



HIGHPOINT CENTER FOR PRINTMAKING

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HIGHPOINT PRINTSHOP COOPERATIVE PRESENTS *HOT OFF THE PRESS*

July 9 – August 28, 2010

Free Opening Reception Friday, July 9, 6:30 – 9:00 PM

Minneapolis, MN – Highpoint Center for Printmaking is pleased to present *Hot Off the Press*, an exhibition of prints by members of its studio cooperative. Original lithographs, relief prints, intaglio and screenprints will be on view and available for purchase July 9 – August 28. The public is invited to an opening reception on Friday, July 9 from 6:30 – 9 PM. This event will offer visitors an opportunity to meet the artists and experience their printshop facility. The reception is free and open to all; beverages and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

Hot Off the Press features work by twenty-five local printmakers with a wide range of experiences. For some, printmaking is an avocation; others create prints professionally and have placed works in public and private collections across the country. Working at Highpoint provides the artists with access to a state-of-the-art printmaking facility, the chance to exhibit and sell prints at biannual shows and the opportunity to work alongside fellow printmakers in a supportive workshop setting.

Highpoint is currently raising funds to complete the capital campaign for its new permanent home at 912 Lake Street West in Minneapolis. In April 2009, Highpoint was honored to receive a \$250,000 Challenge Grant from the Kresge Foundation to be used for this campaign. As of July 2010, the Campaign has raised \$3,111,602 (including the Kresge Challenge Grant pledge) towards its final goal of \$3.5M.

Highpoint Center for Printmaking is a non-profit art center dedicated to advancing the appreciation and understanding of the printmaking arts. We offer educational programming for children and adults, a studio cooperative, professional publishing opportunities and a street-level gallery featuring contemporary prints. No other printmaking center in the Upper Midwest provides such a wide range of public access and programs.

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Artists represented in *Hot Off the Press*: Zac Adams-Bliss, Roberta Allen, Florence Brammer, Pamela Carberry, Lee Delegard, Mike Elko, Sally Gordon, Brian Hartley Sago, John Hunter, KimyiBo, Therese Krupp, Frances Lloyd-Baynes, Jeremy Lund, Joanne Price, Annabelle Sardelis, Kurt Seaberg, Rose Sexton, Kristoffer Shideman, Jan Shoger, Anna Tsantir, Clara Ueland, Dale Vanden Houten, Noel Vargas Hernandez, Johanna Winters, Kat Zerebiec

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