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INTENSE DANCE EXPERIENCE: TONIGHT GO TO **GLEASON'S BOXING GYM, 77 FRONT ST, Bklyn!**

YES....Dance at Gleasons....What better timing than in NYC, with the Golden Gloves finals, than for Peggy Choy Dance Company to unveil or let loose, a 2 1/2 year brilliant culmination of choreographing dancers & genuine boxers, in a multi-ring dance work that knocks you out.

THE GREATEST: HIP DANCE HOMAGE TO MUHAMMAD ALI is a must see TONIGHT. Ms. Choy has woven as her theme, the history of Ali into a gripping, pugilistic, fisticuff dance & movement fantasia where her 8 brilliant "B BOY" dancers and 8 genuine trainers and boxers from Gleason's Gym intertwine to bring the passion, the circadian rhythms, the intensity, the sweat, the fear, and yes, the racism and loneliness of boxing into a theatrical experience that surrounds the audience in the sweet science and not so sweet history of "THE GREATEST."

In NYC's most historic boxing emporium, there are no potted palms. As one trainer's locker says, "Winners have Scars." This gym is the real thing! steadily producing boxing winners as well as the welcoming home to anyone with courage to lace up the gloves.

Silverglade has also created an atmosphere that equally welcomes artists of all disciplines, as well as youngsters to senior citizens, in a no judgement gym that champions grit, determination and resolve in all shapes, sizes, ages and cultures. No stranger to the arts, Silverglade's gym actively participates in other art events and the Dumbo Arts Fest. Gleason's is a united nations of respect and hard work. His leadership brings together..boxers training every day, in the art of taking someone's head off, as well as white collar fitness buffs flocking to a gym that is authentic in history and intensity. And in walks Choreographer Peggy Choy, with her brilliant concept, and "gets it." Silverglade's trainers and boxers in their openness to Ms. Choy, and seeing their own passion in a new light, score a TKO and KO in an artistic collaboration. There are no losers...in this "boxing" show, except those who don't go tonight, to see it.

You needn't love boxing or even need to know this week is the Golden Glove finals, though one boxer in the work, 18 year old Paul Anthony, fights this Friday in the "Gloves." Choy's work, while based on Ali, is a universal statement of grit, determination, raw history, movement, focus, failure and dreams.

Choy's 8 dancers are artists, masters of the urban vernacular of movement in their own right, with a showmanship that mixes well with the bravado, and power of and yes, the nuances of the fight game. .

Dancers: **Sekou Heru, Ze Motion, Gabriel "Kwikstep" Dionisio, Martin Rios, Eugene "Spidey" Jordan, Victor "Kid Glyde" Alicea, Lacuir Yancey, Edgar Eguia.**

Boxers: **John "Big John" Douglas, Rayman Panama, Devon Cormack, Dillon Carew, Paul Anthony, Kevin Barker, Heather Hardy, Danielle Lacy.**