

KIRBY

CULTURAL ARTS COMPLEX



2023-2024 PROGRAM GUIDE

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Welcome! To the KIRBY CULTURAL ARTS COMPLEX

Here at the Kirby, we are excited to offer a wide range of arts programming for all experience levels! From watching local talent on the Kirby Stage to visual arts classes and ceramics in the Learning Studios, we are proud to be a part of **#artsinperson!**

The Kirby Cultural Arts Complex (KCAC) is supported by a partnership between Person County Recreation Arts & Parks Department, Piedmont Community College and the Person County Arts Council.

Take a look at what amazing programming we have planned for our 2023-2024 season!



Erin Ganey Hill
Director, Person County Arts Council & Kirby Cultural Arts Complex



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Monday - Friday: 1 - 5PM / Saturday: 10 - 4PM

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www.NCArts.org

We Have Merch!



- ✓ **TANK TOPS**
- ✓ **T-SHIRTS**
- ✓ **HOODIES**
- ✓ **MAGNETS**
- ✓ **BUTTONS**

LOCATED IN THE KIRBY ART GALLERY!

GET YOURS TODAY!

2023 KIRBY GALLERY SCHEDULE



2023 UPPER GALLERY SCHEDULE

Amateur Photography Competition
Reception: July 28, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

Artwork by Shannon Fitzgerald
Reception: Aug. 18, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

Art Guild of Person County Juried Show
Reception: Sept. 8, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

Artwork by Beverly Currence
Reception: Oct. 20, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

Artwork by Sappony Tribe
Reception: Nov. 3, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

Debi Drew Collaborative Showcase
Reception: Dec. 7, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

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Artwork by Jackie Rimmner
Reception: July 28, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

Artwork by Laura Hughes
Reception: Aug. 18, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

Artwork by Susan Hess
Reception: Sept. 8, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

Artwork by David Taylor
Reception: Oct. 20, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

Unusual Adventures by Susan Peters
Reception: Nov. 3, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

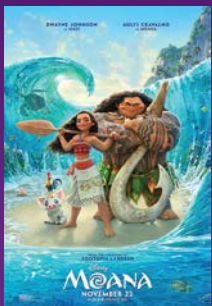
Art Guild of Person County Member Show
Reception: Dec. 7, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

NEW GALLERY SHOWINGS AT THE BEGINNING OF EVERY MONTH!

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR GALLERY SHOWINGS, OR TO SHOWCASE YOUR VERY OWN ARTWORK, PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE: WWW.KIRBYTHEATER.COM



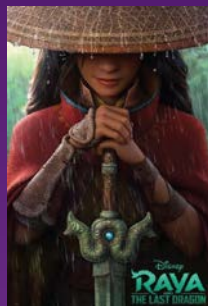
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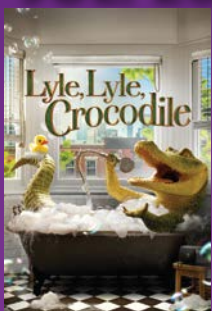
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NOV. 3



DEC. 7



JAN. 12



FEB. 2



MAR. 1



APR. 5



MAY 31



JUN. 7



PERFORMING ARTS

RLT's Youth Summer Theater Presents:



Follow the strong-willed Moana as she sets sail across the Pacific to save her village and discover the truth about her heritage. Joined by the legendary demigod Maui, embark on an epic journey full of your favorite songs and characters from the Disney film!

Directed by Harley Westbrooks

Ages: 5 - 12

Show Dates: July 14, 2023 · 7:30PM

July 15 & 16, 2023 · 3PM

\$10 for adults/\$5 for students



Through almost non-stop song and dance, this full-hearted musical tells the story of Ti Moune, a peasant girl who rescues and falls in love with Daniel, a wealthy boy from the other side of her island. When Daniel is returned to his people, the fantastical gods who rule the island, guide Ti Moune on a quest that will test the strength of her love against the powerful forces of prejudice, hatred and even death.

Directed by Fred Motley

Ages: 13 - 17

Show Dates: August 4 & 5, 2023 · 7:30PM

August 6, 2023 · 3PM

\$10 for adults/\$5 for students

AUDITIONS AT THE KIRBY

We are always looking for singers, actors and dancers, along with backstage, costume and prop assistance!

If you are interested in participating, please give us a call at: 336-597-1709 for more info!

SCAN HERE FOR MORE INFO!



