



**3rd Annual CIC Arts Week Opening Reception – *Added to week-long festival, Cambridge***

To kick off this festival at the Cambridge Innovation Center, they offered an interactive evening of artist demonstrations, tours of exhibits, and live music performances.

**Anthony Amore Talks Art Theft - *Offered during Festival of Museums, Cape Cod Museum Trail***

The Director of Security at the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, and best-selling author, spoke about his role and the 1990 heist of famous artworks as a special presentation during the festival in conjunction with the release of his new book.

**Fire and Ink – *Individual artist demonstration during Open Studios, West Medford***

Artist Stephanie Todhunter offered an interactive demonstration about alcohol inks and let participants over 18 years old experiment with the medium.

**Kids Really Rock/Open Arts Day – *Highlighted interactive activities during annual festival, Watertown***

This unique interactive rock concert geared towards children was one of many activities offered throughout the day, including: printmaking, theater-based activities, clay art projects, and more.

**Asparagus Valley Pottery Trail – *Free event in conjunction with Snow Farm***

The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Asparagus Valley Potter Trail (AVPT) offered a free, self-guided studio tour featuring the work of nine nationally-known host potters and 13 guest artists, reflecting the vibrancy and diversity of handmade ceramics in Western Massachusetts. Guest enjoyed meet and greets and live music.

**O+ Festival Artist Talk - *Preview event, Haverhill***

The day before the start of the festival, a local artist gave a preview of a mural that was being featured during the festival, discussing his inspiration and process.

**Champion Reception and Open Studios with Artists – *Brockton First Foundation***

ArtWeek Brockton celebrated the lifetime achievements of Noelle Foye, a Champion of the Arts and Director of Education at the Fuller Craft Museum and Executive Director of the Art Museum of New Bedford. Festivities included behind-the-scenes tours of the Stacy Adams Cultural Arts Building.

**Flash Forward Photography Festival VIP Tour – *The Greenway, Boston***

The park's Director of Programming gave a special preview tour with of "The Fence," featuring 450 linear feet of emerging photographers' images displayed along an 8-foot high fence, as well as an exploration of the temporary shipping container galleries.

**Want to brainstorm or have questions? Want to submit your events?**

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Online applications for the Spring 2019 festival open on November 1, 2018. [www.artweekma.org](http://www.artweekma.org)