

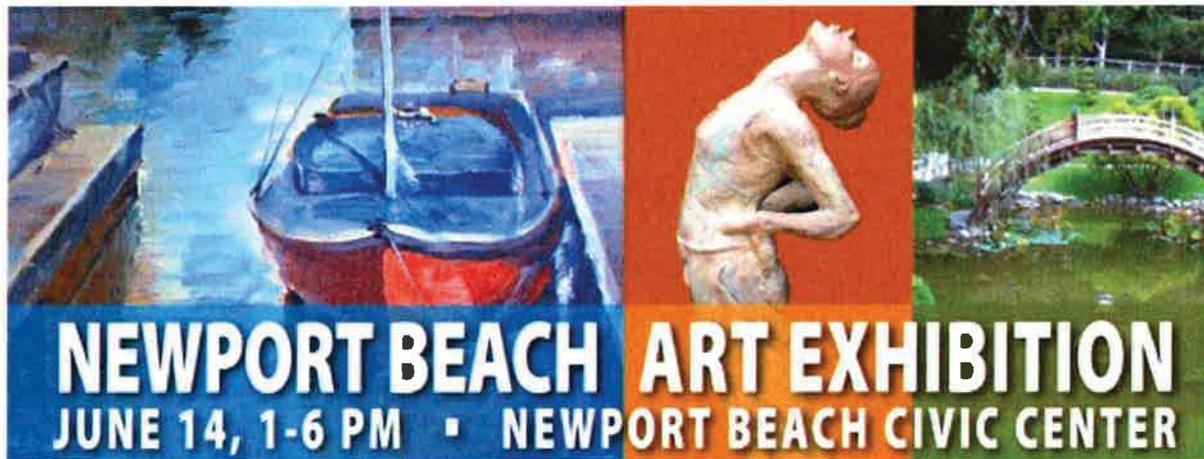
TO: NEWPORT BEACH CITY ARTS COMMISSION

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TITLE: Cultural Arts Activities for February 2014

Contracts were sent out to the performers for this summer's Concerts on the Green and the Shakespeare by the Sea productions. While contracts are not yet finalized, the Hutchins Consort is tentatively scheduled for June 22nd, the All American Boys Chorus is set for July 6th, and the Southland Opera is scheduled for August 17th. Shakespeare by the Sea will stage *Hamlet* on July 19th and *A Midsummer Night's Dream* on July 20th at Bonita Canyon Sports Park.



Staff in conjunction with the Fine Arts Ad Hoc Committee worked diligently in planning the 50th Annual Newport Beach Art Exhibition. The event marks a 50-year history of the Newport Beach juried art exhibition recognizing the talent and contributions of local artists. The Call for Entry went out last month in the Spring Navigator, the Library and Cultural Arts websites, and in a print brochure. The exhibition will be held on Saturday, June 14, from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Newport Beach Civic Center.

Awards will include the following categories:

- Painting/Mixed Media:
1st: \$300, 2nd: \$200, 3rd: \$100
- Photography: 1st: \$300, 2nd: \$200, 3rd: \$100
- Sculpture: 1st: \$300, 2nd: \$200, 3rd: \$100
- Judge's Choice: \$100,
- People's Choice: \$100