## Palm Springs Art Museum Debuts New Museum Store Two stores offer unique gifts for the holidays

**PALM SPRINGS (Nov. 12, 2014)** – Palm Springs Art Museum now has two museum stores filled with fascinating holiday gift ideas. The Museum Store at Palm Springs Art Museum, and the new Bradford W. Bates Vault: The Museum Design Store at the new Architecture and Design Center, Edwards Harris Pavilion. Both stores offer a varied selection of one-of-a-kind objects not to be found anywhere else in the desert – great for the art lover and for a unique gift for someone special. In addition, museum memberships are a memorable gift that can be used throughout the year.

The Museum Store offers the creative, the elegant, and the edgy for home, office, and life. One-of-a-kind jewelry and accessories are wearable art, while books, toys and games inspire children to discover art while having fun. The Museum Store's extensive collection of books, exhibition catalogues, cards, and calendars creates a one-stop destination for anyone's holiday list. The Museum Store at Palm Springs Art Museum is located at 101 Museum Drive, and open Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and on Thursday from Noon to 8 p.m. For more information call (760) 322-4830.

The Bradford W. Bates Vault: The Museum Design Store housed in the new Architecture and Design Center, is located in the original bank vault of this former Santa Fe Federal Savings & Loan. The visit alone is an experience in itself. The store, which opened November 9, offers architecture and design focused books, games, and stationary items for adults and children. There is also an ever-expanding collection of objects, accessories, and products that represent the best directions in contemporary design. In addition, shoppers will find a distinctively modern jewelry selection, with exclusive pieces available only here. The store also showcases a variety of original works by local artists. Located at 300 South Palm Canyon Drive, it is open Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and on Thursday from noon to 8 p.m. For additional information call (760) 322-4897.

## **About Palm Springs Art Museum**

Palm Springs Art Museum is the largest cultural institution in the Coachella Valley and includes three locations in Palm Springs and Palm Desert. The flagship building is

located in downtown Palm Springs and features compelling art exhibitions and a vast permanent collection, all on view in a 150,000 square foot, architecturally-significant building. Palm Springs Art Museum Architecture and Design Center, Edwards Harris Pavilion features exhibitions and programming that explore the rich topics of architecture and design. Palm Springs Art Museum in Palm Desert is an 8,400 square foot, Silver LEED-certified building named The Galen that presents rotating exhibitions and special collections. It is surrounded by the four-acre Faye Sarkowsky Sculpture Garden featuring important sculpture works. For more information, call 760-322-4800, visit <a href="https://www.psmuseum.org">www.psmuseum.org</a>, and follow the museum on Facebook, Twitter and InstaGram.