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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### COME JOIN IN THE MAY 1 FESTIVITIES

SCULPTURE WALK WITH SHIRLEY KOLLER, CURATOR, 4 PM  
GALLERY RECEPTION, 5:30-7:30 PM  
WATERGATE GALLERY, 2552 Virginia Ave NW, WDC 20037



*Watergate Gallery, in conjunction with the Foggy Bottom Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit, is hosting a reception for the participating artists with an exhibit of indoor sculpture.*



**Top Left** - Sculpture by Garrett Strang in front of River Inn



**Top Right** - Seth Goldstein and Paula Stone's sculpture Vine-esque.

**Right** - Shirley Koller and Alan Binstock

**Center Right** - Nancy Frankel with Chas Colburn

**Center Left** - Mike Brining installing his sculpture



**Bottom Right** - Chas Colburn with his sculpture Do-It-Yourself- Crane and Installation Vehicle

**Bottom Left** - Mary Kay Shaw and Jackie Lemire, Co-Directors of the Exhibit assuring the Exhibit installations went without a hitch.



**THE EXHIBIT AT WATERGATE GALLERY GOES FROM MAY 1ST-JUNE 5TH**  
Gallery hours:  
Monday-Friday, 10 am-6 pm  
Saturday, 10 am-4 pm

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## Cultural Open House at the Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia

May 1, 10 am – 4 pm  
601 New Hampshire Avenue, NW



Journey to the exotic and fascinating country of Saudi Arabia, the largest on the Arabian Peninsula. Have your hand painted with a henna design and your name written in Arabic calligraphy. Enjoy a variety of regional dances to the sounds of traditional music. Sample tastings of Saudi cuisine. Have your photograph taken dressed in authentic clothing. There will be a live fashion show and a photography exhibition by Saudi students. Fun for the entire family!

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### THE FOGGY BOTTOM NEWS

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The Foggy Bottom Association was formed by a group of citizens in 1955 and was formally incorporated in 1959. Attendance at FBA meetings is open to all residents of Foggy Bottom and the West End.

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## Cultural Open House at the Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia (cont'd)



The Embassy of Saudi Arabia along with Embassies from Africa, Asia, Oceania, the Middle East, Europe, and the Americas invite the public to visit free of charge to sample extraordinary delights from many diverse cultures. Cultural Tourism DC's family-friendly event showcases art, music, traditional dress, and much more. Thirty-five embassies will invite you in to chat with ambassadors, sip rum or a variety of coffees and teas, shop outdoor marketplaces, enjoy diverse dance performances and world-class art, or savor traditional delicacies.

Cultural Tourism DC is providing free shuttle buses on three separate routes to coordinate with all the embassies participating May 1st. The shuttle buses leave from 1900 Massachusetts Avenue, NW (Dupont Circle) and loop Massachusetts Avenue, Connecticut Avenue / International Drive, and lower New Hampshire Avenue / Georgetown.

For more information about Saudi Arabia, go to [www.saudiembassy.net](http://www.saudiembassy.net).

*Throughout the month of May, Passport DC opens doors to authentic music, dance, crafts, and cuisine at more than 60 embassies in Washington – so you can explore foreign lands and delight in diverse cultures all without ever leaving the city. Passport DC kicks off on May 1 with the Around the World Embassy Tour. Go to [www.culturaltourismdc.org/things-do-see/passport-dc/what-you-need-know](http://www.culturaltourismdc.org/things-do-see/passport-dc/what-you-need-know) for more information on the Around the World Embassy Tour from 10 am to 4 pm.*

## U P C O M I N G E V E N T S (cont'd)

### THE WEST END LIBRARY FRIENDS' BAG DAY BOOK SALE

**SATURDAY, MAY 1 AT THE WEST END LIBRARY  
1101 24TH ST., NW (24TH & L STREETS)  
10:30 am – 3:30 pm**

This sale of used and contributed books is a continuation of our three previous sales. Fill a bag with books (bags donated by Trader Joe's) for \$5.00 or buy a Friends' tote bag for \$10 and fill it up for free! Special volumes will be appropriately priced. DVDs and an abundance of CDs and video tapes are available, as well as \$1 "surprise boxes" covering a variety of topics.



All proceeds from this sale will go toward the D.C. Public Library citywide 2010 Summer Reading Program. Mark your calendars now and help support this worthy cause.