Tribal Art Within Walking Distance

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An art exhibit featuring pre-Columbian and tribal art will be on display at Creighton University until February 29. The exhibition is in the second floor of the Fine Arts Building on campus.

This special exhibit contains art work from individuals traveling through Africa. Some of the work includes: New Guinea artifacts; a Dan mask and an Ibo figure from the Ivory Coast Area of Africa; a Colima figure from the pre-Columbian era; Plains, Sioux, and Apache artifacts from the American Indians of the 1880s to 1890s.

“The art items on display are from locals in the Omaha area. Most pieces come from collectors’ homes,” said Brian Kokenspargher from the fine arts department.

The show opening was Wednesday, January 22, from 7 to 10 p.m. Regular gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Saturday, noon to 4 p.m. on Sunday.

Both the general public and Creighton students are expected to attend. Admission is free.

Anyone with questions can contact the fine arts department at 280-2509.