



THE NOVATO FOUNDATION FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION

In collaboration with Northbay ArtWorks

Art Smart Showcase 2009

April 3rd through 11th



Artist's Opening Night Reception

Friday, April 3rd, 2009

4pm to 7pm at Northbay ArtWorks

7049 Redwood Blvd. Suite 208 (near the Fire Station)

Gallery hours: Fridays from 4 to 7pm, Saturdays & Sunday from Noon to 4pm.

Opening Night Reception Sponsors:

- California Grill & Rotisserie
- Villa Roma Sourdough Pizza Company
- Nick Tara
- San Jose Middle School Music Students
- Sinaloa Middle School Music Students

Showcase Sponsors:

- Artist's Palette
- BioMarin Pharmaceutical, Inc.
- Joyce Appen - Coldwell Banker
- Sylvia Barry - Frank Howard Allen
- Whitman's Auto Body

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FREE Art Workshop: at Northbay ArtWorks and run by art instructor, Stephanie Hart, will be for students wanting assistance either starting or completing their individual pieces and will be on Friday March 6th, 6 – 8pm. The workshop is free to students who bring their own materials; otherwise there will be a \$10 materials fee. We suggest you call Northbay ArtWorks at 415.892.8188 to reserve a space.

CREATIVE WORK DUE DATE: Student submissions due Friday, March 20th.

(Note: Due to Open Houses at **Hill, San Marin & Novato High** participating submissions from those schools will have an **extended deadline**. Please contact Stephanie Hart 892.8188, shart@northbayartworks.com for details)

Student creative works and permission forms may either be dropped off in school front offices or at Northbay ArtWorks. (Download permission forms at <http://www.novatoschoolfuel.org/>)

- Student work may be sold to benefit School Fuel or can be returned to the student (it's completely up to them). There is no obligation to sell any artwork, as our main objective is to draw attention to the creativity and talent of our students and the importance of artistic outlets and art education for our kids.
- Creative work for exhibit can include, but is not limited to fine art, poetry and/or creative writing, sculpture, photography and video productions. (Students must provide equipment for video productions, which will be locked up after each gallery showing.)

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call or email:

Stephanie Hart. Phone: 892-8188. Email: shart@northbayartworks.com or

Joyce McCarron, Phone: 898-1758, Email: joycem@nfpe.org

School Fuel Art Smart Showcase 2009 Creative Work Entry Permission Form

School Fuel, a non-profit education foundation supporting enrichment in the Novato public schools, is sponsoring the Art Smart Showcase to display the artistic talents of students in the Novato Unified School District. By participating in the Art Smart Showcase, students' works and their names will be on public display at Northbay ArtWorks from April 3 to 11, 2009, and may be mentioned in School Fuel publicity for the event, reproduced on the School Fuel web site, described in media coverage of the event, and/or possibly reproduced for sale to benefit School Fuel.

All wall mounted works submitted (fine art, photographs, poetry, creative writing, metal work, sculpture, etc.) must be framed or matted and include a hanger for wall mounting. The artist must also complete the following form. If the artist is under 18, a parent or guardian must sign this form as well. Please clearly label each piece of work with the artist's name, school and phone number for identification. **All information below must be completed.**

Artist's Name: _____

Artwork Name / Description: _____

Artist's email for contact purposes: _____

Artist's phone for contact purposes: _____

Artist's School: _____ Grade: _____ Age: _____

*** NOTE: DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS March 20, 2009***
*Participating submissions from Hill, San Marin & Novato High will have an extended deadline due to Open Houses.
Please contact Stephanie Hart 892.8188, shart@northbayartworks.com for details.*

Please check all that apply:

- My artwork may be displayed in the School Fuel Art Smart Showcase, event publicity, on the School Fuel web site (www.novatoschoolfuel.org), and/or reproduced for sale to benefit School Fuel.
- My name may be displayed in connection with my artwork
- My artwork may be sold with the proceeds being donated to School Fuel, The Novato Foundation for Public Education, to benefit enrichment programs in the Novato public schools as decided by the Board of Directors.
- **Do not sell my artwork.** I will pick it up after the show at Northbay ArtWorks at 7049 Redwood Blvd., #208, Novato, CA, 415-892-8188 (**SEE PICK-UP TIMES BELOW**).

Signed: _____, Date _____
(Artist)

Signed: _____, Date _____
(Parent or Guardian)

Print name of parent of guardian: _____

Questions: please call Stephanie Hart (892-8188) or Joyce McCarron (898-1758)

NOTE: All artwork not sold or donated must be picked up at Northbay ArtWorks on April 20: 4-6pm, April 21: 6-9pm, April 22: 4-6pm or April 23: Noon-4pm.