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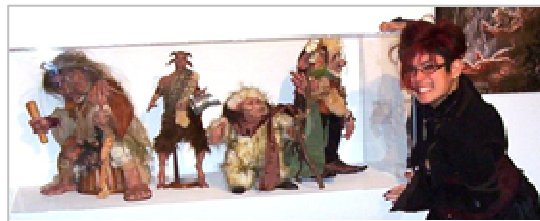
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**The Bronx Council on the Arts and the Huntington Free Library present
Doll Making with Alba Garcia on Saturday, March 16, 12:30-3:00pm
A Free Family-Friendly Craft Workshop at Huntington Free Library**

(Bronx, NY – February 26, 2013) The Bronx Council on the Arts (BCA) and the Huntington Free Library (HFL) continue their 2012-2013 family-friendly craft workshop series at 12:30pm on Saturday, March 16th at Westchester Square's Huntington Free Library with ***Doll Making with Alba Garcia***.

The workshop runs from 12:30-3:00pm. The Huntington Free Library is located at 9 Westchester Square (next to the Apple Savings Bank). Admission to the workshop is free and it is open to the public. All are welcome, but space is limited. Reserve your seat at <http://dollmakingworkshop.eventbrite.com>.

Alba Garcia's fascinating fantasy creations are currently on view in the horror and fantasy exhibition "In The Realm of Dreams & Fears" at Longwood Art Gallery @ Hostos (450 Grand Concourse at 149th Street). Marvel at her work at this exhibition and then spend a fun-filled afternoon with her on March 16th as she helps you create a small-scale fantasy of your own.



Alba is a master sculptress. Her art creatures are in private collections all over the world and she is a professor of Creature Design at the FANTASIATION Art Studio. She graduated from the University of Puerto Rico achieving a Fine Arts BA Degree. She completed a Stop Motion Film at the School of Visual Arts, NY, achieving the Dusty Film Festival Award. She was nominated for a Student Academy Award 2001, for her stop-motion animation, *The Happy Prince*, by Oscar Wilde.

Doll-making with Alba Garcia is part of the free series of Third Saturday Family Craft Workshops presented by the Bronx Council on the Arts, the Huntington Free Library and NYC Council Member James Vacca through April 20, 2013 at the Huntington Free Library. **The 2012-2013 series concludes at 12:30pm on April 20th** as BCA presents ***Recycle Art with Star Nigro***. Join artist Star Nigro as she shows you cool and clever ways to make great eco art. Learn to construct a masterpiece by creatively recycling old & new elements. Make eco-logical art. Fun for everyone!

Information: 718-931-9500 x33, 718-829-7770, or visit www.bronxarts.org.

Directions: The Huntington Free Library is located at 9 Westchester Square (next to the Apple Savings Bank) in the Bronx and can be reached by the #6 subway and BX 4, 21, 31, 40 and 42 buses. All destinations are to Westchester Square. For additional directions or information, call 718-829-7770.

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