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The Brooklyn Museum Announces Public Programs in June for Visitors of All Ages



First Saturday: Pride, June 2023. (Photo: Kolin Mendez)

The Brooklyn Museum announces its lineup of June programming, including a <u>Brooklyn Talks</u> with photographers Tyler Mitchell and Qiana Mestrich, whose work is inspired by Consuelo Kanaga's; <u>First Saturday: Star-Makers</u>, featuring trailblazing queer artists; and <u>Weekend Art: Summer Print Jam</u>. Additional programs and special events amplify the Museum's exhibitions and collections, serve the surrounding community, and support learning through the visual arts.

Museum Members enjoy complimentary or discounted tickets and early access to public programs.

For accessibility accommodations, including ASL interpretation, email access@brooklynmuseum.org.

Highlights of the full schedule are as follows:

Brooklyn Pop-Up Market

Sundays, June 1–29, 10:30 am–5:30 pm Plaza, 1st Floor Free and open to the public.

Stop by our market to shop one-of-a-kind, handmade items from local artisans. This weekly event features more than 30 vendors offering artwork, jewelry, fashion, home and apothecary goods, and more.

Gallery Tours: A Few of Our Favorite Things

Wednesdays-Sundays, June 4–29 (except for June 7 and 8), 1–2 pm Meet in the Lobby, 1st Floor Free with Museum admission.

Discover your new favorite artworks in an immersive tour of the Brooklyn Museum. Join one of our <u>A.R.T.</u> <u>Guides</u>, trained volunteers who are passionate about art and the conversations it encourages, for a free tour through our galleries.

Pop-Up Talks

Wednesdays-Sundays, June 4–29, 2–3 pm and 3–4 pm Ask for location details at the Admissions Desk Free with Museum admission.

Only have 15 minutes? That's plenty of time to learn about artworks throughout the Museum during these free, short talks led by our A.R.T. Guides.

LGBTQ+ Teen Night: Past, Presence, and Future

Friday, June 6, 5–7:30 pm

Lobby, 1st Floor

Free; registration is encouraged. Open to all LGBTQ+ teens and their allies ages 14-19.

Celebrate art, queer activism, identity, and allyship in our 12th annual LGBTQ+ <u>Teen Night!</u> Created by and for teens, the evening will be full of art-making, performances, and much more.

First Saturday: Star-Makers

Saturday, June 7, 5–10 pm

Throughout the Museum

Free; registration is required and includes Museum general admission.

Join us for a lineup of trailblazing queer artists who shine across mediums, from film and music to drag and visual art. Inspired by Oscar yi Hou's *The Arm Wrestle of Chip & Spike; aka: Star-Makers*, June's First Saturday celebrates luminaries who forge constellations of connection among queer Brooklynites.

Weekend Art: Sunday Art Hang

Sunday, June 8, 2-4 pm

Ask for location details at the Admissions Desk Free with <u>Museum admission</u>.

Bring the family to explore our galleries and exhibitions, from ancient Egyptian masterpieces to contemporary artworks. At the June edition of this free drop-in program, you'll look closely at an object in <u>Toward Joy: New Frameworks for American Art</u> and create art inspired by the work.

Brooklyn Talks: Tyler Mitchell and Qiana Mestrich

Thursday, June 12, 7–9 pm Auditorium, 3rd Floor

Tickets are \$25 and include after-hours access to Consuelo Kanaga: Catch the Spirit.

Take a closer look at the special exhibition <u>Consuelo Kanaga: Catch the Spirit</u> through conversations with contemporary photographers Tyler Mitchell and Qiana Mestrich, who take inspiration from Kanaga's work.

Brooklyn Symphony Orchestra: Opera Selections and Tchaikovsky

Sunday, June 15, 2-4 pm

Auditorium, 3rd Floor

Advance <u>tickets</u> are available through the Brooklyn Symphony Orchestra at \$15 for adults 65+ and Museum Members and \$20 for non-Members; same-day tickets are \$25 at the door. Free for ages 16 and under.

The Brooklyn Symphony Orchestra's 51st season concludes with a program exploring the theme of fate, led by guest conductor Felipe Tristán.

Juneteenth Jubilee

Saturday, June 21, 1–5 pm Throughout the Museum

Free with Museum admission (purchase tickets for Solid Gold separately).

Celebrate Juneteenth with an afternoon of activities and music celebrating self-expression, community, and Black liberation and creativity. Plus, don't miss a special tour of <u>Nancy Elizabeth Prophet: I Will Not Bend an Inch</u>.

ASL Tour: Breaking the Mold

Saturday, June 21, 2–4 pm Meet in the Pavilion, 1st Floor Free; <u>registration</u> is required.

Visitors from the D/deaf community are invited to experience <u>Breaking the Mold: Brooklyn Museum at 200</u> in an American Sign Language (ASL) tour, led by a Deaf teaching artist.

Weekend Art: Summer Print Jam

Sunday, June 22, 1–4 pm Education Studios, 1st Floor Free with **Museum admission**.

Create prints using Legos in this free, all-ages workshop inspired by *Breaking the Mold: Brooklyn Museum at 200*.