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**UPCOMING SPRING 2006 SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED AT
BARNSDALL PARK IN HOLLYWOOD**

All programs listed below are located in **Barnsdall Park, 4800 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles 90027.**

LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL ART GALLERY

The Municipal Art Gallery aims to promote, interpret, and present work by artists from Southern California as well as from other parts of the world. The curatorial focus includes painting, sculpture, photography, video and performance art, electronic and installation work, and architecture and design.

WHAT:

C.O.L.A. 2006

10-Year Anniversary of the C.O.L.A. (City of Los Angeles) Individual Artist Fellowships, including a comprehensive review of artwork by the 2006 C.O.L.A. fellows (curated by Mark Steven Greenfield) as well as a retrospective exhibition of work by past C.O.L.A. artists (curated by Scott Canty).

WHEN:

Opening Reception, Saturday, April 29, 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Visual Art Exhibition Dates, Friday, April 28 through Sunday, June 11

Regular Hours, Thursday – Sunday, 12 – 5 p.m. (hours are extended until 9 p.m. on First Fridays)
TBA schedule for the Conversations with the Artists program.

ADMISSION:

Adults, \$5; Seniors & Students, \$3; Children under 12 with Adults, Free

Admission is Free to Opening Reception, Performances, Conversations with the Artists, and during First Fridays (first Friday of each month).

For more information the public should call 323.644.6269.

BARNSDALL GALLERY THEATRE

The Barnsdall Gallery Theatre (BGT) is available for live theatre, dance, music, spoken word, lectures, concerts, and film screenings. The BGT is an intimate 299-seat theatre with a proscenium stage, lighting, and sound, as well as a digital film projector. The BGT's goal is to encourage community and professional producers to present artistic and diverse cultural events at the lowest possible admission price, maximizing attendance and audience development. For more information about BGT, the public should call 866.881.8399 or email gallerytheatre@sbcglobal.net.

Friday, May 19, 8 p.m.

A Taste of C.O.L.A. with reception following

Includes preview excerpts of the 2006 C.O.L.A. performing and literary artists and the premiere screening of "Swimming in Air," by 2006 C.O.L.A. visual arts fellow Janice Tanaka.

Admission is **Free** and open to the public.

Sunday, May 21, 3 p.m.

2006 C.O.L.A. Fellow Performances

Sri Susilowati's dance program and literary artist Terry Wolverton reading.
Admission is **Free** and open to the public.

Friday, May 26, 8 p.m.

2006 C.O.L.A. Fellow Performances

Dan Kwong performs and William Roper plays his tuba.
Admission is **Free** and open to the public.

Saturday, May 27, 8 p.m.

2006 C.O.L.A. Fellow Performances

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FRANK LLOYD WRIGHT'S HOLLYHOCK HOUSE

Hollyhock House, the only house designed by Frank Lloyd Wright that is currently open to the public in the city of Los Angeles, is regularly available for tours led by volunteer docents trained by Barnsdall Park's Museum Education and Tours Program.

WHAT: Ongoing one-hour public tours

WHEN: **Regular Tours, Wednesday through Sunday, 12:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

ADMISSION: Adults, \$5; Seniors & Students, \$3; Children under 12 with Adults, Free
For more information or group tours and rates the public should call Gabriel Cifarelli at 323.644.6269.

HOLLYHOCK HOUSE GALLERY

The Hollyhock House Gallery aims to exhibit historic and contemporary work that promotes an understanding of the House's architecture, Frank Lloyd Wright, Aline Barnsdall and the culture of the era in which Hollyhock House was built.

WHAT: ***Folding Screens: An Architectural Art***
Seeking to "restore" contemporary screens to Hollyhock House rooms where vintage screens were originally displayed but later lost. The exhibition includes 12 contemporary art pieces by 6 artists and 1 designer, as well as documentary photographs of Hollyhock House. Curated by Gabriel Cifarelli.

WHEN: **Opening Reception, Saturday, April 29, 2 - 5 p.m.**
Exhibition Dates, Friday, April 28 – Sunday, June 11

ADMISSION: Exhibition may only be viewed as part of Hollyhock House tours, see above for hours and admission.
For more information, the public should contact Gabriel Cifarelli at 323.644.6269.

BARNSDALL JUNIOR ARTS CENTER GALLERY

The Barnsdall Junior Arts Center Gallery is a vital part of Barnsdall Art Center and Junior Arts Center educational programs. It provides students with the opportunity to exhibit their work in a professional gallery and to learn the basics of gallery preparation and installation. Gallery exhibitions are targeted toward families, community events, and Living Arts programs with additional interactive educational exhibits and performances.

WHAT: ***The Children's Collection***
An exhibition created by children for children, it includes work by 50 children developed and nurtured by Brazilian artist Alecia de Menezes Seidler between 2003 and 2004, through one-on-one workshops between the artist and each child. Alecia de Menezes Seidler will conduct another set of workshops at the Junior Arts Center on April 8.

WHEN: **Opening Reception, Saturday, April 29, 2 p.m. – 5 p.m.**
Exhibition Dates, Monday, April 22, through Saturday, June 17
Regular Gallery Hours, Monday – Saturday, 12 – 5 p.m.
Artist Workshops for Children, Saturday, April 8
10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. (ages 7-9 years) and 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. (ages 10-14 years)

ADMISSION: **Free**
For more information the public should call 323.644.6275.
Parents and children interested in the April 8 workshop should call 323.644.6275 or email jacbac@sbcglobal.net to reserve a space.

BARNSDALL ART CENTER AND JUNIOR ARTS CENTER

Classes at the Barnsdall Art Center and Junior Arts Center are 8 weeks in length per season, with classes held once a week. The Barnsdall Art Center students exhibit once a year. The Junior Arts Center students have two culminating exhibits in the Junior Arts Center Gallery as well as children's performances in the Barnsdall Gallery Theatre. Call the Centers directly for more information and class schedules.

Junior Arts Center, 323.644.6275

Spring Registration opens April 1
Summer Registration opens June 17
Spring Registration opens April 8
Summer Registration opens June 24

Barnsdall Art Center, 323.644.6295