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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **Molly Bosley Exhibits at *Vintage Inspired Lifestyle Marketplace* in June**

Burlington, VT: (May, 28 2013) Vintage Inspired Lifestyle Marketplace on Flynn Avenue in Burlington is pleased to announce an exhibition of mixed media work from Vermont artist Molly Bosley entitled *Remember, Sebastian*, June 7th through the 30th. There will be an opening reception on First Friday, June 7th, from 5 to 8pm. Molly's beautiful and intricate constructions utilize silhouette images of the commonplace and the eerie, recording glimpses into the narrative of a life lived in dreams. Molly uses the German paper cutting technique called Scherenschnitte, or "scissor cuts." Vintage Inspired, A vibrant new marketplace for antique dealers, artists and craftspeople, is located at 180 Flynn Avenue, and is open Monday through Saturday from 10am to 5pm and Sunday from 12pm to 4pm.

In an artist statement about her work from *Remember Sebastian*, Molly Bosley says that for as long as she can remember, she has been frequented by wildly vivid dreams. "*Remember, Sebastian* is my series of work in which I finally address my subconscious by materializing it in form. I use pattern and repetitive imagery in my work to represent the recurring nature of dreams. Many of my dreams concern my fears and difficulties presented in forms whose intimacy contradicts their more ominous character. My sleeping life is such an integral part of myself that I am compelled to create art from the experiences I have in my dreamland."

She manipulates blank, white paper into pieces that are detailed and intricate, yet simple and stark. In creating elaborate scenes with blank paper, Molly presents an object which is tangible and familiar, yet the scene is only a silhouette of the actual affair. This leaves an entire world of hope and uncertainty. Just as in a dream, the possibilities of how things will unfold are limitless and this presents the potential for any amount of joyousness or treachery. Her work is a tug of war between the immediately familiar and the infinitely imaginable. Molly's work incorporates Scherenschnitte, which means "scissor cuts" in German - the art of papercutting design. "Discovering this 500 year old tradition has opened up a universe of exploring the techniques and continuously learning to perfect the craft. This work emerged from ideas that have been

steeping for years. I have seen them evolve and transform from the conventional use of paper to this elaborate new form of dissecting and altering. Utilizing silhouette images of the commonplace and the eerie, I record glimpses into the narrative of a life lived in dreams,” says Bosely. Learn more about Molly’s work at [www.mollybosley.com](http://www.mollybosley.com).

Molly Bosley began collecting small relics at an early age in the Boston suburb where she grew up. She has since then continued this tradition and found ways to incorporate the findings from yard sales, junk stores and the great outdoors, into her mixed media artwork. After years of searching for a home in the big cities of Boston, New York and Providence, she has settled into the quiet life of Vermont where she enjoys the simple way of living and can work on art from the comforts of her own home. She has exhibited nationally and gained recognition in online publications, as well as landing the cover of the Random House book titled, *The Aviary*. Molly is currently preparing for a handful of exhibitions in Vermont and is working on her biggest papercut series yet.

**Vintage Inspired Lifestyle Marketplace** on Flynn Avenue in Burlington, VT is a funky & accessible source of vintage goods for inspired lifestyles. It is a delight for shoppers wanting to combine a love for antiques, curious goods and art. Owner, Mary Heinrich Aloï has a truly inspired eye and her shop is a destination for in-the-know pickers, collectors, and art lovers. For more information and directions to the Marketplace, please visit [www.vintageinspired.net](http://www.vintageinspired.net)

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