

Happenings at the

GARY MORRIS Back by POPULAR DEMAND

Gary Morris will kick off his Christmas tour November 30 & December 1 at The Ned. The two nights offer concert goers different options to enjoy a stellar immersion into the holiday season. Gary and his band will be joined on stage by a group of Bethel University Renaissance students for a few songs Wednesday night. Gary is partnering with the American Cancer Society for Thursday's performance that will feature a dinner buffet at Coyote Blues from 5 – 7 pm; a VIP wine reception sponsored by PartyMart from 6:45 – 7:15 at The Ned; and premiere seating for the 7:30pm concert. Honorary Chairman is Jeff Arnett, Master Distiller at Jack Daniel's and a Jackson native. Nationally acclaimed artist and cancer survivor, Michael Maness, will present an art show, along with sculptor Randy Martin. Michael will also have his easel set up on stage where the audience can watch him paint during the performance. "Jackson is the center of the universe, and I'm glad to be back," said Morris.



Wednesday Gary will honor first responders from Jackson & West TN. Nominations may be sent to garymorristour@gmail.com or contact (695-1366.) These men and women stand ready to protect, defend, and assist us all in times of need. We owe them our gratitude.

The American Cancer Society invites you to nominate a cancer survivor or caregiver to be honored Thursday night with the "Wind Beneath My Wings" Caregiver & Cancer Survivor Awards. Contact the ACS for details (664-1084.) In addition to the special benefit on Thursday, a number of reserved seats, which are not part of the benefit, will also be available.

November 30 & December 1

7:30 Gary Morris & Band
6:45 VIP Reception/6:30 Doors Open

TICKETS

\$100 On Stage Seating & VIP Reception (limited)
\$50 Premiere Reserved Seating & VIP Reception
\$25 Reserved Seating

The Potter's Garden 660-9990

ON STAGE SEATING AVAILABLE AT POTTER'S GARDEN ONLY

Jenny Craig 668-4313

The Ned 425-8397



Official Website www.garymorris.com

FaceBook Gary Morris Musician/Band



Ned Board Advisors (L to R) Lyda K. Ferree, Hilda Little, Terry Wallace, Glenda Baker, Carla Burngasser, & Manola Patterson (not shown)

The Ned Series is off to a wonderful start! We enjoyed Eileen Ivers and Immigrant Soul on September 30th. We appreciate our Ned Board Advisors for their hard work and support of the Arts. We would also like to thank Elegant Events by Mike & Troy for the lovely reception. The food was awesome and fun was had by all!!



Abby Lambert and Lillian Fitzgerald representing the cast of *Really Rosie*, a production of the Jackson Teen Theatre, presented 57 pounds of chicken noodle soup and \$41.74 collected from patrons and cast members to RIFA September 22, 2011. We thank all those who donated cans of food or money for their donations.

The Jackson Children's & Teen Theatre
presents

THE BEST CHRISTMAS PAGEANT EVER

by Barbara Robinson



PERFORMANCE DATES :

November 29, 2011 7:30 p.m.

November 30, @ 9:00 a.m.

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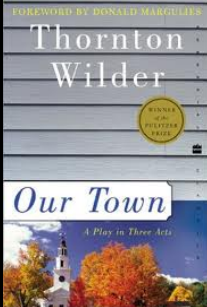
STAGE

The Jackson Teen Theatre
presents

Our Town

*A Play in Three Acts by
Thornton Wilder*

*The story of the small town of Grover's Corners, following
the Webb & Gibbs family through three Acts. "Daily Life",
"Love and Marriage", and "Death and
Eternity".*



AUDITIONS:

December 6 & 7, 2011 @ 3:45 p.m.

PERFORMANCE DATES:

March 8, 2012

9:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

March 9, 2012 @ 7:00 p.m.

Ned R. McWherter West TN Cultural Arts Center

Tickets:

\$5 matinee & \$8 evening/\$9 day of show

CALENDER OF UPCOMING EVENTS

November 12

*Thomas Media Holiday
Beauty Pageant*

November 15

*Reception 6:30—8:00 p.m.
Tradition: Tennessee Lives
And Legacies*

Nov. 30-Dec. 1

Gary Morris Concert

Dec 6 & 7 3:45 p.m.

Auditions for "Our Town"

December 9

Christmas At The Ned

Dec. 14- - 18

*Jackson Theatre Guild's
"It's A Wonderful Life"*

Tennessee Magazine

votes The Ned Runner-up for 2nd year!

*Readers of The Tennessee Magazine voted The Ned as
runner-up in performing arts venues in West Tennessee.
Readers selected their preferences in 34 categories.
The Ned is included in the Best of Tennessee. The
magazine is published by Tennessee Electric
Association. First place was the Orpheum Theatre
in Memphis. Let us take this opportunity to thank
everyone who voted for The Ned.*

Christmas at the Ned

Friday, December 9 @ 7:00 p.m.



