



PRESENTS: AMY ARBUS TUB PICTURES

Exhibition Dates: July 20 – August 8, 2018

Public Reception: Friday July 20, 2018 6 – 9 PM

The gallery is pleased to present an exhibition of new and recent works from our gallery artists. The exhibition is an exploration of material, from black and white photography to handmade paper to ceramics to paint these artists demonstrate the capacity that materials have to reach with exquisite joy and urgency to express emotion, to convey mastery and to question. In addition to Amy Arbus other artist in the exhibition are: Jennifer Amadeo-Holl/ Lynne Kortenhaus/ Kahn & Selesnick/ Anna Poor/ Rebecca Doughty and Ellen Rich. Please join us.

We are pleased to present *Tub Pictures*, a series of previously unknown, nude self-portraits from acclaimed photographer AMY ARBUS created during a 1992 master class with Richard Avedon. This riveting and important photographic document consists of eight black and white photographs of the artist in stark light without clothing, undefended as she confronts and considers the death of her mother, photographer Diane Arbus who committed suicide in a tub. Amy's decision to share her investigation into love, legacy, vulnerability and photographic history are the result and this exhibition.

Arbus is a native New Yorker known for portraits and her fashion feature, *On The Street*, which ran in *The Village Voice* from 1980-1990. Her photographs are in the collections of The Metropolitan Museum of Art, The Museum of Modern Art, The New York Public Library, and The National Theater in Norway. Amy Arbus' images have been published in her five books and in periodicals such as *New York Magazine*, *People*, *Aperture* and *The New York Times Magazine*. She has had 36 one-person exhibitions around the world and is represented by The Schoolhouse Gallery.

The Schoolhouse Gallery is located at 494 Commercial Street in Provincetown's East End Gallery District. Contact us at 508 487-4800 and at info@galleryschoolhouse.com