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In Town & Around

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1. [Canterbury Choral Society](#) paints "An American Portrait" in song. Hear [Howard Hanson's](#) "Song of Democracy," American folk hymns and "The Battle Hymn of the Republic."

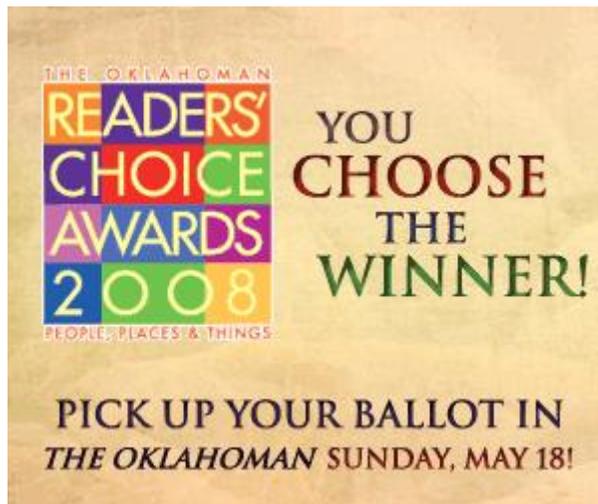
The music begins at 8 p.m. Saturday at the Civic Center, 201 N Walker. Tickets are \$17 to \$42 and are available at [www.myticketoffice.com](#). For more information, go to [www.canterburyokc.com](#) or call 232-7464.

Rolling flame
2. EL RENO — *Rolling Thunder Across America* roars in this weekend as part of *Operation Carry the Flame*. Meet motorcyclists from across the nation in the midst of their cross-country trek from Barstow, Calif., to Washington to raise support for veterans' families and increase awareness of prisoners of war and servicemen and women missing in action.

Food, festivities and a commemorative ceremony are part of the free event, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday at the [VFW Post](#) in El Reno, 1515 S Rock Island. For more information, go to [www.carrytheflame.org](#).

See art happen
3. NORMAN — "Action artist" [Michael Israel](#) leaps, twists and dances as he creates electrifying works of art on large, blank canvases, accompanied by heart-thumping rock music.

See the artist at 8 p.m. Saturday at Riverwind Casino, Interstate 35 and State Highway 9. For more information, go to



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Dog determination

4. At long last, someone has made a tell-all documentary about the dog-eat-dog world of dachshund racing. See the fast and the furriest compete in "Wiener Takes All: A Documentary."

The 2007 film starts at 5:30 and 8 p.m. today and Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday at the [Oklahoma City Museum of Art](http://www.okcmoa.com), 415 Couch Drive.

Admission is \$8 with discounts for museum members, seniors and students. For more information, go to www.okcmoa.com or call 278-8237.

State

May not miss it

1. TULSA — The arts and music mix at the huge [Tulsa International Mayfest](http://www.tulsamayfest.org) on Main Street from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. today, 10 a.m. to midnight Saturday and 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.

Family-oriented events include 120 artists' work and five music performances. For more information, call (918) 582-6435 or go to www.tulsamayfest.org.

Mayday mayday

2. BLANCHARD — Enjoy the fun for all ages at May Daze with carnival rides, craft fair, monster truck rides, music by Pinky and the SnakeShakers and more, from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. today and Saturday on State Highway 62 and 10th Street. For more information call 485-8787 or go to www.blanchardchamber.com.

Sample some wine

3. BRISTOW — Kick back, relax and sample some Oklahoma wine, and tour the winery at [Nuyaka Creek Winery Spring Wine Festival](http://www.nuyakacreek.com) from noon to 7 p.m. Saturday at 35230 S 177th W Ave., 16 miles east of Bristow on State Highway 16. For more information call (918) 756-8485 or go to www.nuyakacreek.com.

Rooster Days

4. BROKEN ARROW — Saddle up, grab the family and watch the bronc riding, calf roping, team roping and more at Rooster Days Open Rodeo from 8 to 10:30 p.m. today and Saturday.

Take State Highway 51 to the four-way stop at Oneta Road, turn south on Oneta and go a half mile to the arena entrance.

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