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# **PRESS RELEASE**

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## **SOCIETY OF THE ARTS PRESENTS CHARLES WHITE: THE CENTENARY YEAR CELEBRATION Art Installation featuring renowned Social Realist Charles White.**

**On Wednesday, April 3, 2019 Society of The Arts from 2pm-5pm and again from 6pm-9pm** will open its doors to the general public for an exclusive experience of original Charles White paintings, drawings, lithographs and more. This exhibit gives Rocklanders a rare opportunity to view works only ever seen in places like MoMA and other major museums throughout the country. It will take place at the Society of The Arts Headquarters, an up-and-coming Artists Collaborative, located within The Garner Historic District, 55 West Railroad Ave., Garnerville, NY. Upon entering SOTA's unique gallery space one will be totally immersed in the essence of Charles White's vision. His detailed and intricate drawings embody the realness and true beauty of the African American people and their culture. The opening will be more than just a showing it will be a tailor-made Society of The Arts Experience. We plan to incorporate our take on what an exhibition should be, a celebration of everything that is the art. Our entire space will be transformed into a dedication to the works and life of Charles White. This gathering will be the epitome of a celebration commemorating the Centenary Year of his birth brought to you by local organizations The CEJES INSTITUTE, Gordon Center for Black Arts and Culture and Gordon Community Partnership.

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