

Art Diary

With everything that was going on at the Beauchamp Art Galleries, the Month of February went by in a Flash!

Grand opening in Toronto

Needless to say, this month was an extremely busy month...with the Grand Opening of yet another Beauchamp Art Gallery in Toronto...



The Grand Opening of the Beauchamp Art Gallery in Toronto, at 55 Simcoe Street, was held on the 25th of February. Those accustomed to seeing the Beauchamp family members in Quebec City, were more than pleased to be greeted by them and some member of the staff from Quebec and Baie-St-Paul, personally in Toronto as well. Despite of the major snow storm hitting Toronto and Quebec that day, there were several **Quebec artists** who had flown to Toronto for the big event. Those present were **Mélanie Simard, Lucille Marcotte, Joelle Blouin, André Pleau, and Stéphanie Rivet.** Cocktails and hors-d'oeuvres were also served throughout the evening (catered by the exceptional and talented Chef Adam Beauchamp). The wonderful music was performed by the 'Nancy Walker Jazz Band'. As always, this evening turned out to be a tremendous success. We want to thanks all



of the guests who made it through that snowstorm (approximately 325 of them) and Mr. Terry Beauchamp (hard to believe but not related to our family!!) from the Walter Beauchamp Tailor (a 100 years old business established in Toronto, Fine Art and Fine Clothing goes hand in hand...). Thanks to everyone and we hope to see you often in Toronto.



Credit photo: Greg Regan, Mélanie Simard et Chantale Beaulieu.

Vincent Beauchamp, family and staff.

Valentine's Day... a Celebration that is taken at Heart here at the Beauchamp Art Galleries

The Beauchamp Art Galleries produced many happy faces on the week-end of the 13th and 14th of February. The customers were all smiles at receiving, from a loved one, a painting for Valentines Day. What better way to demonstrate your love than to offer a gift that lasts forever and one that is made with love and passion.

Moreover, the Beauchamp Art Galleries also organized a virtual exhibition for Valentines Day entitled 'The Art of Loving'... This exhibition was held from the 4th to 15th of February. All of the paintings had been created especially for this occasion, with Love as the main Theme. Most of these paintings were sold, however, have a look at the website, perhaps there are a few that are still available...

Twenty-Four New Paintings...

The admirers of the paintings created by Carl Camiré will be more than rejoiced to discover that Carl has brought 24 of his new paintings at the Royal and Ass. Beauchamp Art Gallery located at 124, cote de la Montagne this past month. All more exquisite than the other!!! If you adore what he paints but have not come around to purchasing one just yet, now is the time to do so...



For the Love of Horses...

Patricia Barrowman is known for her ever-so profound sculptures of horses. She has captured the essence of this impressive animal like no other. Some of her sculptures are made out of bronze and others are also made with 'papier-mâché'. She can portray the agility of the mature horse as she is capable of bringing forth the clumsiness of the new-born just out his mother's womb.

Patricia Barrowman has now developed another way of demonstrating her love of horses. She makes lovely plates out of pottery adorned with a contemporary drawing of a horse. These plates are extremely elegant and pleasing to the eye. The perfect gift to someone who shares this artists' passion...

Artists who transform a rigid and cold medium into breathtaking masterpieces...

Most of the artists who exhibit their creations at the Beauchamp Art Galleries work with either acrylic or oil paint, and use various other painting mediums to add texture and depth to their paintings. However, there are four artists at the Beauchamp Art Galleries who have chosen to work with a cold, rigid medium that is commonly known as metal. However, this particular medium will take on a whole new dimension once you actually see one of their works of Art...

The duo of artists, Normand-Ferland, brought new pieces at the Contemporary Art Gallery, located at 69, rue St-Pierre and 28, rue Sault-au-Matelot... Here, one may find their elegantly sculpted horses that transcend all the power and strength that inhabits this remarkable animal. As well as the mocking rooster with its confident glare and defiant nature...At this same gallery, one may also see the works of Stephane Blouin... pieces of an undeniable sensitivity and fragility.

At the Beauchamp Art Gallery located at 50, rue Notre-Dame, one may find the works of Marie-Josée Roy. She has brought new ink engravings on metal as well as new sculptures. Her work is spellbound, making it impossible for one to stay indifferent to either of her creations...



Espace Galerie B8

Many tantalizing projects are being prepared for this new space. Stay in tune for the specifications. The Beauchamp Team are hard at work in organizing events that will leave everyone flabbergasted!!! More in next months issue!