## KENNY SCHARF PARADIS PERDU

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TONY SHAFRAZI, EMMANUEL BARTH, DORIANO & ENRICO NAVARRA ARE PLEASED TO PRESENT KENNY SCHARF - PARADIS PERDU

FROM 20<sup>TH</sup> OF OCTOBRE TO 23<sup>TH</sup> OF NOVEMBRE, GALERIE 75 FAUBOURG



Kenny Scharf, Le Muy, 2018 © Simon Schwyzer

It's been 25 years since Kenny Scharf's last solo exhibition in Paris!

Following a proposal from New York gallery owner Tony Shafrazi, Emmanuel Barth, Doriano and Enrico Navarra now hope to make up for this by hosting the exhibition *Paradis Perdu* at Galerie 75 Faubourg from October, 22 to November 23th, 2018.

The opening will take place at the gallery on October 20th from 3pm onwards, and will have a late-night conclusion in the VIP Room, where original works created for this event will be displayed.

Kenny Scharf is too often reduced to his reputation as survivor of the trio he formed with Jean-Michel Basquiat and Keith Haring... But he is above all the creator of the coherent work of a persevering artist, who has made no concessions either to the *Zeitgeist* or to the passing of time.

He brings new life to litter, to more or less obsolete cars, and to the discards of consumer society by using such objects as blank canvases on which to paint. For let us not forget that Kenny Scharf is first and foremost a painter! He works quickly but like a workaholic, with discipline, enthusiasm and goodwill. With humour too: he



Paradis Perdu, 2018 Oil & Acrylic on Linen 70 x 90 Inches / 178 x 228,5 cm

caricatures his neuroses and makes a concerted effort to direct attention to his concerns for the environment.

There is, in the world of Kenny Scharf, something reminiscent of the so-called extraordinary gardens, quite different from those of Michel Tournier, which are arranged too meticulously, and which rely so heavily on their human creators that they are lost with them. No! Kenny Scharf's *Paradis Perdu* is an uninterrupted series of gardens, the sort that one might discover during the stopovers on an amazing Jules Verne adventure or admire from the window of a new Nautilus.

This paradise, rooted in the human past and lost only to them, is also the paradise of the future, a paradise free from their grasp which replenishes itself without them.

But, without a doubt, it's the lost paradise of the imagination in a society which now seeks ever more realism, information and pragmatism, leaving less and less room for dreams and fantasy.

For further proof, one need only read commentaries on the works of Jean-Michel Basquiat and Keith Haring. The general public and critics alike focus mainly on the political and societal components of their works, dismissing the incredible conception of new mythologies

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TV BAX # 27, 2018 Oil, Crystals, circuit board and found objects on plastic  $35.5 \times 47 \times 15.5$  Inches /  $51 \times 53.5 \times 52$  cm

by the first artist and the iconographic universal dimension created by the second.

What is the role of imagination in today's world? What is the role of the imaginary in contemporary art? This is what is called into question by Kenny Scharf's Paradise Lost that we need to discover without delay.

*Paradis Perdu* and *Arbre de Vie de Pluie* plunge us into a utopic vision of the hope of a better world, to which the artist aspires. A world which will cease to exist if we do not act. These works bear witness to his engagement with ecology and to a world more reactive to the actions of humans who manhandle and mistreat it.

In the series *TV Bax*, the artist collects televisions abandoned on city streets, offering them new lives by painting brightly-coloured faces on them.

The series Assemblage of Living Paintings (Whatsamagidget and Pony Express), for its part, is made up of wall assemblages created with plastic toys and games found by the artist. He uses paint, beads, and plastic decorations, overlapping them to create fantastical and intimate dioramas which make references to his fears for the planet.



Space Vomit, 2013 Oil, Acrylic, Silkscreen Ink, Glitter & Found objects in Canvas 152,5 x 122 cm

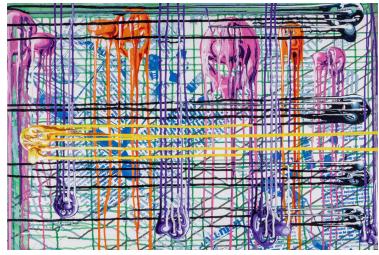
Finally, his series *Space Vomit* was assembled using rubbish found in the street and in his workshop, which he has recycled into works of art. It is through these eccentric and flashy canvases that Kenny Scharf wishes to alert us to the damage done by society, and to the accumulation of rubbish which humans continue to generate on our planet.

