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Art Exhibition - THE PORTFOLIO.

Open the Gate and **AFRIKart Gallerie** presents **the Portfolio**; a great selection of limited edition contemporary art by great artists. **The Portfolio** include great works by **Kofi Agorsor, Robert Aryeetey, Gabriel Eklou, Kweku Opoku from Ghana; Bruce Chidovori (Zimbabwe), Stephen Gwoktcho (Uganda) , Peter Ngugi (Kenya) and others.**

The works on show are delivered, with great skill and maturity and they are resplendent with vitality and surprises. The styles range from semi abstract, impressionism to realism.

Kwame Akuffo, the co curator and director of **AFRIKart** is really excited about this exhibition which is the first time this selection has been shown together.

“Come and savour and be enchanted with the goofy and whimsical playfulness of Agorsor’s works (see Play in Key D), witness the emergence of Bruce Chidovori as an artist to be watched; enjoy Stephen Gwoktcho’s delectable portraiture”, says the curator Kwame Akuffo.

The exhibition is on for two weeks only.

Dates: 27th November to 8th December 2010

Venue: Open the gate, 35 Stoke Newington Road, London N16 8BJ.

Private View Saturday 27 November, 2010 (6 pm to 9 15 pm)

Opening Times: 1200 – 1200

Admission: Free entry

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Kofi Agorsor - Play in Key D (68 X 68cm) 3/95



Stephen Gwotcho: The Girl with the Flowers (80x72)

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Founded by **Kwame Akuffo, the AFRIKart Galerie** started over 6 years ago.

AFRIKart is about great art, because great art enhances life. We love art and work to bring inspirational art from talented and respected artists to the attention of art lovers at an affordable price. Our vision is to make visible what has not always been visible.

Our original aim was to make it possible for art lovers all over the world to have the opportunity to share and celebrate the amazing range of work emanating from the eastern and western shores of the very diverse continent of Africa. As time has gone we have extended our reach and now embrace a wider world - including India and the Caribbean. Madhumati (born in Kolkata) has featured prominently in our exhibitions since 2007.

Exhibitions are the lifeblood of the visual arts. As a virtual gallery we are dedicated to a constant and regular programme of exhibitions – bringing works to life and sharing this passion of ours. Our aim is to have a number of exhibitions each year in prominent galleries, which does justice to the quality of works we have to show.

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