Performers/Entertainment



Eskimo Art Gallery Inuit Carver Idris Mass Pari

Qikiqtariyaq, Nunavyt Territory, Canada

ldris was born in Broughton Island in 1974. His mother is Inuit and his father is Welsh. Idris was raised in Broughton Island and then moved south with his family. While living in Toronto he started carving, working alongside well-known artists Manasie Akpaliapik and David Ruben Pigtoukun, His mother Geela Alikatuktuk carves in stone, ivory, antler and bone as well as being a talented tapestry artist. He now resides in Ottawa.



Jeremy Bortz

Jeremy Bortz was born in Johannesburg, South Africa in 1965 After graduating from school, Jeremy pursued a career as an artist, photographer, picture framer and entrepreneur. Jeremy became well known in South Africa for his creative framing solutions, and appeared regularly in the media. Jeremy immigrated to Canada in 2000, and pursued his career as an artist. Jeremy resides in Thornhill, Ontario and maintains an art studio from his home

Jeremy's art has gained popularity among numerous individuals and corporations. Using acrylic on canvas, he applies heavy layers of pigment to the canvas and then scratches fine lines in the paint to create the feeling of resilient stalks. His flowers dot the surface in a heavy impasto that is almost bas-relief in their sculptural feel. Jeremy is regularly commissioned to paint custom works of art; and is an avid supporter of numerous charities. Jeremy's art is available through selected galleries around the world.



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Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation – Flowers of Hope

In celebration of the Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation's 50th Anniversary and in support of the 50th Anniversary Campaign, we would like to invite you to participate in the 50th Anniversary Wall of Hope.

When the CCFF was founded in 1960, most children with CF did not live long enough to attend kindergarten; today half of all Canadians with CF may be expected to live into their late 40s, and beyond. A very recent and exciting development is that for the first time ever in Canada, the number of adults living with cystic fibrosis has surpassed the number of children. In other words, adults now make up more than half of the CF population in Canada. While incredible progress has been made, the CCFF will not stop until a cure or an effective control for CF is found.

The goal of the 50th Anniversary Campaign is to ensure that we continue to make research breakthroughs and develop new therapies for cystic fibrosis as quickly as possible. This Campaign aims to raise \$500,000 needed to enhance the funding support we provide to CF research teams throughout Canada.

The 50th Anniversary Wall of Hope will be showcased in the CF Clinic at the Hospital for Sick Children, to serve as a visual expression of the commitment to the fight against CF.

Jeremy Bortz has created 'Flowers of Hope' paintings which are available for sale this evening. It is \$250 for two pieces — one for you to take home and the other to be placed on the Wall of Hope. Any additional pieces you wish to buy will be \$125, with proceeds going to the CCFF. Please consider contributing to the Wall of Hope, to convey to those living with CF that they are not in this fight alone.