

'STARBRIDGES' - Sculptures by Robert Schwarz are Now on View at the Amagansett Library

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'STARBRIDGES,' an exhibition of over twenty sculptures by artist <u>Robert Schwarz</u>, is open at the <u>Amagansett Library</u> through November 28th with a reception on Saturday, November 4th from 5 to 7pm.

Noted art historian, lecturer and author Olivier Bernier will introduce Mr. Schwarz at the opening on November 4th and give a talk on his work at 6 p.m.

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"Astrological Instrument of Obscure Function" by Robert Schwarz. Aluminum, Monofilament, Formica on Wood Panel, $22 \times 22 \times 6$ inches.

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Schwarz's interest lies in reflections and faux depth. Which level is the surface? What is the reality? His materials include polished metal, monofilament and glass – with LED lights reflecting off of these elements. The reflection moves as the viewer moves and is therefore always changing. Each piece springs from a 'center,' but also creates multiple 'centers' in the viewing experience.

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"Regal Appurtenance Discovered Near Denab" by Robert Schwarz. Aluminum, Monofilament, Acrylic Rod on Wood Panel, $11.5 \times 11.5 \times 5.5$ inches.

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He is fascinated by balance and equipoise, creating constructions that are mandalas: designs that

represent the search for completeness. He considers the process of making them a meditation. As Schwarz notes, "They present themselves to me as models of titanic spaceships or artifacts found in the depths of space – the unconscious."

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"Copernicus" by Robert Schwarz. Aluminum, Monofilament, Formica, Plate Glass and LED Light on Wood Panel, $36 \times 36 \times 5$ inches.

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Mr. Schwarz has exhibited widely on the East End as well as New York City and Chicago. His work is found is private collections in the U.S. as well as Europe. For more information on his work, visit www.ufobobart.com.

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"Kepler" by Robert Schwarz. Monofilament, Metal Hardware and Formica on Wood Panel, $19 \times 25 \times 7$ inches.

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"Tau Evolving" by Robert Schwarz. Aluminum, Monofilament, Formica, Plate Glass and LED Light on Wood Base, $24 \times 24 \times 20$ inches.

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"Emerald City in Candyland" by Robert Schwarz. Aluminum, Acrylic Rod and Monofilament, Metal Hardware on Wood Base, 37.5×9.5 inches.

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Amagansett Free Library is located at 215 Main Street, Amagansett, NY 11930.

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