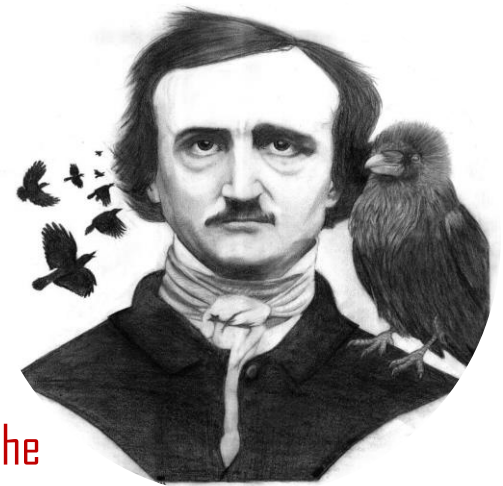


Lovers & Friends!



Join us at the Keeper's House for a night of wine, chocolate, and Edgar Allan Poe

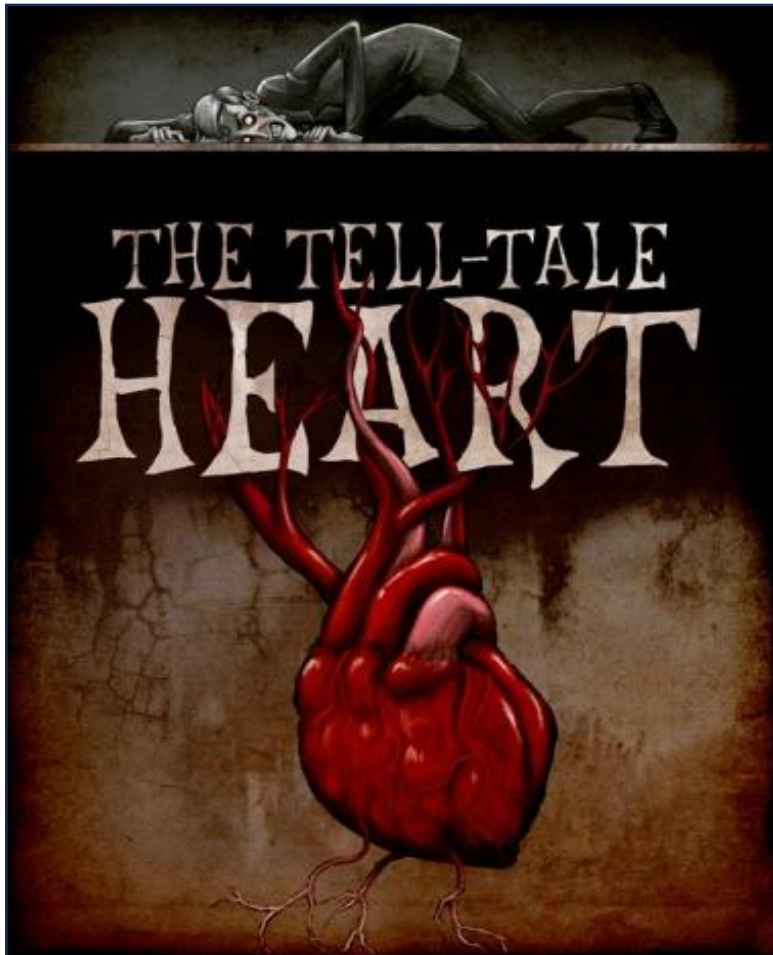
Berenice

The Raven

Tell-Tale Heart

Performed by Storyteller
David Neilsen

Wednesday, Feb 12th
6:30 – 8:00 PM \$15 tickets



Was Edgar Allan Poe an Aqueduct walker?

Poe readers who own a copy of his *Tales* in the Great Illustrated Classics edition (1952) may remember the image of a melancholy Poe walking across the Highbridge. High bridge (1848) continued the route of the Old Croton Aqueduct from the Bronx across the Harlem River into Manhattan. Poe was a Bronx resident, living in a tiny cottage in rural Fordham Village, just east of the Aqueduct from the spring of 1846 until he died in October of 1849.

The picture, which is also on view at Poe Cottage is titled, *Poe Walking on the High Bridge*. It appeared around 1900 as part of a series of illustrations by Bernard Jacob Rosenmeyer.

Insight on the life and work of Poe will be provided by Roger McCormack, Director of Education for the Bronx Historical Society and Poe Cottage.



Location: Keeper's House, 15 Walnut St, Dobbs Ferry

Buy \$15 tickets for this event by going to <https://aqueduct.org>

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