OPEN MIND ART SPACE

7th Annual Anniversary Exhibition

FEATURING VARIOUS ARTISTS

MAY 20 - JUNE 10, 2023

OPENING RECEPTION: SATURDAY, MAY 20, 5-9 PM

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11631 SANTA MONICA BLVD. LOS ANGELES, CA 90025

GALLERY HOURS: THUR - SAT, 11AM - 5PM OR BY APPOINTMENT



(LOS ANGELES, CA) - Open Mind Art Space is pleased to present its 7th Annual Anniversary Exhibition, in celebration of the gallery's 7-year anniversary. An opening reception will be held on Saturday, May 20, 2022 from 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM. The exhibition will be on view from May 20th through June 10th. A portion of proceeds will be donated to Give Kids Art.

Each year, Open Mind Art Space maintains a tradition of hosting an Annual Anniversary Exhibition to honor its artists who have contributed to the gallery's programming from its founding in 2016 to the present. For its 7th Annual Anniversary Exhibition, popular and new works by Open Mind artists will be featured, and works by newly selected artists will be introduced. Participating artists will include Matt Allison, Richard Chow, Cathy Ellis, Yumiko Glover, Aska Irie, Gretel Joffroy, Marzieh Karimi, Adrienne Kinsella, Theresa Knopf, Chelsea Kosta, Alison Limtavemongkol, Vida Liu, Peter Nagy, Thomas Müller, Garen Novruzyan, David Orr, Chris Riggs, Adrienne Sacks, Bianca Turner, Aurora Valentine, Elizabeth Withstandley, Jody Zellen, and more.

The exhibition will feature original paintings, drawings, photography, and mixed media works. Artworks will range in size and vary in price starting from \$25 and up. Limited edition art prints and art objects will also be available, and Open Mind Art Space will be donating 10% of proceeds to **Give Kids Art**.

Open Mind Art Space showcases contemporary art from a diverse blend of talented emerging artists, and facilitates a curatorial process that allows its artists to create impactful work. Its mission is to inspire and challenge the local Los Angeles community by providing a comfortable, engaging space for reflection and dialogue. Open Mind also believes that art can be a powerful way to motivate positive change in people and the world as a whole. To show its support for organizations that reflect its values, the gallery has chosen to benefit a local non-profit arts organization called Give Kids Art, for this year's anniversary exhibition.

Give Kids Art is a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit organization based in Santa Monica that provides art programs to ignite creative exploration and self-expression in underserved children living in Los Angeles and beyond. Through a variety of opportunities and programs, Give Kids Art raises awareness to the significant value of creative expression and promotes its positive impact on social, emotional, and cognitive wellness. Give Kids Arts believes everyone deserves the opportunity to fearlessly discover, explore, and empower their innate artistic self. The organization aims to help participants develop stronger self-awareness, self-compassion, and creative self-care practices that they can carry through life with them to be more joyful, innovative, and emotionally-intelligent members of society.