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# Notable Notes

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## Announcements:

## “Songs and Poems for the Earth and the Season”



Photo by Hope Foley

### Who hoo Hoo.

The season for Owl Prowls has begun! Don't wait to sign up for these popular programs taking place at several Audubon refuges in November and December. Just visit [asri.org](http://asri.org) and click on the events calendar the top of the page.

Please join Notable Works, Greg Berger and students from one of his fourth grade classes, along with the Notable Works' Ensemble and special guests for songs and poems to celebrate Winter and the Earth. This event will take place on Saturday, December 10th at 1:00 PM at the North Providence Union Free Library, 1810 Mineral Spring Ave. North Providence, RI.

### SHARE YOUR POEMS OR THOUGHTS AT THE OPEN MIC!!

There will be a sign-up sheet at the door for 7 people to join the open mic to share a little thought, poem, idea or story regarding the winter season and our precious Earth. We ask that as you prepare your poem or thought, that you keep your total time to three minutes (which includes any remarks before your poem) to assure we have time for all your fellow readers.

There will be a traditional holiday sing-along with Noreen Inglesi, Mr. Berger and the Notable Works' Ensemble. If you can bring a non-perishable food item for the North Providence Food Pantry, and/or a pair of socks, gloves or scarf for the Notable Works' "Love Warms the Homeless Heart" Tote Bag Program, we'd appreciate it. There will be two bins set up at this event for the donations. After singing traditional Holiday songs and participating in the open mic, please enjoy Domino's Pizza of North Providence and get acquainted with everyone and especially the special surprise guest. This event is free, open to everyone and the library is handicapped accessible. For more information about this event and other Notable Works' projects, please visit: [www.notableworks.org](http://www.notableworks.org).



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Click link below to view WRWC Greenway and Beyond Tour:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ka10jWmLIE>

For more information, please visit:

[www.wrwc.org](http://www.wrwc.org)



Eastern Conservation District

Join us November 19 at 10AM for a farm tour of Movement Ground Farm in Tiverton. Tour the farm to discover how they are growing connections in our community and learn about NRCS programs which provide technical and financial assistance. The mission of Movement Ground Farm is to recultivate the central role of food and land in nourishing our bodies, strengthening our communities, and growing a more just world. Free event. RSVP to Nate Lukas - [nlukas.ericd@gmail.com](mailto:nlukas.ericd@gmail.com)

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**Voices of the Earth:  
The Future of Our Planet III**

THEME:  
"Awakening A Resolve for  
Re-Discovery, Resolution, Adaption  
and Growth:  
A Call for Continued Action"

**Call for Poetry Submissions**


Notable Works Publication is working with Crosswinds Poetry on the third edition of **Voices of the Earth: The Future of Our Planet**. Poets accepted for publication in this book will receive a complimentary copy upon its completion. Three Prizes will be awarded from entries. Submission Period: January 1, 2023 to February 15, 2023 at midnight.

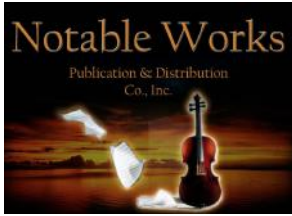
Prizes: Cash award with certificate:  
1st Place \$ 100.00, 2nd Place \$50.00 and 3rd Place \$25.00.

Guidelines: Poets may submit up to three original works not previously published, each one formatted in 12 point Times New Roman font, not exceeding 60 lines (which includes the title and any spaces in-between) and no more than 66 characters on each line (which includes spaces and punctuation). For a complete list of submission guidelines, please visit [www.notableworks.org](http://www.notableworks.org) or email: [noreeninglesi@cox.net](mailto:noreeninglesi@cox.net) or [info@notableworks.org](mailto:info@notableworks.org).

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**Quote of the Month**

**"The point is not to pay back kindness but to pass it on."**

....Julia Alvarez

The celebrated Dominican American writer Julia Alvarez has an uncanny ability to cut to the center of the human experience. Her poetry and prose often focus on her identity as a Dominican woman growing up in the United States. This quote, however, comes from Alvarez's essay "Aha Moment," in which she describes a terrifying plane ride, and the many [moments of kindness](#) she saw in that one small space. Reflecting on that experience, she found that kindness inspires more kindness, and we should pay it forward whenever we can.

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**The State Ballet of Rhode Island**

*Presents:*

**Herci Marsden's  
COPPELIA**

[www.stateballet.com](http://www.stateballet.com)

Nov. 25 & 26 at 2pm: In the historic romantic comedy ballet "Coppelia," the adventures of Swanhilda, Frantz and friends will have the audience in fits of laughter as they try to find out who the girl on the balcony really is. Visit the website for ticket prices. [www.Theparkri.com](http://www.Theparkri.com)



**Environment Council of Rhode Island**

*Announces:*

**Nov. 15: Denzel Mitchell**

*Urban Farming: Community Organizing and Family:  
A Black Chef's Journey*

Denzel Mitchell is co-founder and co-executive director of education and operations of the Farm Alliance of Baltimore. The lecture is co-sponsored by the URI Africana Studies program. For more information visit: <https://web.uri.edu/hc/2022-just-good-food/>

**Rhode Island Environmental Education Association**



**Virtual Lunch and Learn:  
Improving Access to  
Environmental Education**

Join the Rhode Island Environmental Education Association (RIEEA) on Thursday, November 17, 2022 at 12PM for a virtual lunch and learn. The topic will be access to environmental education programming. Participants will discuss access for learners with disabilities, the difference between interpretation and translation, how the location of our events affects who is able to attend in terms of transportation access, and any other access challenges on your mind. Eating on and off camera is encouraged. Visit [www.rieea.org](http://www.rieea.org) for more information and to register.