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AT A GLANCE

Exhibition: October Group Show & City-Wide Open Studios
Where: City Gallery, 994 State Street, New Haven, CT
When: October 3 - November 1, 2020
CWOS Private Studio Weekend: October 17 & 18
Gallery Hours: Saturday & Sunday, 2PM - 4PM or by appointment

City Gallery's October Group Show Celebrates City-Wide Open Studios

Sixteen City Gallery artists come together to celebrate City-Wide Open Studios, a month-long community art event hosted by Artspace New Haven. The group show will be on display from Saturday, October 3 - Sunday, November 1, and is part of CWOS's Private Studios Weekend on October 17 and 18 with extended hours from Noon to 4pm. Participating artists include:

Judy Atlas (<i>Milford</i>)	Barbara Harder (<i>New Haven</i>)
Meg Bloom (<i>New Haven</i>)	Jane Harris (<i>Madison</i>)
Joy Bush (<i>Hamden</i>)	Sheila Kaczmarek (<i>Guilford</i>)
Phyllis Crowley (<i>New Haven</i>)	Kathy Kane (<i>East Haven</i>)
Jennifer Davies (<i>Branford</i>)	Susan Newbold (<i>Bridgeport</i>)
Roberta Friedman (<i>Hamden</i>)	Tom Peterson (<i>Hamden</i>)
William Frucht (<i>Danbury</i>)	Ruth Sack (<i>Cheshire</i>)
Joyce Greenfield (<i>New Haven</i>)	Michael Zack (<i>Stratford</i>)

Organizer William Frucht notes that the show's theme, while never stated, emerged naturally. "Each of us, in our own way, is reacting to the difficult times we live in: the pandemic, our economic uncertainty, our political divisions, and the disruption these have brought to our lives.

Some responded by looking closely at the changed world around us; others by simply creating something wonderful, a respite for the mind.” With work from sixteen artists presenting work in photography, painting, sculpture, monoprints, fiber, and mixed media — this is sure to be a lively event.

“City Gallery has participated in CWOS for many years,” Frucht explains. “It’s a big event for the New Haven art community and we’re always excited to be a part of it.” Because of COVID restrictions, there will not be an Opening Reception or formal events during CWOS weekend, but visitors can expect to meet a rotating cast of member artists during the extended show hours on October 17 and 18, and they are always invited to make appointments with individual artists. For a preview of the event, the virtual gallery at cwos.viewingrooms.com will open its doors on October 1.

The CWOS group show is free and open to the public. City Gallery is located at 994 State Street, New Haven, CT 06511. Modified regular gallery hours are Saturday and Sunday, 2PM - 4pm or by appointment. Number of visitors limited to 6 at a time. Masks must be worn. For further information please contact City Gallery, 203-782-2489, info@city-gallery.org, www.city-gallery.org.

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IMAGES Available Upon Request

- 1 - Michael Zack: Untitled monoprint, 22" x 30", 2019, \$900, signed on lower right.
- 2 - Phyllis Crowley: Drawing in Air, archival pigment print, 26" x 29.3", 2019, \$1500, signed on recto
- 3- Joy Bush: Grey Skies, archival pigment print, 10" x 10", 2019, \$350, limited edition 3/10, signed verso
- 4 - Kathy Kane: Untitled, acrylic on canvas, 40" x 40", 2019, \$3,000, signed on back
- 5 - Roberta Friedman: In a Fog, encaustic and cold wax on board, 24" x 24", 2020, \$750, signed on verso
- 6 - Judith Atlas: Layers--Turquoise, acrylic on canvas, 20" x 16", 2020, \$400, signed on bottom right.
- 7 - William Frucht: Miry Brook Road, Danbury, archival inkjet print, 18.5" x 15", 2020, \$400, signed on back.
- 8 - Sheila Kaczmarek: Captive Medusae, glazed clay wall hanging, 30" x 24", 2020, each piece \$150, signed on back.
- 9 - Joyce Greenfield: Dystopian Flowers #2, oil on panel, 9" x 12", 2019, \$900, signed on lower right.
- 10 - Tom Peterson: Colony Street, Meriden, archival pigment print, 21" x 14", 2020, \$225, signed on back.
- 11 - Jennifer Davies: Vestment. Kozo fiber, kozo treated with kakishibu and iron, thread. 70”h. x 38”w., 2020, \$2000, signed on verso.

12 - Meg Bloom: A Tangled Mess (there aren't enough gloves to untangle this mess). Handmade paper, honeysuckle vines, embroidery thread, pigments, wood, surgical gloves. Approx 3' x 5', signed, price on request.

CALENDAR

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