



Newsletter FrozenSteel.nl – no 8 – april 2022

This newsletter online:

With: Exposition Open Oost – New Work – Art Loving Dog Luna – Work in Progress

Dear Art Lover,

Welcome to this eight newsletter. On average once a quarter a short newsletter about my art: new work, developments and upcoming exhibitions.

Comments are most welcome. Send your email to: Wichert@FrozenSteel.nl

OpenOost – expositie

During OpenOost I exhibit - together with other artists from Amsterdam - in the Oosterkerk and I have an 'open studio' in the Openbare Werkplaats (Public Workshop).

My non-seasonal bronze sculpture 'Fresh Green' will be in the Oosterkerk. In the Public Workshop there is new (and somewhat older) work and I show how my sculptures are created.

Florine van de Klashorst also shows her work in the Oosterkerk and in the Public Workshop.

All information about OpenOost (locations, opening hours): www.OpenOost.org

More about Florine's work: www.blueheron.nl



Kunstroute op de Oostelijke Eilanden, Kadijken en Entrepotdok Amsterdam: 6, 7, 8 mei 2022

OPENOOST.org



New Work

After major renovations to the furnace (double insulation, heat exchanger to preheat the injected oxygen), I recently used the first beautiful spring days to cast new sculptures.

Not all castings are finished yet, but the abstract 'Coralli' and the somewhat surrealistic 'Banana Power' will have their premiere during OpenOost.

There are also some new crumpled papers on the website: Paper 22A, Paper 22B, Paper 22C and Paper 22D.

www.FrozenSteel.nl/bronze



Coralli

Art Loving Dog Luna

Lot and Isa Fakkeldij ask their dog Luna to judge art. A nice Instagram post from Luna recently appeared about my work in the Openbare Werkplaats.



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artlovingdog I love asparagus! The bronze asparagus from Wichert van Engelen @frozensteel.nl are not only a treat for the eyes and the soul due to the beautiful detailed structure, but also makes your mouth water. A passionate experimenting artisan artist. Years ago, Wichert said goodbye to his

Luna posing with 'Fresh Green' and The not-yet-finished work 'Coralli Big'.

More: see Instagram @artlovingdog

Work in Progress

My days are well filled. I work simultaneously on three assignments, each with challenging new elements: A young heron with fluffy hair; A hollyhock with wafer-thin flowers; A family portrait with 11 people depicted

I am always experimenting with new techniques, processes and also new materials.

In the coming months I hope to start melting glass to use in my bronze sculptures. I've already finished the central bronze object and the glass grit ;-)



Bezoek het Atelier

My studio is located in the Public Workshop in Amsterdam: an inspiring environment where craftsmen in wood and steel are constantly at work.

You are most welcome to come and take a look at the workshop. Every Tuesday I am working with new bronze or steel statues.

Please notify me in advance (wichert@FrozenSteel.nl). I will make sure that the statues that you would like to have a closer look on are available on the spot.



Finally

You can find much more information and photos of my sculptures on the website: www.FrozenSteel.nl

Want to stay informed regularly? Follow my Facebook page: www.facebook.com/FrozenSteel.nl

Or follow me on Instagram: www.instagram.com/FrozenSteel.nl

Videos of the making process (both in steel and bronze) on Youtube.

The FrozenSteel Channel: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCIW-Y-FHakcVtd7zFD-xJlg>

And my video channel: <https://www.youtube.com/user/VideoWichert> (but there are also a lot of skating and cycling videos on it ;-)

Kind Regards,

Wichert van Engelen
Amsterdam

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Wichert". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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