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**SAW DUST BOOGIE AND THE WELDIN' BLUES**

*A pop-up art exhibition by David Meyers*

**[Boston, Massachusetts—]** From November 1<sup>st</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> *Saw Dust Boogie and the Weldin' Blues*, will be on view at 460 Harrison Ave, Building “C” in SoWa. This pop-up art exhibition by David Meyers shares his year-long look at embracing unconventional approaches to skilled labor, with a specific focus on wood and metal work. Inspired by his daily toil in the trades and fabrication work, here David challenges the boundaries of “lowbrow” within fine art’s highbrow culture. Starting from a sardonic mire, the work is less a commentary but rather a series of invented narratives between jokes and daydreams.

David’s woodshop paintings, aka Saw Dust Boogie coalesced after a making a painting about a simple incident of saw dust in beer. The combination of humor and topic started a generative process inspiring more and more work. These goofy paintings were something he could relate to professionally working in antique restoration work and faux-finishing, allowing him an opportunity to play with the information conveyed.

The Weldin’ Blues work was begun by David during his struggle and eventual success in learning how to weld. As he learned the techniques he was able to work the metal in various ways to play with the line making quality that welding offers in a dimensional space he refers to as “exploded drawings.” David’s exploration culminated in a challenge to test the limits of welding with a video piece titled “Pizza Weld” where David attempts to weld two slices of Pizza together.

This pop-up exhibition is on view at 460 Harrison Ave, Building C, space “C1” and will be open to the public on weekends from 12pm – 4pm, First Friday November 6<sup>th</sup> from 5-8pm and additionally by appointment. Come witness some fun paintings and entertaining creations!

-For appointments, questions or further information else please email  
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