

• **One Week Until Opening Night!**

The world premiere of JDPP's newest performance piece is just one week away! Make sure to reserve your tickets today, as seats are filling up quickly!

*In This House*, a lyrical and image-rich multi-media performance piece inspired by the well-documented history of the 1678 Joshua Hempsted House in New London, and created with the generous cooperation of Connecticut Landmarks, will receive its world premiere by the Judy Dworin Performance Ensemble at the Charter Oak Cultural Center in Hartford, April 7, 8, & 9 at 7:30pm. Weaving live song and dance with recorded voice overs and projections, *In This House* probes race relations from the early 18th century to the present day.

General admission is \$25, \$15 for seniors and GHAC "Let's Go!" members, and \$10 for students. For reservations, call Charter Oak Cultural Center's box office at **860-249-1207**. For directions to Charter Oak Cultural Center, call 860-249-7041 or visit [charteroakcenter.org](http://charteroakcenter.org).

Don't miss the Opening Night Specials!



• **First Thursday at the Butler-McCook House**

Parlor talk with Allegra diBonaventura, historical consultant for *In This House*, on the life of enslaved African Adam Jackson who lived in the Joshua Hempsted House for 30 years, **4:30 pm**. History Happy Hour & opening of images for *In This House*

by Hartford-based photojournalist Nick Lacy, **5 - 7 pm**. **First Thursday** is free with a requested donation.

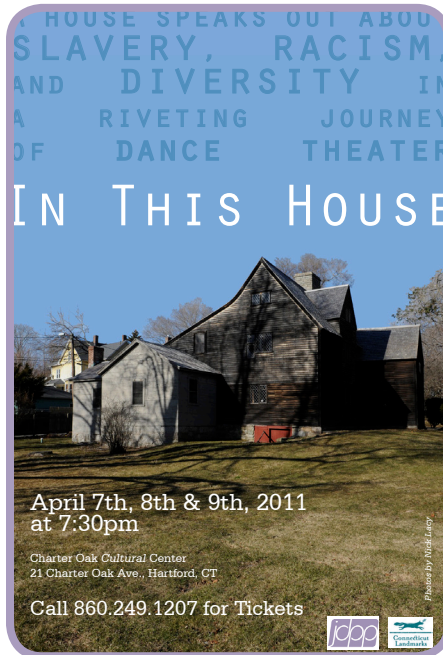
• **Dinner at Peppercorn's Grill**

Special 2 or 3-course, seasonal prix fixe dinner (Thur, Fri, Sat Opening night dessert reception following the show. ~ 3 Courses: \$45; 2 Courses: \$35 ~ Dessert reception only: \$25. Reservations: 860.547.1714 or [www.peppercornsgrill.com](http://www.peppercornsgrill.com)

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**Listen for Judy, composer Leslie Bird, and author Allegra di Bonaventura on John Dankosky's "Where We Live" on Monday, April 4th at 9am!**



• **Challenge Grant Update!**

WE DID IT! Thanks to the over 120 fantastic supporters of JDPP, we have officially met the \$6,000 Matching Grant for the Children with Incarcerated Parents Project! With many, many thanks to:

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