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BELLEVUE ARTS MUSEUM

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A Guided Estate Sale at Bellevue Arts Museum

BELLEVUE, WA – Who doesn't love the thrill of vintage shopping? The Guilds of Bellevue Arts Museum are excited to host an extensive, two-day estate sale on October 22 & 23. The sale features hundreds of high-quality items, including art works, collectibles, housewares, small interior furnishings, glassware, jewelry, rugs, silver, vintage clothing and more.

What: A Guided Estate Sale

When: FREE PUBLIC SALE

> Friday, October 22: 10 am – 7 pm

> Saturday, October 23: 11 am – 3 pm

CHAMPAGNE CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST & EARLY BIRD SALE

> Friday, October 22: 8:30 - 10 am | \$7 (No RSVP necessary. Cash only.)

Where: Bellevue Arts Museum

510 Bellevue Way NE

Bellevue, WA 98004

Free parking available

Information: www.bellevuearts.org or 425.519.0770

“This is a rare opportunity for people to shop for original art, from the sublime to the whimsical,” says guild member Gladys Koch. “Murano glassware and figures are included in the sale as well as works from Pilchuck Glass School. Collectors of Limoges will be thrilled with the table and decorator ware. Where can you find such quality and variety?”

The Guilds of Bellevue Arts Museum is a group of dedicated volunteers who assist the Museum with events and fundraising efforts. All proceeds from the **Guided Estate Sale** help fund BAM programs.

Donations still accepted!

People interested in donating items to the sale are encouraged to visit http://www.bellevuearts.org/calendar/estate_sale.htm for more information.

About Bellevue Arts Museum

Bellevue Arts Museum is the Pacific Northwest's center for the exploration of art, craft and design. BAM celebrates regional, national and international artists working in a broad range of craft media, including ceramics, fiber, metal, wood and glass. The Museum also offers a unique array of free or low-cost educational and community programs such as artist demonstrations, lectures and workshops as well as a variety of engaging and fun hands-on kids activities. The Bellevue Arts Museum artsfair, the largest and most prestigious arts event in the Pacific Northwest attracting an average of over 350,000 visitors, is held annually in July. BAM is located in the heart of downtown Bellevue, provides free parking and is wheelchair accessible. www.bellevuearts.org

For more information on this exhibit and other Museum-related programming, please contact Tanja Baumann (see contact information above).