

THE CLOTHING SHOW

Sept 25, 26 & 27

Better Living Centre, Exhibition Place, Toronto

Friday 3 -9 • Saturday 11- 8 • Sunday 11 -7

Tickets \$8.00 online \$10.00 at the door

Free Re-admission



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The Clothing Show Presents Its Fall 2009 Art Gallery

The Clothing Show returns to the Better Living Centre at Exhibition Place, Sept 25 - 27, for its fall 2009 show offering a weekend of shopping, art, photography and runway shows.

The Clothing Show Artists' Gallery has become one of the largest no cost, commission free art galleries in the city providing exposure for both students and professional artists for the duration of the show, September 25 – 27, 2009.

“We have almost 1000 linear feet of art wall that is placed throughout the show. We are trying is to create an environment where art becomes more accessible to the public in an informal atmosphere, out of context from the traditional gallery space”, says curator Dana Charles.

Frank Zhang, a local Toronto **body painting** artist will paint two of our runway models on Friday September 25th from 4pm until 7pm in the runway area.

Also this fall The Clothing Show will host an ongoing **collaborative graffiti art project**, entitled **Fore•Sight** on Saturday, September 26, from 11am to 9pm. Artists, Adrian Hayles, Jason Derry, Alan Wood, and Nate Enkel will work simultaneously, employing various media including acrylic and oil paints, paper collage and paint markers on a 24 foot long triptych.

Participating artist Jason Derry utilizes paint, pen & ink, and digital mediums. His work takes influences from his passions of fishing and the outdoors, as well as his fondness of comic books, video games, and cartoons. He creates work that tends to capture the fleeting memories of childhood and of our natural surroundings.

Performance artist Megan Blandford Lewis will create large drawings onsite with the movement of her body and her graphite and chalk dress.

“The Clothing Show has long been an arts related show, with a strong artist involvement from the very beginnings. As art and fashion have always intermingled, we feel it is only natural to help the show to evolve into a venue that can support the many forms artistic expression takes,” comments Bonnie Meacham, Producer

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