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05/01/2023	9:00PM	Ghost Stories of the Hudson Valley with Frank Marquette	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.
05/02/2023	8:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musicians “Beyond the Ridge” for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	9:00PM	Caves of New York with Julian Benson and Stephen Berge	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.
05/03/2023	9:00PM	Mohonk’s Summerhouses and the ‘Folly’ Tradition of English Landscape Design	Join Professor Kerry Dean Carso for a fun, illustrated lecture situating Mohonk’s summerhouses (gazebos) and Sky Top Tower in the tradition of nineteenth-century picturesque landscape design in England and the U.S.
05/04/2023	9:00PM	Mohonk History: A Trip Through the Archives with Peter Bidowski	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 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!
05/05/2023	8:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musician Kevin O’Connell for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	9:00PM	Live Music: SonMilanes’ Salsa & Son Cubano Serenades	Led by Luis & Nestor Milanés, SonMilanes embodies the music and culture of our first Latin American Celebration, highlighting the perfect mix of salsa, merengue, and son Cubano. Come enjoy the range and joy of tonight’s music! For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/cultural-celebrations/latin-american-celebration/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/cultural-celebrations/latin-american-celebration/</a>
05/06/2023	9:00PM	Dance Night with Latin Jazz Express	Join Lawrence Moses as he leads the Latin Jazz Express Band through a fusion of Afro-Cuban rhythms and song forms with jazz. The Latin Jazz Express keeps this great musical tradition alive with seasoned players from the orchestras of Machito, Eddie Palmieri,

			Chico O’Farrill, Tito Puente, Jr., Buddy Rich, Thad Jones, and Maynard Ferguson. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/cultural-celebrations/latin-american-celebration/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/cultural-celebrations/latin-american-celebration/</a>
05/07/2023	10:30AM	Mariachi Artístico	Lead by musical director Francisco Navarrete, Mariachi Artístico is a band made up of four generations of musicians originating from Estado de Mexico. Best known for their artistry in Mariachi style, this family seeks to carry forward the mariachi sounds while incorporating a modern flair. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/cultural-celebrations/latin-american-celebration/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/cultural-celebrations/latin-american-celebration/</a>
	8:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musician Melinda DiMaio for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	9:00PM	Monarch Butterflies and Milkweed with Pam Golben	Join Pam Golben as she explains all about Monarch butterflies, migration, citizen science, as well as how to grow milkweed.
05/08/2023	9:00PM	Let’s Visit an Art Museum: Mary Magdalene Basilica with Sevan Melikyan	Join Wired Gallery Art Director Sevan Melikyan as he leads a visit to the Mary Magdalene Basilica near Aix-en-Provence. Displays therein include what is believed to be the remains of the saint Mary Magdalene as well as the legend and the muse who has inspired countless artists through the ages, including Rembrandt, El Greco, Caravaggio, Titian, and many more.
05/09/2023	8:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musician John Steffens for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	9:00PM	Rock Climbing with Marty Molitoris	Rock 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.
05/10/2023	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.
05/11/2023	9:00PM	Washington’s Secret Six – Culper Spy Ring with Bob Ulrich	Washington and his troops are outmanned, outgunned, outspent and out supplied. Names, some still unknown to this day, were part of a spy ring that helped save the American cause. As noted by a British officer of the time, we did not outfight the Redcoats, but we did out spy them! Local historian Bob Ulrich will walk us through his picture filled story of how this spy ring operated, and how it succeeded in bringing about the final victory against English oppression.

05/12/2023	8:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musician Kevin O’Connell for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	9:00PM	Live Music: Soul Purpose	Based in New York’s Hudson Valley, Soul Purpose is a seven-piece band fueled by a shared love of Soul, New Orleans Funk, Swing, and R&B. Lead by saxophonist Dr. Lori Morris, tonight will be an evening delivering visceral rhythm, boisterous energy, and joy to lift your heart. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/mothers-day-weekend/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/mothers-day-weekend/</a>
05/13/2023	9:00PM	Live Music: Copilot	Copilot is a Rock-Pop band from Boston, MA that was formed in 2018 with Maggie (vocals), Ry (guitar, vocals), Jake (vocals), Dylan (drums), Bev (bass), & Jack (lead guitar). Coming together from their own respective musical projects, the powerful triage of singers shape the band’s sound. Their blend of harmonies and the unique character of each vocalist allows Copilot to explore a whole spectrum of emotion with their songwriting and create electric live performances. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/mothers-day-weekend/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/mothers-day-weekend/</a>
05/14/2023	10:30AM	Live Music: Soul Jazz Collective	Steve Raleigh & The Soul-Jazz Collective is a four-piece group specializing in upbeat groove music that's a blend of soul, funk, blues, gospel, and jazz pioneered in the 1960s by such artists as Herbie Hancock, Grant Green, Jack McDuff, Stanley Turrentine, and Lou Donaldson. In the 60s this type of music was sometimes referred to as “Funky Bop”. Come enjoy this fun, engaging, and lyrical performance! For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/mothers-day-weekend/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/mothers-day-weekend/</a>
	8:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musician Linda Richards for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	9:00PM	Bringing Back the Legend: Cougar Recovery in Eastern North America	Please 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.
05/15/2023	9:00PM	The Great Covered Bridges of the United States and China with Ron Knapp	Join professor and author Ronald G. Knapp as he tells the fascinating story of these bridges, how they were built, the technological breakthroughs required to construct them, and above all the dedication and skill of their builders. Each wooden bridge, whether still standing or long gone, has a story to tell about the nature of America at the time—not only about its transportation needs, but the availability of materials and the technological prowess of the people who built it.
05/16/2023	8:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musician Gia Walton for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!

