

For Immediate Release:

shiny shiny

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Michael St. John

06 July through 06 August 1999

Team will present a group exhibition entitled *shiny shiny* from 06 July through 06 August 1999. The gallery is located at 527 West 26th Street, between 10th and 11th Avenues, on the ground floor. Included are five artists: Ross Knight, Michael Lavine, Maria Marshall, Helen Sadler and Michael St. John. This is the gallery's third summer group exhibition.

Just a group show. However, every piece has been made specifically for this grouping and has never been shown before. Hence, a shiny, new spin on what is basically just another in a long line of summer group shows. Included are two sexy Michael Lavine portraits: one of Inka Essenhigh, the other of Damian Loeb. This also marks the debut of photographs by Maria Marshall. Last Fall's exhibition of her 20-second film loop, *When I Grow Up I Want to be A Cooker*, was hugely successful. The three new photographs here hint at her follow up exhibition scheduled for this upcoming November/December.

Ross Knight's shimmering lo-tech constructions, shown at Team this past Fall and at PS 1 this past Spring, received a great deal of attention from artists and from critics alike. Knight here shows two new works, cobbled together beautifully from corrugated plastic and speedrail, that show a real savvy elegance. Helen Sadler, whose tiny egg-tempera paintings of screaming Beatles' fans were much admired, also debuts some new work. Lastly, Michael St. John will be represented by two new pieces, both of which display his trademark blending of exquisite craft and base subject matters.

For further information and/or photographs, please call 212.279.9219. Gallery hours for this exhibition are Monday through Friday, 11am to 5pm.