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ARTsmart Announces 42 Gallery-Restaurant Pairings in its New Two-Night Edible Art Tour

ARTsmart's 18th Annual ARTfeast Santa Fe kicks off summer with top galleries and restaurants showcasing two nights of world-class art and cuisine in the Edible Art Tour (EAT). This sampling of everything fresh and exciting has gotten bigger, better, and warmer! Originally a one-night February event, EAT now invites ticketholders to "gaze and graze" along the city's fabled streets during balmy, sunlit evenings from 5 to 8 pm, Friday and Saturday, June 12-13, 2015.

Forty-two galleries preview works by renowned artists, accompanied by a sampling of signature savories by celebrated chefs. Tickets are \$35 per person, which includes both nights. On Friday, Downtown galleries swing open their doors with festive openings. And on Saturday, the fun and endless possibilities shift to galleries along Canyon Road. The official map with addresses is available on the ARTsmart website and at all participating galleries.

At 5:00 pm on Friday, Santa Fe Mayor Javier Gonzales proclaims June 12-13, 2015, to be ARTsmart Edible Art Tour weekend. The ceremony takes place at Sorrel Sky Gallery, 125 W. Palace Ave.

EAT tickets can be purchased at the Lensic Box Office, ticketssantafe.org, 505.988.1234; online at artsmartnm.org, and at participating galleries.

PARTICIPATING GALLERIES AND RESTAURANTS/CATERERS

FRIDAY NIGHT, DOWNTOWN

Abbate Fine Art & Luminaria at Inn at Loretto

Blue Rain Gallery & Red Sage at Buffalo Thunder

David Copher Gallery & Terra Cotta

Galerie Zuger & Loyal Hound Pub

The Gallery Collection at La Posada & Julia at La Posada

Heidi Loewen Porcelain Gallery & Swiss Bakery Pastries & Bistro

Joe Wade Fine Art & El Farol

Lacuna Gallery & Walter Burke Catering

Little Bird at Loretto & Cowgirl

Owings Gallery on Palace & Del Charro Saloon at Inn of the Governors

Pop Gallery & Sweet Lily Bakery

Santa Fe Community Gallery & TBD
Signature Gallery & Vanessa Santa Fe
Sorrel Sky Gallery & The Shed
Sugarman Peterson Gallery & Skylight
True West Gallery & Tomasita's
Windsor Betts Art Brokerage & La Plancha de Eldorado

SATURDAY NIGHT, CANYON ROAD

Barbara Meikle Fine Art & Canyon Vista Cooking/Dish N' Spoon
Bill Hester Fine Art & The Teahouse
Canyon Road Contemporary & Dr. Field Goods Kitchen
Charles Azbell Gallery & Del Charro Saloon at Inn of the Governors
Gallery 901 & Executive Chef Catering
Gaugy Gallery & Peas 'n' Pod
GF Contemporary & Red Sage at Buffalo Thunder
Giacobbe Fritz Fine Art & Dinner for Two
InArt Santa Fe & La Boca, 219 Delgado St.
Mark White Fine Art & Adobo Catering
Matthews Gallery & Museum Hill Cafe
Meyer Gallery & Osteria d'Assisi
Nüart Gallery & La Casa Sena
Pippin Contemporary & Jambo Café
Red Dot Gallery & SFCC Culinary Art Students
Sage Creek Gallery & The Plaza Cafe
Silver Sun Santa Fe & The Pantry Restaurant
Tansey Contemporary & TBD
Tresa Vorenberg Goldsmiths & Sweetwater Harvest Kitchen
Ventana Fine Art & The Pink Adobe
Vivo Contemporary & El Farol
Waxlander Gallery & Pecos Trail Cafe
Wiford Gallery & Luminaria at Inn at Loretto
Winterowd Fine Art & Amaya at Hotel Santa Fe
Zaplin-Lampert Gallery & Whole Hog Cafe

ABOUT ARTSMART: EAT is a fundraiser organized by ARTsmart New Mexico, a nonprofit that raises money for art materials, programs, and scholarships for students from kindergarten through high school and college. Since 1990, ARTsmart has taught art, literacy, and life skills to thousands of Northern New Mexico kids. By fostering creative thinking, encouraging individuality, and supporting critical analysis, ARTsmart reduces truancy, improves grades, and inspires the realization of dreams.