	9:00PM	Sacred and Ceremonial Stone Sites of the Shawangunk Mountains	Join David Johnson as he discusses the features associated with ceremonial stone landscapes that were constructed throughout the Shawangunk Mountains for thousands of years. Discover the stone features in the Shawangunk Mountains and find out how those found throughout North America, are very similar to ones found in Peru and Chile in South America.
05/17/2023	9:00PM	Trunks of the Gunks with Nora Scarlett	Join award winning professional photographer Nora Scarlett as she shows her fascinating collection of trunks, stumps, roots, and burls that spring to life in improbable locations around Mohonk. Let your imagination discover the faces of the forest and other hidden wonders.
05/18/2023	9:00PM	Mohonk History: A Trip Through the Archives with Peter Bidowski	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 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!
05/19/2023	9:00PM	The Far Side of Nature	Join Wayne for a hilarious look at nature through the eyes of cartoonist Gary Larson. Wayne will share some of his favorites that so cleverly parody and satirize natural history. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/nature-outdoors/birding/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/nature-outdoors/birding/</a>
	9:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musician Kevin O’Connell for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
05/20/2023	10:00AM	Nature Sketching	Regardless of artistic ability, anyone can create a simple sketchbook journal of your explorations in nature. A few tips and tricks indoors will prepare us for a relaxing sketching session outdoors. Supplies provided. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/nature-outdoors/birding/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/nature-outdoors/birding/</a>
	5:00PM	Bird Song Recording	Join Greg for a discussion on the evolution of recording bird song. You’ll hear a fascinating tale of people (an Auburn NY corn starch tycoon, Cornell’s Allen & Kellogg, musicians Les Paul & Bing Crosby, and a rocket-fuel scientist) and technology (inventions of sound sync film, WWII anti-submarine technology, and the reel-to-reel recorder) with a good number of bird sounds along the way. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/nature-outdoors/birding/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/nature-outdoors/birding/</a>
	9:00PM	Trivia Night	Join us for a fun-filled and relaxing evening of general trivia with a sprinkling of birds and nature. Teams will play to answer the most questions correctly to win prizes! Music, movies, potpourri, science ...who knows what topics will come up? For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/nature-outdoors/birding/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/nature-outdoors/birding/</a>

05/21/2023	8:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musician Vickie Russell for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	9:00PM	The Ruby-throated Hummingbird with Pam Golben	The Ruby-throated Hummingbird, nature's feisty flying jewel! Learn about the Ruby-throat's natural history including anatomy, nest-building, range, migration, and how to attract them with nectar feeders and their favorite flowering plants.
05/22/2023	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.
05/23/2023	8:00PM	Campfires, Marshmallows, and Music	Join local musician John Steffens for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	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".
05/24/2023	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.
05/25/2023	9:00PM	Bringing Back the Legend: Cougar Recovery in Eastern North America with Chris Spatz	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.
05/26/2023	9:00PM	Campfires, S'mores, and Music	Join local musician Lauren Tully for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	9:00PM	Live Music: Jose Lopez and Chosen Style	New York-based guitarist, singer, and songwriter Jose Lopez cultivates a fresh and tasty blend of Rock, R&B, Soul, and Blues music. Lopez's raw talent and honest interpretations of original songs and crowd favorites draw on a mix of genres that speak to a wide range of music-loving audiences. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/memorial-day-weekend/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/memorial-day-weekend/</a>
05/27/2023	9:00PM	Live Music: Dylan Doyle Band	Southern born, Northern raised, Dylan Doyle has been steeped in everything from Bob Dylan, Wes Montgomery and Bill Withers to John Prine, Jimi Hendrix and The Band. From this comes a unique musical interpretation that lies somewhere within the delta of Roots, Rock, and Jazz, giving him a style that defies classification. For more information, please visit:



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05/28/2023	8:30PM	Magician Tom Pesce	Tom Pesce is bringing magic to the next level of awesome! Combining his unique brand of fast-paced, high-octane magic, Tom has created a visual performance recipe that will leave you talking about him for years to come. Come see for yourself! For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/memorial-day-weekend/">https://www.mohonk.com/events/holidays-at-mohonk/memorial-day-weekend/</a>
	9:00PM	Campfires, S'mores and Music	Join local musicians "Wild Bill and the Buffalo Boys" for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
05/29/2023	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.
05/30/2023	9:00PM	Campfires, S'mores, and Music	Join local musician Andrew Jordan for an evening of family fun and songs by the campfire with roasting a delicious marshmallow treat!
	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.
05/31/2023	9:00PM	Ledge, Lake, Leaf, Labyrinth with Nora Scarlett	Join photographer Nora Scarlett as she presents an uncommon portrait of the Shawangunk Mountains. This visual tour will include photographs of the Mohonk Preserve, Minnewaska State Park, and Mohonk Mountain House itself; offering insight into the geology, flora and fauna, and history of each.