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A handwritten signature in cursive script, likely reading "L. Reist".

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BLOOMINGTON, ILL.--Illinois Wesleyan University art majors Mary Neill of Monmouth and Tim Reist of Glen Ellyn will present their senior shows in the Wakeley Gallery starting Sunday, Dec. 8.

The shows will open with a reception at 2 p.m. and will be open free to the public through Dec. 13. The gallery hours are 1-4 p.m. daily and 7-9 p.m. Tuesday.

Neill will exhibit works in clay which she calls "a celebration of ancient, ritualistic vessels and symbols and their functions." She also will have oil drawings on display.

Reist will exhibit about a dozen black and white photographs which, he says, concentrate on textures and compositions. Reist wants his work to "spark the thought process in the viewer." He says the best he can do is to exhibit a photograph that will cause the viewer to think.