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Driplaid, 2018 Oil, Acrylic, Silkscreen Ink & Diamond Dust on Canvas 24 x 36 Inches / 61 x 91,5 cm



Arbre de Vie de Pluie, 2018 Oil & Acrylic on Linen with p/c Frame 40 x 48 Inches / 101,5 x 122 cm



Pony Express, 2017 Oil, Crystals and Found objects 23 x 31 x 7 Inches / 58,5 x 79 x 18 cm



Flourish, 1986 Oil on Canvas 72 x 48 Inches / 182 x 122 cm

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### BIOGRAPHIE

Born 1958 in Los Angeles, CA.

Primary residence in Los Angeles, CA.

## 2018

Kenny Scharf : " Super Pop Universe " Lotte Museum of Art Korea

Kenny Scharf : " Inner and Outer Space " Leila Heller Gallery Dubai

Kenny Scharf : " Scharftopia " The Far Out World of Kenny Scharf Gustavus College, MN.

Kenny Scharf : "Kenny Scharf "David Klien Gallery Detroit, MI.

#### Group Exhibitions:

" Warhol & Friends New York in the 80's" Palazzo Albergati Bologna Italy" Dancing Goddesses " Dio Horia Gallery Panahra

Square, Mykonos, Greece

" Beyond The Streets " Curated by Roger Gastman Los Angeles, Ca.

" Under One Roof " Urban Nation Museum for Urban Contemporary Art Berlin.

" Donald Baechler, Ross Bleckner, Enoc Perez & Kenny Scharf Inaugural Show Alloche Benais Athens

#### Special Projects:

- " La Villa UGC " Cannes
- " Peanuts Murals " NYC

" MOCAD " Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit : Woodward Ave, Detroit

Copenhagen Denmark : Freetown Christiania Graffiti Mural Public Artworks

## 2017

Kenny Scharf : " Blox and Bax " Honor Fraser Gallery Los Angeles CA.

Kenny Scharf : " Inner and Outer Space " Jeffrey Deitch New York NY.

#### Group Exhibitions:

" Bombay Beach Biennale " Curated by Lily Johnson White Salton Sea, CA.

" Animal Farm " Curated by Sadie Laska Brant Foundation Greenwich, CT.

" Fast Forward " Painting from the 1980's. Whitney Museum of American Art NY NY.

" Club 57 " Film, Performance, and Art in the East Village, 1978-1983 The Museum of Modern Art NYC.

#### Special Projects:

Frieze Fair New York: Spotlight Kenny Scharf NYC.

International Church of Cannabis Denver Co.

## 2016

Kenny Scharf : "Kenny Scharf "Nassau County Museum of Art Roslyn Harbor, NY. Group Exhibitions:

- " Around the World in 86 Days " Ludwig Forum Aachen , Aachen Germany
- " A Selection of Works of the 80's " Vito Schnabel Gallery St. Moritz
- " Cosmic Connections " David Totah Gallery , NYC
- " Piston Head 2 Artist Engage the Automobile " Venus Over Los Angeles Los Angeles CA.
- " Masters: Urban & Street Art " Galerie Laurent Strouk Paris
- " The Neon Wilderness Voices from Los Angeles " The Conversation Berlin

- " Muse " Galerie Hideout , Paris
- " AftermodernisM " Neumann Wolfson Art , Watermill NY.

" DESIRE " Curated by Diana Widmaier Picasso Gagosian & Deitch Art Basel Miami Beach FL.

#### Special Projects:

Hammer Projects Lobby Mural Hammer Museum Los Angeles , CA.

## **2015**

Kenny Scharf : " Born Again " Honor Fraser Gallery Los Angeles , CA.

Kenny Scharf : " SCHOW " Frederic Snitzer Gallery Miami , FL.

Group Exhibitions:

" She Sells Seashells by the Seashore " Eric Firestone Gallery East Hampton , NY.

#### Special Projects:

Installation The Rose Bar Gramercy Park Hotel, New York , NY.

- " Cosmic Cavern " # 33 Portland Art Museum Portland, OR.
- Hammer Projects Lobby Mural Hammer Museum Los Angeles , CA.

