

THE GRAPEVINE

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**SNAP****100 Pipers Open Lens, Open Opportunity Photo Contest, Through Oct 31**

A simple snapshot of you and your friends could win you a Mini Cooper. Brought to you by 100 Pipers, Open Lens, Open Opportunity is a photo contest underlining the philosophy of enjoying life to the fullest. Take a photo together with friends in front of a 100 Pipers on-premise campaign display with store code clearly visible in the photos. Three grand prizes will be given away from Aug-Oct. Entrants are required to be at least 20 years old. Submission deadline is Oct 31.

C Submit your entries via MMS to telephone number 422-1399, 100@minipipers.com, or facebook.com/100PIPERSthailand, with your full name.

WHO? WHAT? WHERE?**Who did you see in Pak Klong Talard Photo Contest, Through Aug 7**

Museum Siam invites university students to join in a photo contest under the concept of "Who did you see in Pak Klong Talard". The winner will receive B7,000 and selected entries will be included in the "Living Museum" exhibition.

C 02-225-2777 ext 404,
www.museumsiam.com,
facebook.com/museumsiamfan.

**RETRO COLLECTIVE****Sombat Collection, Sombat Permpoon Gallery, Through Aug 31**

Explore over 29 watercolour and oil paintings by a National Artist and pioneer of the country's modern art movement, Sawasdi Tantisuk. The collection consists of the artist's works from the 70s to the present.

V Open 9am-8pm. 2/F, Sombat Permpoon Gallery, 12 Sukhumvit Soi 1.

C 02-254-6040-6,
www.sombatpermpoongallery.com.

**VISUAL ECHOES**

Reflections, Pastel Lobby Lounge,
Through Aug 31

Art-lovers are invited to explore Naret Yamaharn's latest collection of paintings. The works are suited for those who are interested in learning how the artist's use of light and shadow reflect the images of life.

V Open 7am-midnight. Pastel Lobby Lounge, Novotel Bangkok on Siam Square, 392/44 Siam Square Soi 6, Rama I Road.

C 02-209-8888 ext 2702-5,
www.novotelbkk.com.

**LET THERE BE LIGHT**

Portraits of Light, The Art Center,
Through Sep 1

Known for his abstract paintings and using quick, spontaneous brushstrokes to portray his feelings towards his surrounding environment and society, Assoc Prof Jirapat Pitpreecha shows over 30 paintings inspired by cityscapes and the countryside.

V Open Mon-Fri 9am-7pm, Sat 9am-4pm. The Art Center, 7/F, Center of Academic Resources, Chulalongkorn University, Phaya Thai Road.

C 02-218-2965,
info.artcenterchula@gmail.com,
www.car.chula.ac.th/art.

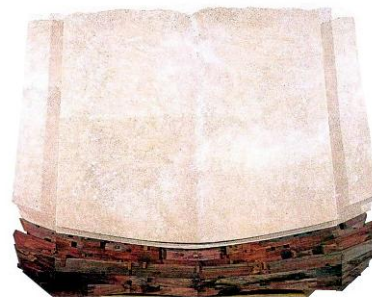
AT THE PEAK

Primetime, Artery Post-Modern Gallery,
Through Aug 30

Mideo Cruz's first solo exhibition comprises of oil paintings, installations and performance art that attempt to portray the excess of multimedia and consumerism during prime time.

V Open Mon-Sat 10am-7pm, Sun by appointment. Artery Post-Modern Gallery, 2/2 Silom Soi 19.

C 02-635-3133, 087-112-7774.

**ART OFF**

Kasikorn Bank Contemporary Art
Contest 2012, Submit by Sep 7-9

Kasikorn Bank invites Thai and foreign (with at least a six-month stay in Thailand) artists to participate in the comp that accepts 2D works including drawings, paintings, different types of prints, and 3D works including sculptures. Among the 13 prizes are the Grand Prize Medal and B300,000.

V Submit between Sep 7-9 at the Art Center, Silpakorn University; CMU Art Center, Chiang Mai University; Faculty of Fine and Applied Arts, Mahasarakham University; or Faculty of Fine Arts, Thaksin University.

C 02-470-2653-8,
www.kasikornbank.com.