

**HATCHES HARBOR EXHIBITIONS** presents  
**ROBERT HENRY: Fun & Dance/Red & Yellow**  
Join us for an opening and artist's talk Sunday, 26 March 2017, 2pm  
At The Residences at Seashore Point  
100 ALDEN STREET, PROVINCETOWN, MA



A collaboration between The Residences at Seashore Point and Berta Walker Gallery, this exhibition of artworks by notable painter Robert Henry will open in the Hatches Harbor Room at The Residences at Seashore Point, 100 Alden Street, Provincetown on Sunday, 26 March 2017. A gallery talk and public reception from 2pm to 4pm marks the occasion. Refreshments will be served. The show will hang through June.

Hatches Harbor Exhibitions is a collaborative project between The Residences at Seashore Point and local art galleries to promote seasoned Provincetown artists and present unique exhibitions of work of interest to the residents at Seashore Point and to the community of outer Cape Cod. This show includes about twenty-five paintings.

Robert Henry is an emphatic painter. Mostly figurative, his subjects are intensely emotional. By turns they can be exuberant, in a fit of unbridled dancing; tormented, in the throes of roiling water; curious and cautious, in approaching uncurtained windows in a woods at night. Henry's technique and compositions further the tension. Often the paintings reverberate with color and composition. Henry confronts with gusto the imbalance and impermanence in all that surrounds him, whether by the vigor of impasto, the placement of a distinct figure among a blurred crowd seemingly unaware of its interior condition, or the image of precariousness-the artist on a floor in a handstand, one hand holding himself upright while balancing his palette in the other.

A native New Yorker, Henry earned his BA from Brooklyn College, studying with Ad Reinhardt and Kurt Seligman. In the early '50's, he spent three years studying with Hans Hofmann in New York and in Provincetown. He has been featured in the documentaries *Their Lives in Art: Robert Henry and Selina Trieff*, a Vineyard Videos production; and *Artist/Teacher, Teacher/Artist*, a PBS documentary. Henry's work has appeared in numerous solo exhibitions at the original East End Gallery and The Group Gallery in Provincetown, also at museums in this country and abroad. His work is reviewed in *The New York Times*, *Village Voice*, *Art News*, and other publications. He is Professor Emeritus of Art at Brooklyn College, and has exhibited at Berta Walker Gallery since 1991. Several of his paintings reside in the collection of the Provincetown Art Association and Museum.

"Berta Walker's gallery mission is voiced in the motto that has guided her over the years, 'Presenting the History of American Art as seen through the Eyes of Provincetown'. She aims for nothing less than documenting the role that artists associated with Provincetown have played in the major movements in American art...making the past vital to the living artists she represents, replenishing the present with a curatorial finesse that is highly regarded."

Andre van der Wende, Provincetown Arts

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