

ART GALLERY OF HAMILTON 2017 ART SALE

Thursday, April 27 to Sunday, April 30, 2017
Art Gallery of Hamilton, 123 King Street West, downtown Hamilton

Featuring new works by 77 artists



Doug MacBean, Full Blast of Steam from the Steel Mills, Hamilton, 2017, oil on canvas, 40" x 60"

HAMILTON, April 11, 2017 – The Art Gallery of Hamilton's annual Art Sale celebrates its 10th anniversary with the presentation of new works by established and emerging artists from Thursday, April 27 to Sunday, April 30 at the AGH, 123 King Street West, downtown Hamilton. Admission is free.

Over the course of four days, over 270 works by 77 artists will be on view and available for purchase. The professionally curated selection of paintings, illustrations, printmaking, photography, ceramics, glass, textiles and jewellery presents a bold variety of styles and subject matter at price points beginning at \$100.

Amongst the roster is a specially invited group who represent the most popular artists from the previous nine years of AGH Art Sales. "In honour of our 10th anniversary, we are very pleased to welcome back 10 artists who have made an impact with previous AGH Art Sale visitors", said Sarah Beatty-Russell, AGH Senior Consultant, Art Rental + Sales.

"Art lovers will enjoy new works by Christine Break-Lee, Stephan Brookbank, Elizabeth Lennie, Louise Richardson, Charleen Serdan, E. Robert Ross, Meredith Bingham, Mike Smalley, Doug MacBean and Paul Elia."

Featuring a wide variety of styles and pricing and created by predominately local artists, the AGH Art Sale is a great opportunity for art lovers to build upon their current art collection or to make that exciting first purchase.

Participating 2017 Art Sale artists are Amanda McKinney, Amita Sen Gupta, Anita Thomas, Annette Kraft van Ermel, Ben Sellick, Bethany Harper Williams, Brant Slomovic, Brian Harris, Carolyn Dover, Cathy Farewell, Colleen Poitras, Charlene Serdan, Christine Breakell-Lee, Courtney Downman, Dan Shannon, Dionne Simpson, Doug MacBean, Elissa Barber, Elizabeth Lennie, Eric Ranveau, Erica Hawkes, Floyd Elzinga, Frances Patella, Gabriella Collier, Gordon Leverton, Ilichna Morasky, Ingrid Mayrhofer, James Kennedy, Jane Theodore, John Visser, Julia Mori, Julie Bessette, Kate Taylor, Katie Pretti, Katja van den Enden, Ken Jones, Kevin Viner, Kristy Blackwell, Lana Filippone, Laine Groeneweg, Laura Wood, Lee Munn, Lora Moore-Kakaletris, Lori Ryerson, Louise Richardson, Lynne Schumacher, Marie-Josee Bergeron, Mark Kellett, Maureen O Connor, Meredith Bingham, Mike Bilyk, Mike Smalley, Nancy Anne McPhee, Nancy Benoy, Narelle Gibbs, Nick Chase, Nicole Allen, Norman Busse, Paul Elia, Paul-Émile Rioux, Peer Christiansen, Peter Adams, Rita Milton, E. Robert Ross, Russna Kaur, Sarah Hillock, Sophia Gao, Stephanie Vegh, Stephen Brookbank, Sylvie Adams, Thomas Brasch, Victoria Pearce and Vlad Korol.

The AGH Art Sale is one of the many ways in which the AGH fosters local artists and craftspeople. Funds raised from the 2017 Art Sale will support a wide range of programming and educational activities at the AGH.

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Special AGH Member Preview Thursday, April 27 | 4:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Opening Reception Thursday, April 27 | 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Art Gallery of Hamilton 2017 Art Sale Hours Friday, April 28 | 11:00 am to 9:00 p.m. Saturday, April 29 | 12:00 pm to 5:00 p.m. Sunday, April 30 | 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm

For more information about the Art Gallery of Hamilton 2017 Art Sale, please visit www.artgalleryofhamilton.com

About the Art Gallery of Hamilton

Founded in 1914, the Art Gallery of Hamilton is the oldest and largest public art gallery in southwestern Ontario. Its permanent collection, which is focused on historical Canadian, 19th-century European and Contemporary art, numbers more than 10,000 works and is recognized as one of the finest in Canada. The AGH is a vital creative hub and centre of lifelong learning that enables people of all ages to enrich their lives by gaining a deeper understanding of art. Visit www.artgalleryofhamilton.com for more information.

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