

THE LOWER EASTSIDE
GIRLS CLUB

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The Lower Eastside Girls Club is dedicated to providing a place where girls ages 8 to 18 can grow, learn, have fun, and develop confidence in themselves and their ability to make a difference in the world. By delivering strong and innovative arts, athletic, cultural, life-skills and career-oriented programming, we provide our girls with the vision to plan -- and the tools to build -- their future.

Two Limited Edition Books for Auction on December 9th

Art Book Holiday Benefit at the Astor Center Gallery

Proceeds Support the Girls Club's Arts and Literacy Programs

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"The cure for boredom is curiosity. There is no cure for curiosity." -Dorothy Parker

Join our Art Book Holiday Benefit and we promise you will not be bored! On December 9th the Lower Eastside Girls Club will be auctioning off two limited edition art books that offer distinctly different views on photography and documentation. Aren't you curious? Join us for cocktails, hors d'Oeuvres, dessert, and an auction paddle to bid on some really fabulous books.

\$100 General Admission and \$250 VIP tickets available at www.girlsclub.org after November 1st.

All attendees are automatically entered into a raffle drawing for a "behind the scenes" private tour of the Christie's Impressionist and Modern Sales vault. And there's more: as a holiday gift from the Girls Club, everyone will receive an art book or exhibition catalog (many of them signed by the artists).

Auction Items include:

Artists and Prostitutes, David LaChapelle Valued at \$4000

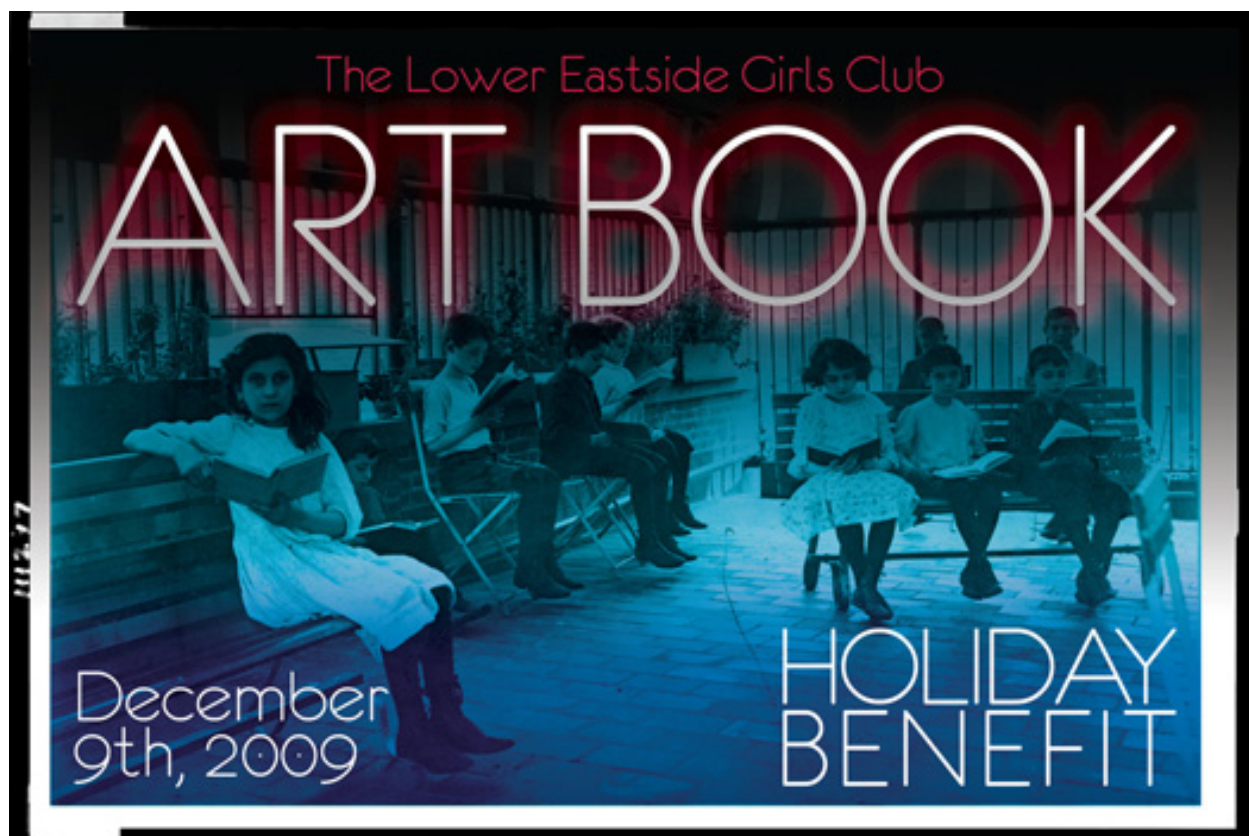
Donated by the artist. Limited edition of 2,500 copies worldwide, numbered and signed by the artist. Celebrating the visionary LaChapelle's truly extraordinary photography, this 698-page, XL-sized book is packed cover-to-cover with vibrant full-bleed images; the best of his entire career to date. Bursting at the seams with spectacle and drama, and saturated with colors that only LaChapelle can realize, this limited edition pays tribute to the most daring and ambitious photographer in the history of portraiture. All color illustrations are color-separated and reproduced in Pan4C, the finest reproduction technique available today, which provides unequalled intensity and color range.

1988, Your House is Mine Valued at \$3500

A hand-bound volume of limited edition signed posters created at the height of the East Village political renegade/squatter/street artist movement of the late '80's. 17" x 21" with 35 prints including: Eric Drooker, Miguel Pinero, Andrew Castrucci, Seth Tobocman, Lee Quinones, Marguerite van Cook and James Romberger, Anton van Dalen, Peter Missing, Lady Pink, David Wojnarowicz and more.

The Lower Eastside Girls Club provides a place where girls and young women 8-23 can grow, learn, have fun, and develop confidence in themselves and their ability to make a difference in the world. By delivering strong arts, literacy, science, health and leadership programs we provide girls with the vision to plan – and the tools to build – their future. All Girls Club programs develop environmental, entrepreneurial and ethical leadership in the girls we serve.

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ART BOOK HOLIDAY BENEFIT
to celebrate and support the arts and literacy programs at
The Lower Eastside Girls Club



Wednesday, December 9th 2009
7:00pm-9:00pm

\$100 ticket includes champagne,
hors d'œuvres, dessert and an auction
paddle to bid on our fabulous Art Books.
VIP seated tickets are available for \$250.

Tickets available at www.girlsclub.org

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Host Committee (in formation)
at ww.girlsclub.org

The Astor Center Gallery
Lafayette Street at 4th Street

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