Roxboro Little Theater Presents:



A New Musical

A comical feast that embraces the wackiness in every family, follow America's favorite creepy & kooky family in this original story. Gomez faces every father's nightmare: Wednesday Addams, the ultimate princess of darkness, has grown up and fallen in love with a sweet and smart young man from a respectable family – a man her parents have never met. And if that wasn't upsetting enough, Wednesday confides in her father and begs him not to tell her mother. Now, Gomez Addams must do something he's never done before – keep a secret from his beloved wife, Morticia. Everything will change for the whole family on the fateful night they host a dinner for Wednesday's "normal" boyfriend and his parents.

Directed by Blake Whitt

Auditions: August 7 & 8, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

August 12, 2023 10AM-12PM

Show Dates: October 13 & 14, 2023 · 7:30PM

October 15, 2023 · 3PM

\$20/\$16/\$10/\$8 for students

PERFORMING ARTS



A holiday comedy based on the best-selling young-adult book. This show follows the outrageous shenanigans of the Herdman siblings, or "the worst kids in the history of the world." The siblings take over the annual Christmas pageant in a hilarious yet heartwarming tale involving the Three Wise Men, a ham, scared shepherds, and six rowdy kids.

Directed by Harley Westbrooks

Audition Ages: 5 & Up

Auditions: September 29, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

September 30, 2023 · 10AM - 12PM

Show Dates: December 15 & 16, 2023 · 7:30PM

December 17, 2023 · 3PM

\$20/\$16/\$10/\$8 for students



Sometimes even the best laid plans go awry. Join us for a night of mishaps and mayhem in this comedic farce. Mistresses, secret lovers, a cook masquerading as someone else, a wife who refuses to leave, alibi's and confusion causing characters to improvise at breakneck speed to save their weekend plans as the hilarity ensues; what more could you want from a show?

Directed by Harley Westbrooks

Audition Ages: 18 & Up

Auditions: December 1, 2023 · 6 - 8PM

December 2, 2023 · 10AM - 12PM

Show Dates: February 9 & 10, 2024 · 7:30PM

February 11, 2024 · 3PM

\$20/\$16/\$10/\$8 for students



KIRBY GRASSROOTS:

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STAGE

We are proud to announce the Kirby's first one act play competition! Three selections will be chosen and brought to life on the stage as a part of our 23-24 season. There will be a series of workshops offered Fall 2023 that explore literary arts, storytelling, and playwrighting. Additionally, there will be a literary arts performance showcase on Jan. 20, 2024, for workshop participants.

Deadline to submit: December 1, 2023 at midnight

Show Dates: March 8 - 9, 2024: 7:30PM

March 10, 2024: 3PM

March 22 - 23, 2024: 7:30PM

March 24, 2024: 3PM

April 12 - 13, 2024: 7:30PM

April 14, 2024: 3PM

\$16/\$12/\$8/\$5 for students

LADY DAY

AT EMERSON'S BAR & GRILL

BY LANIE ROBERTSON

LADY DAY AT EMERSON'S BAR & GRILL was first produced in New York by the Vineyard Theatre Transport yourself to 1959 and witness an iconic moment in musical history crystalized in the form of this retelling. Based off one of Billie Holiday's last performances, given four months before her death, this show is full of legendary musical numbers and interlaced with salty, often humorous reminiscences to project a portrait of the lady and her music.

Directed by Fred Motley

Show Dates: April 26 & 27, 2024 · 7:30PM

April 28, 2024 · 3PM

\$20/\$16/\$10/\$8 for students

ADULT & YOUTH CAMPS/CLASSES

ARTS & ADVENTURE CAMPS

Taught by Kim Solomon. Kim is native to Roxboro and teaches for Person County Schools. She is creative, energetic and loves to motivate children to strive to be the best they can be!



STRATEGY ZONE Let's put your brain to work! During this camp, we will learn to use critical thinking skills to follow the clues and solve new mysteries each day. We will do activities and play games each day that will require you to think outside of the box and use your oodles! All materials are included in the price of the camp.

Ages: 9 - 12 Cost: \$70
Dates: July 17 - 20, 2023 Times: 9:30 - 11:30AM

STORYTELLING & ART #1 Each day, participants will make an art project inspired by a book read by the instructor. This is sure to be an artistic adventure for those who want to explore their creative side. Literature and Art make a perfect pair! All materials are included in the price of the camp.

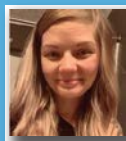
Ages: 6 - 12 Cost: \$70
Dates: July 17 - 20, 2023 Times: 1 - 3PM

RECYCLED ART One man's junk is another's treasure. Each day we will be making art pieces using recycled materials, scraps and junk. This is perfect for creative and innovative kids who like to make something with nothing. We will also learn about different artists around the world and the unique items they use!

