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Dominique Duroseau

On Friday, October 13, Meet Us on Market Street!

16th Annual Open Doors Citywide Arts Festival is here

Newark, NJ, October 5, 2017 - On Friday, October 13, the Market Street Cluster of the Open Doors Citywide Arts Festival will come alive with an array of artistic spaces, pop-ups, and galleries. One of several walkable "Clusters" to be highlighted during the four-day Festival, Market Street is historically the hottest area to art crawl on Open Doors Friday. Come to Market Street to view, purchase and experience multiple art exhibitions, plus additional amenities such as eateries, performances, and other activities.

On Friday, October 13, meet us on Market Street and environs for the following special events:

Dominique Duroseau, Black Things In White Spaces

Curated by Jeanne Brasile Opening Reception Friday October 13th, 2017 12PM-9PM Gallery Aferro, 73 Market Street, Newark, NJ September 23rd, 2017 - October 28th, 2017

Evonne Davis, No Words

Opening Reception Friday October 13th, 2017 12PM-9PM Liminal Gallery Gallery Aferro, 73 Market Street, Newark, NJ September 23rd, 2017 - October 28th, 2017

John Pugh, Elevator Music 4

Curated by Jacob Mandel Elevator Installation, 2nd Floor Opening Reception Friday October 13th, 2017 12PM-9PM Gallery Aferro, 73 Market Street, Newark, NJ September 23rd, 2017 - October 28th, 2017

Gallery Aferro's Art Shop

Friday October 13th, 2017 12PM-9PM Gallery Aferro, 73 Market Street, Newark, NJ

Gallery Aferro Community Book Room

Book Room, 2nd Floor Friday October 13th, 2017 12PM-9PM Gallery Aferro, 73 Market Street, Newark, NJ

Activate: Market Street 14

Curated by Jo-El Lopez
Opening Reception
Friday October 13th, 2017 12PM-9PM
Gallery Aferro, 75-77 Market Streets, Newark, NJ
Artists: Agnes Dejas, Julie Ann Nagle and Jo-El Lopez.

Activate: Market Street 15

Opening Reception Friday October 13th, 2017 12PM-9PM Gallery Aferro, 65, 89 and 93 Market Streets 239 and 248 Washington Streets, Newark, NJ October 13, 2017 - Oct 1, 2018 Artists: Nancy Cazorla and Patricia Saleme.

Under The Same Sun: Democratic Spaces

Agnes Deja and Katherine Jackson Art & Artifacts of Newark, Main Space, 233 Washington Street, Newark, NJ Opening Reception - Friday, October 13th, 2017 6PM-11PM

Lisa Conrad: Urban Works

Art & Artifacts of Newark, 233 Washington Street, Newark, NJ Opening Reception - Friday, October 13th, 2017 6PM-11PM



Kween Moore

Intersection: A Group Show

Index Art Center, 2nd Floor Main Gallery, 233 Washington Street, Newark, NJ Curated by Lowell Eugene Craig

31 Central Artists: Katrina Bello, Akintola Hanif, Stephen Mckenzie, Kevin Merkel, William Oliwa, German Pitre, Kati Vilim, and Robert Shoup.

237 Artists: Diana Palermo, Colin Sheilds, Patricia Dahlman, Kevin Durkin, Jeff Koroski, Colleen Gutwein, Lowell Craig, Jillian Keats, Sohoah Lee, and Joseph O'Neal.

Fern & Fossil Fall 2017 POP UP

Index Art Center, 2nd Floor Side Gallery, 233 Washington Street, Newark, NJ Amanda Thackray, Katrina Bello, Vazquez, Dionna Gary, Geri Hahn, Aldana Ferrer Garcia, Samantha Katehis, Kristian Battell, Kate Eggleston, Malik Whitaker, Luisa Pinzon, & others TBD.

The City of Newark presents The People's Group Show

Gregg Banks, Artist/Muralist
The People's Gallery, City Hall, 920 Broad Street, Newark, NJ
October 12th, 2017 - October 15th, 2017
Opening Reception
Friday, October 13th, 2017 6PM-9PM

Femme Curator Arts presents LEVITATE: Overcoming Gravity

Three day art exhibition and showcase in partnership with 211 Community Impact and EvoluCulture

Curated by Kween Moore and Danielle Scott Gallery 211, 211 Halsey Street, Newark, NJ October 13th, 2017 - October 15th, 2017

Friday October 13th: Opening Reception 5PM-7:50PM Performance Showcase 8PM-12AM Saturday October 14th: Youth Open Mic (ages 17 and under) 5PM-7PM Performance Showcase

8PM-12AM

Sunday October 15th: Closing Reception w/ artist Q&A performance showcase, and brunch 3PM to 7PM

Sterling Brown, Solo Exhibition

The Gallery at Essex County College, 303 University Avenue, Newark, NJ

ART THROUGH SOCIAL CONSCIOUSNESS: VISIONS OF COMMUNITY JUSTICE

In collaboration with Malik Whitaker

Newark Community Solutions and Newark Youth Court Pop Up Gallery, 31 Green Street, Newark, NJ

Recipient of the Newark Arts 2017 ArtStart Grant Program.

FIRES OF REBELLION: A Group Show

Curated and Produced by Rodney Gilbert, Yendor Productions Teacher's Village Pop Up Gallery, 42 William Street, Newark, NJ October 12th, 2017 - October 15th, 2017 Artists include Malcolm A. Rolling, Jay Golding, Zeek Fleming and James Dupree.

For a full schedule of events, and all listings by Cluster, please visit newarkarts.org/opendoors.

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About Open Doors Citywide Arts Festival (Open Doors): Newark Arts' signature celebration of the arts, Open Doors 16th season is October 12-15, 2017 in Newark, New Jersey. Over four inspiring days, the city's bustling arts scene will explode with an awe-inspiring array of exhibits, screenings, workshops, artist talks, performances, open studios and more! Visit newarkarts.org/opendoors for a complete schedule of events and follow Newark Arts at: Facebook.com/newarkarts, Twitter: @newark_arts and IG: @newarkarts.

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