"It's A Holly Jolly Christmas" at The Ned.
Join in the celebration of Christmas through
music and dramatization. The Ned will be all decked out
for Christmas as patrons enjoy cookies and apple cider
while listening to some of your favorite Christmas songs.
The program will be presented in a festive atmosphere
using talented West Tennessee performers.

Tickets \$7.00/\$8.00

The Ned R. McWherter West TN Cultural Arts Center

Tickets are available in The Ned Office.

For more information call 425-8396 or 425-8397

Thomas Media Beauty Pageant



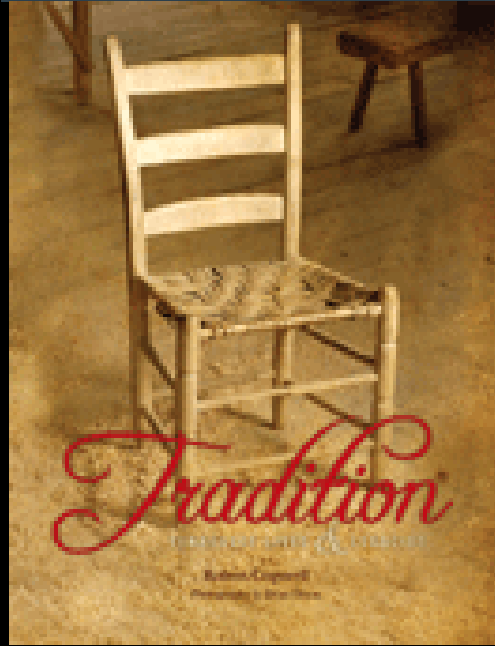
NOVEMBER 12 @ 1PM

THE NED- DOWNTOWN JACKSON

GIRLS AGES BIRTH TO 21 YRS OLD

For more information call 731-427-9616

Gallery Exhibits are available FREE of charge. Monday through Friday
from 9:00 am until 4:30 pm



Tradition: Tennessee Lives & Legacies

November 13-December 30

Reception: November 15 6:30—8:00 p.m.

Tradition: Tennessee Lives and Legacies exhibit featuring 25 selected folk artists representing every region of Tennessee.

Lovers of traditional art are encouraged to experience this moving tribute to the folk culture of Tennessee.

The exhibit highlights photographic images from around the state in beautiful color renderings taken by photographer Dean Dixon of Nashville.

The exhibit is a project brought to you by the Tennessee Arts Commission Folklife Program.

Cornicopia of Art

Now through November 30

A beautiful display of art forms including watercolor, acrylic, ceramic, mixed, collage, and mixed media on canvas, highlighting the work of area artists.

← *Work shown by Carol McCrudden* →



**Merry Christmas from your friends
at *The Ned!***



Make your shopping easier...

Tickets for one of our Concerts makes a great gift or stocking stuffer!

Or, make a gift that lasts a lifetime. Call us about our walkway bricks, wall bricks, pavers or theatre arm plaques.

Snow Scenes

December 3—December 30

Scenes of snow-capped mountains, lakes, yards and fences covered with snow. Featuring arts by area artists.

Painting by Mary Robinson



Would you like to be a Ned volunteer?

Whether you are “interested” in serving as an usher for our season or assisting other events with concessions, helping backstage, painting and building sets, helping with costumes, perhaps helping around the office, there is a special place for you at ***The Ned.***



We hope you are interested! Give us a call at 731-425-8396 or 425-8397 or contact us by email at

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Give the people in your life a concert ticket. Perfect for birthdays, weddings, anniversaries, Christmas or any other occasion. Select from one of these upcoming Ned Series events. Tickets are available at the Carl Perkins Civic Center Box Office 731-425-8587. All performances are at The Ned

Eric Intel Quartet *An evening of Jazz January 27, 2012 7:00 p.m. \$12/\$18*

Ain't Misbehavin' *On Broadway, it made history by winning every Tony award, including best musical. February 10, 2012 \$25/\$30*

International Tenors *Multimedia video coupled with an on stage performance tribute to the famous tenors of the past.. Caruso...Lanza...and of course Pavarotti. Also music from "Phantom of the Opera", "West Side Story", "Les Miserables" and others March 23, 2012 7:00 p.m. \$20/\$25*

Rejoice Dear Hearts— *An Evening with Bro. Dave Gardner: The unforgettable "motorsickle" whirl of biker boy Chuck and his incredible sideburns, "The Haunted House", among others. May 5, 2012 7:00 p.m. \$12/\$18*