Ages: 7 - 12 Cost: \$70
Dates: July 24 - 27, 2023 Times: 1 - 3PM

PROBLEM SOLVING CAMP

Taught by Samantha Kelly. Samantha is a teacher at North End Elementary. This year was her 8th year teaching and she specializes in working with students with a wide variety of abilities for all ages.



IN-IT TO WIN-IT! GAME WEEK! This camp will be full of Escape Rooms, Board Games, Minute-To-Win-It games, and more. Participants will love this engaging and interactive camp that will also increase their social and problem-solving skills. Registration fee includes a snack for each participant each day of camp.

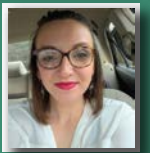
Ages: 7 - 11 Cost: \$50
Dates: July 31 - Aug. 3, 2023 Times: 10:30AM - 12:30PM

IN-IT TO WIN-IT! GAME DAY! This one day "mini-camp" is full of Escape Rooms, Board Games, Minute-To-Win-It games, and more. Participants will love this engaging and interactive camp that will also increase their social and problem-solving skills. Registration fee includes a snack for each participant.

Ages: 7 - 11 Cost: \$10
Dates: Aug. 5, 2023 Times: 10:30AM - 12:30PM

DANCE CAMP

Taught by Paige Mishue. Paige is a local dance teacher at The Dance House in Caswell County, NC. She has been teaching dance for 5 years. Styles of dance taught include lyrical, hip hop, jazz, tap, country, kickline and pom. Dance Camp will include developing technical skills, learning a short routine, and fun activities! We are excited to get our bodies moving and have some fun!



Ages: 6 - 11 Cost: \$70
Dates: July 17 - 21, 2023 Times: 9 - 11AM

ART WITH DR. DEBI DREW

Taught by Dr. Debi L. Drew. As an artist and art educator, she knows that the more she learns, the more she can share; and motivating others to create art and learn new things brings her much joy! She has a PhD and MA in Art Education and BAs in Visual Communications and General Psychology.



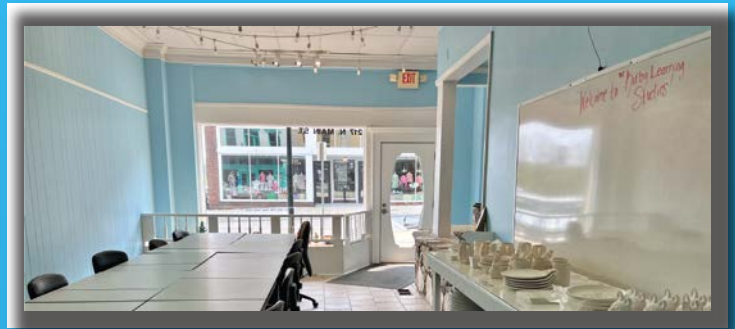
GUIDED WHEEL THROWING (Ages 16 and up) (Prerequisite: Learning to Wheel class or past experience throwing on the wheel.) This class is perfect for those who wish to continue working on the wheel to further practice and develop confidence in wheel throwing. Guided help will be individualized according to what each one wants to master on the wheel. All vessels will be glaze fired. \$130 25 lbs of clay will be available for registrants to purchase for class at the Kirby Learning Studios on the first day of class(\$35). Class meetings: Thurs. evenings - Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24 from 6 - 8PM.

CLAY LANTERNS (Ages 16 and up) Slab clay structures will be created and completely carved into to provide patterned openings for candlelight to beautifully shine through. The lanterns will be glazed fired. \$100 (materials included). Class meetings: Sat. evenings - Sept. 16, 23 and 30 from 6 - 8PM.

YOUTH STAMPED PINCH POTS (8-15 yrs old) In this class youth will begin with modeling a ball of clay into a small pot and then they will be decorated on the outside with stamping and a few other decorative techniques if desired. The final piece will be glazed. \$80 (materials included). Class meetings: Saturday mornings - Oct. 7, 21 and 28 from 10 - 11:30PM

LEARNING TO WHEEL (Ages 16 and up) If you ever wanted to find out how much fun it is to throw vessels on a pottery wheel this is the class for you. The basics for throwing, trimming and glazing will be shown to beginners or those who need a refresher. \$270 (materials included). Class meetings: Sat. afternoons/evening* - Oct. 7, 2, Nov 4. from 2 - 4PM
*3rd class (Oct. 28 from 5:30 - 7:30PM) will meet in the evening.

KIRBY LEARNING STUDIOS



Welcome!

To the **BRAND NEW**
Kirby Learning Studios!

We are proud to announce our new addition to the
KCAC: Kirby Learning Studios!