" MALAGA " Permanent Mural Spain

### 2014

Kenny Scharf : " Pace Face " By Pace Prints NYC

Kenny Scharf : "Kenny Scharf "Colette, Paris

#### Group Exhibitions:

" Urban Theater " : New York Art in the 1980's The Modern Art Museum of Ft.Worth TX.

" Fun and Games " : Montalvo Art Center Saratoga, CA.

" Saying Yes to Everything " : Honor Fraser Gallery Curated by Corrina Peipon Los Angeles CA.

" LOISADA " : NY's Lower East Side in the 80's Addison Gallery Andover, MA.

" Appropriate Disruption " : Jacob Lewis Gallery NYC

#### Special Projects:

" COSMIGOGO " : Textile design for Louis Vuitton

## 2013

Kenny Scharf: " Kolors " Paul Kasmin Gallery, NY. NY.

Kenny Scharf: " Amerikulture " Eric Firestone Gallery, East Hampton, NY.

Kenny Scharf: "Pop Renaissance "Honor Fraser Gallery, Los Angeles. CA.

#### Group Exhibitions:

- " AREA THE EXHIBITION " Curated by Jeffrey Deitch, Serge Becker, Eric Goode, Jennifer Goode & Glenn O'Brien. The Hole NYC.
- " Artist Engage The Automobile " : Pistonhead Art Basel Miami Beach, Fl.
- " Calligraffiti " Leila Heller Gallery NY. NY.
- " Futures Project" Center for the Living Arts Mobile, Al.

" Contemporary Magic " : A Tarot Deck Art Project " The Dali Museum, St. Petersburg, Fl.

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" Virginia MOCA " : Virginia Beach , VA.

#### Special Projects:

" Tonywood " The Wynwood Walls Memorial Garden, Miami , FL.

Mandarin Oriental Hotel Whitewall Suite 5000 NY, NY.

" Back To Supersonica " Spray Painted 1960's Lockeed Jetstar. Pima Air Museum, AZ.

Installation of "Squirtz" and "Red Scary Guy" at the Standard Hotel at the Highline NY.

" MOBLOBZ " Monumental Mural on the Historic Center for the Living Arts Mobile , Al.

Mural installation: Kings County Children's Hospital Brooklyn, NY.

Mural: Davis Bros. Tires. Los Angeles, CA.

## 2012

Kenny Scharf "Hodgepodge " The Honor Fraser Gallery Los Angeles , CA.

#### Group Exhibitions:

" Thank You Andy Warhol " Benrimon Contemporary, NY. NY.

" Times Square Show Revisited " Leubsdorf Gallery Hunter College NY. NY.

" Portrait of a Generation " The Hole Gallery NY. NY.

" All For You " Eric Firestone Gallery East Hampton, NY.

#### Special Projects:

Kiehl's label for children's charity

"Jello Bacchanalia" Art Rio, Rio De Janeiro, Brazil.

Cedars Sinai Chunk Pack, Cedars Sinai Children's Wing, Los Angeles, CA.

Mural: Salem, Mass.

Wynwood Walls, Miami, FL.

Mural: Careyes, Mexico.

## 2011

" Naturafutura " Paul Kasmin Gallery NY. NY.

Group Exhibitions:

- " The Artist Museum " MOCA Los Angeles , CA.
- " Art In The Streets " MOCA Los Angeles , CA.
- " New York Minute " Garage Center for Contemporary Culture, Moscow.
- " Facemaker " Curated by Kathy Grayson Royal-T, Culver City, CA.
- " Unfinished Paintings " Contemporary Exhibitions Los Angeles , CA.
- " Nose Job " Eric Firestone Gallery, East Hampton, NY.
- " East Village West " Royal T Lounge Los Angeles, CA.

" From Here to Eternity " Curated by Kenton Parker, Scion Installation Space, Culver City, CA.

#### Special Projects:

" East Village West " Curated with Ann Magnuson, Royal T Lounge Los Angeles

Miami Marlins Arena Mural Miami , FL.

WeHo Walls: MOCA Public Library Mural West Hollywood , CA.

Mural Arts Big Picture Project, Philadelphia , PA.

Brooklyn Children's Hospital Mural, Brooklyn , NY.

