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## **CLAY LA**

APRIL 1 & APRIL 2, 2023 LOS ANGELES — CLAY LA 2023 at Craft Contemporary

Announcing CLAY LA, a two-day open market and celebration of all things clay. Featuring shopping, music, hands-on clay activities, and an early shoppers preview breakfast event.

CLAY LA is an annual sale and fundraiser at Craft Contemporary, showcasing emerging and established ceramic makers in the Los Angeles area. Meet and shop from some of LA's most vibrant and dynamic makers, celebrated for their accomplishments and often unexpected approaches to art and design.



The participating artists include:

## OUTDOOR VENDORS

Alyson Iwamoto Ceramics/ AMBOS/ Betsey Carter Ceramics/ CHIECO ceramics/ Chunmei Ceramics/

CLAYDD/ Ekua Ceramics / Fay Ray Clay/ Jumie Ceramics/ Kathryn Hillier Ceramics/ Kris Erickson Ceramics/ Lucas/ MAGS/ Miguel Torres-Macias/ Mineral Ceramics/ Nathaniel Miller Ceramics/ People's Pottery Project/ SampleHAUS/ shy.jpeg/ SOMBRA / Stendahl Ceramics/ Swan Vessel/ Tierra del Sol Gallery/ WM Craftworks / YOKO IIDA STUDIO

## POP-UP SHOP (INDOORS)

Ana Cho Ceramics/ studio sachi/ ceramics\_by\_g/ Cmtzpottery/ Francis River/ Jonathan Yamakami / Perro y Arena / Sonia Campagnola/ Supersmith Ceramics / The Blind Potter

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Schedule

CLAY LA SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2023 12:00 PM – 5 PM Free with museum admission

- BREAKFAST PREVIEW: 10:00 AM 12:00 PM
  Enjoy early access to the market, first pick of ceramic pieces, hands-on- workshop for families, and complimentary drinks and light refreshments. This is the perfect opportunity for anyone looking to beat the crowds and relish a more intimate shopping experience to network with the featured artists and other friends of the museum.
  Tickets: \$40 GENERAL/\$35 MEMBERS-- available at https://www.craftcontemporary.org/clay-la-2023/
- CLAY ARTIST MARKETPLACE: 12:00-5:00 PM Vendors include:
- AIR-DRY CLAY ACTIVITY: 1:00-3:30 PM Make your own clay keepsake with air dry clay donated by Laguna Clay. All ages welcome.

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SUNDAY, APRIL 2, 2023 11:00 AM – 5 PM FREE WITH PAY WHAT YOU WANT ADMISSION.

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- AIR-DRY CLAY ACTIVITY: 1:00 PM 3:30 PM
  Make your own clay keepsake with air dry clay donated by Laguna Clay. All ages welcome.

Located on Los Angeles' historic Miracle Mile since 1965, Craft Contemporary reveals the potential of craft to educate, captivate, provoke, and empower. With a focus on contemporary art made from craft media and processes, Craft Contemporary presents dynamic exhibitions by established and emerging artists and designers who are often underrepresented in larger art institutions. Through a robust roster of regular programs and events, Craft Contemporary offers creative opportunities for the public to participate in hands- on workshops led by professional artists. Craft Contemporary cultivates an environment for people in Los Angeles to deepen their relationship to art, creativity, and one another. For more information, visit <u>www.craftcontemporary.org.</u>

LOCATION: 5814 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90036 ADMISSION: FREE every Sunday

REGULARLY: \$9 for adults; \$7 for students, teachers, seniors; free for Craft Contemporary members. HOURS: Tuesday - Sunday, 11:00 a.m. to 5:00.