At the Kirby Learning Studios, we want to bring out the
artist in you! We offer numerous classes and events
suited for you, your family, friends, a date, at all ability
levels. In our studio, you have the creative freedom to
make any style of pottery, glazing pre-made pieces and
having fun with the people you care about most.

We welcome you to bring in your own ideas or to get
ideas from previously done works. Our staff is friendly
and want to help your ideas come to life!

MEMORIAL DAY - LABOR DAY

HOURS OF OPERATION:

TUESDAY - FRIDAY: 1 - 5PM

SATURDAY: 10AM - 2PM

OFF-SEASON HOURS OF OPERATION:

FRIDAY: 1 - 5PM

SATURDAY: 10AM - 2PM

*We do birthday parties and group bookings!
Make a request to book your event here:

www.personcounty.recdesk.com

Click on Facilities, Art Studio, Kirby Learning Studios
for details and our calendar!

PUBLIC ART IN UPTOWN ROXBORO

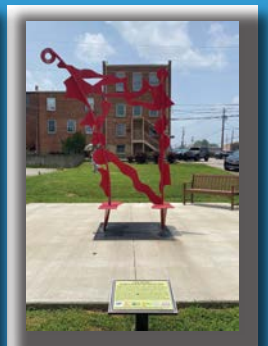


COME VISIT OUR
MANY DISPLAYS OF
ART, SPREAD ACROSS
UPTOWN ROXBORO!

**A DAY TRIP FROM
THE TRIANGLE AREA!**

ENJOY OUR VERY OWN
KIRBY ART PARK

**LEARN ABOUT
LOCAL ARTISTS
AND BECOME
INSPIRED!**



FREE SUMMER SHOWS

Fridays at 1PM

JUNE 30, 2023: Kuumba West African Dance Co.

JULY 7, 2023: Moana Jr. Cast

JULY 21, 2023: Kirby In-House Production

JULY 28, 2023: Once On This Island Jr. Cast

For more information, check our Facebook page: @KirbyCulturalArtsComplex
or our website: www.kirbytheater.com

GENTRY VISUALS & ARTS IN PERSON PRESENTS:

PAUL LIGGIT PHOTOGRAPHY &
ARTS IN PERSON PRESENTS:



A Documentary Showcasing Gospel
Roots & Legacy in Person County, NC

Directed by Michael Gentry



Directed by Paul Liggitt

Exploring the way art has shaped the
lives of the Sappony Tribe & their
influence to Person County, NC



AVAILABLE NOW TO WATCH ONLINE!

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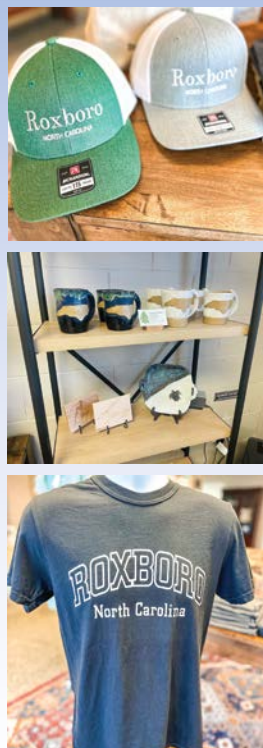
IT'S BETTER IN PERSON!

The Mission of the *Person County Tourism Development Authority* (PCTDA) is to promote the growth of responsible tourism through marketing strategies and programs that balance economic growth with the need to preserve the natural and cultural heritage of the Roxboro and Person County area.

MONDAY - FRIDAY: 9AM - 5PM

705 Durham Road, Roxboro, NC 27573

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PCTDA MOVIE SERIES



All movies are FREE
to the public and begin at
6:30PM at the
Kirby Cultural Arts Complex!

For more info visit:
www.kirbytheater.com

KIRBY CULTURAL ARTS COMPLEX *Rentals*



MAKE IT FEEL MAGICAL!

The Kirby Cultural Arts Complex is ready to help create lasting memories for your next event! We know how hard it can be to find the right venue, but with the help of our team and our resources, we are able to accommodate your vision and bring it to life!

PUTTING ON A PERFORMANCE? CHECK OUT OUR AUDITORIUM!

Whether it's a school play, local choir, or concert, we have got you covered!
With our equipment and technical experts, we are able to provide your needs!
Not to mention the stunning space!

- 466 AUDITORIUM SEATING
- 12 ACCESSIBLE SEATING
- DRESSING ROOMS
- 277 BALCONY SEATING
- GREEN ROOMS
- 30' x 40' STAGE

*Estimated measurement

NEEDING A SPACE FOR...

