



PMCA MUSEUM CLOSING ANNOUNCEMENT

Pasadena, CA — The PMCA Board of Directors met on June 13 to discuss the Board Chairman’s recommendation to close the museum on October 7, when the current exhibition season ends, and finalized their vote on June 18.

Board Chairman Jim Crawford states that, “raising funds for the arts is always a challenge, and trying to overcome that hurdle, we just weren’t able to do it in a way that we felt was sustainable. After sixteen years of presenting art and design through exhibitions that explore the unique cultural dynamic of California, the board of directors would like to thank all of the museum members, donors, contributors, lenders, and especially our hard working, dedicated staff who have made this wonderful adventure possible.”

The current exhibition season opened on June 17, and presents: *Judy Chicago’s Birth Project: Born Again, Grafton Tyler Brown: Exploring California*, and *Brody Albert: Strata*. Please visit our website at pmcaonline.org for a full listing of public programs associated with these exhibitions, which will continue as planned through October 7.

Museum Information

MISSION

The mission of the Pasadena Museum of California Art (PMCA) is to present the breadth of California art and design through exhibitions that explore the cultural dynamics and influences that are unique to California.

HOURS

Wednesday–Sunday, 12:00–5:00pm;
third Thursday of each month,
12:00–9:00pm; closed July 4.

ADMISSION

\$7 for adults; \$5 for seniors (62+); \$5 for students & educators; free for PMCA members & children (12 & under); free the first Friday of each month (12:00–5:00pm); free the third Thursday of each month (5:00–9:00pm). Access for people with disabilities is provided.

PLAN YOUR VISIT

The Museum is located at 490 East Union Street. From the 210 Freeway, take the Lake Avenue exit. Go south and take a right on Union Street. From the 110 Freeway/Downtown Los Angeles, follow the freeway until its end, then take Arroyo Parkway and turn right at Colorado, then left at Oakland to get to Union Street. Free parking is available in the street-level garage at the Museum.

DOCENT TOURS AND GROUP RATES

The Museum offers docent tours on the second Saturday of each month (2:00pm; free with admission). Docent tours are also available Wednesday–Friday, 12:00–5:00pm, to private groups for a fee of \$75. A non-refundable deposit of \$40 is due two weeks prior to the scheduled date. Self-guided tours for K–12 students

are offered for free. We regret that we are unable to accommodate docent tours for groups larger than 35 people. Before requesting a tour, please check the exhibition calendar to see which exhibitions will be available during your visit.

A discounted group rate of \$3 per person is available for groups of 20 or more (K–12 student groups are free). Please call to notify us at least one week in advance for these special admission rates. For any questions or to make reservations for a tour or group rate, call our Education & Engagement Coordinator, Leah Clancy, at 626.568.3665 x13 or email lclancy@pmcaonline.org.

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