



What's up in DOWNTOWN CAMBRIDGE

this weekend

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17

MICHENER "THE WATERMEN" DISCUSSION: Come discuss *The Watermen*, a book of selected chapters from James Michener's novel *Chesapeake*. More info at 410.228.7331. The discussion will be held in the meeting room at 6pm. Dorchester County Public Library, 303 Gay St.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18

OPEN MIC: Glenn Wong kicks off the evening with ukulele instruction, playing and singing. Other performers are welcome as well. 6:30-9:30pm. Serving food and beverages until 8pm. Overflow Café, 400 Muir St.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19

TASTING EVENT: Olio Oils, World Centric Compostable Packaging, and Night Kitchen Coffee in the store with samples and answering questions. Simmons Center Market, 600 Race St.

SMITHSONIAN WATER/WAYS EXHIBIT: Traveling exhibit and local, companion exhibit dive into water's environmental and cultural impact on our planet. Runs Oct. 19 – Nov. 30. Sat 10am-6pm, Sunday noon – 4pm. Dorchester Center for the Arts, 321 High St. (second floor)

SAIL ON A SKIPJACK: As part of the Smithsonian Water/Ways exhibit, the Skipjack Nathan of Dorchester offers a special cruise with docents sharing information about the river. 3:30-5:30pm. Adults: \$35, Children 6-12: \$10, under 6: free. Departs from Long Wharf. There's also the usual weekly sail at 1pm. Reserve your spot at skipjack-nathan.org or 410.228.7141.

CONCERT: Awaken Christian Concert. 4-10pm. 700 Race St. (City Lot)

MISS GROOVE THEATRE PAGEANT: Groove Theatre hosts a drag pageant with contestants competing in gaudy challenges and showing off a variety of skill sets. Blue Ruin will be serving drinks. \$20 per person. groovetheatre.com. Doors open at 6:30pm, show at 7pm. 447 Race St.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20

WORKSHOP: Paint a Lazy Susan. Personalize the design. 1-4pm. \$55, all supplies provided. Stop in or call to sign up – 240.498.5762. The Blue Awning, 430 Race St.

SHOPS AND RESTAURANTS:

BISTRO POPLAR: Delightful ambiance, delicious drinks, and outstanding food. Casually elegant with traditional French cooking. 535 Poplar St.

HONEYBEE TRADING: Playfully quaint goods on sale, ceramics, candles and whipped honeys. 432 Race St.

THE ARTS



Dorchester Center for the Arts: Leslie Giles "Reflecting on Water" and Community Photography & Digital Arts Exhibition. Sat 10am-6pm, Sunday noon-4pm. 321 High St.

Main Street Gallery: "Inspiration" with featured artist Fran Gross. Open Friday & Saturday 11am-9pm. Sunday 11am-4pm. 518 Poplar St.

Downtown Frame of Mine: Find one of the greatest collections of fine original art. 319 High St.

