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## **Laurier hosts exhibition and sale – Raise A Cup of Spring Cheer** *Proceeds will fund special projects for Robert Langen Art Gallery and Laurier collection*

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WATERLOO – The Robert Langen Art Gallery will present its annual exhibition and sale of artist-made vessels and framed original works just in time for Mother’s Day. Raise a Cup of Spring Cheer III will run from May 3 to 9, with a special reception on May 7.

The annual exhibition features the talents of potters, artists and arts supporters. This year, framed original works of art reflecting the “vessel” theme will provide a new dimension.

“The bar has been raised and the arts community has really come through for us,” says gallery curator Suzanne Luke. “The handcrafted mugs and vessels are beautiful, and the creativity from artists working in two dimensions is incredible. They really have taken the vessel theme to a new level.”

The reception on Wednesday, May 7, will run from noon to 1 p.m. The public is invited to visit and meet some artists, enjoy refreshments and raise a cup of “spring” cheer.

The money raised by the exhibition and sale will go towards special projects for the gallery and art collection. The vessels and framed originals will be available for purchase throughout the exhibition week, but will remain on display until Friday, May 9. Purchased items can then be picked up during gallery hours.

Gallery hours for this exhibition are Saturday to Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The Robert Langen Gallery is located on the ground floor of the Aird Building, Wilfrid Laurier University. Admission is free.