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MEDIA ALERT
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ST. LOUIS PRINT PRESSES OPEN HOUSE LETS THE PUBLIC “TOUR THE PLACES THAT MAKE IT HAPPEN”

- Event:** St. Louis Print Presses Open House
Free and Open to the Public!
- When:** Saturday, April 16, 2016 from 12 – 2 p.m.
- Where:** Evil Prints, The Firecracker Press (both locations), Pele Prints,
Wildwood Press LLC, The Island Press
- Tickets:** Admission free

ST. LOUIS, MO – Tour the places that make it happen! This Saturday, Island Press, Pele Prints, Evil Prints, Firecracker Press and Wildwood Press will all be open to the public. Individual print press addresses, a map and more information at TheSheldon.org. Free and open to the public.

The Print Presses Open House is held in conjunction with the exhibition *Printmaking in St. Louis Now* (on view through May 7, 2016). The exhibit showcases the exciting and innovative work being done in St. Louis both by print presses who work with local, national and international artists, and by individual artists living in the St. Louis area. Both traditional and non-traditional approaches are represented. The artists featured in the exhibit investigate a wide range of themes. Many tackle social issues like pollution and the environment, the human condition, and the effect of war. Others choose to investigate the nature and possibilities of the medium itself, producing works that expand upon the vocabulary of printmaking processes.

For more information, call The Sheldon during normal business hours, Monday - Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m. at 314-533-9900 or visit www.TheSheldon.org.

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