

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Breakaway Band with Robin Baker, 9:00pm	2 Live Animals with Jan Berlin, 9:00pm	3 Close Call on Kilimanjaro with Linda Anne Burtis, 9:00pm	4 Storytelling with Storyteller Laureate Karen Pillsworth, 9:00pm	5 The Gunks Ridge and Valley Towns Through Time with Ron Knapp, 9:00pm	6 Live Music: TBD, 9:00pm	7 Live Music: Copilot, 9:00pm
8 No Availability	9 No Availability	10 No Availability	11 No Availability	12 No Availability	13 Illusionist Ryan Dutcher, 9:00pm	14 Comedic Juggler Stephen Caruso, 10:30am Flexible Comedy with Jonathan Burns, 3:00pm Magician Ran'D Shine, 9:00pm
15 Traditions of Chinese Acrobatics 10:30am The Magic Show and Tell Workshop, 3:00pm Magician TJ Tana, 9:00pm	16 Ghost Stories of the Hudson Valley with Frank Marquette, 9:00pm	17 Caves of New York with Julian Benson and Stephen Berge, 9:00pm	18 Bringing Back the Legend: Cougar Recovery in Eastern North America with Chris Spatz, 9:00pm	19 Mohonk History: A Trip Through the Archives with Peter Bidowski, 9:00pm	20 Tribute to Duke – The Music of Duke Ellington, 9:00pm	21 The Jazz Sphinx – The Music on Thelonious Monk, 9:00pm
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Parlor Show

Campfires

Band/Live Music

Theme Program

Lecture

Special Event

DATE	TIME	ENTERTAINMENT	DESCRIPTION
01/01/2023	9:00PM	Breakaway Band with Robin Baker	This five-piece band features the spellbinding vocals of local legend Robin Baker. Breakaway delivers a mixed bag of rock, soul, and country with a lot of heart! Come and enjoy.
01/02/2023	9:00PM	Live Animals with Jan Berlin	Join Mohonk favorite Jan Berlin, wildlife educator, author, and director of the nonprofit organization Everything Animals, as she dispels the myths of mysterious and unique animals – with live critters!
01/03/2023	9:00PM	Close Call on Kilimanjaro with Linda Anne Burtis	Join Albany-based trekker, Linda Anne Burtis as she recounts her daring climb to the summit of Kilimanjaro. A German film crew accompanied and filmed the climbers, and Ms. Burtis will present their PBS-quality documentary. After the film, Ms. Burtis will describe the couple's 4-month training program (including hikes in the Catskills), how they avoided altitude sickness, gear-preparation and the special bond of friendships that developed among this global team as they suffered their way up through miserable weather.
01/04/2023	9:00PM	Storytelling with Storyteller Laureate Karen Pillsworth	Come and enjoy the delightful talent of Storyteller Laureate, Karen Pillsworth. She has been enchanting kids and adults alike in the U.S. and Canada with her stories for over 30 years. Based out of Kingston, NY, Karen is a favorite at Mohonk Mountain House and has shared her stories on WAMC National Public Radio, as well as libraries, camps, churches, parks, schools, historic sites and at festivals.
01/05/2023	9:00PM	The Gunks Ridge and Valley Towns Through Time with Ron Knapp	Join professor and author Ronald G. Knapp as he takes a walk through time viewing the topography of the Shawangunk Mountains with escarpments, boulders, cliffs, crevices, and “sky lakes.” Of the three Victorian hotels that were constructed in the northern Shawangunk Mountains in the decades after 1869, only Mohonk Mountain House remains.
01/06/2023	9:00PM	Live Music: TBD	More details to come. For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/food-beer-wine/new-york-food-and-wine-festival/
01/07/2023	9:00PM	Live Music: Copilot	Copilot is a Rock-Pop band from Boston, MA featuring: Maggie (vocals), Ry (guitar, vocals), Jake (vocals), Dylan (drums), Bev (bass), & Jack (lead guitar). Coming together from their own respective musical projects, this powerful group of singers and instrumentalists create a unique and thrilling sound. Copilot’s blend of harmony and fierce vocals allows the group to explore a spectrum of emotion with their songwriting, and create electric live performances. Come see for yourself! For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/food-beer-wine/new-york-food-and-wine-festival/
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01/13/2023	9:00PM	Illusionist Ryan Dutcher	Ryan Dutcher truly represents the future of illusion and magical entertainment, incorporating fast-paced magic, with classic hits from yesterday and popular music from today. Ryan performs shows that incorporate mind-bending magic, cutting-edge comedy, and amazing audience participation. For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/wordgames-magic-mystery/magic-mindbenders-weekend/
01/14/2023	10:30AM	Comedic Juggler Stephen Caruso	Comedic juggler Stephen Caruso returns to our Mountaintop! His dynamic performance style blends sharp humor, adrenaline-filled tricks, and knife throwing that will thrill audiences of all ages! For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/wordgames-magic-mystery/magic-mindbenders-weekend/
	3:00PM	Flexible Comedy with Jonathan Burns	Born with the gifts of flexibility, curiosity, and goofiness, Jonathan Burns combines these unique talents to astonish audiences around the globe. Jonathan has wow'd the AMERICA'S GOT TALENT judges, been told by Penn he was "absolutely fabulous" on their show FOOL US, and dazzled on THE LATE LATE SHOW with James Corden, among many others. The New York Times called him "Extremely Funny" and Campus Activities Magazine named him "Variety Artist of the Year" — TWICE! For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/wordgames-magic-mystery/magic-mindbenders-weekend/
	9:00PM	Magician Ran'D Shine	Ran'D is the face of the new millennium magician. He wowed audiences with his brilliant presentation at the 44th Presidential Inauguration in Washington, D.C as well as Capetown, South Africa. As one of the most sought after college performers he has also captured the imaginations of audiences from Hollywood to New York City for more than a decade. He has already read your mind and knows that you want to know more. Come see for yourself... For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/wordgames-magic-mystery/magic-mindbenders-weekend/
01/15/2023	10:30AM	Traditions of Chinese Acrobatics	Acrobat Li Liu performs hand balancing, plate spinning, ribbon dancing, diabolos and foot juggling. A limited number of volunteers get to join her on stage to create an impromptu ribbon dance, and also to try their hand at plate spinning! For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/wordgames-magic-mystery/magic-mindbenders-weekend/
	3:00PM	The Magic Show & Tell Workshop	Throughout history, magicians have amazed audiences with their remarkable feats of magic and illusions. But don't be fooled... the art of magic is much more mysterious than the process of