## 2010

Group Exhibitions:

- " Pause " Cosmopolitan Hotel, Las Vegas NV.
- " Art Shack " Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach CA.
- " Mutant Pop " Loyal Gallery, Malmo Sweden

Special Projects:

Bowery Wall Mural

### 2009

Kenny Scharf "Barberadise" Honor Fraser Gallery, Los Angeles, CA.

Group Exhibitions:

" Wynwood Walls " Outdoor Mural Project produced by Deitch Projects, Art Basel Miami

- " Primary Flight " Site specific Street Level Mural, Art Basel Miami FL.
- " Loveable Like Orphan Kitties and Bastard Children " Green Gallery, Milwaukee WI
- " Just What Are They Saying " Jonathan Ferrara Gallery, New Orleans LA.
- " Nude Show " Paul Kasmin Gallery New York, NY.

Special Projects:

" Stages Touring Exhibit " Galerie Emmanuel Perrotin, Paris, France.

Custom bike designed for Lance Armstrong and ridden in the Tour de France

### 2008

Kenny Scharf: "Superdeluxa "Waddington Gallery, London, UK.

Kenny Scharf : " 80's Back " Seomi & Tuus, Seoul, Korea.

Group Exhibitions:

- " Four Friends " Tony Shafrazi Gallery, New York, NY.
- " Totally Rad " Paul Kasmin Gallery, New York, NY.
- " American Standard " Design District, Miami Beach, FL.
- " Juxtapose School " Laguna Art Museum, Laguna Beach CA.
- " Zero Carat " Jewelry Friedman Benda Gallery, New York, NY.

## 2007

Kenny Scharf: " NEW! " Paul Kasmin Gallery New York, NY.

Group Exhibitions:

- " Four Friends " Tony Shafrazi Gallery New York, NY.
- " Art Parade " King of Parade Jeffrey Deitch New York, NY.
- " Big Secret Cache" Angstrom Gallery Los Angeles, CA.

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## 2006

Kenny Scharf "Astro Cumulo Nibus Uber Express " Raleigh Hotel, Art Basel, Miami Beach, FL.

#### Group Exhibitions:

- " Surrealism Then and Now " Paul Kasmin Gallery, New York NY.
- " Juxtapose Anniversary " Copro Nason, Culver City CA.

## 2005

Kenny Scharf: " Superpop " Paul Kasmin Gallery, New York, NY. Kenny Scharf: " Outer Limits " Patrick Painter Gallery, Santa Monica, CA. Group Exhibitions:

Enjoy By: Bill Farroux, Venice, CA.

## 2004

Kenny Scharf: " Groovenian Drawings " Kantor Gallery, Los Angeles, CA.

Kenny Scharf: " Schablobz " Kenny Schachter/Rove New York, NY.

Kenny Scharf: " California Grown " Pasadena Museum of California Art, Los Angeles, CA.

Kenny Scharf: " Face Value " Kevin Bruk Gallery, Miami Beach, FL.

#### Group Exhibitions:

- " East Village USA " New Museum of Contemporary Art, New York, NY.
- " Beginning Here: 101 Ways " Visual Arts Gallery, New York, NY.
- " 100 Artists See Satan " Grand Central Art Center, Santa Ana, CA. Special Events:

Americans for the Arts Awards Installation, Cipriani's, New York, NY.

## 2003

Kenny Scharf: "Nightlight" Patrick Painter Gallery, Santa Monica, CA. Kenny Scharf: "Paintings 1990-1997" Cotthem Gallery, Brussels, Belgium. Group Exhibitions:

"Quest" Vincent Van Gogh Museum, Amsterdam The Netherlands

"Splat, Boom, Pow" Contemporary Arts Museum, Houston, TX.

"Portraits" Heidi Lee Fine Art, New York, NY.

"Faces and Figures" The Art Museum at Florida International University, Miami, FL. "Beauty Stripped Bare / LA Black & White" BGH Gallery, Santa Monica, CA.

## 2002

Kenny Scharf: "Muted" Chac Mool Gallery, Los Angeles, CA.

Group Exhibitions:

"Made in the USA 1970-2000" Ludwig Galerie, Oberhausen, Germany

"Pulcherrimae Strade" Installation, Pordenone, Italy.

"Juxtapose Anniversary Show" Track 16 Gallery, Santa Monica, CA.

