SANTA YSABEL ART GALLERY

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Santa Ysabel, Ca. --- "By Way Of The Doll", an exhibit of original designed and reproductions of fine German, French and modern dolls, by Sheila Vedova and Company will open at the Santa Ysabel Art Gallery, Saturday, December 5.

Sheila Vedova of Santa Ysabel, has earned a masters degree from the Doll Artisan Guild. She studied with world famous Elva Hanenburg and Jean Nordquist, learning the method used by doll makers of the 19th century. She is now in demand as teacher in this art medium. Specalizing in the use of greenware and porclain in making dolls, Vedova has won numerious awards at international competitions sponsored by the Doll Artisan Guild.

Eight other national recognized doll makers, exhibiting their individual expertise in this art medium, are Grechen Albright, Julian; Anne Pozzi, Ramona; Nancy Moretti, Santa Ysabel; Tersa Sadler, Santee; Paula Hallman and Ken Lehnig, brother and sister collaborators, Santee; Heather Crocker, Ramona; Ada Gittings, Carlsbad; and Badruska, San Diego.

The exhibit opens with a reception for the artists, Saturday,

December 5, 3-7 p.m., and the public is most cordially invited. The

show runs through December 30.

The Santa Ysabel Part Gallery, located at 21979 Highway 79 (at hwy. 78), Santa ysabel. Please call 765-1676 for more information.