

FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK

A CREATIVE PORTLAND^{ME} PROJECT



For a detailed listing visit portlandartwalk.org

JOIN US FOR A FREE SELF-GUIDED TOUR OF LOCAL ART GALLERIES, ART STUDIOS, MUSEUMS, AND ALTERNATIVE ART VENUES ON THE FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH FROM 5 TO 8 PM.

DECEMBER 1, 2017

"Work is all I have and art is more important than life."
- Keith Haring

WORLD AIDS DAY

FRANNIE PEABODY CENTER
comprehensive HIV & AIDS services

IN PORTLAND, PRESENTED BY FRANNIE PEABODY CENTER

WORLD AIDS DAY PORTLAND

AIDS AWARENESS IS DISAPPEARING, NOT IGNORANCE. LEARN MORE ABOUT WORLD AIDS DAY/FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK, DECEMBER 1. FULL DETAILS AT PEABODYCENTER.ORG

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Stonewall Strong—Reading and discussion with author John-Manuel Andriote & Bill Nemitz

5:30 PM | Portland Public Library

John-Manuel Andriote frames pivotal moments in recent history as manifestations of gay men's resilience, from the years before the 1969 Stonewall riots; through the politically emboldening AIDS years; and onward to legal marriage equality.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

World AIDS Day & First Friday Art Walk

Candlelight Vigil

5:15 PM | Congress Square Park

Special presentation by Lumenart in partnership with the Westin at Congress Square Park (corner of Congress Street and High Street).

Film Screening: *BPM*

6:00 PM | Portland Museum of Art

In Paris in the early 1990s, a group of activists known as ACT UP, many of them gay and HIV-positive, embrace their mission with a literal life-or-death urgency.

Community Conversation with EqualityMaine

6:30 PM | Nan Goldin Exhibit at Portland Museum of Art

The Heart of the Evening: *American Nocturnes*

7:00 PM | First Parish UU Church at 425 Congress Street

Featuring songs by American composers, including Chris DiBlasio, whose life was cut short by AIDS in 1993. Admission is \$15 general, \$10 students and seniors.

First Friday Art Walk:

Special thanks to Creative Portland for their incredible support for World AIDS Day and for displaying all WAD posters designed by MECA students at 84 Free Street.

A Day With(out) Art:

Community participants hang red ribbons and/or shroud a work of art to honor World AIDS Day:

- Abilene • Bridge Gallery • Coffee By Design • Congress Square Park • Creative Portland • Grant Wahlquist Gallery • Maine Historical Society • MECA's ICA
- PMA • Portland Public Library • Rhum Food & Grog • Richard Boyd Art Gallery
- Speedwell • The Dooryard • The Press Hotel • Think Tank • UMVA • WCSH

Portland Museum of Art:

PMA will be participating in A Day With(out) Art, featuring red lights, a red ribbon banner, and a special letter-writing workshop in honor of World AIDS Day.

SPACE Gallery:

Keith Haring AIDS Memorial Quilt, courtesy of New England Names Project & National AIDS Memorial Quilt.

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World AIDS Day on December 1st is an annual event dedicated to honoring those we've lost and supporting those who are living with HIV/AIDS. This year, Creative Portland, in association with Frannie Peabody Center, has collaborated on increasing community participation and awareness. Adjunct Instructor Drew Hodges' Design Studio class at Maine College of Art has created posters to promote the event, which are on display at Creative Portland during First Friday Art Walk. All community participants are highlighted in red on the art walk guide.

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PORTLAND MUSEUM OF ART



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World AIDS Day participants are highlighted in red during this First Friday Art Walk.

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Portland, ME 04101
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creativeportland.com
info@creativeportland.com

ARTS DISTRICT

1 | VICTORIA MANSION CARRIAGE HOUSE

109 Danforth Street
3rd Annual Victoria Mansion Volunteer Art Show

Showcasing art by Victoria Mansion's volunteers and staff and \$5.00 admission to the mansion.
victoriamansion.org

2 | ART HOUSE PICTURE FRAMES

61 Pleasant Street
A Retelling
Works by Maya Kuvaja intertwining found materials with painted images.
mayakuvaja.yolasite.com
arthousepictureframes.com

3 | FINN TEACH MINI-GALLERY

645 Congress Street
Maine Landscapes
Works in oil by Finn Teach.
finnteach.com

4 | COFFEE BY DESIGN

620 Congress Street
On the Island and By the River
Paintings by Nance Parker inspired by Lesbos, Greece and the woods of Maine.
coffeebydesign.com

5 | DAUNIS FINE HANDMADE JEWELRY

616 Congress Street
Local Color
Leslie Anderson's oil paintings focus on a balance of light and dark & strong composition.
daunis.com

