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THE ONE OF A KIND SPRING SHOW AND SALE® CHICAGO BLOOMS AT THE MART APRIL 26-28 FEATURING OVER 350 SPECTACULAR ARTISTS AND MAKERS



Chicago's Favorite Spring Shopping Event Returns This April for a Weekend of Unique Finds, Live Entertainment, Gourmet Food and More!

CHICAGO (February 19, 2024) – The best event in Chicago to shop for gifts for Mother's Day, Father's Day, and numerous celebrations Spring through Summer, The One of a Kind Spring Show and Sale® Chicago, will return to the 7th floor of THE MART at 222 W. Merchandise Mart Plaza, for its annual Spring show Friday, April 26 through Sunday, April 28. The show features a wide range of unique, handmade goods from over 350 talented artists and makers, many of whom will be new to the show. While shopping, attendees will have the chance to connect face-to-face with the show's veteran and emerging artists to learn more about their creative processes and inspirations.

"We're delighted to enter into the new season with the return of the **One of a Kind Spring Show** at THE MART. We aim to provide the community with a refreshing offering of talented, independent makers to explore and support in an engaging, fun-filled environment," shared Kathleen Hogan, Managing Director of the show.

The **One of a Kind Spring Show** will showcase fantastic finds spanning 20 different categories from fine art and ceramics to apparel and jewelry, bath and body products, home goods, gournet and more. In addition to shopping, attendees will enjoy cafes and bars, live music from The Old Town School of Folk Music, immersive activities from the local non-profit art organization, Marwen, and a fresh Tulip Time Market from show partner, Flowerchild.

The One of a Kind Spring Show® Chicago is open to the public and takes place at THE MART, 222 Merchandise Mart Plaza, 7th Floor, April 26 – April 28, 2024. Tickets are \$15 and provide entry for all 3 days of the show. Children 11 and under are free. Tickets are available online at oneofakindshowchicago.com and will also be sold onsite at the show. For more information, visit: http://oneofakindshowchicago.com/.

Hours are as follows:

Friday, April 26: 10 a.m. – 7 p.m. Saturday, April 27: 10 a.m. – 7 p.m. Sunday, April 28: 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

For the latest press releases, facts, photos and videos, visit the <u>online pressroom</u>. For news and real-time updates, follow the One of a Kind Show on Facebook, Instagram and LinkedIn.

About THE MART

THE MART (formerly The Merchandise Mart), located in the center of the sought-after River North submarket, is interwoven into the fabric of Chicago as an innovator in business, technology, culture, art, media and more. It is one of the world's leading commercial buildings, wholesale design centers and the preeminent international business location in Chicago. Encompassing 4.2 million gross square feet, THE MART spans two city blocks, rises 25 stories, and is visited by an average of 30,000 people each business day and nearly 10 million people annually. Offering continuous innovation and creativity from leading manufacturers and design-forward showrooms, THE MART serves as the home to Chicago's most creative and technologically innovative companies.

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