



News Release

Release Date: June 3, 2018

For immediate release

Media Contact:

Esther Fifelski

Human Relations Department

616-355-1322

e.fifelski@cityofholland.com

International Festival Hosts Artist Reception

Friends of the International Festival of Holland will host a reception honoring local artist Delaney Ann Prins, winner of the 2019 International Festival Poster Competition. The receptions will be held on Wednesday, June 5 from 4-6pm at the Holland Museum. RSVP at www.internationalfestivalholland.com or leave a message at 616-355-1324.

“We’re delighted to celebrate the selected artwork representing the International Festival and also the launch the Festival Wine,” said Esther Fifelski, manager of the International Relations Commission hosting the festival. The artwork is featured festival promotional pieces, including the Festival Wine label. “Fenn Valley Vineyards is honored to partner with the local community in celebration of cultural diversity” said Aaron Harr, sales and marketing manager at Fenn Valley.

The Artist, Delaney Ann Prins art concept is based on the diversity of our world. “I look at colors and designs and find so many common elements across our world that weave together to make the world as we know it. The design represents a myriad of repetition in fabrics from around the world. There are many international elements represented in her masterpiece.

These events mark the initial events launching the first annual International Festival of Holland on August 17, 2019 at the Civic Center Place and various downtown locations. This one-day event will feature dancers, musicians, storytellers, and visual artists representing the peoples and cultures of Africa, Asia, Europe, and Australia as well as Central, South, and North America. The festival will also include the rededication of the Queretaro Fountain donated by our sister city, Santiago de Queretaro, Mexico. All festival events will be free and family friendly. You can learn more at www.internationalfestivalholland.com.

About Delaney Ann Prins. Delaney is a local artist who lives in Holland with her husband, Jack. She has practiced her art since she was five years old. She is a member of Holland Friends of Art and continues to refine her gift. In 2019, she was a Top 20 finalist for the Art in Bloom Tulip

Time competition. Two pairs of the Klompen are prominently displayed in Centennial Park and another pair on the Window on the Waterfront. She enjoys painting landscapes and her primary medium is acrylic.

About Fenn Valley Vineyards & Wine Cellar. Located in Fennville, Michigan, Fenn Valley's slogan is "The Lake Effect Everyone Loves". Fenn Valley wines are made from Michigan grapes and represent the moderating effect that Lake Michigan has on the climate of West Michigan, and it is what makes grape growing possible along the shore where cold tender grape varieties can be successfully grown. For more information visit: <https://www.fennvalley.com/>

--##--