6 | CONGRESS SQUARE GALLERY

609a Congress Street
Artist owner
Paintings and prints for the holidays by RN Cohen and Stan Leiberman.
congresssquaregallery.com

7 | NEWS CENTER

1 Congress Square
NEWS CENTER Presents: Mashed in Maine Food Truck
mashedinmaine.blogspot.com
wesh6.com

8 | THE DOORYARD

108 High Street, 2nd Floor
Dooryard Holiday Sale
Prints, originals, jewelry and other items, plus an installation and visiting artists.
facebook.com/dooryardcollective

9 | CONGRESS SQUARE PARK

Corner of Congress & High Street
World AIDS Day Candlelight Vigil
Join Frannie Peabody Center along with a special presentation from

LumenART! starting at 5:15pm
congresssquarepark.org

10 | PORTLAND MUSEUM OF ART

7 Congress Square
Child's Play: Representations of Adolescence
A close look at childhood and the unsteady terrain of adolescence through 20th-century photographs.
2017 Copper Beech Tree Lighting
A Portland tradition. 6-6:30pm.

Model Citizens: Art and Identity in the United States, 1770-1830

A glimpse into how Americans have represented themselves in private and public spheres.

Nan Goldin

Goldin's photography captures her world, resulting in a diaristic account of her life.

"BPM (Beats Per Minute)" Screening

In Paris in the early 90s, a group of activists goes to battle for those stricken with HIV/AIDS.
portlandmuseum.org

11 | BROKEN CROW COLLECTIVE

594 Congress Street, 2nd Floor
Perfect Imperfections
Last chance to check out Steve Gendron's gallery show.
brokencrowcollective.com

12 | THE DOGFISH BAR AND GRILLE

128 Free Street
Dogfish Staff & Friends
Group exhibit.
thedogfishcompany.com/barandgrille

13 | BRIDGE GALLERY

568 Congress Street
Color, Light and Chickens!
Meet the artists at Bridge Gallery, the working studio/gallery of Rhonda Pearle and Gary Perlmutter.
bridgegallerymaine.com

14 | SPACE GALLERY

538 Congress Street
AIDS Memorial Quilt
Courtesy of New England Names Project and National AIDS Memorial Quilt.

Here/Now

An ASMR-inspired video series on how to find comfort through synthetic mediation.

Mendacious Veracity

Incorporating draped textile forms by Liz Miller.

The Same River

Nick Carter layers flag-like artworks in the window.
space538.org

15 | MAINLY FRAMES & GALLERY

541 Congress Street
Hand-Colored Works By Harrison
Harrison is a local artist, well-known for his pen and ink drawings.
mainlyart.com

16 | MAINE COLLEGE OF ART

522 Congress Street
2017 MECA Holiday Sale
The Arts District's premier holiday sale event, connecting Maine makers and buyers.

BOB CREWE GALLERY
Open for viewing.

INSTITUTE OF CONTEMPORARY ART

Confabulations of Millennia
19 artists deploy history as a springboard to speak to modern life.

JOANNE WAXMAN LIBRARY
Annual book sale at the MECA Library
All proceeds will benefit the Library.

ROOM 209
Gulf of Maine Marine Education Association and MECA

See how non-traditional tools, field trips, and hands-on labs can connect art students to science.
meca.edu

17 | CREATIVE PORTLAND

84 Free Street
MECA World AIDS Day Posters
World AIDS Day community partner exhibiting posters created by MECA's Design Studio class.

Best of Portland Art Exhibit
Continues through the winter
creativeportland.com

18 | THINK TANK GALLERY

533 Congress Street
Place & Planet
Cartographer Molly Holmberg Brown seeks to reconcile the beauty and tragedy of contemporary landscapes.
thinktankworking.com

19 | UMVA GALLERY @ CTN

516 Congress Street
UMVA Holiday Art Sale
More than a dozen members will offer works at very reasonable prices.
umvaonline.org

20 | MAINE CHARITABLE MECHANIC ASSOCIATION

519 Congress Street
Amy Ray Exhibition Opening
Work inspired by Ray's father's WWII ephemera.
Local Authors
6 Portland authors presenting their newest books.
mainecharitablemechanicassociation.com

21 | DOROTHEA AND LEO RABKIN FOUNDATION

13 Brown Street
Rethinking Watercolor: The Art of Leo Rabkin
Join us for some holiday cheer to celebrate our first anniversary in Portland!
rabkinfoundation.org

22 | MAINE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

489 Congress Street
Spark! Maine ART Stories
Explores the varied ways Mainers express themselves today.

First Friday Fiction

Experience the stories beyond the pages of Portland Monthly Magazine.
portlandmonthly.com
mainehistory.org

23 | ROUX & CYR INTERNATIONAL FINE ART GALLERY

48 Free Street
Maine Impressions: Sandra Leinonen Dunn Solo Exhibit
rouxandcyrgallery.com

24 | PUBLIC MARKET HOUSE

28 Monument Square
Love Life
Eric Sorensen's art is an extension of the freedom in his heart.
publicmarkethouse.com

25 | PORTLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY

5 Monument Square
ATRIUM
Portland Ballet Performs Scenes from the Victorian Nutcracker
A Portland tradition telling the timeless holiday classic.

