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Wayne's World at the Rauschenberg Gallery

Florida SouthWestern State College will host an exhibition of paintings, drawings and a newly-commissioned, site-specific installation, 'Wayne

WHITE: Here Comes Mr. Know-It-All' at the Bob Rauschenberg Gallery from September 11-November 7..

Los Angeles-based, internationally-acclaimed artist, Wayne White won three Emmy

Awards for his set design and puppeteering on the landmark children's TV show Pee-wee's Playhouse, creating iconic characters including Randy, Cool Cat, Chicky Baby and Dirty Dog. Wayne White will be in residence at Florida SouthWestern State College for a week in advance of his show to work with FSW students to create a super-sized puppet/sculpture of Lee County resident artist and Gallery namesake Bob Rauschenberg.

'Wayne WHITE: Here Comes Mr. Know-It-All' will also include a selection of the artist's now iconic and often 'laugh-out-loud' humorous 'Word' paintings and a series of recent watercolor drawings and

collages (on subjects including local environmentalist, author and political cartoonist Ding Darling) produced during Wayne White's month-long Robert Rauschenberg Foundation Residency on Captiva Island in 2013.

There will be an opening reception, featuring a performance by Wayne White, at the gallery on September 11, 6-8pm.

The Bob Rauschenberg Gallery is located on the Lee County campus of Florida SouthWestern State College. The gallery is open Monday-Friday 10am-4pm and Saturday 11am-3pm. Admission is free. For information, call 489-8313.