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SAN GABRIEL TO HOST POP-UP ART FEST MAY 1

SAN GABRIEL, CA – Art, food and culture will fill the historic Mission District on Sunday, May 1 at the city’s free Pop-Up Art Fest.

The event, hosted by the City of San Gabriel, will take place in front of the iconic Mission Playhouse from 12-5 p.m. and will feature food vendors, pop-up artists, designers and live music. In addition, the event will include a “Sunday Stroll,” where attendees can walk around the corner to the Hayes House and Museum, 546 W Broadway, for a tour of one of the city’s historic landmarks. The event is free and open to the public.

At 2:30 p.m., attendees can go inside the Playhouse for a screening of Chinese silent film “The Goddess,” which is part of the popular *Engage!* “Silent Sundays” series. Tickets for the movie are \$10 in advance or \$12, plus applicable fees, at the door and can be purchased at www.missionplayhouse.org or on May 1 starting at 12 p.m. at the Playhouse Box Office.

The festival is a new economic development initiative that aims to highlight the historic Mission District as a center for art, culture and entertainment. This initiative is part of the city’s ongoing effort to increase engagement with community members with events such as the Lunar New Year Festival and Dumpling & Beer Fest.

The Pop-Up Art Fest will take place from 12-5 p.m. in the Mission Playhouse Plaza, 320 S Mission Drive. There will be no street closures for this event. Artists or food vendors interested in participating should email casitadelpueblo@msn.com or call 562.693.2844.

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