

# Studio art tour heading up Hwy. 48

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Whitchurch-Stouffville residents Deb Kirk and Pippa Gingras are two of the 22 artists opening their doors for the third annual Markham 48 Studio Tour.

The tour is on Sept. 23 and 24 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at several locations along and near Hwy. 48.

Visitors can see works of fine art and fine craftsmanship, including oil paintings, wood turning, glass creations, jewelry and thrown and hand-built pottery.

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Her works are naturalistic in appearance, she says, with an emphasis on hand-crafting and originality. At the same, Ms. Kirk aims to make every piece as functional as possible.

Over the past year, she has become fascinated with glass molding and creates glass bowls and plates, stained-glass lamps and garden art.

Pippa Gingras' pottery studio is filled with hand-crafted kitchen

items, such as apple bakers, chicken roasters, butter belles and egg separators in bright, appealing colours. She will be available to demonstrate her craft and speak to visitors during the tour.

Maps of the artists' studios are

available at many Main Street merchants and businesses in Stouffville, Markham and Unionville.

Admission to the tour is free.

For more information on the artists and the tour, log on to [www.markham48studiotour.com](http://www.markham48studiotour.com).

## Artist talks tonight

7 p.m. at the gallery.

His show continues until Oct. 7.

Artist Adam Lodzinski, whose exhibition *Photographic Abstractions* is at the Latham Gallery, will talk about his art tonight at

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