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Beads Abound at BCM

From Rituals to Runways: The Art of the Bead Opens TOMORROW, Feb. 4

At last, we are ready to re-open our doors and we can't be more excited about our newest exhibit! *From Rituals to Runways: The Art of the Bead* features four glamorous beaded costumes worn by pop star and fashion icon Cher, along with fascinating examples of beads used in religion, commerce and culture throughout the centuries. This printed jersey gown was worn by a pregnant Cher for the opening number of "More Today Than Yesterday" on The Sonny and Cher Show in 1976. Embellished with iridescent bugle beads and white and sapphire colored shimmering glass, the dress is a work of art by Hollywood designer Bob Mackie.

The exhibit, opening on Tuesday, February 4, will celebrate the art and integral roles that beads have played in society over the centuries, from prayer and devotion, to art, fashion and décor. They've been made from wood and stone, bone and tooth, glass, plastic and gemstones – all of which are represented in the exhibit, which runs through May 10.

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We're Having a Bead Bash@BCM!

Friday, Feb. 21, 6-8 p.m.



BEAD BASH@BCM



Mark your calendars! BCM is celebrating the art of the bead with a kickoff of our newest exhibit. Join us Feb. 21, from 6-8 p.m. for displays and demonstrations, light appetizers and a cash bar. Admission is free for BCM members and \$5 for future members.

Save the Date!



SONNY & CHER

KARAOKE

& Costume

Contest

Friday, April 3, 7 p.m.

\$8 for BCM members, \$10 for future members
Must be 21 or older



For those who can't get enough of the Cher experience, a Sonny & Cher karaoke and look-alike contest will take place at 7 p.m. on Friday, April 3 at BCM. "Cher" your talents and win prizes --

"The Winner Takes It All" for best singer and costume! Enjoy snacks and a cash bar. Cost: \$8 for BCM members and \$10 for future members. Must be 21 or older. [Purchase tickets HERE.](#)

Visit our website, for more Beadazzling Events.

Chippie's Sensational Science Labs: *STEAM With Beads* Wednesday, Feb 5, 1-2 p.m.

Explore science using patterns with barrel-shaped, plastic pony beads, making an abacus and conducting child-friendly experiments.

The Chippie programs introduce science to children aged 3 to 5 in this fun and educational monthly series, which incorporates S.T.E.A.M. elements and age-appropriate experiments!

Cost: museum admission plus \$3 lab fee per child. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Preregistration required: Register online at: <https://Chippie2520.givesmart.com> or call (859) 491-4003.



Devou Drive Closed for Drainage Project



If you're visiting BCM from Downtown, you may have to use another route. Devou Drive has been closed for a stormwater improvement project.

The closure affects the part of Devou Drive between Western Avenue and its intersection with Rotary Lane and Haven Gillespie Boulevard within Devou park. The project involves the rebuilding of the stormwater collection system and is estimated to take nearly a month to finish.

2020 Two-Headed Calf Awards Tickets Now Available Online

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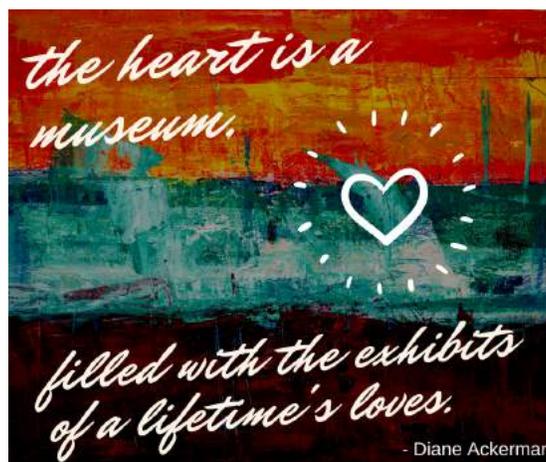
Thursday, April 9, 2020, 6 p.m.
NKU Votruba Student Union Ballroom

*Just as two heads are better than one, so, too, is
the service of the people these awards honor.*



The 2020 Two-Headed Calf award recipients will be honored at an awards dinner and gala at 6 p.m., Thursday, April 9 at Northern Kentucky University's Votruba Student Union Ballroom. The event will include dinner, cocktails, live music, a silent auction, raffles and free parking, in addition to the fun awards celebration. All-inclusive tickets are \$100 per person or \$800 for a table of eight. For reservations, call 859-491-4003 or purchase tickets online [HERE](#).

Museum Quote Monday



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We aim for a 5 star experience at BCM. Review us at **Yelp** and **Trip Advisor**.
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the City of Covington, Kenton County Fiscal Court, ArtsWave,
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