			<p>performing a simple trick. In the same way, The Magic Show & Tell Workshop is more than an introduction to magic. This 60-minute hands-on workshop is your exclusive invitation into the world of magic. In addition to magic’s history and many interesting facts, you will learn the fundamental techniques and secrets on how magic really works. Combining the techniques for these tricks with a little bit of practice and a few common everyday objects, you will hold the secrets to creating mind-blowing magic, as a magician, for your next audience! For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/wordgames-magic-mystery/magic-mindbenders-weekend/</p>
	9:00PM	Magician TJ Tana	<p>TJ fell in love with magic when he was just 5 years old. A close family friend made a rubber ball vanish and reappear right before TJ’s eyes. That one single trick turned his fascination into a hobby, which soon became his passion. TJ immersed himself in magic books and videos before going on to study with masters like Criss Angel, Lance Burton and David Blaine. TJ quickly become known to his peers as the next “up-and-comer.” For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/wordgames-magic-mystery/magic-mindbenders-weekend/</p>
01/16/2023	9:00PM	Ghost Stories of the Hudson Valley with Frank Marquette	<p>The areas surrounding Mohonk Mountain House are riddled with historical figures and events that not only shaped its history but also influenced the nation. It is also home to many urban legends and famous ghosts starting with the Half Moon, the ship manned by explorer Henry Hudson in 1609. From New York City to nearby Highland, sightings of Hudson’s ghost ship have been reported for centuries. In his lecture, Frank Marquette will also recount the story of Lincoln’s funeral train. In the past 156 years hundreds of people have claimed to have encountered the train along with its whistle, smoke, and casket of Lincoln. Frank Marquette will also retell the stories of several other prominent people and locations that now appear in their ghostly forms.</p>
01/17/2023	9:00PM	Caves of New York with Julian Benson and Stephen Berge	<p>Join us for an exciting look into the caves of New York and beyond. Julian Benson and Stephen Berge are local members of the caving community, having explored many of these fascinating underground worlds. The duo spearheads efforts in New York’s cave exploration and discovery. Come learn of their many adventures and pick up some local “caving” tips.</p>
01/18/2023	9:00PM	Bringing Back the Legend: Cougar Recovery in Eastern North America with Chris Spatz	<p>Join President of the Cougar Rewilding Foundation Chris Spatz for an insightful look at cougar recovery in Eastern North America. The Cougar Rewilding Foundation is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to rehabilitate the wild habitat and promote harmony between cougar and human populations.</p>
01/19/2023	9:00PM	Mohonk History: A Trip Through the Archives with Peter Bidowski	<p>Please join Mohonk’s very own “Professor of Mohonkiana” Peter Bidowski as he takes a playful but accurate look at the early history of the Mohonk Mountain House. Using previously unseen photos from the Mohonk Archives and quotes from Smiley Family correspondence, Peter gives an intimate look at the time and events surrounding and influencing the discovery, purchase and building of the Mountain House. Peter has worked extensively</p>

