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Press Release

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New Art Exhibition ‘Print it!’ Opens March 16

Community invited to Opening Reception at Village Theatre Art Gallery

The Village Theatre Art Gallery is excited to partner with the California Society of Printmakers for a new exhibition beginning March 16, titled ‘*Print It!*’ featuring a large collection of prints that depict a variety of styles and subject matter.

The California Society of Printmakers is a non-profit organization comprised of more than 300 members. It’s the oldest printmaking organization in the country. Printmaking is an ancient practice, dating all the way back to CE105 in China after paper was invented. There are a variety of different types of printmaking, many of which will be on display, including: woodcut, linocut, collagraph, engraving, etching, aquatint, monotype, lithograph and screen prints.

A selection of artist members from the society will be featured in this exhibition: Shunsuke Ando, Peter Baczek, Sandra Beard, Noah Breuer, Amy Burek, Helene Cote, Cathie Crawford, Linda L. Fribley, Betty Friedman, Karen Gallagher-Iverson, Deena Haynes, Joanna Kidd, Dixie Laws, Kent Manske, Barbara Maricle, Cynthia Milionis, HJ Mooij, Barbara Nilsson, Amanda Palmer, Arline Reimann, Jill Reich, Ashley Rodriguez Reed,, Danguole Rita, Asli Saglam, Anita Seltzer, Maryly Snow, Toru Sugita, Jami Taback, Karen Towne, Katherine Venturelli, Summer Ventis, Nanette Wylde and Linda Yoshizawa. More information on the California Printmakers Society can be found on their website, <http://www.caprintmakers.org/>

An Opening Reception for the exhibition is scheduled for Saturday, **March 16, 2019 from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.** Artists will be on hand at the exhibition to discuss their artwork.

Complimentary refreshments will be served. The exhibit runs through April 20, 2019. Artwork in the exhibition will be for sale. Admission is free.

The Village Theatre and Art Gallery is open to visitors Wednesday through Friday 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Saturday 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., and Monday and Tuesday by appointment only. The Art Gallery is closed on Sundays.

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