#### Special Events:

" The Groovenians " Animated Special aired on Cartoon Network

## 2001

Kenny Scharf: "Car Nation" UC Fullerton at Grand Central Art Center, Santa Ana, CA.

Kenny Scharf: "Portraits" Tony Schafrazi Gallery, New York, NY.

Kenny Scharf: "Hollywood Stars" Los Angeles Contemporary Exhibitions, Los Angeles, CA.

#### Group Exhibitions:

"Seeing" Interactive Exhibition LACMA LAB, Los Angeles, CA.

"Animations" P.S.1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City, NY.

#### Special Projects:

Permanent Installation of Four, 30: totems, "Tikitotemoniki", Pearl Arts District, Portland, OR.

## 2000

Kenny Scharf: Gagosian Gallery, Beverly Hills, CA.

Kenny Scharf: "Small Paintings & Bronzes" Tony Shafrazi Gallery, New York, NY.

Kenny Scharf: "Closet #18" permanent exhibit Young at Art Children's Museum, Davie, FL.

## 1999

"Heads, Small Paintings and Closet #16" Galerie Hans Mayer, Berlin, Germany. Kenny Scharf: "New Sculpture" PICA-Portland Institute for Contemporary Art, Portland, OR.

"Heads and Small Paintings" Galerie Hans Mayer, Dusseldorf, Germany.

## 1998

"Kenny Scharf" Galerie Ramis Barquet, Monterrey, Mexico

"Kenny Scharf" McIntosh Gallery, Atlanta, GA.

"Kenny Scharf" Kantor Gallery, Los Angeles, CA.

"Kenny Scharf" Tony Shafrazi Gallery, New York, NY.

Special Projects:

Comissioned by MOCA San Diego to paint mural "Ultrazoomazipamapopdeluxa" in entrance lobby

Designs line of Manikins for Pucci International

## 1997

Kenny Scharf: "Pop Surrealist" Salvador Dali Museum, St. Petersburg, FL.

Kenny Scharf: "When Worlds Collide", curated by Barry Blinderman, Univercity Galleries, Illinoise State

Kenny Scharf: "Kenny Scharf " Tony Shafrazi Gallery, New York, NY.

Kenny Scharf: "Ultraelektrik" Paintings, Sculpture & Customized Appliances, Sony Building, New York NY

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#### Group Exhibitions:

In Your Face Haring, Basquiat & Scharf Leo Malca Fine Art, New York.

Art and Provocation: Images from Rebels Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art, Boulder, Co.

### 1996

Kenny Scharf: New Work , Tony Shafrazi Gallery NY.

Kenny Scharf : El Mundo de Kenny Scharf Museo de art Contemporaneo de Monterrey, Mexico.

Kenny Scharf: Heads Center for the Fine Arts, Miami.

Kenny Scharf: Galerie 56 Budapest, Hungary.

#### Group Exhibitions:

New Figuration Tucson Museum of Art, Tucson, Az.

Hot Off the Press: New Editions Pace Prints, NY

## 1995

Kenny Scharf: Early Paintings 1975-78 Yoshi Gallery NY. NY.

Kenny Scharf: Galerie Cotthem-Hedwig Van Impe, Knokke Belgium

Kenny Scharf: Tony Shafrazi Gallery NY. NY.

Kenny Scharf: Scharf-O-Rama 1978-1995 Museum of Art, Ft.Lauderdale Fl.

#### Group Exhibitions:

Altered and Irrational: Selections from the Permanent Collection, Whitney Museum, NY.

Art, Design and Barbie Liberty Street Gallery, NY.

Recent Acquisitions Bass Museum of Art, Miami Fl.

Art + Architecture, MIAMI, Center for Contemporary Art , Miami.

A New York Time:Selected Drawings from the Eighties Bruce Museum , Greenwich, CT.

## 1994

Kenny Scharf: Wildlife Tony Shafrazi Gallery NY. NY.

## 1993

Kenny Scharf: Works on Paper , Galerie Burkhard R Eikelmann , Dusseldorf.

Kenny Scharf: Closet #11, Caf√ © Click, Dusseldorf

Kenny Scharf: Closet # 10 World Gallery Miami, Fl.

#### Group Exhibitions:

About Nature Cleveland Center for Contemporary Artr, Cleveland, OH. Art and Environment National Arts Club, NYC.

Extravagant: The Economy of Elegance Tony Shafrazi Gallery NY, Russisches Kulturzentrum, Berlin.

