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FREE SPACE FOR LOCAL ARTISTS

Singapore 27 APRIL 2008 – Singapore Arts Street 2008 @ North East, organized by Singapore Arts Street and Northeast Community Development Council, aims to bring awareness and support to local art and talent by providing valuable free space for artists. Held at Hougang Central Hub for 2 weekends this June, the event hopes to bring all art lovers together in the most light-hearted setting.

While the Singapore Arts Street has been accessible to tourists, residents, and shoppers in the city for the past 2 years, the organizers hope to develop community interest by bringing the event right to their doorsteps this year. The plan? To progressively bond local artists together and develop an arts scene we can truly call our own.

An outreach to all artists searching for space, Singapore Arts Street has been working closely with organizers and sponsors to keep exhibition at this event free of charge. Organizers stress that the Singapore Arts Street promotes free space not just in monetary terms, but in all aspects of the word, “free.” It is a dynamic play on how the various meanings of the word are interlinked in the field of the Arts. This free exhibition not only widens and attracts a big pool of participants and viewers, it also presents art the way it should be shared: the artists, unguarded, and the viewers, unrestricted.

The public can expect all forms of art at the Singapore Arts Street including its distinctive 60m Art Wall, where artists display their paintings and drawings for all to appreciate and purchase. Other works include street performances, graffiti art, Italian street painting, and hands on art demonstrations and workshops. New this year are guided tours to walk viewers through the event and a larger art market of up to 30 stalls in Hougang.

The Singapore Arts Street's growing achievements from the past 2 years brought Northeast Community Development Council onboard as its co organizer. They are also recognised as a Community ArtReach program by National Arts Council and People's Association, and received full support from Aljunied Town Council with Senior Minister of State for Finance and Transport and Aljunied GRC MP, Mrs Lim Hwee Hua opening the event on 22nd June 2008 (Sun) at 2pm.

Singapore Arts Street 2008 @ Northeast welcomes all art lovers on the 21st, 22nd, 28th, and 29th of June, 11am-6pm, at Hougang Central Hub. Admission is free. For more information on the event, please contact Christopher Tong at 6784 4669 (office), 8333-1273 (mobile) or christopher@adwebdesign.com.sg (email) or refer our website at www.singaporeartsstreet.com.

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