

Sparhawk showcases students

AMESBURY — Sparhawk High School will hold its semi-annual Synthesis Fair and Scholar's Circle, a public presentation of student work with museum exhibits, gallery works, performances, a scholar's circle and food and games.

The theme is "American Spectacle," and the event will take place Friday, Jan. 21, and Saturday, Jan. 22, from noon to 5 p.m. at the Sparhawk School Upper Campus, 18 Maple St., Salisbury. Admission is \$7 for adults and \$5 for students and senior citizens.

The festival will feature traditional carnival games, a make-your-own crafts booth, an American Civics and Law trivia challenge and a "Write Your Legislator" Activism Center.

Also featured will be traditional American bluegrass music and barn dance lessons with The Mill City Ramblers. Food will be served by Affairs Catering.

The museum will feature exhibits on varied topics including "Immigrant Art in America," "Corporate Pollution of the Environment," "Stem Cell Research" and "Propaganda in the Iraq War."

Many examples of art, music and creative writing will be on display including "The Teenage Years of Cassandra Sexton," an original modern dance performance. Student speakers in the school's scholar's circle will present on issues such as "Forensic Nursing," "DNA and the Death Penalty" and "The Power of the Entertainment Industry."

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