1982-83: Ten Years After Tony Shafrazi Gallery, NY.

## **1992**

Kenny Scharf: Edward Totah Gallery Kenny Scharf: Galeria Rocca 6, Torino, Italy. Kenny Scharf: Galeria Seno, Milan. **Group Exhibitions:** 1492 Museo de Arte Contemporaneo de Monterrey, Mexico. Variations Gitanes Grande Halle de la Villette, Paris. Objets Trouves Galerie de Jour, Agnes B. Paris. Balade de l'Amour Halle de l'Uniondes arts Decoratifs, Palais de Louvre, Paris.

## 1991

Kenny Scharf : Tony Shafrazi Gallery NY. Kenny Scharf: Studio Trisorio, Naples, Italy. Kenny Scharf: AC&T Corporation, Tokyo. Kenny Scharf: Galerie Hans Mayer, Dusseldorf Kenny Scharf: Akira Ikeda Gallery, Tokyo **Group Exhibitions:** American Art of the '80's Palazzo delle Albere, Trento, Italy. Closet #9 Queens Museum of Art, Flushing NY. Just What is it That Makes Todays Home So Different,So Appealing Hyde Collection, NY. The 1980's: A Selected View from the Permanent Collection, Whitney Museum, NY.

## 1990

Kenny Scharf: Galerie Beaubourg, Paris.

Group Exhibitions:

The Last Decade: American Artists of the '80's Tony Shafrazi Gallery, NY.

### 1989

Kenny Scharf: Michael Kohn Gallery, Los Angeles. **Group Exhibitions:** Don't Bungle the Jungle Tony Shafrazi Gallery, NY. The Studio American Collection Witkacy Theater , Zakopane Poland

## 1988

Kenny Scharf: Akira Ikeda Gallery, Tokyo. Group Exhibitions:

Figure a Subject: Revival of Figuration Since 1975 Whitney Museum, NY. The Weisman Collection California State University, Fullerton Ca. (Traveling Show)

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## **1987**

Kenny Scharf: Tony Shafrazi Gallery, NY.

Group Exhibitions: Comic Iconoclasm Institute of Contemporary Art, London.

## 1986

Kenny Scharf : Akira Ikeda Gallery, Tokyo.

Group Exhibitions:

An American Renaissance: Painting and Sculpture from 1940 to Present Museum of Art, Ft.Lauderdale.

Homage to Nicolas A. Moufarrage Gabrielle Bryers Gallery, NY.

Picture From the Inner Mind The PalladiumNY, Solway Gallery Cincinatti, Cohn Gallery Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

## **1985**

Kenny Scharf : Tony Shafrazi Gallery, NY.

Kenny Scharf: Galerie Bruno Bischofberger, Zurich.

Group Exhibitions:

Biennial 1984 Whitney Museum of Contemporary Art, NY.

Drawings Leo Castelli Graphics, NY

Eight Artists/Eight Years/SVA School of Visual Arts, NY.

East Village Artists Holly Solomon Gallery NY.

Investigations Institute of Contemporary Art ,University of Pennsylvania,Philadel-phia.

Sights For Small Eyes Heckscher Museum, Long Island, NY.

Vernacular Abstraction, Wacoal Art Center, Tokyo.

Art in Action Sogetsu Museum ,Tokyo.

Out of the Ooo Cloud Edith C Blum Art Institute,Bard College Annandale on Hudson NY.

## **1984**

Kenny Scharf: Tony Shafrazi Gallery, NY.

Kenny Scharf: Gagosian Gallery, Los Angeles.

#### Group Exhibitions:

Via New York Montreal Museum of Contemporary Art, Montreal

The Innovative Landscape Holly Solomon Gallery, NY.

New Hand-Painted Dreams: Contemporary Surrealism Barbara Gladstone Gallery, NY.

Arte di Frontiera Galerie d'Arte Moderna Bologna, Italy

Aperto 84 Venice Bienale Venice , Italy.

The Human Condition Museum of Modern Art, San Francisco.

Contemporary Perspectives 1984 Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pennsylvania.

New Idioms Robert Fraser Gallery, London.

