



## EVANSTON ART WALK 2008

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**Evanston, IL** – The non-profit visual arts group Anatomically Correct presents the **First Annual Evanston Art Walk**, a juried art exhibition of artwork by Illinois artists displayed in over 40 shop windows along Central Street in Evanston throughout the month of October 2008. Also, as part of Arts Week Evanston 2008, the Evanston Art Walk will feature a benefit/reception/silent auction on October 16, 2008 and several merchants will host receptions on October 17 - 19, 2008.

**The Benefit** for the Evanston Art Walk will be held at Taylor Street Italian Restaurant, 2916 Central St. in Evanston, on Thursday, October 16, 2008 from 8 pm – 10 pm where Evanston Art Walk juror Nancie King Mertz will present awards to the artists. Also, Debra Hatchett, Founder and Executive Director of Anatomically Correct and the Director of the Evanston Art Walk, will present their *Supporter of the Arts* award to Alan Leder (Executive Director of the Evanston Art Center since 2003 and former Visual and Media Arts Director for 18 years at the Illinois Arts Council). The reception is sponsored by Taylor Street, Whole Foods Market & Casteel Coffee – Evanston and will feature appetizers, pizza, desserts, fresh roasted coffee and a cash bar. The reception will also include a silent auction of artwork and gift certificates to shops, restaurants and theaters. Free parking is available across the street in the parking lot of the First Bank & Trust. There is a \$5 suggested donation at the door.

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**Central Street businesses displaying artwork include:** Allegro Dance Boutique - 2120 Central St.; Amy G. Salon - 2907 Central St.; Apelian Carpet and Orientals - 2900 Central St. ; Baird & Warner - 2926 Central St.; Beadazzled - 2002 Central St.; Bluestone - 1932 Central St.; Casteel Coffee - 2922 Central St.; Chester & Chester - 2004 Central St.; Coldwell Banker - 2929 Central St.; Coiffeur Copenhagen - 2018 Central St.; Dancing Bear Gallery - 1922 Central St. ; Etienne Vintage Home & Lighting - 2016 Central St.; Evanston Public Library North Branch - 2026 Central St.; Foodstuffs - 2106 Central St.; The Great Frame Up - 2814 Central St.; Great Harvest Bread Co. - 2126 Central St.; Hands on Therapy - 1909 Central St.; Harris Bank - 2821 Central St.; Harold's True Value Hardware - 2912 Central St.; Heaven Meets Earth Family Yoga Studio - 2746 Central St.; Jacky's Bistro - 2545 Prairie Avenue; Linz and Vail - 2012 Central St.; Lois & Company - 2014 Central St.; James O. Lowry, M.D. - 2807 Central St.; Maya Papaya & Tony Macarony - 1917 Central St.; Millefiori Florists Ltd. - 1943 Central St.; Mindscape Adornments - 2114 Central St.; Montoya Fiber Studio - 2566 Prairie Avenue; The Paper Source - 2100 Central St.; Perennials - 2022 Central St.; Pinto Thai Kitchen - 1931 Central St.; Prairie Shore Properties Inc. - 2110 Central St.; Rouzati Oriental Rugs - 1901 Central St.; Schermerhorn & Co. - 2737 Central St.; Scott Jones Fine Art - 3227 Central St.; The Spice House - 1941 Central St.; Spex - 2000 Central St.; Stella - 2116 Central St.; Table Manners - 2112 Central St.; Taylor Street – 2916 Central St.; Dr. Deborah Tekdogon Family Dentistry - 2805 Central St.; Treat Nail Lounge - 2118 Central St.; Urban Totem - 1937 Central St.; and Walsh Natural Health - 2116 1/2 Central St..

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**Participating Artists include:** Tobi Star Abrams (Arlington Heights), Susan Barahia (Chicago), Patricia Biesen (Chicago), Greg Britton (Glenview), Laura Beth Cartwright (Chicago), George C. Clark (Chicago), Doug Coggeshall (Darien), Laura Coyle (Chicago), Mercedes Czopor (Chicago), Fred Deasis (Arlington Heights), Cindy Drost (Glenview), Alli Farkas (Chicago), Maria Gedroc (Elmwood Park), Pinchot Goldberg (Skokie), Nomed Grumada (Skokie), Ann Haberl (Hoffman Estates), Steve Hamann (Evanston), Karen Hohman (Highland Park), Paula Jacko (Chicago), Howard Jacobs (Highland Park), Michael S. Jones (Chicago), Scott S. Jones (Evanston), Itala Langmar (Kenilworth), Kim Laurel (Chicago), Erdmut Lerner (Evanston), Dorothy Mason (Chicago), Lynn Merel (Chicago), Suzanne Metzler (Evanston), Sheila Mierzwa (Niles), Franco Muscarella (Lincolnshire), Barbara Norcross (Highland Park), Peter J. Nussbaum (Wilmette), Ann Patrick O'Brien (Glencoe), Yvonne Pitts (Park City), William K. Purvis (Chicago), Carol Qualkinbush (Evanston), Nancy Rosen (Chicago), Caren Rudman (Highland Park), Alisa Singer (Northbrook), Cornelia Maude Spelman (Evanston), Tanya Sugarman (Evanston), Esther Triffler (Skokie), Danny Vu (Chicago), Thomas Warchol (Evanston), and Vidas Zimkus (Lemont).

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