			delving into Mohonk history not only in the Archives but also at the Barn Museum, where old relics are clues to a rich and varied past!
01/20/2023	9:00PM	Tribute to Duke – The Music of Duke Ellington	Originally from Washington DC, where his pianist father served as a part-time butler at the White House, Edward Kennedy “Duke” Ellington (April 29, 1899 – May 24, 1974) was no stranger to sophistication. Pursuing visual art first, Ellington’s music has many characteristics of the visual form, in its coloring and impressionism. Possessed of beautiful melodies, his compositions boast lush harmonies that continue to beguile to this day. Singing some of Ellington’s music will be Lucy Yeghiazaryan, joined by trumpeter Wayne Tucker and our house rhythm section of Pete Malinverni, Ugonna Okegwo and Aaron Seeber. For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/music-arts/jazz-on-the-mountain/
01/21/2023	9:00PM	The Jazz Sphinx – The Music on Thelonious Monk	Thelonious Monk’s (October 10, 1917 – February 17, 1982) music is both deceptively complex and full of playful elements. A favorite of jazz aficionados, children and everyone in between, Monk was unafraid to toy with a fun, simple melody; nor did he shy away from making brilliant harmonic innovations. Trumpeter Bruce Harris, along with tenor saxophonist Rich Perry and our house rhythm section of Pete Malinverni, Ugonna Okegwo and Aaron Seeber, will interpret the music of this great figure in modern Jazz. For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/music-arts/jazz-on-the-mountain/
01/22/2023	9:00PM	Giving Voice to Tadd	Known primarily as a composer of instrumental jazz music, Tadd Dameron (February 21, 1917 – March 8, 1965) wrote several pieces with lyrics, some of his own and some contributed by others. Celebrating the recent release of, “Tadd’s All Folks!”, his album of Dameron’s (previously unrecorded!) music with words is perennial poll winner as best baritone saxophonist, Gary Smulyan. Joining Gary for this performance will be Mohonk favorite Scott Robinson, featured singer on Anais Reno, a Purchase College Ella Fitzgerald scholar, pianist Pete Malinverni, bassist David Wong and drummer Matt Wilson. For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/music-arts/jazz-on-the-mountain/
01/23/2023	9:00PM	Live Animals with Jan Berlin	Join Mohonk favorite Jan Berlin, wildlife educator, author, and director of the nonprofit organization Everything Animals, as she dispels the myths of mysterious and unique animals – with live critters!
01/24/2023	9:00PM	Let's Visit An Art Museum: Van Gogh in Province, France with Sevan Melikyan	Van Gogh produced more than 2,000 works in less than 10 years, before Committing suicide (or was that murder?) at the age of 37. Join Wired Gallery Art Director Sevan Melikyan as he takes us on the footsteps of this beloved artist while presenting an alternate reason as to why Van Gogh cut his ear.

