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Sierra Expeditionary Learning School Host 8th Grade Art Show at Moody's Bistro Bar & Beats

Students Artist Exhibit Political Cartoons as Part of their Cumulative Project

Truckee, CA (May 11, 2015) – The 8th Grade Crew from Sierra Expeditionary Learning School (SELS) is hosting a student art show at Moody's Bistro Bar & Beats on Tues., June 2nd at 5 p.m. The exhibit will feature political cartoons, each telling a story about American History as perceived by teenage artists. From the Revolutionary War up to the Civil War, students learned how personal interpretations affect history.

Working alongside San Francisco artist, Veronica Lichter, 8th graders created political cartoons. Through their research on historic events from a variety of different outlets, they found that different text resources have varied pieces of information and perspectives, even if they are both accurate.

Using space donated by Moody's, this art show is the culmination of a four-month long expedition on American history.

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About Sierra Expeditionary Learning School

Sierra Expeditionary Learning School (SELS) is a K-8 public charter within the Tahoe Truckee Unified School District. SELS inspires a diverse group of learners to achieve academic excellence and develop a strong sense of character and community. Curriculum is implemented through project-based expeditions and fieldwork that challenge students to think critically while also fostering their natural curiosity and love of learning.