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MEDIA ADVISORY – AUGUST 18, 19 &20

ARTWALK IN THE SQUARE – Outdoor Fine Art Festival Celebrates Artists and Community!

The **2nd Annual ArtWalk in the Square**, returns to the **CF Shops of Don Mills** (corner of Lawrence and Don Mills) from **Friday, August 18 through Sunday, August 20, 2017**. This affordable fine art festival is presented by the **Artists' Network,** an organization dedicated to educating artists in the business side of art.

ArtWalk in the Square builds on the success of its sister show, the Riverdale ArtWalk (celebrating 20 years, that show is the first weekend in June, long known as the summer season opener for fine art shows). This late summer juried show showcases over 70 emerging and established fine artists from across Canada, in all manner of disciplines (mixed media, fibre, photography, sculpture, plus every kind of painter you can think of). The management and the retailers of the CF Shops of Don Mills provide us with tremendous support; this event was one of the highlights of last summer at the mall. Best of all, it is free and open to the public. A great way for the community to experience art up close and personal.

The intimate central square at the shops provides a wonderful way to spend a summer day. Come out early, see some art, talk the artists themselves about what you see. Then stay for lunch, do some errands, and come back again to pick up your new art purchase! This is a great opportunity to shop for affordable and unique artworks. You can get in on the ground floor with emerging artists, or be on the lookout for your favourite established Canadian artists. **GET OUT AND GET ART!**

For more information on the ArtWalk in the Square, see: http://www.artwalksquare.ca/.

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When: FRIDAY - SUNDAY – AUGUST 18-20
FRIDAY, AUGUST 18: 3:00 pm - 9:00 pm
SATURDAY, AUGUST 19: 10:00 am - 7:00 pm
SUNDAY, AUGUST 20: 11:00 am - 6:00 pm

Where: CF Shops at Don Mills
1090 Don Mills Road, Toronto, ON M3C 3R6 (Corner of Lawrence and Don Mills)

Map: click here

Check out participating artists here: http://www.artwalksquare.ca/artists-galleries/

About the Artists Network:

The Artists' Network is a membership-based, non- profit organization of artists dedicated to supporting visual artists in their business practice. The Artists' Network promotes professional development, entrepreneurship and growth by organizing educational seminars, offering networking opportunities, providing business tools and developing exhibition opportunities. The Artists' Network, works with individual artists, the community and arts organizations, as well as the private sector and all levels of government to promote the arts. Learn more visit: artistsnetwork.ca

For more info on the Artists' Network or on how to become a member, see: http://artistsnetwork.ca/

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