



MEDIA ALERT

“KINSHIP” EXHIBIT TO FEATURE ARTWORK FROM ADG MEMBERS AND THEIR FAMILIES

WHAT:

The Art Directors Guild (IATSE Local 800) **Gallery 800** announces its third art exhibition of 2015, "**Kinship & Family**" featuring artwork from ADG members and their families. The hosted reception will feature more than 60 original art pieces, a hosted bar, live music featuring the "Do Drop In" jazz trio and refreshments.

WHEN:

Saturday, April 25, 2015. Opening reception 5pm – 8pm.
Exhibit runs through May 16, 2015.

WHO:

Featured artists include:

- Oscar® winner **Gene Allen** (*My Fair Lady, A Star is Born*)
- **Joel Schiller** (*Rosemary's Baby*)
- **Bill Thomas** (*Star Wars VII: The Force Awakens*)
- **Kenneth Larson** (*American Horror Story*)
- **Mark L. Sylbert** (*Sons of Anarchy*)
- **Martin Mercer** (*The Suicide Squad*)
- **Natalie Richards** (*Mirror, Mirror*)
- **Aprile Boettcher** (*Anchorman 2*)
- Emmy® winner **Jeff Skrimstad** (Super Bowl XXXIX)
- Emmy nominee **Brandi Alexander** (*Dexter*)
- Emmy nominee **Edward Bonutto** (*Map to the Stars*)

Representing Gallery 800 are curator **Denis Olsen** and ADG manager **Debbie Patton**.

WHERE: Gallery 800 at the Historic Lankershim Arts Center - 5108 Lankershim Blvd., North Hollywood, CA

NOTE TO MEDIA:

Your coverage of this event is welcome. Contact Nicole Player at nicole@publicity4all.com.

ABOUT GALLERY 800:

Located in the heart of the famed NoHo Arts District, Gallery 800 showcases guild members' personal art in a series of shows throughout the year. These artists are leading Art Department professionals, who, through a combination of observation, passion and imagination, bring the writer's words and the director's vision to life in television and film. When not working as integral creative members of the entertainment community, they contribute to the fine art scene with their personal artwork. Since Gallery 800 opened its doors in March 2009, more than 420 ADG members have shown their artwork in the ongoing exhibitions. Gallery 800's mission is to promote the works of talented entertainment industry professionals, in an intimate venue, on a personal level. Gallery 800 hours are Thursday - Saturday 2pm - 8pm and Sunday 2pm - 6pm.

Future Exhibits Include (subject to change):

- Three Artists You Should Know (June 6 - July 11)
- Antarctica (July 25 - August 29)
- Still Life & Storytelling (Sept. 19 - Oct. 24)
- Art Unites 9 (Nov. 7 - Dec. 12)

ABOUT THE ART DIRECTORS GUILD:

The Art Directors Guild (IATSE Local 800) represents 2,300 members who work throughout the United States, Canada and the rest of the world in film, television and theater as Production Designers; Art Directors; Assistant Art Directors; Scenic, Title and Graphic Artists; Illustrators and Matte Artists; Set Designers and Model Makers. Established in 1937, the ADG's ongoing activities include a Film Society, an annual Awards Banquet, a creative/technology community (5D: The Future of Immersive Design), a bimonthly craft magazine (*Perspective*) as well as extensive technology-training programs, figure drawing and other creative workshops and year-round Gallery 800 art exhibitions. The Guild's Online **Directory/Website** Resource is at www.adg.org.

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