March 17: Lookin' for Spring!**  
*Artpark-Earl W. Brydges State Park, 450 S Fourth St., Lewiston / 716-282-5154*

**1-3pm.** Emerge from winter hibernation and take a walk through the park to rediscover the beauty of spring. Call to register.

## Shopping

**March 17: North Tonawanda City Market**  
*Corner of Payne Ave. & Robinson St., North Tonawanda*  
**7am - 1pm.** Fresh produce, flowers, pastries and more.