BOLD NATURE

PAINTINGS AND PRINTS

DEBORAH FREEDMAN, KUMI KORF, TYLER LOFTIS, LYNNETTE LOMBARD, CHRIS PROTAS, AND MARK SALTZ

September 10 - October 20, 2014 Opening Reception September 11, 6 - 8 pm



Chris Protas, Circus, oil on canvas, 66" x 60", 2014

VanDeb Editions is pleased to announce BOLD NATURE an exhibition organized by guest curator Michael Coleman of Second Ave Arts. The exhibition runs September 10 thru October 20, 2014 with an opening reception for the artists on September 11, 6 - 8 pm in the lobby of Standard Motors Building, 37-18 Northern Boulevard, Long Island City, NY, 11101.

In Michael's own words,

"Second Ave Arts began as a way to support those artists I believe in...I've seen music and art change people and change communities. I like seeing that change and being a part of it. The importance of art is often undervalued in today's world of distraction, fraction, and speed. I believe in the time and energy it takes to create works both visually and musically and am drawn to work I feel this in."

For BOLD NATURE Michael has chosen artists who have made prints with VanDeb Editions: Deborah Freedman, Kumi Korf, Mark Saltz and Paul Resika and added works by painters Lynnette Lombard, Tyler Loftis, and Chris Protas to create a powerful and provocative mix of work expressing the internal and external relationship of the artist with nature.

Marjorie VanDyke and Deborah Freedman founded VanDeb Editions in 1999. Since then they have worked with 36 artists publishing over 100 editions. They began their association at Robert Blackburn's Printmaking Workshop in 1987, sharing a passionate interest in etching and monotype. VanDeb is committed to producing artwork of the highest integrity and superlative production values. Prints published by VanDeb Editions are included in selected collections: The Cleveland Clinic, US Department of State, Todd Williams Billie Tsien Architects, Rutgers Archive for Printmaking Studio, The Cleveland Museum of Art, and The Metropolitan Museum of Art.

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