

BAY VIEW GALLERY NIGHT SEPTEMBER 26TH 2014

news release

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Milwaukee, Wisconsin – Join Made in Milwaukee and Colectivo Coffee for Bay View Gallery Night (BVGN) on Friday, September 26th for an evening of exploring the Bay View community and great Milwaukee art talents. Over **40 local businesses will host more than 200 local artists & musicians** for the evening, highlighting the creative community and great spaces of Bay View.

Highlights include **Food Truck Friday in Morgan Park** - stop by for a bit to eat from several local trucks and enjoy the food and local music in the park; an amazing show at Studio Lounge featuring an incredible exhibition of works by **Plaid Tuba affiliate artists: Pamela Anderson, Melissa Dorn Richards, Sara Bott, and Kerry Rose Ramsden** (curated by BVGN co-founder Jeff Redmon); and the **Bay View Library** will have prints of the winning submissions to the **Beautiful Bay View Photo Contest** on display.

The Makers Market is continuing it's season in the Colectivo lot featuring over **30 local vendors** handpicked by Cortney Heimerl. The lot will also host the winning murals of the 2014 juried **A-Lot Mural Competition**: with work from Katie Gamb, Peter Yahnke Railand, Caryn Blum and Todd Pieper. Colectivo will also be showing work from local artist and Pfister artist in residence finalist **Dena Nord** inside the cafe.

Franks Power Plant will again host a huge show as part of BVGN with featured artists **Eric Knudtson ("grotesque, distorted, tragic, comedic, and lighthearted" portraiture), Jon Murray (of Brew City Tattoo), Kate Malone (of Atomic Tattoos in Mke), Ben Frazee (Milwaukee cartoonist and zine creator)**. After 10pm they will host a live freak show and dance performances by members of **Milwaukee's Burlesque Community** and feature live local music.

Attendees looking for some of Milwaukee's best live local music can check out **Boone and Crockett** for a gallery by **Danielle Simone Burren** "La Collection de Merde" with music on the patio by the **Aluar Pearls** (8:30pm).

Other highlights of the evening will be the Hide House and it's many resident artists showing, as well as a **fundraiser for Cantera at Bloom: Center for Art and Integrated Therapies**. Shop original artwork, jewelry, clothing, honey and tea from Nicaragua and support a great cause. 100% of the proceeds will go to Cantera.

And among the many new businesses participating check out **Bigfoot Bike and Skate** in their new location for custom painted skateboards and a down-home record spin, and stop by **The Muse Gallery Guesthouse** for a new installation of 6-8 artists along with live entertainment and refreshments. Upper level of the guesthouse features paintings by Katie Ryan, photography by Jennifer Schoenholtz, and mixed media by Anita Burgermeister.

For a complete listing of all the evenings events, times and more information please visit BVGN.ORG.

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