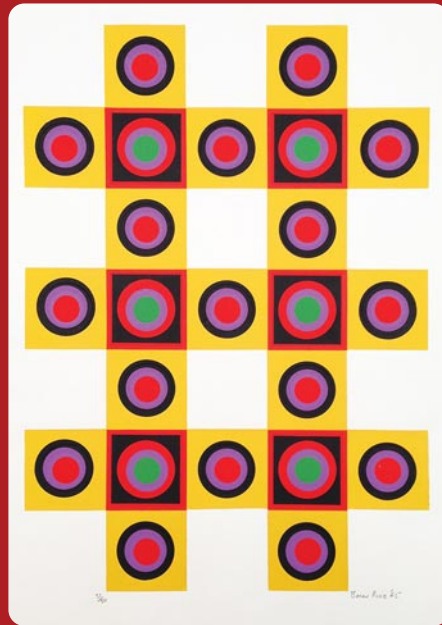


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*Open House* celebrates the collecting impulse: why we gather, save, organize and display objects, and what new narratives emerge when these objects intermingle.

From toys to paint-by-numbers paintings, vintage radios to pop art prints, the exhibition will feature excerpts of collections from Melissa & Erick Mischke, Jeff Ward, Cary Einhaus & Jim Mills, Ingrid Bryan, Lamont Gallery, PEA's Academy Library & Classical Languages department, Bruce Phillips of Radio Orphanage, John Sideli, Jeff Phillips' *Lost & Found: The Search for Harry Edna*, the American Independence Museum, and the Hood Museum of Art, along with a participatory sonic sculpture by Democracy of Sound (Exeter). Jung Mi Lee and Jon Sakata will offer a meditation on the sensorial-as-collection in *temps s(a)e/ns Netz*. The exhibition will also include singular objects and their stories from PEA community members. *Open House* is an invitation: to consider how objects speak to questions of value, meaning, and personal history, and to experience the generosity of a collection shared.

For information on related exhibition programs, including collectors' luncheons and "Show & Tell," visit our website. Lamont Gallery programs are supported in part by the Michael C. Rockefeller '56 Visiting Artists Fund.

**FRONT:** (from left) *Paint-by-Number*. Collection: John Sideli. Image from *Lost and Found: The Search for Harry & Edna*. Collection: Jeff Phillips. Screenprint by Brian Rice. Collection: Lamont Gallery. Bust. Collection: Cary Einhaus & Jim Mills.

**ABOVE:** Push Puppets. Collection: Melissa & Erick Mischke. RCA Radio 40X56/World's Fair. Collection: Bruce Phillips, Radio Orphanage.



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Monday 1-5pm

Tuesday-Saturday 9am-5pm

Closed Sundays and  
school holidays



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