Here & Now

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Great Lakes

Craft: Children can make a sailor valentine Feb. 16 from 1 to 3 p.m. at Great Lakes Naval Museum, Building 42, 610 Farragut Ave. Children (and parents) will learn about the tradition of sailor valentines and make their own at this free activity. All materials are supplied. Details, (847) 688-3154.

Green Oaks

Breakfast: Valentine’s breakfast buffet will be held Feb. 16-17 at 8 and 11 a.m. at Lambs Farm, Route 176 and I-94. Cost is $6.95, $3.95 for children 2 to 10 and free for 23 months and younger. Details, (847) 362-5050.

Comedy: The Anti-Depressants will perform improv comedy Feb. 16 at 8 p.m. at David Adler Music and Arts Center 1700 N. Milwaukee Ave. There will be a meet and greet with the cast at 7:30 p.m. The Anti-Depressants include Barb Selvaggio, Ellen Williams, Tracey Lester, Benjamin Hess and Don Closs. They are coached by Tom Akouris, a graduate of The Second City Conservatory. Attendees 21 and over can bring their own beverages. Tickets are $10 and must be 16 and older. Details, (847) 367-0707.

Dance: Daddy Daughter Dance will be held Feb. 22 from 7 to 9 p.m. at Butterfield School, 1441 W. Lake St. Cost is $25 for residents and $35 for non residents per couple and $10 for each $10 additional child. Registration required. Details, (847) 918-7275 or www.libertyville.com.

Lincolnshire

Concert: Ann Hampton Callaway and Liz Callaway will perform “Boom!” Feb. 16 at 6:30 p.m. and Tom Keifer of Cinderella will perform Feb. 22 at 9 p.m. at Viper Alley, 275 Parkway Drive. Tickets are $20-50 and $20-28, respectively. Details, (847) 499-5000 or www.viper-alley.com.

Concerts: Rock Candy will perform Feb. 16 at 10 p.m. and Hit or Miss will perform Feb. 22 at 10 p.m. at The Cubby Bear North, 21661 N. Milwaukee Ave. Tickets are $7 and $5, respectively. Details, (847) 541-4700 or cubbynorth.com.

Mundelein
Performance: Wishing Star Theatre will present “High School Musical 2” Feb. 16 and 17 at 2 and 6 p.m. at Carmel Catholic High School, One Carmel Parkway. Tickets are $10. Details, (847) 327-9474.

Vernon Hills

Reading: A Poetry Reading by participants in Northwest Cultural Council’s Second Saturday Poetry Workshops will be held Feb. 17 from 2 to 4 p.m. at Loyola University Chicago’s Cuneo Mansion and Gardens, 1350 N. Milwaukee Ave. After the readings, refreshments will be served and complementary tours of the mansion will be available, as a special gift of the University. There are no fees for this event. Details, (847) 991-7966 or e-mail nwcc@northwestculturalcouncil.org.

Wauconda

Celebration: Presidents’ Day celebration will be held Feb. 18 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Lake County Discovery Museum at Lakewood Forest Preserve, Route 176 and Fairfield Road. Spend your day off from school at the Museum and enjoy a variety of hands-on activities, crafts, stories and more. Details, (847) 968-3400 or www.lcfpd.org.

Waukegan

Exhibit: An exhibit by artist Sandie Bacon of Lake Bluff titled “Shapeshifters and Images of Transformation” will be on display Feb. 16 through March 8 at Dandelion Gallery, 109 S. Genesee St. An opening reception for the artist will be held Feb. 16 from 5 to 9 p.m. at the gallery during this month’s ArtWauk. From a 7-foot tall painting of a sorceress reinterpreted from mythology to another oversized painting on Plexiglass interpreting a myth of two lovers who transform to birds, the newest featured artist exhibit shows paintings of transformation. The artwork incorporates an array of mixed media including textures, collage elements and interesting substrates. Details, (224) 430-9975 or www.dandeliongallery.org.