

East Hollywood Art



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East Hollywood Merges Creativity and Cycling in Celebration of Neighborhood's Emerging Arts Scene

Feb. 28 ArtCycle event features gallery visits and Hel-Mel after party

LOS ANGELES – The East Hollywood Neighborhood Council and East Hollywood Arts and Culture Committee announce the first-ever ArtCycle, an event designed to showcase the emerging art and bicycling scenes in East Hollywood. More than a dozen area art galleries and creative spaces will open their doors for ArtCycle on Saturday, Feb. 28, 2-7 p.m. The event culminates in an after party at the bike-centric intersection of Melrose Ave. and Heliotrope Dr.

The East Hollywood Neighborhood Council was the first certified neighborhood council in Los Angeles to ratify the “Cyclists’ Bill of Rights” in recognition of the cyclists who have made East Hollywood the center of bicycle culture in Los Angeles. With the participation of more than a dozen galleries, theatres, creative venues and artist live/work spaces, the East Hollywood ArtCycle will introduce the rest of Los Angeles to this emerging scene.

Participating galleries and creative venues include Antai, Breakfast Club, Fake, Junc, Sacred Fools Theatre, Synchronicity, Think Space, and numerous other artist live/work spaces and creative businesses in the area.

“ArtCycle will strengthen the ties between the arts and cycling communities in East Hollywood and give people from surrounding areas a chance to experience the vibrant creative culture of our neighborhood,” said Jennifer Moran, ArtCycle organizer and co-chair of the East Hollywood Arts and Culture Committee.

“This won’t be your typical art crawl,” Moran added. “When people from all over the city hop on a bike, go Metro, walk, or carpool to see what East Hollywood has to offer, I know they’ll be pleasantly surprised.”

Gallery and art spaces in East Hollywood will be open to the public from 2 to 7 p.m. on Feb. 28. ArtCycle ends in a celebration at the intersection of Heliotrope Dr. and Melrose Ave. in East Hollywood. Known as “Hel-Mel,” this enclave just south of Los Angeles City College is rapidly becoming the hub of the East Hollywood revival.

More information is available at EastHollywoodArtCycle.com.

Calendar Listing: Peddle over to East Hollywood on Saturday, Feb. 28, from 2-7 p.m., for ArtCycle, an event to celebrate the burgeoning creative and cycling communities in that neighborhood. More than a dozen galleries and other art spaces will open their doors to the public, and the event ends in an evening after party at the intersection of Melrose Ave. and Heliotrope Dr. More info at EastHollywoodArtCycle.com.



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