

ASSOCIATION NEWS: CMC

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Cartoon royalty descends on Columbus

Cartoon royalty descends on Columbus for the second annual Cartoon Crossroads Columbus, Oct. 12-16. In an event that so far has flown under most citizens' radars, CXC honors the rich cartoon history of Ohio and brings in the stars of the genre. From major feature films to internationally renowned authors and artists, CXC is truly the "Sundance" of cartooning, animation and graphic novels.

On Oct. 12 CMC will host several of CXC's stars for a conversation and meeting of the minds hosted by Laurenn McCubbin, head of the Columbus College of Art and Design's new graphic novel major. The featured panelists scheduled are three internationally renowned talents with diverse backgrounds, Mark Osborn, Ron Wimberly and Nate Beeler.

Academy Award nominated director Osborn is best known for Kung Fu Panda, but is currently enjoying acclaim for his beautifully crafted The Little Prince, just released on Netflix. Since The Little Prince's premiere at Cannes last year, Osborn has attended 12 premieres in 12 countries. On the strength of strong reviews and fan affection for the book, The Little Prince has so far grossed more than \$97 million worldwide.

Wimberly is the artist-in-residence for both the Columbus Museum of Art and Thurber House. He is a graphic artist from Brooklyn whose work combines traditional and experimental elements to bring attention to contemporary social issues. Wimberly has worked with notable comic publishers, such as Marvel and DC comics and is the creator of the graphic novel Prince of Cats, a retelling of Romeo and Juliet



Wimberly



Osborne



Beeler



McCubbin

set in a mythological version of New York City at the dawn of hip-hop.

Local resident and the Columbus Dispatch's editorial cartoonist Beeler's cartoon path began when he was a sophomore writing for the Bexley High School student newspaper. Since then Beeler's cartoons have appeared in such publications as USA Today, The New York Times, the Los Angeles Times, Newsweek, Time, and U.S. News & World Report, among others. He has been featured on CNN, MSNBC, and Fox News, where viewers of "The O'Reilly Factor" officially voted him a "Pinhead." Today Beeler is one of the most widely syndicated editorial cartoonists.

Once the tome of kids and superheroes, cartooning has become respected, reviewed and treasured as both literature and art.

CMC forums are frequently aired on the Ohio Channel via WOSU digital and Columbus Television at Channel 3 on In-sight and Time Warner and Channel 99 on Warner, WOW and AT&T U-Verse. For schedule details, visit ctv.columbus.gov.

A hearty laugh needed during election season in Ohio

Because anyone interested in politics can use a good laugh right now, The Capitol Steps are performing in Columbus on Oct. 14 at the JoAnn Davison Theatre (formerly the Capitol Theatre) at the Riffe Center. Based in Washington DC, the troupe is never at a loss for material, especially this year. For 35 years, they have been putting the "mock" in democracy. Their latest album "What to Expect When You're Electing," includes such charms as "Kasich is the Hardest Rhyme," "Trump Acres," "Hello, Is It Mitt You're Looking for?" and "Deleter of the Facts."

This special presentation is the culmination of CMC's 40th anniversary celebration. A champagne toast and dessert on stage, open to the whole audience, will follow the performance. Tickets for CMC's presentation of The Capitol Steps are on sale to the general public at Ticketmaster.com or at the CAPA box office at the Ohio Theatre and to CMC members at Columbusmetroclub.org or by calling (614) 464-3220.



Photo courtesy of The Capitol Steps

The Capitol Steps provide equal opportunity humor this election season.

September 21 Forum

Children's Mental and Behavioral Health... Solutions, Potential and Hope



Featuring David Axelson, Chief of Psychiatry and Medical Director of Behavioral Health Nationwide Children's Hospital, David Royer, CEO of ADAMH, Julie Rinaldi, CEO of Syntero, David Campisi, CEO of Big Lots, Jami Ingledue, parent advocate and moderated by Ann Fisher, host of WOSU radio's "All Sides with Ann Fisher" Sponsored by Taft Law, Grange Insurance.

Photos by Rick Buchanan

Participating in the forum were from sponsor Taft Law Cathy Dunlay, from sponsor Grange Insurance Companies Patti Eshman, speakers Jami Ingledue, David Axelson, Ann Fisher, David Royer, Julie Rinaldi, David Campisi and CMC CEO Jane Scott.



