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SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF “ME” GROUP ART EXHIBITION

The “ME” Group Art Exhibition, which began on March (8), has successfully concluded on May (6). We would like to express our gratitude to all the artists who participated in making this exhibition possible, as well as to the over 300 guests we were able to invite from the opening day through to the closing day. We sincerely thank each and every one of you who came to support us.

With the participation of around 24 artists from Southern Shan State, the exhibition offered visitors a unique opportunity to experience a diverse collection of artworks all in one place. We hope it brought a sense of inspiration and enjoyment to all who attended.

We are especially thankful to Kalaw Cafeyard, who generously sponsored coffee as a welcoming treat for guests

on the opening day of the exhibition. This was the very first exhibition at ComingFromKalaw_Art Space. While there's room to grow, CFK is committed to doing better and continuing the journey.

More shows in various styles and formats are on the way, stay tuned for what's next!



CELEBRATING THE MYANMAR TRADITIONAL THINGYAN FESTIVAL

To mark the Myanmar New Year (1387 ME), the CFK team celebrated Thingyan at ComingFromKalaw_Art Space by sharing the traditional treat "Mont Lone Yay Paw" with friends and guests. Visitors to the exhibition were warmly welcomed with these festive flavors. As the new year begins, we wish everyone peace of mind and good health.



UPCOMING SOLO SHOW: SOUTHERN SHAN ARTIST

We're excited to announce the upcoming solo exhibition of an artist from Southern Shan State, scheduled to open on 30th May 2025.

Stay tuned for event details and updates on our social media channels!



STAY TUNED!!!

AVAILABLE PAINTINGS FROM “ME” GROUP ART EXHIBITION



Title - Inle Kaung Taing Market Day

Artist - Kyaw Shin

Size - 91 x 61 cm

Medium - Acrylic on Canvas

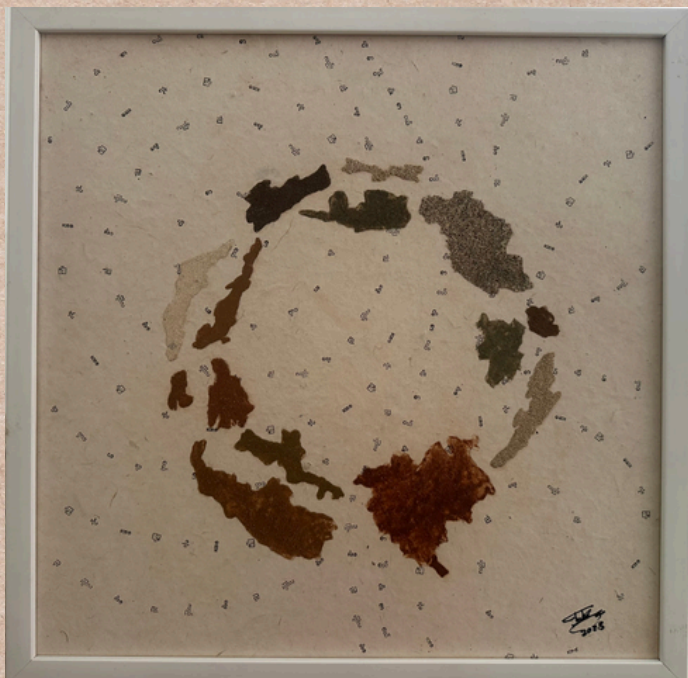


Title - Cherry

Artist - Zaw Min Htoo

Size - 88 x 60 cm

Medium - Oil on Canvas



Title - Utopia (2015-2024)

Artist - Sai Thiha Soe

Size - 61 x 61 cm

Medium - Soil, Shan Paper, Ink



Title - Psyche

Artist - Sai Moon

Size - 40 x 40 cm

Medium - Acrylic on Canvas



Title - U Bo Maung
Artist - Kyaw Myo Han
Size - 38 x 56 cm
Medium - Pencil on Paper



Title - Smiling Face & Shining
Necklace
Artist - Yeinn Kham
Size - 121 x 151 cm
Medium - Mixed Media



