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THEODORE PAYNE GALLERY TO HOST ONE-PERSON EXHIBITION BY ANN PAGE

Ann Page: *Winged, Fluted and Reticulated*

October 3 – December 31, 2015

Sun Valley, CA – Ann Page is the 2015 Theodore Payne Foundation Artist-in-Residence.

The exploration of California native seeds and seed imagery is the focus of Ann's artist-in-residence project. Her exhibition, October 3-December 31, 2015, in the Theodore Payne Gallery includes drawings of large seeds floating in "galactic space" and rendered in charcoal and Prismacolor pencils, as well as sculptures of enlarged seeds created with 3D print technology and displayed in baskets to encourage people to pick them up and experience their textures and forms. *Winged, Fluted and Reticulated* refers to the textures and shapes of the seeds.

The artist will be teaching a two-part workshop, Clay Seed-Sculpture Workshop with TPF Artist-in-Residence Ann Page, on Saturday, November 7, and Saturday, November 21, 9:00am-12:00pm. Details at theodorepayne.org.

Ann's work has been exhibited nationally in private and university galleries and in group shows in museums beginning in 1968. Since 2000, she has been a full-time faculty member of the USC Roski School of Fine Arts. In 2008, she introduced 3D rapid prototyping as a contemporary tool to the Fine Arts Department.

Hi-res Images attached by e-mail:

3D Models, 2015

Clockwise from left: *Delphinium parishii*, *Phacelia distans*, *Agoseris retrorsa*

ABS plastic

sizes range from 3 1/2" – 6 1/2"

Planet Eschscholzia californica, 2015

Prismacolor pencil

22" x 30" unframed

Photo/Headshot of Ann Page

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