New Attitudes: Paris/New York Pittsburg Center for the Arts

## 1983

Kenny Scharf: Tony Shafrazi Gallery, NY. Kenny Scharf: American Graffiti Gallery, Amsterdam. **Group Exhibitions:** Champions Tony Shafrazi Gallery NY, Fay Gold Gallery Atlanta Surrealist Show Robert Miller Gallery NY. Morton G. Neuman Family Collection Kalamazoo Institute of Art, Kalamazoo, Michigan. The Comic Art Show Whitney Museum of American Art NY. Back to the U.S.A. Kuntsmuseum Luzern,Luzern Switzerland. Tendencias en Nueva York Palacio de Cristal, Madrid. Clocktower Open Studio Show P.S.1 Contemporary Art Center, NY. Bienalle de Sao Paulo, Sao Paulo, Brazil. References Palais de Beaux-Arts, Charleroi, Belgium

### 1982

Kenny Scharf: Fun Gallery, NY. Group Exhibitions: Installation Project Room P.S.1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City, NY.

## 1981

Kenny Scharf : National Studio Artists P.S.1 Contemporary Art Center
Kenny Scharf : Customized Appliances Club 57, NY.
Kenny Scharf : The Jetsons Fun Gallery, NY.
Group Exhibitions:
Open Studio Show P.S.1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City, NY.
The Times Square Show Times Square , New York City
New York, New Wave P.S.1 Contemporary Art Center, Long Island City
Drawing Show Mudd Club, NY.
Beyond Words Mudd Club , NY.

## 1979

Kenny Scharf : Celebration of the Space Age Club 57, NY.

## **EXHIBITION CATALOGS**

Kenny Scharf: Born Again Honor Fraser Gallery Los Angeles 2015 Kenny Scharf: Kolors Paul Kasmin Gallery New York 2013 Kenny Scharf: Hodgepodge Honor Fraser Gallery Los Angeles 2012

Kenny Scharf: NEW! New Paintings and Carzy Roy Al Paul Kasmin Gallery New York 2007

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Kenny Scharf: Superpop. Paul Kasmin Gallery New York 2005

Kenny Scharf: Groovenian Drawings. Foreward by Robert Williams Kantor Gallery Los Angeles 2004

Made in the USA, 1970-2001 Keith Haring, Robert Longo, Kenny Scharf, Bill Beckley Oberhausen Ger. Ludwig Galerie

The Universals. Pucci International New York 1998

Kenny Scharf: Essay by Carter Radcliff and Robert Farris Thompson Interview by Dennis Hopper

Tony Shafrazi Gallery New York 1998

Kenny Scharf: Essay by Barry Blinderman, Gregory Bowen, Bill McBride, Ann Magnuson and Robert Farris Thompson,

Normal Illinois University Galleries 1998

In Your Face: Malca Fine Art New York 1997

Kenny Scharf: Pop Surrealist Salvador Dali Museum St. Petersburgh Florida 1997

Pop Art. By Jan de James. London. Phaidon 1996

El Mundo de Kenny Scharf: Museo de Arte Contemporaneo de Monterrey Monterrey Mexico 1996

Kenny Scharf: Essay by Louis Grachos. Center for the Fine Arts Miami 1996

Kenny Scharf: Essays by Brooke Adams, Laurence Parmer Museum of Art Fort Lauderdale Florida 1995

Kenny Scharf: Essay by Brooke Adams, Edward Totah Gallery London 1992

Kenny Scharf: Galerie Beauborg Paris 1990

The Last Decade: American Artists of the 80's. Tony Shafrazi Gallery New York 1990

Phamakon 90 Mukuhari Messe Contemporary Art Exhibition Tokyo 1990

Kenny Scharf: Jungle Book Kyoto Shoin International Company Art Random Kyoto 1989

Kenny Scharf: Three Portfolios AC & T Corp. Tokyo 1989

An American Renaissance: Painting and Sculpture from 1940 to the Present

Fort Lauderdale Florida Museum of Art 1986

Vernacular Abstraction Wacoal Art Center Tokyo 1985

Figuration Libre: France - USA. Paris: Musee d' art Moderne de la Ville de Paris 1984

New Attitudes: Paris / New York. Pittsburgh Center for the Arts Pittsburgh Pennsylvania 1984

Via New York. Montreal: Musee d 'Art Contemporain 1984

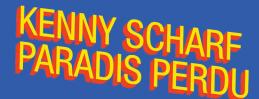
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