

Truro Center for the Arts at Castle Hill

Contact: Kathleen Jacobs

Phone: 508.349.7511

[kathy@castlehill.org](mailto:kathy@castlehill.org)

May 14, 2013

\*\*\*FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE \*\*\*



THE TRURO CENTER FOR THE ARTS AT CASTLE HILL

## SITE SPECIFIC ART EXHIBITION:

### “AMUSE -BOUCHE”

RICHARD BAKER AND SARAH LUTZ

MAIN GALLERY - AUGUST 12 – 22

TRURO, MA (Aug. 2014) – Truro Center for the Arts is excited to announce the upcoming opening of “*Amuse-Bouche*” an site specific exhibition of small paintings by artists Richard Baker and Sarah Lutz. The exhibition; **will run from August 12–22 in the Main Gallery at The Truro Center for the Arts, 10 Meetinghouse Road, Truro. The opening reception is August 14, from 4-6pm.**

“*Amuse- Bouche*” is another way of describing a *bite sized hors d’oeuvre* and acts as a metaphor for the first “fun” yet thoughtful site-specific collaboration between Richard Baker and Sarah Lutz. They have known each other for twenty years and are deeply connected to the Outer Cape and Castle Hill community. According to Richard Baker, he is hoping to provide “an invitation for the viewer to evoke feelings and emotions of their own experiences with books and everyday objects”. Sarah Lutz, whose work is fed by her time in Truro, reflects abstract paintings with “a current pallet (that is) more playful and the spaces have become somewhat cinematic...” according to Mike Carroll, the Director of the Schoolhouse Gallery in Provincetown.

**Richard Baker** attended the Maryland Institute, College of Art and the School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston. He has shown in nationally, received awards from the NY Foundation for the Arts, the New England Foundation for the Arts and the Pollock-Krasner Foundation. He has taught painting at the University of Iowa, Boston University, Fine Arts Work Center, Rhode Island School of Design, and the School of Visual Arts in NY. He currently teaches at the Mason Gross School of the Arts, Rutgers University. He is represented by the Tibor de Nagy Gallery in New York and the Albert Merola Gallery in Provincetown.

**Sarah Lutz** was born in Madison, Wisconsin in 1967 but lived most of her childhood in Vermont and Guatemala. She holds a B.S. in Studio Art from Skidmore College and an M.F.A. from The American University. Lutz was a Junior Teaching Fellow in Residence at Dartmouth College in 1994, and was awarded a 1-month residency at The Vermont Studio Center in 1996. She lives and works in New York City with her husband and their two daughters. They spend as much time as possible near the water in Truro, Massachusetts. Lutz exhibited in Provincetown, MA for more than a decade and is currently represented by Schoolhouse Gallery.

**The Truro Center for the Arts at “Castle Hill”** continues to provide workshops, lectures, exhibitions, and festive community events for residents and visitors. There are many renowned artists and writers teaching this summer including; **Morton Dean, Ann Hood, Judy Pfaff, Joan Snyder, Stuart Shils, Ken Kewley, Catherine Kehoe, Maria Magdalena Compos Ponds** and many, more taking part in the summer season.

For more information visit:

[www.castlehill.org](http://www.castlehill.org), Call **508-349-7511** for a catalog.

Truro Center for the Arts at Castle Hill, PO BOX 756, 10 Meetinghouse Rd., Truro, MA

**Questions email:** [kathy@castlehill.org](mailto:kathy@castlehill.org)

**For more information about the exhibition or Castle Hill’s workshops and programs, visit**  
[www.castlehill.org](http://www.castlehill.org), or call (508)-349-7511 to request a catalogue.

\* \* \*