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Local Artists Hold Sale and Auction to Support Virginia Stage Company

Kenneth Bain, Charles Kello and several other local artists have announced that they will hold an art sale and auction on March 25, 2005 to help support Virginia Stage Company. A large percentage of the revenue from the *Artists Supporting the Virginia Stage Company* auction and sale will be donated to Virginia Stage Company.

The *Artists Supporting the Virginia Stage Company* auction and sale will be held on Friday, March 25, 2005 from 6pm until 9pm at the historic Wells Theatre located in Norfolk's downtown theater district. Admission is free and complimentary refreshments will be served. All art may be purchased by direct sale or at silent auction with prices to fit all budgets.

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Participating artists include Sugar Barrow, Mackie Bie, Carmen Bittinger, Susan Brewer, Susan Campbell, Suzanne Dundon, Stacy Goode, Norman Goodwin, R.V. Gusenstine, Betty Hadfield, Dorothy Hudgins, Dawn Jacobs, C.W. Kello, Darryl King, Ruth Laakso, Edgar Loessin, Gene Mandrick, Marion, Eva Milulencak, Kay Mount, Grant Narelle, Barry Pollara, Bobbi Pruitt, D. Shampoe, Debi Stadlin, Shirley Stein, Dru Thompson, Maude Williams. Works by the following artists will also be on display: Robert Burnell, Edward Carson, Kenneth Harris, Gerald hennesy, Casey Holtzinger, A.B. Jackson, Don Keye, Marc Moon, Granville Perkins, Bob Price, Barclay Sheaks, Charles Sibley, Tarkay, and Watler Thrift. In all, over 100 works of art will be on display.

“It is always nice to see local artists helping each other out,” commented Keith Stava, Managing Director of Virginia Stage Company. “We are very fortunate to have such great community support. The city and citizens of Norfolk continue to impress me.”

For more information, please contact Charles Kello, Kenneth Bain Gallery, at 757-622-3808.

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