

"NEW HARMONIES: CELEBRATING AMERICAN ROOTS MUSIC"

November 8, 2011 through December 31, 2011



Bashful Brother Oswald. Photo by Jim Herrington, www.jimherrington.com; Library of Congress.

**An Exhibition in the Museum of American Glass at WheatonArts
Exhibition Opening: Saturday, November 12, 2011 at 5:30 p.m.**

This exhibition presented in partnership with the New Jersey Council for the Humanities tells the story of a nation through the music of its people. Bringing together photographs, recordings, instruments, lyrics, and artist profiles, this Smithsonian Institution touring exhibition explores the distinct cultural identities of gospel, country, blues and other forms of roots music as they record the history of the American people and set the foundation for many musical genres appreciated worldwide today.

As a host of the *New Harmonies* exhibition, WheatonArts will also present a wide spectrum of public programs including two concerts and a series of workshops exploring the instrument making process.

CONCERTS

Concert Tickets: Adults \$10.00, Members \$9.00, At the door \$15.00. Children 12 and under are free but require a ticket. Call 800-998-4552 or 856-825-6800 or for more information visit www.wheatonarts.org.

OLD TIME COUNTRY AND BLUEGRASS Saturday, November 12, 2011 at 7:30 p.m.



Steve Byrne
BelAire Boys
The Towheads
The Snake Brothers

OLD SPIRITUALS AND GOSPEL Saturday, December 10, 2011 at 7:30 p.m.

St James AME Church Gospel Choir, Atlantic City, NJ
The Whittington Family of Port Norris, NJ
South Jersey Community Men's Gospel Choir



WORKSHOPS/PRESENTATIONS - MUSIC AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

November 13 & 20, 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Make Your Own Paper Instruments with Katherine Landberg

November 20, 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.
Music Appreciation: Storytelling and Performance with Jim Albertson

November 25, 26 & 27
Vitreous Music: The Making of Holiday Instruments in Glass with WheatonArts Glass Studio Artists

December 4, 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Instrument Making Presentation: Appalachian Dulcimer and Celtic Harp with David Field and Mouth Bow Harp with Jim Albertson

December 11, 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.
Instrument Making Presentation: Native American Drums with Mark "Quiet Hawk" Gould

Every Sunday through December 18, 2011
ALL children 17 and under are admitted FREE!
Children must be accompanied by an adult during workshops.



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WheatonArts strives to ensure the accessibility of its exhibitions, events and programs to all persons with disabilities. Provide two weeks notice for special additions. Patrons with hearing and speech disabilities may contact WheatonArts through the New Jersey Relay Service (TRS) 800-852-7899 or the National Endowment for the Arts, a Partner Agency of the National Endowment for the Arts, by funds from the National Endowment for the Arts, and the Geraldine R. Dodge Foundation. WheatonArts receives general operating support from the New Jersey Historical Commission, and is supported in part by the New Jersey Department of State, Division of Travel and Tourism.