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CREATIVE ARTS FESTIVAL IS SATURDAY, MAY 11



LINCROFT — Celebrate local artists by heading over to the Monmouth County Park System’s annual ***Creative Arts Festival***. Held from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. on Saturday, May 11 at Thompson Park, 805 Newman Springs Road, Lincroft, this juried arts festival includes live music, engaging art demonstration, children’s art-based activities, and, best of all, beautiful and unique pieces created by select artists and fine crafters. Browse 45+ booths of pottery, painting, jewelry and more. Artist booths will be located both inside the barns and outdoors under tents as this family-friendly event encompasses the grounds of the Creative Arts Center and two beautiful historic barns.

Outdoor musical performances include ***The Band of the Two Rivers, Zydeco Revelators, and Chuck Lambert.*** Indoor performances include ***Musicians on a Mission, Joe Frame, Jonathan Tea and Alan Gowa.***

Art demonstrations include:

- Found object sculpture by Lisa Bagwell
- Silk painting by Karin Trunz
- Pysanky by Jennifer Santa Maria
- Throwing large pots by John Fossa
- Stained glass by Kate Grady

Other demonstrations include pottery, bonsai, woodturning, and shibori indigo dying. Children are invited to contribute to the community mural and make crafts. The event will also feature three food trucks. Admission and parking for the festival are free.

For more information about the ***Creative Arts Festival*** or the Park System, please visit www.MonmouthCountyParks.com or call 732-842-4000. For persons with hearing impairment, the Park System's TTY/TDD number is 711. The Monmouth County Park System, created in 1960 by the Monmouth County Board of County Commissioners, is Monmouth County's Open Space, Parks, and Recreation agency.

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