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EVENT

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Spring is burgeoning OBORO's 25th anniversary!

Opening Banquet | Art Auction

Saturday, April 18, 2009, at 5 pm

Masters of Ceremony: Pierre Beaudoin et Claudine Hubert

Exhibition

Saturday, April 18, to Saturday, May 2, 2009

the gallery is open Tuesday to Saturday, from noon to 5 pm

OPENING BANQUET

You are invited to a banquet launching our 25th anniversary festivities! Join us in celebrating the creative energy that has been flowing through OBORO over the past 25 years as we express our deep gratitude to our community, artists and partners.

Spring winds have breezed into our preparations: on the night of April 18th, OBORO completes its transformation into a lush and cheerful garden. Multicoloured platters will carry succulent fragrances and exquisite morsels as an offering to guests and friends. Throughout the evening, bustling performances, sparks of music and magical winks will flutter by, and each visitor will receive a special edition work created for the occasion.

EXHIBITION

From April 18th to May 2nd, the gallery will be transformed into a luxuriant garden, populated with oboros grown from the imagination of more than a hundred artists. While meandering through the exhibition, visitors will discover surprising and engaging works of every stripe and be offered a flavourful cup of hot tea served by no less than the world-famous "Trolley Bus", master of ceremonies of the World Tea Party. And somewhere in the middle of the garden safari, the small exhibition room will await inspired visitors who wish to create their own *oboro*.

ART AUCTION

The works created for the exhibition will be on auction from **5 pm to 11 pm on Saturday April 18th**. Proceeds of all sales will go towards OBORO's endowment fund, created so that OBORO can continue its significant support of artists and the art community over the years to come. For a sneak peek of the works you'll have a chance to bid on, visit auction.oboro.net.

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