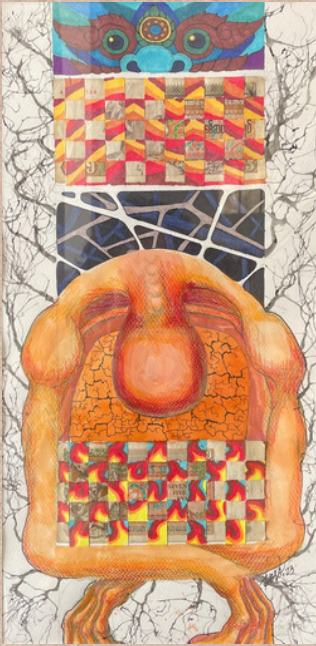
Title - Dried Gourd
Artist - Ko Thay



Artist - Rack Aid @ Gu Gu
Size - 45 x 61 cm
Medium - Mixed Media



Title - The Shapes of The Past
Artist - Myo Thuzar
Size - 70 x 90 cm (35 x 45 each painting)
Medium - Acrylic on Canvas



Title - Peace Pattern
Artist - Ko So
Size - 25 x 50 cm
Medium - Mixed Media



Title - Survival
Artist - Kyaw Naing Soe
Size - 36 x 46 cm
Medium - Mixed Media



Title - Strugglymily
Artist - Khine Mye
Size - 60 x 60 cm
Medium - Acrylic on Canvas



Title - Donpae Yin Hill and Ancient
Artist - Myint Kyi
Size - 35 x 45 cm
Medium - Mixed Media

SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF MOBILE ART PROGRAM SESSIONS

Starting on January 11, 2025, our 3-month Mobile Art Program was successfully conducted at both St. Francis School and Dhamma Sakya Monastery.

At St. Francis Convent, children joined the free art classes with great enthusiasm. We concluded the program with a joyful closing ceremony filled with singing, dancing, shared Mala Xiang Guo, and unforgettable moments.

Unfortunately, due to the earthquake's impact, student numbers at Dhamma Sakya Monastery declined, and we were unable to hold a closing ceremony there.

The Mobile Arts Program will continue to offer free kids' art classes in Kalaw and other regions of Shan State in the future. We are deeply grateful to everyone who supported and contributed to this initiative.



GALLERY VISIT TO "ME" GROUP ART EXHIBITION

The current students of CFK_Art Fund and children from other outside classes also enthusiastically visited the "ME" Exhibition, which featured artworks by 24 artists from Southern Shan State.

The children observed and learned from various creative works, and showed their growing interest in painting and visual arts through asking questions about the artists.



Visiting exhibitions like these plays an important role in both the artistic and intellectual development of children. Therefore, we would like to encourage parents to support their children in participating more actively in art exhibitions.

NEW CLASSES ARE NOW OPEN!

The art classes that children have been waiting for will be opening at CFK_Art Space starting from June 1st. Interested participants may choose to join any class of their preference if they meet the students requirements.

(1) Basic Pencil Drawing Class

This class will provide fundamental pencil drawing techniques such as line drawing and shading. It is open to anyone aged 11 and above.

Class Fee – 75,000 MMK (3 months)

(2) Basic Kids' Art Class

Designed for children aged 7 to 15, this class will follow the same lesson plan used in our free art classes. It will cover basic drawing, coloring and also encourage their creative expression.

Class Fee – 15,000 MMK (3 months)

It is a great opportunity for those who want to start learning art, so don't forget to register if you're interested!



- Literary fiction and English novels
- With an annual membership fee of just 5,000 MMK, visitors can freely enjoy reading. For those who enjoy the scent of books and the calming light of art, CFK_Art Space is a perfect spot to read and chill.



A CORNER FOR BOOK LOVERS

CFK_Art Space is not only an art gallery but also serves as a peaceful and relaxing reading space for book lovers.

A variety of books are available for visitors to enjoy, including:

- Art and Artist Writings
- Poetry, essays, and general knowledge books
- Children's literature (comics and graphic novels)