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The Parker Jewish Institute sponsors Bayside Historical Society's 22nd Annual Winter Art Show

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New Hyde Park, New York, February 16, 2023 – The Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care and Rehabilitation is proud to sponsor the Bayside Historical Society's 22nd Annual Winter Art Show. The exhibit showcases the works of contemporary Queens-based artists in a variety of styles and mediums. This year's exhibit, in addition to featuring student artists, also includes a special, dedicated section that highlights the works of older adults living in long-term care in Queens. The complete exhibit, which runs through February, is located at the Bay Terrace Shopping Center, with art also showcased at adjacent storefronts.

The prominent exhibit, which can also be <u>viewed online</u>, features the works of artists in the categories of drawing, sculpture/3D, mixed media, watercolor, photography, oil and acrylic painting, quilts and folk art.

"We are so proud to sponsor this exhibit and are thrilled to see the works of some of our residents, who created impressive art at Parker Jewish Institute," said Michael N. Rosenblut, Parker's President and CEO. "Art is just one of the mediums that Parker residents enjoy as it provides both a channel for expression and engagement. When people create art, they often experience a mood boost, and it can help them maintain their health, well-being and cognitive function. Our residents looked forward to their time creating art, and their works are truly inspiring."

To see the exhibit's "Seniors in Long Term Care Galleries" online, visit https://www.baysidehistorical.org/seniors-virtual-art-galleries. Each image includes information about the artist and the featured work.

This year's show is also part of the inaugural Winter Festival on Feb. 26 at Bay Terrace Shopping Center. Hosted by Cord Meyer Development, the festival will run from 1 to 5 p.m.

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About The Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care and Rehabilitation

The Parker Jewish Institute for Health Care and Rehabilitation is headquartered in New Hyde Park, New York. The facility is a leading provider of Short Term Rehabilitation and Long Term Care. At the forefront of innovation in patient-centered health care and technology, the Institute is a leader in teaching and geriatric research. Parker Jewish Institute features its own medical department, and is nationally renowned as a skilled nursing facility, as well as a provider of community-based health care, encompassing Home Health Care, Medical House Calls, Palliative Care and Hospice.