what's on

events and experiences accompanying *Nothing New*

NOTHING NEW VENUE INFO & ACCESSIBILITY

Nothing New is showing at Smith and Gertrude Gallerylocated at 73 Smith St, Fitzroy (Wurundjeri Country) Opening night is Thursday Feb 29 at 6pm-late, or you can visit the gallery between 11am-4pm Friday March 1 until Tuesday March 5.

ACCESSIBILITY:

The ground floor is at street level, though there is a small step in the middle of the room.

The second floor is accessible only by a narrow staircase. The bathroom is not wheelchair accessible and is on the second floor. If you have sensory difficulties or dislike crowded spaces, visiting at a time other than opening night may be more pleasant for you.

If the description above does not sound suitable for you please contact Sarah at hello@snakebirddesigns.com. We can arrange a time for viewing that's modified to your requirements (bringing items from upstairs downstairs, quiet sessions etc.)

OPENING NIGHT

Join the celebrations on opening night from 6pm at Smith and Gertrude Gallery. Generously sponsored by Bodriggy Brewing Co.

> Thursday Feb 29 6pm - late evening

ARTIST TALK

Hear the artist discuss her process, the personal experiment that led to *Nothing New* and how she went about developing the work. Ask questions and delve deeper into the material research with Sarah- light refreshments provided Saturday March 2 11am-12pm

DEMONSTRATION: WEAVING WITH WASTE

Bring in your (clean) soft plastics and watch as Sarah weaves them into a large scale coiled vessel with the fabric roof and walls of a broken marquee.

> Friday March 1-Tuesday March 5 11am-4pm

READING ROOM

Peruse the beautiful publications on craft, art, ecology and design that make up Sarah's personal book collection! The many resources that inspired and informed *Nothing New* will be waiting for you upstairs in the comfy reading nook.

> Friday March 1-Tuesday March 5 11am-4pm

CRAFTING CORNER

Bring your own craft project or start a new one! Get inspired by the various techniques shared upstairs and have a play with the alternative weaving/crafting materials in the material repository.

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