LEWIS GALLERY
Dalov Ipcar: Stories
Original watercolor paintings from the books Ipcar illustrated.
portlandlibrary.org

26 | GRANT WAHLQUIST GALLERY

30 City Center, 2nd Floor
Tad Beck: The accident
Each photograph deliberately puts in play qualities that are traditionally considered undesirable.
grantwahlquist.com

27 | PINECONE+CHICKADEE

6 Free Street
Nurture / Nature
Emma McCabe and Anabelle Souza explore romantic themes as a reminder to take care of oneself.
pineconeandchickadee.com

28 | RHUM FOOD + GROG

98 Cross Street North
Maine Gift Guide Silent Auction
Knack Factory and Might & Main have teamed up to bring together the best gifts by local makers.
giftguidemaine.com | rhumporland.com

29 | CITY HALL

389 Congress Street
World AIDS Day Observance
portlandmaine.gov

30 | THE PRESS HOTEL

119 Exchange Street
HONOUR MACK
Mack finds inspiration in questions that address the confluence of belief systems.
thepresshotel.com

OLD PORT

31 | FORE RIVER GALLERY

87 Market Street
Gift of Art 4
We have been busy creating and have a great collection of affordable artwork.
forerivergallery.com

32 | PROCESS / ART AT AKARI

193 Middle Street
Elemental States: Justin Levesque and Sage Lewis
In their photography-based works, the artists look to the extremes of nature for inspiration.
akaribeauty.com

33 | THE BLAZIN ACE

432 Fore Street
Sandstorm
Portland native Danny Camp will be showcasing his recent work.
blazinace.com

34 | VENA'S FIZZ HOUSE

345 Fore Street
Vena's Holiday Parlor
Enjoy vintage cocktailware, local art, Vena's Hot Toddies & Cocktail Infusion Kits and live music.
venasfizzhouse.com

35 | DOCKFORD

336 Fore Street
Maine Beauty: Above and Below
A showcase of photography capturing Maine's beauty.
facebook.com/dock.ford

36 | CASCO BAY ARTISANS

68 Commercial Street, The Maine Wharf
"Its The Most Wonderful Time of the Year"
Fine art that sparkles and shines, art that clicks, and art that adorns walls!
cascobayartisans.com

EAST END

37 | COFFEE BY DESIGN

87 India Street
On the Island and By the River
Paintings by Nance Parker inspired by Lesbos, Greece and the woods of Maine.
coffeebydesign.com

38 | PRINT: A BOOKSTORE

273 Congress Street
Poetry Out Loud Readings
Waynflete students don black berets and recite poems with fearless wit and candor!
waynflete.org
printbookstore.com

39 | MAINE JEWISH MUSEUM

267 Congress Street
Artifact and Artifice | Jeffrey Ackerman Hours and Days | Kathy Weinberg
2017 Menorah Invitational Exhibition
Menorahs created by artists with a Maine connection including Jane Banquer, Randy Fein & Lin Lisberger.
mainejewishmuseum.org

40 | VENN + MAKER

65 Washington Avenue
Multi-Artist Show & Silent Auction Fundraiser
Join us for a celebration, silent auction, and fundraiser for a dear friend in the photography community.
vennmaker.com

41 | PHOPA GALLERY

132 Washington Avenue
Andrew Crane | Antipodean Isles
Photographs shot on two islands on opposite sides of the globe: Cheung Chau and Vinalhaven.
phopagallery.com

WOODFORDS CORNER

42 | THE BAKERY PHOTO COLLECTIVE & SPEEDWELL PROJECTS

630 Forest Avenue
The 17th Annual Photo A Go-Go Exhibit and Auction
Annual exhibit and silent auction.
bakeryphoto.com

43 | ABILENE

539 Deering Avenue
C. P. Sketch x Abilene
Exhibit opening with drink specials and free hors d'oeuvres!
abileneporland.com

PEAKS ISLAND

44 | RICHARD BOYD ART GALLERY

15 Epps Street
Holiday Offerings - 2017
An annual exhibition of over 30 two and three-dimensional works of art.
richardboydartgallery.com