Forum attendees Vincent Day and Dee Wolfe discussed issues presented at the forum.



Forum attendees Judy Box and Jean Nemeti discussed issues presented at the forum.



Forum attendees Elaine Goldberg and Mike Shlonsky discussed issues presented at the forum.



RE-TWEETS FROM THE SEPTEMBER 21 CMC FORUM – @CMCFORUM

Listening to the community conversation about behavioral health @cbusmetroclub with @nationwidekids #raisingawareness – Stephanie Cannon



Above left to right, Marie Trudeau, Bobbie Celeste and Brenda Fields had questions for the panelists.

Columbus Metropolitan Club

– Calendar of Events –

This Week

Wednesday, October 5

Ohio U.S. Senatorial Forum

Former Governor Ted Strickland visits CMC as he campaigns in an important race for U.S. Senate. Hosted by Colleen Marshall, co-anchor, WCMH. Incumbent Rob Portman has been invited to participate on an alternate date, to be announced. Sponsored by Ohio Farm Bureau Federation, Hannah News Service

Upcoming

Wednesday, October 12

Ron Wimberly, Columbus Museum of Art and Thurber House artist-in-residence

Featuring winning editorial cartoonists Mark Osborne, producer/director of "The Little Prince," Ron Wimberly, artist and author, Nate Beeler, Columbus Dispatch editorial cartoonist.

Sponsored by WCBE

In partnership with Cartoon Crossroads Columbus

Wednesday, October 19

Leadership Legacy with Janet E. Jackson

Featuring Janet E. Jackson, CEO, United Way of Central Ohio who will be interviewed by Jerry Revish, co-anchor, WBNS-10TV.

Wednesday, October 26

Carol A. McGuire Legacy Forum

100 Years of Ireland's Abbey Theatre

Sponsored by OSU College of Arts & Sciences

In partnership with CAPA

Wednesday, November 2

Franklin County Prosecutor Debate: O'Brien V. Klein

Featuring incumbent Ron O'Brien (R) vs. challenger Columbus City Councilman Zack Klein (D), moderated by Carol Luper, retired television journalist.

Sponsored by Hannah News Service, Ohio Farm Bureau Federation, The Daily Reporter

Wednesday, November 16

Meet Rossen Milanov, Columbus Symphony Orchestra Music Director

Other Events

Thursday, September 29

CMC Happy Hour

5:00 – 7:00 pm at the Boat House

Enjoy casual conversation with CMC Members

No reservations necessary



Friday, October 14

CMC presents

The Capitol Steps – political comedy troupe

They put the "mock" in democracy.

JoAnn Davidson Theatre (formerly the Capitol Theatre) at the Riffe Center

8:00 pm, Dessert reception to celebrate CMC's 40th anniversary following performance

Member tickets available at www.columbusmetroclub.org and the general public at www.ticketmaster.com or the CAPA ticket office.

Dessert sponsored by PNC Bank

Thursday, December 1

CMC's Annual Jingle Mingle at the Hollywood Casino

5:30 – 8:30 pm Enjoy delicious hors d'oeuvres buffet, drink tickets and silent auction in a private ballroom Sponsored by the Hollywood Casino Columbus

CMC forums are held at the Boat House at Confluence Park, 679 West Spring Street, Columbus, OH 43215. Free parking. Check-in for forums is at 11:30 a.m. with lunch served at noon. The program concludes at 1:15 p.m. and guests are encouraged to continue the conversation in the lobby with coffee and cookies.

CMC members, the deadline for early-bird registration, \$22 is Friday at midnight, prior to the standard Wednesday luncheon forum. Pre-paid reservations are required. The price is \$25 for CMC members; \$35 for CMC members' guests; and \$45 for the general public.

Reservations can be made online at www.columbus-metroclub.org or by calling (614) 464-3220 ext. 1. Anyone requesting additional information may contact Jane Scott, President and CEO; Andrew Campbell, Vice President of Programming; Debby Rosenthal, Vice President of Member Relations and Marketing, or Lanie Cuthbert, Event Coordinator.