01/25/2023	9:00PM	Storytelling with Storyteller Laureate Karen Pillsworth	Come and enjoy the delightful talent of Storyteller Laureate, Karen Pillsworth. She has been enchanting kids and adults alike in the U.S. and Canada with her stories for over 30 years. Based out of Kingston, NY, Karen is a favorite at Mohonk Mountain House and has shared her stories on WAMC National Public Radio, as well as libraries, camps, churches, parks, schools, historic sites and at festivals.
01/26/2023	9:00PM	Fun Factoids and Tiny Tidbits of History! with Bob Ulrich	"I bought it "Lock, Stock, and Barrel." He was "Just a Flash in the Pan."... Why do we tell our children to "Sleep Tight" and then warn them "Don't let the Bed Bug Bite!" Who "Let the Cat Out of the Bag"? There are so many phrases and idioms in our vernacular that we take for granted. We know how, and when, to use them, but what do they really mean? Let's take a hour to hear some of the most interesting ones tonight...
01/27/2023	9:00PM	Live Music with the Chivalrous Crickets	With a particular focus on and love of Scottish ballads and tune repertoire, The Chivalrous Crickets explore the roots, branches, and crossroads of Celtic and American folk music. The Philadelphia/Princeton-based band is known for their lavish vocal harmonies, rich instrumental textures, and traditional repertoire, spanning 8 centuries, treated with creative new twists. They perform up and down the East Coast, from West Virginia to Maine. The Crickets have recently collaborated with the Philadelphia St. Andrew's Society, a Robert Burns Month celebration at the renowned folk listening club Godfrey Daniels, and with the Classical group Makaris, which records Scottish folk song arranged for chamber and parlor ensemble. For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/cultural-celebrations/scottish-weekend/
	10:00PM	Annual Mohonk Cèilidh	The evening show is followed by the annual Mohonk Cèilidh, a Gaidhlig (Scottish Gaelic) word meaning "A visit". We invite you to "visit" with us in the Parlor and enjoy the opportunity to share a song, poem, story, "party piece", or to simply sit back, listen, and enjoy and perhaps sing along to some Scottish favorites. Meet the performers and fellow Mohonk guests during this very special part of the tradition of the Mohonk Scottish Weekend. For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/cultural-celebrations/scottish-weekend/
01/28/2023	6:30PM & 7:45PM	Address to the Haggis and Tribute to Robert Burns	Enjoy the annual procession into the dining room for dinner, followed by a traditional Address to the Haggis, led by David McCormick and the Mohonk Pipe Band Ensemble. <u>"Address to a Haggis" by Robert Burns</u> But mark the Rustic, haggis fed, The trembling earth resounds his tread. Clap in his walie nieve a blade, He'll mak it whistle; An' legs an' arms, an' heads will sned, Like taps o' thrissle.

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	9:00PM	A Classic Scottish Concert	The performers of the Mohonk Scottish Weekend are pleased to bring to you a very exciting evening of entertainment featuring dance, songs, poetry, and music that is part of the Scottish heritage. Experience the energy and elegance of jigs, reels and strathspeys with the Castle Point Scottish Country Dancers, spirited performances from the Skytop Highland Dancers with traditional highland dance as well as original choreography and musical collaboration; music from Highland Grove and the Mohonk Pipe Band Ensemble. The evening's festivities are led by Mohonk Scottish Weekend's David McCormick. For more information, please visit: https://www.mohonk.com/events/cultural-celebrations/scottish-weekend/
01/29/2023	9:00PM	The Amusement Park with Stephen Silverman	Join the founding editor of People.com Stephen M. Silverman, as he highlights the spectacular playgrounds of the world including the 1893 Chicago World's Fair, Coney Island, Disneyland, Dollywood, and Dubai.
01/30/2023	9:00PM	The Bootleg Boom with Frank Marquette	In his spirited lecture, local theater director Frank Marquette takes you through the active role that the Hudson Valley region played in the bootleg route between New York City and Canada between 1920 and 1933. He'll touch on gangland distilleries, speakeasies, and the local "whiskey women".
01/31/2023	9:00PM	Ice Climbing with Marty Molitoris	Ice Climbing - There's more to climbing than just going up! Marty Molitoris, Founder and Director of Alpine Endeavors and Multi-Certified Climbing Guide, will give an introduction to this physically and mentally demanding sport. Often testing the climber's strength, endurance, agility and balance, ice climbing can also take climbers to some of the most beautiful places on earth.