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Attention Readers

The Chattanooga News Chronicle is pivoting to a bi-weekly print and circulation schedule with a renewed focus on digital content.

This month's print editions will run June 2, June 16, June 30, 2022.

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National Gun Violence Awareness Day and Wear Orange Weekend June 3rd-5th

5th Annual Black Arts Festival Schedule of Events

Date	Event Title	Time	Location	Tickets
Saturday, June 4th	RGB Ball (Red, Black & Green) Formal	6:30 PM Cocktails; 7:00 Dinner; 8:00 Awards; 9:00 Dance	Chattanooga Theatre Centre, 400 River Street	Visit our website to purchase tickets
Sunday, June 5th	Elizabeth Catlett Visual Arts Exhibition: "The Fire Next Time" - A Tribute to James Baldwin Opening Reception, Lecture by Jody Harris and Artist Talk	5:00 PM	The Chattanooga Theatre Centre, 400 River Street	FREE
Thursday, June 9th	Featured Artist La-Tesia Danielle Exhibition Opening Reception	6:00 PM	Proof Bar & Restaurant, 422 East MLK Blvd.	FREE
Friday, June 10th	Opening Night of August Wilson's "Joe Turner's Come & Gone"	Reception at 7:00 PM– Curtain at 8:00 PM	Chattanooga Theatre Centre Circle Theatre, 400 River Street	$25 Information on how to buy tickets at BlackArtsAndIdeasFest.com
Saturday, June 11th	Writer's Workshop with Erika Roberts	10:00 AM – 1:00 PM	Chattanooga Theatre Center Main Lobby, 400 River Street	Pay What You Can - $10 Suggested donation
Saturday, June 11th	Literary Lounge with Rhyme N Chatt	2:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Chattanooga Theatre Centre Main Lobby, 400 River Street	FREE
Saturday, June 11th	Shades of Poetry Showcase – A Tribute to James Baldwin	8:00 PM – 11:00 PM	Chattanooga Theatre Centre Main Stage, 400 River Street	$20 w/drink ticket
Sunday, June 12th	Sip, Paint & Spit: Poetry meets Paint Lead by Black Arts Festival featured artist La-Tesia Poole	3:00 PM – 6:00PM	Chattanooga Theatre Centre, 400 River Street	$25 Includes Wine
Sunday, June 12th	August Wilson's Joe Turner Come & Gone Lecture	Play starts at 2:30 PM Lecture to follow around 4:30	Chattanooga Theatre Centre Circle Theatre, 400 River Street	$25 – CTC Box Office / TheatreCenter.com
Thursday, June 16th	"Peeing in a Soda Bottle" A New Play By E. Claudette Featuring Kim Reynolds	6:30	Chattanooga Theatre Centre Circle Theatre, 400 River Street	Pay What You Can - $10+ suggested donation
Friday, June 17th	An Intimate Evening With Las Vegas Spoken Word Artist Obbie West	8:00 PM – 10:00 PM	Chattanooga Theatre Centre Main Stage, 400 River Street	Visit Our Website to Purchase
Saturday, June 18th	Scratching Your Roots: Genealogy Workshop with Mrs. Gwen Davis.	10:00 AM	The Chattanooga Public Library, 1001 Broad Street	FREE
Saturday, June 18th	Juba Dance Festival: Featuring the D. William Dance Academy Featuring Crystal Newman & Co.	4:00 PM	The Chattanooga Theatre Centre, 400 River Street	$10
Saturday, June 18th	Legacy Music Festival – Tribute to the Harlem Cultural Festival, "The Summer of Soul".	8:00 PM	Miller Park, 910 Market Street	
Sunday, June 19th	Inaugural BCBSTennessee Juneteenth Freedom Run & Mrs. Opel Lee Walk	8:00 AM Half Marathon Run – 9:00 AM Walk	The Howard School, 2500 South Market	Visit our Website to register
Sunday, June 19th	3rd BDM Father's Day Gospel Jazz Brunch Featuring Melvin Miller	12:30 Bruch, 2:00 Concert	Waterhouse Pavilion in Miller Park, 850 Market Street	Visit Our Website
Sunday, June 19th	Juneteenth Commemoration Ceremony & Concert with Ruben Studdard	7:00 PM	The Chamberlin Pavilion on the UTC campus	FREE
Monday, June 20th – 23rd	RNC Fresh Out the Shoebox open mic and youth writing workshop	6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	The EDNEY Innovation Center, 1100 Market Street	TBDS
Friday, June 24th	Workshopping of "And Then Freedom", An original play by Sadiqua Inman	7:00 PM	The Howard School	FREE, donations accepted
Friday, June 24th	RNC's Young Black Voices Poetry Showcase	7:00 – 9:00PM	The Howard School, 2500 Market Street	TBD
Saturday, June 25th	Oscar Michaux Black Film Festival Tribute to Sidney Poitier	12:00 Noon – 11:00 PM	The Howard School, 2500 Market Street	Pay What You Can $10 Recommended Donation