

exhibitions

FRIDAY, OCT. 3

Preston Burke Galleries — Lithographs by Ben Shahn will be at the gallery through Oct. 25. The show opens with a 7 p.m. preview, Oct. 3. The gallery is in the Evergreen Plaza, 12 Mile and Evergreen, Southfield.

Mullaly Galleries — Graphic works by James A. Rome, printmaker from Arizona, will be on exhibit through Nov. 1. Rome's lithographs and intaglio-etchings are all pulled by hand in his Arizona studio or at Trmarind Lithography Workshop and Daysings Workshop in Albuquerque. He interprets Southwest Indian mythology. His new works use the triangle, pyramid and tetrahedron, which he believes the human form is based on. Opening reception 7-10 p.m. Oct. 3. The gallery is at 1025 Haynes, Birmingham.

SATURDAY, OCT. 4

Susanne Hilberry Gallery — New paintings by Ron Gorchow will be on exhibit to Nov. 4. The artist will be at the 2-4 p.m. reception Oct. 4. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham.

Pontiac Art Center — Photographs by Jim Zimmerman have all done in the last year. In this exhibit, he works with figurative images with a flavor of

surrealism and sensuality. Zimmerman is a Cranbrook Academy of Art graduate as well as Memphis Academy of Art and University of Tennessee. He has won many honors and awards. Reception to meet the artist is 7-10 p.m. Oct. 4. The center is open weekdays, 47 Williams, Pontiac.

Franklin Village Green — Juried invitation sponsored by the new arts council in Franklin Village features work by 50 local and Midwestern artists. Hours are Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, 12:30-5 p.m., Franklin Road between 13 and 14 Mile.

TUESDAY, OCT. 7

Allen Rubner Gallery — Recent paintings by William House will be at the gallery through Nov. 4. These paintings were done after the artist toured and explored his home state of Michigan. He has used historic buildings for subjects and gives them a American Romanticism treatment. Reception for the artist 7-9:30 p.m. Oct. 7. Gallery hours are Monday-Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., 621 S. Washington, Royal Oak.

CONTINUING SHOWS

Print Gallery — Acrylics by Allen Burke will be at the gallery through October. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday, until 9 p.m. Tuesday and Friday, 25203 Northwestern, Southfield.

Arnold Klein Gallery — Watercolor and color pencil works by Karen Anne Klein will be on exhibit through Oct. 25. Mrs. Klein is recognized for the special luminous qualities which she achieves in her work, which always includes flowers and ordinary outdoor scenes which she makes extraordinary. Regular hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesdays-Saturdays and by appointment, 4520 N. Woodward, Royal Oak.

Gallery Renaissance — Paintings and works on paper by Lyn Parker will run through Oct. 10. This is the artist's first big show. She's from West Bloomfield and works in a contemporary idiom with a gentle, but distinctive color palette. The gallery is in the 400 Tower, Renaissance Center.

Robert L. Kidd Associates — The gallery opens the fall season with "Betty Parsons in Detroit," a show of the work of this great lady of the international art scene who used a fine eye in her own work and discovering the talent of others. Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 107 Townsend.

Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association — "A Tribute to Robert A.

Thom" salutes an artist who made a major contribution to this community as well as throughout the country. Rosemary Spinks, exhibition chairman, knew the artist as both friend and employer. She worked with his family and corporations who own Thom's paintings to borrow many of the finest for this retrospective. The exhibit will continue through Oct. 18. The gallery is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. of later most days, especially if there are classes going, which is almost constantly, 1516 S. Cranbrook.

Xochipilli Gallery — Sculpture by area artist John Aaron will be at the gallery through Oct. 15. Reception to meet the artist starts at 8 p.m. Saturday. His subject matter usually includes dogs or dragons with historical and political overtones. Most of the pieces are of high-quality porcelain. Some include bronze, silver, copper, coral and wood within the ceramic structure. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesdays and Wednesdays, until 9 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays, 115 E. Fourth, Rochester.

Hill Gallery — This South Lyon gallery, usually devoted to antiques and folk art, is showing sculpture by Michael Hall, head of the Cranbrook Academy of art sculpture department through Oct. 19. The personable Hill

has no trouble equating Hall's contemporary works with folk art as far as statement and use of positive and negative space is concerned. Reception 1-5 p.m. Sunday, 56000 10 Mile, South Lyon.

Troy Gallery — Master prints by Joan Miro are at the gallery through Oct. 25. Opening reception, 7:30-10 p.m. Oct. 1. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 755 W. Big Beaver, Troy.

G/M/B/Galerie Internationale — Photographs by Henri Cartier-Bresson will be at the gallery through Oct. 11. This master photographer established his worldwide reputation in both photography and surrealistic art photography. Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, 2610 N. Woodward, Royal Oak.

Habitat Galleries — Blown glass vessels by Mark Peiser will be featured to Oct. 4. Peiser paints with glass rods on successive layers of molten glass. He makes very few pieces per year, hours are Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Friday to 9 p.m. and Sundays, noon to 6 p.m., 28235 Southfield Rd., Southfield.

Galerie de Balcourt — Gallery selections with emphasis on multi-cultural folk art and textiles are being featured.

The gallery has a wide selection of paintings, books on art, posters, carvings and fiber work. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, third floor, Fisher Building, Detroit.

Yaw Gallery — Three decorated textiles from Borneo are beautifully done and sophisticated in their approach. The exhibit continues through Oct. 15. Hours are Tuesday-Saturday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., 550 N. Woodward.

Cranbrook Academy of Art Museum — Three exhibitions will be at the museum through Oct. 26 — "The Changing Canvas," 47 American paintings of this century, "Robert Rauschenberg: Recent Works," and photographs by Aaron Siskind and two 19th century photographers, George Barnard and Carlton Watkins. The museum, 500 Lone Pine, Bloomfield Hills, is open 1-5 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday. Admission charge.

Little Gallery — Recent paintings by David Einstein of Birmingham show runs through Oct. 15. Hours are: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 915 E. Maple.

Irving Feldman Galleries — Joan Miro aquatints, 1963-1973, will be on exhibit through Oct. 15. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 24175 Northwestern, Key International Building, Southfield.

Armenian leaders visit school

The AGBU Alex Manooagian School, in conjunction with the AGBU World Seminar in Southfield last month, hosted nearly 60 AGBU leaders from around the world during their special visit to the school.

The tour was led by the International President of the AGBU, Alex Manooagian and First Lady Mrs. Marie Manooagian; President of the AGBU of America, Edward Mardigian; AGBU General Director Missak Haigentz; and AGBU of America Executive Director Haig Meserlian.

The guests came to the school Sept. 12 as part of their study of the progress and goals of the AGBU, which includes operation of more than 20 educational institutions around the world.

MANOOAGIAN SCHOOL in Southfield is the only AGBU school in AGBU school in north America to include a high school. It has been fully accredited by the University of Michigan since

1977 and the Independent Schools Association since 1978.

During their visit, the leaders were presented with a student program that outlined the strides the school has made in the teaching of the Armenian language and history.

Following the program, several visitors stayed to tour the \$1.5-million facilities, which house some 200 students in grades kindergarten through 12.

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