

with bubble sizes, walls, shapes and colors. 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, 600 Main St., Beaumont (409) 833-5100

"Defining Moments: An exhibition of works by Bryan Collier"

The Art Museum of Southeast Texas Through May 4

"Defining Moments" includes the original artwork of rising children's illustrator and fine artist Bryan Collier. Collier is gaining national attention for his signature style of illustrating that combines both watercolor and collage. He is the illustrator of a number of award winning books. 500 Main St., Beaumont (409) 832-3432

Michelle Cate, photography
The Art Studio Inc.

May 3

Michelle Cate, photography, mixed media, opening reception for May show. 7 p.m. Saturday, 720 Franklin St., Beaumont (409) 838-5393.

Treasure Auction

The Art Museum of Southeast Texas
May 8

AMSET's Treasure Auction fund-raiser traditionally employs artists and artisans to create decorative items based on a theme. Funds raised benefits AMSET's exhibitions and education programs. Thursday evening, 500 Main St., Beaumont (409) 832-3432

Works by Sharon Kopriva

The Art Museum of Southeast Texas
May 17-July 13

Internationally-renowned artist Sharon Kopriva, of Houston, has an arsenal of exhibition dating from the 1980s to the present. Kopriva is known for her use of papier mache to create stunning, life-like figures inspired from her Catholic religious childhood. 500 Main St., Beaumont (409)832-3432

Second Sunday/Membership show
Texas Artists Museum

May 18

Second Sunday at the Museum free program with Driftwood Quartet singers. May exhibit: Membership show. 2:30 p.m. Sunday, 3501 Cultural Center Drive,



Destination Anywhere: How We Travel at Museum of Gulf Coast.

Port Arthur (409) 983-4881

A Whimsical World
Museum of the Gulf Coast
June 22-Aug. 10

A Whimsical World, an exhibition of Bill Sizemore's artwork. 700 Procter Street, downtown Port Arthur (409)984-6444

Alternative Show
The Art Studio Inc.

June 5

Alternative show, opening reception for June show. 7 p.m. Saturday, 720 Franklin St., Beaumont (409) 838-5393

Second Sunday/Souls Afire
Texas Artists Museum

June 8

Second Sunday at the Museum free program, Spirit of Texas singers. June exhibit: "Souls Afire" African-American art from local collections. 2:30 p.m. Sunday 3501, Cultural Center Drive, Port Arthur (409) 983-4881

Other events

Golfweek Magazine and Games
People Play Present: Golf Fest 2008
April 4-5

Consumers will be able to try and buy the latest and greatest golf equipment while enjoying free golf clinics, golf entertainment, contests and fun for the entire family. Noon-7 p.m. Friday, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday. 5945 College St. in Beaumont. (409) 866-3883

Beaumont Drillers game
April 5

Indoor arena American

Professional Football League. Wichita Falls at Beaumont. 7:05 p.m. Saturday kickoff, Ford Arena, 5115 IH-10 South, Beaumont (409)951-5413. www.fordparktx.com

Bodon Gun Show
Robert A. "Bob" Bowers Civic Center
April 5-6

Regional gun and knife show, jewelry sales for the ladies. 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. 3401 Cultural Dr., Port Arthur. (936) 346-2695

Relay for Life
Beaumont
April 11

The American Cancer Society's signature event, is a fun-filled overnight experience designed to bring together those who have been touched by cancer. At Lamar University-Beaumont. (409) 835-1597

Sesame Street Live
Ford Arena
April 11-13

Elmo Grows Up. Introducing Abby Cadabby! The newest Muppet on Sesame Street joins Elmo, Zoe, Rosita and all of her furry and feathered friends in asking, 'What do you want to be when you grow up?' as they prepare for a pageant on Sesame Street. Get ready to sing cowboy songs, ride the rails and more with Sesame Street Live "When Elmo Grows Up." Friday through Sunday, 5115 IH-10 South Beaumont. (409) 951-5413, www.fordparktx.com

Texas Motor Sports Expo
Ford Park Midway and Barns
April 11-13

This car show is open to all makes and models of cars. Friday through Sunday, 5115 IH-10 South (409) 951-5400, www.fordparktx.com

Antique rose seminar
Lutcher Theater
April 12

Glenn Schroeter of the Antique Rose Emporium will present A New Look at Old Roses. Free. 1 p.m. Saturday 707 Main Ave., Orange (409)745-5535 or www.lutcher.org.

Beaumont Industrial Show & Crawfish Boil
Beaumont Civic Center
April 9-10

The Show is designed to bring buyers and sellers together to conduct business in a relaxed, social atmosphere. Wednesday, 701 Main St. Beaumont (303)283-0640 ext. 205 or (409)838-3435.

Beaumont Drillers game
April 19

Indoor arena American Professional Football League. Conroe at Beaumont. 7:05 p.m. Saturday kickoff. Ford Arena, 5115 IH-10 South, Beaumont. (409) 951-5413, www.fordparktx.com

Earth Week
Shangri La Botanical Gardens and Nature Center
April 20-26

Visitors can sign up for Adams Bayou boat tours, heronry bird walks, nature hikes, greenhouse tours and lectures with guest speakers. All of these activities are provided free of charge by the Nelda C. and H. J. Lutcher Stark Foundation. 2111 West Park Avenue in Orange. (409) 670-9113 or www.shangrilagardens.org.

11th Annual Health and Wellness in the Millennium Conference
April 25

Sponsored by the city of Port Arthur and Lamar State College - Port Arthur. 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. Friday, Robert A. "Bob" Bowers Civic Center, 3401 Cultural Dr. (409)983-8864.