

# Weekend Events: May 4-6, 2018

Excerpted from the Official Salem Guide & Online Calendar

# Friday, May 4

### **ArtWeek**

Downtown Salem | ArtWeekMA.org ArtWeek features unexpected and creative experiences that are interactive or offer behindthe-scenes access to artists or the creative process. Events take place throughout Massachusetts! Learn more at ArtWeekMA.org.

### **Massachusetts Poetry Festival**

Downtown Salem | MassPoetry.org Salem becomes the epicenter of contemporary American poetry, offering rare opportunities to hear the nation's best poets read and discuss their work in intimate and engaging forums. View the full event schedule at MassPoetry.org.

3:00 pm-6:00 pm

# Friday Tea Tastings at Jolie Tea Company

105 Essex Street | JolieTeaCo.com Tea & sweets are served at Jolie Tea Company. Free event, no reservations needed.

4:00 pm-1:00 am

# **Star Wars Day**

50 Saint Peter Street | Bit.Bar Visit Bit Bar for Star Wars Pinball and Atari Star Wars Star Wars console games and ASCIIMATION Star Wars on the big screen. Bit Bar is 21+ after 8:00 pm.

5:00 pm-8:00 pm

### Opening Reception at Salem Arts Association

211 Bridge Street | SalemArts.org Salem Arts Association hosts an opening reception.

7:00 pm

### Pasture to Palate

125 Washington Street | LedgerSalem.com Ledger hosts a five-course paired Lamb experience that highlights the meal from the pasture, to the brewery, to the pairing process, and to your palate. Call for tickets (\$95).

9:30 pm-11:00 pm

# **College Slammers**

Hawthorne Hotel | MassPoetry.org College students engage in a friendly poetry slam. Experience the dynamic performances and get a first-hand look at the MA college poetry scene.

# Saturday, May 5

#### ArtWeek

Downtown Salem | ArtWeekMA.org See event listing Friday, May 4.

### Massachusetts Poetry Festival

Downtown Salem | MassPoetry.org See event listing Friday, May 4

10:30 am-1:30 pm

## Soapmaking 101

3 Hawthorne Blvd. | ArtemisiaBotanicals.com Learn to make cold processed soap with natural ingredients. Tickets (\$55) available online.

12:00 pm-6:00 pm

### Exhibition Exhibition - Salem Arts Association

211 Bridge Street | SalemArts.org An artistic exploration of personal expression through fashion and presentation.

12:00 pm-6:00 pm

## Go Away at Salem Arts Association

211 Bridge Street | SalemArts.org Images inspired by travel and transportation. It's the journey, not the destination.

12:00 pm-3:00 pm

### Lamb & Locale

283R Derby Street | NotchBrewing.com Ledger joins Notch Brewing for their 8<sup>th</sup> anniversary with "Lamb for the people" done the old fashioned way – over a fire, on a spit. \$25.

1:00 pm-5:00 pm

### **Spring Into Wellness**

385 Essex Street | GraceChurchSalem.org Features wellness practioners, massages, treatment rooms, artisans, beauty and design consultants, and more. \$10 suggested donation towards the Boys & Girls Club of Greater Salem.

2:30 pm-5:00 pm

### Soapmaking 102

3 Hawthorne Blvd. | ArtemisiaBotanicals.com Learn about coloring and scenting your cold process soap. Soapmaking 101 is required for this class. Tickets (\$55) available online.

For tour schedules, visit Salem.org/Learn/Tours



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3:30 pm-10:00 pm

## Cinco de Mayo at Turner's Seafood

43 Church Street | Turners-Seafood.com Spice up your night and celebrate Cinco de Mayo at Turner's with unique specials by Chef Yale Woodson and Chef Jaime Aguilar and festive cocktails. Call ahead: 978-745-7665.

4:15 pm-5:30 pm

## **Game Changers:**

# Women Activists in Digital Space

161 Essex Street | PEM.org
Join an influential panel of artists, authors and
game developers, as they examine the
representation of women in digital spaces, and
ways each they transform this male-dominated
world into one that welcomes all players. Free.

7:00 pm-10:00 pm

## Ay caramba! Tequila & Improv

7 Lynde Street | GallowsHillSalem.com Sample tequilas and Mexican chocolate, then get ready to laugh with some improv comedy, just like the show "Whose Line is it, Anyway?" \$20.

9:00 pm

## Live Music Featuring The American WHO

87 Washington Street | SalemOpus.com Visit Opus for live music by The American WHO.

9:30 pm

### What Poetry Means to Me

Hawthorne Hotel | MassPoetry.org Hear poets and readers of poetry tell stories about how poetry changed their lives.

# Sunday, May 6

#### **ArtWeek**

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### Massachusetts Poetry Festival

Downtown Salem | MassPoetry.org See event listing Friday, May 4

11:30 am-2:30 pm

# **Meters for Liters! Notch Brewing Runs**

283R Derby Street | NotchBrewing.com Run a 5K or a 10K and earn Notch swag when you complete 10 runs during Meters for Liters! It's not a race—just a run followed by beer and pretzels!

12:00 pm-6:00 pm

# Go Away at Salem Arts Association

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12:00 pm-6:00 pm

### **Exhibition Exhibition - Salem Arts Association**

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6:00 pm-7:30 pm

### **Wine 101**

45 Lafayette St. | TheCheeseShopofSalem.com Wine 101 will examine how to identify the essential elements in wine and will review general food pairing guidelines to major grape varieties. Enjoy 5 different wines alongside cheese and charcuterie pairings. \$55, tickets online.