- WEDDINGS/RECEPTIONS
- CLASSES/LESSONS
- VENDOR FAIRS
- BUSINESS MEETINGS/EXPO
- BIRTHDAY PARTIES
- CLASS/FAMILY REUNIONS
- TRAINING FACILITIES
- BRIDAL/BABY SHOWERS
- LUNCHEONS

Any of our spaces can have a distinctive setting to truly showcase your special event. Let our talented production team help you create an extravagant experience in the Kirby Rebirth. We have an assortment of tables, tablecloths, chairs, and chair sashes in a variety of colors and options! We can even provide water and/or coffee! Need help finding a caterer for your event? We can help you find one that best suits your needs!

To book your next event, or to find out more information, please contact us at:
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ARTS IN EDUCATION



North
Carolina
Arts
Council
*Fifty years
of leadership*

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PERSON COUNTY arts COUNCIL

Our Mission: The PCAC commits to serve the community by providing diverse educational, cultural, and artistic opportunities for all citizens, in order to facilitate and grow financially sustainable art programs, local tourism in Person County, and an appreciation for the arts among our citizens and youth.

WHAT WE DO:

Since 2007, the Kirby Cultural Arts Complex and Person County Arts Council's Arts in Education programming has reached over 42,000 students! We offer free or low-cost Arts In Education programming (camps, youth theater, free school shows, storytelling, field trips) to local youth.

Promote multi-cultural arts programming
Support artistic development of individuals and organizations

Network and advocate for the arts
Raise the visibility of arts and culture in Person County through public art, education, and placemaking
Disseminate information and resources for citizens and artists

Maintain sustainable relationships and partnerships with local government and educational institutions
Offer a diverse calendar of ongoing arts and cultural events

Provide accessible arts programming to the citizens of Person County

No Donation Is Too Small!

Donate to Arts in Education Programming by filling out the form below or by visiting our website: www.kirbytheater.com

\$15

allows 1 student to attend our Annual 3rd Grade Field Trip

\$30

allows 1 student to attend 5 FREE Summer Shows or 2 students to attend our Annual 3rd Grade Field Trip

\$100

allows 1 student to participate in our Youth Summer Theater or allows 1 student to attend Arts Expressions Camp

SEASON PACKAGES:

Sections:

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> I'd like tickets to all 7 shows with 10% off | <input type="checkbox"/> I'd like to add Moana JR and Once on this Island JR with 10% off |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$115.20 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$133.20 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$90 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$108 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$57.60 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$75.60 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$42.30* | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$51.30* |
- *student prices

Kirby Theater Seating Chart Stage		
Orchestral Left	Dress Circle Orchestra Center	Orchestral Right
Patron Left	Patron Center	Patron Right

Support the Kirby with a Friends Membership

A portion of your donation is tax deductible and benefits PCAC Programming.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bird's Nest* - Add \$100 - 10 concessions vouchers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phoenix - \$500 - 2 PICK 5+ Packages & 10 concessions vouchers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eagle - \$250 - 1 PICK 5+ Package & 10 concessions vouchers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heron - \$100 - 6 concessions vouchers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bluejay - \$50 - 2 concessions vouchers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cardinal - \$25 - 1 concessions voucher |

*With purchase of 3 or more PICK 5+ Packages

Seat Request (not guaranteed) Aisle Seat ☐
Left ☐ Center ☐ Right ☐ Handicap Seat ☐

Same seats(s) as last year ☐ Please list seat #'s _____

Name(s): _____
(As it will appear in the playbill)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Number of Packages: _____ Package Cost: _____

Include Student Package(s) ☐ Package Total = _____

Add Friends Membership: _____ (Level)+ _____ (Level)

☐ I want to make a donation for Arts = _____
in Education Programming Total = _____

I will pay by check ☐ (Please mail form with check)

Make checks payable to Kirby Cultural Arts Complex.

I will pay by: Visa Mastercard Discover American Express

Card Number _____ - _____ - _____

Expiration Date _____ / _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Convenience charge for all CC orders.

Mailing Address:
Kirby Cultural Arts Complex, 213 North Main St.
Roxboro, NC 27573

Office Hours:

Tuesday-Friday: 1 - 5PM & Saturday: 10AM - 4PM

For more information on what your donations go towards, please visit our website:
www.kirbytheater.com or contact kirby.theater@personcountync.gov for more information





4.7/5 Google Reviews

"What a great opportunity to bring the county together that allows them to enjoy a great show and interact with the other patrons."

"What a great place to showcase talent in many different forms of entertainment. For meetings, social gatherings... it's Main Street's jewel."

"Come in once, you'll be back time and time again. Amazing place for family."

"A lot of culture influence for the whole area. I enjoy everything I see."



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