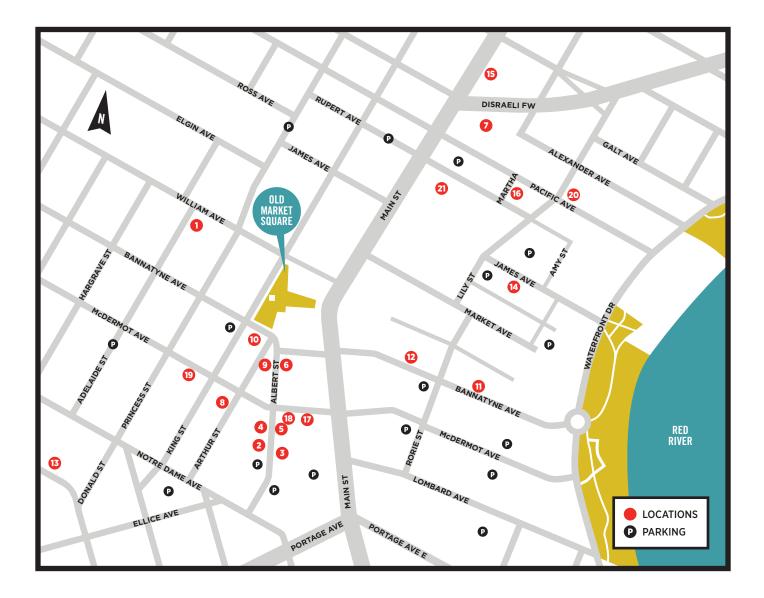
# THE EXCHANGE FIRST FRIDAYS



# MARCH 3

5-9рм (AND LATER!)

### **ADELAIDE ST**

#### 1 125, 2nd fl Cre8ery Gallery + Studio •

11am-9pm. *Ethereal* by Lori Ferguson. A series of oil paintings expressing humanity's ongoing search for something greater than we experience as mere mortal beings. Plus-new works in the auxiliary gallery. Masks required-we will provide if you need one.

#### 3rd fl North Forge Fabrication Lab •

Stop in & learn how we can help you tap into your creative side! Discover how entrepreneurs transform their ideas into something tangible, and view what our members create!

#### **ALBERT ST**

2 62, 4th fl Artbeat Studio • 1-9pm. Stained glass exhibition by Chris Johnson

- **3 63, Unit 210 Kathleen Crosby Gallery** Art party! Everyone welcome! Featuring Jared Loewen, Marlene Roy, Ashley Segal, Rachelle Rocher, Cole Cancilla + Kathleen Crosby.
- G8 Plant Lab Botanical Design 5-9pm. Pop in and shop the *Mini Market* with lots of fun local vendors. As always, the tunes will be playing all night long so come down for some shopping and good times.
- **5 75 Northlore** Come try a shot of our house-made Fire Cider- if you dare! Fire Cider is a zesty herbal folk remedy of vinegar infused, wellness supporting ingredients to boost immunity and stoke your inner fire through these lingering winter days.

**6 91, 2nd fl High Wax Candle Co.** • 5-9pm. *Sip & Shop: Practical Magic* featuring walk in Tarot readings by Momma Bat Witchery (1 card \$20 10-15 mins, or 3 cards 30 min. \$45) Guest vendor: Moon & Stone Designs Bringing the beauty of the moon and the sparkle of the sun using natural and semi precious elements! Comp. Drinks and snacks, all new candles & inventory different from last First Friday. 5 comp. goodie bags for first 5 spenders!

#### **ALEXANDER AVE E.**

7 184 OSEREDOK Ukrainian Cultural and Educational Centre • 10am-8pm. Immerse yourself in sound, light, and imagery with 2 free exhibitions (each 30 min.) The Immersive World of Ukrainian Art, animated representations of artwork, set to original music. Ukraine: Land of the Brave, the voices of ordinary Ukrainians under the extraordinary circumstances of war. (16+). 5th fl Museum & Boutique are also open.

## **ARTHUR ST**

8 70 Màs Coffee Co. • Open to 9pm serving up hot beverages!

**Unit 615 Studio 6** • 5 -9pm. Painting, Drawing, Photography, Video & Digital Art and Sound. Thor Aitkenhead with Brian Longfield.

91 Seduta Art • Noon-8pm (or later) with a bunch of new arts, crafts, and stationery supplies!

100, Main fl Platform centre for photographic + digital arts • 6-9pm OPENING RECEPTION: Notes on Self Invention New work by Glodi Bahati (2022 PLATFORM Photography Award Winner) Exploring the ways memory gives birth to our self mythos, and the complicated nature of shared memory.

#### **BANNATYNE AVE**

- 141 Katie + Gunner Gallery Open to 7pm (or later) Join us for a preview of our new show! Recent Acquisitions Spring 2023
- 171 Ashdown Cannabis + First Friday Art Gallery • 10am-midnight. Gallery artist David Blair will be live painting! Find his work on Instagram @paintdab

#### **CUMBERLAND AVE**

329 C2Centre for Craft • 6-9pm OPENING. Gather: Indigenous Beadwork, Embroidery and Quillwork. Remarks at 7pm. Light refreshments.

#### **JAMES AVE**

132 Rubia Darya Gallery • Join us for Rug Talks and Tea and see our handwoven tribal rugs and textiles from Afghanistan, Turkmenistan, Persia, and The Caucasus. Our vintage and antique rugs are oneof-a-kind and have their own story to tell. Travel across the world with us. A wide range in prices, and newly received stock. Offering tea and chocolates.

#### **MAIN ST**

611 MAWA Mentoring Artists for Women's Art • Noon-1pm Lecture: Livin in America Daina Warren, former director of Urban Shaman, discusses her experiences as a new transplant to Santa Fe, New Mexico and the differences between the Canadian and American visual art worlds . Zoom link @mawa.

#### **MARTHA ST**

**11 Martha Street Studio** • Opening reception 5–8pm: *WOW MOM*. Marlene Yuen (BC) and Vanessa Hall-Patch (BC) consider the parallels of parenting and printmaking. Masks required inside the building. Snacks and refreshments will be available.

#### McDERMOT AVE.

- 212 Mayberry Fine Art Celebrating Canadian Women Artists. In celebration of International Women's Day on March 8th, we proudly present a collection of some of Canada's beloved historical and contemporary women artists.
- 18 222 Warehouse Artworks 5:30-9pm. Featuring our collection of Manitoba artists.

19 288, 2nd fl All About Theatre + Gallery

- Art Sale! Featuring Sharon Cory, Heidi Hunter, Wendy Kroeker, and more!!! And for those who would like to sample a free 45 minute class in Argentine Tango, you are welcome to put on your dancing shoes ! Class starts at 7:30.
- 5th fl Lennard Taylor Design Studio
- Drop in for a free tour of *Reimagine Fashion*: an interactive educational experience on the detrimental clothing industry. Get your hands dirty and explore the societal wrong of fast fashion with LT. All ages are welcome.

**6th fl Kev Ten** • Always new work to be seen including *Cement Zeppelin*. Come say hi and enjoy this fine space. Everyone welcome.

### **PACIFIC AVE**

- **20 125** La Brasserie Nonsuch Brewing Co.
  - Join us for a special, one night only menu prepared by guest chefs Randy Khounnoraj and Aiden Thanh Tu.

### **RUPERT AVE**

(2) 190 The Manitoba Museum • Join us from 4-9pm for free general admission to our three core attractions—the Museum Galleries, Planetarium, and Science Gallery!