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SUNDAY PRESS AT ASIA SOCIETY TEXAS OPENS JULY 3! CAFÉ TO OFFER FULL BREAKFAST AND LUNCH OPTIONS WITH FLAVORS INSPIRED BY ASIA



HOUSTON, June 26, 2024 — <u>Asia Society Texas</u> (AST) is excited to announce a collaboration with Ordinary Concepts partners **Sandy Nguyen** and **Cassie Ghaffar** to bring Sunday Press to AST's café. **Sunday Press at Asia Society Texas** will serve breakfast and lunch featuring Sunday Press' distinctive pastries, sandos, and coffee alongside a special selection of items from Saigon Hustle's menu. The café is currently previewing <u>the menu</u> with the full opening slated for July 3. Regular operating hours are Tuesday – Sunday from 8:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Previously occupied by Java Lava Café, the space transitioned following the retirement of owners Su and Linh Nguyen, who have returned to Hawaii to focus on their Kona coffee farm. "We extend our warmest gratitude to Su and Linh for offering the neighborhood and our guests a wonderful café experience over the last two years," says **AST President Bonna Kol**. "During our exploration for a new partner, Sunday Press rose to the very top due to their creative and delicious menu items! Led by the dynamic duo – Cassie and Sandy –guests can expect to enjoy unique flavors and a delightful experience."

After a successful pop-up experience at AST last summer and several festival collaborations, "we are thrilled to announce our exciting collaboration with Asia Society Texas! As native Houstonians and long-time advocates of the organization, this partnership feels like a natural fit. Having grown up attending the vibrant festivals and events hosted by Asia Society, we are excited to contribute to its dynamic community," says Sandy Nguyen.

Serving both breakfast and lunch, the menu will offer a range of grab-and-go items including salads, sandwiches, acai bowls, and chia puddings, in addition to paninis, banh-mi, and rice and vermicelli bowls. Guests will also enjoy Sunday Press' signature croissant swirls, coffee and espresso drinks – like their black sesame latte – and desserts. To see the full menu, click here.

Café Hours: Tuesday – Sunday from 8:30am – 3pm



About Asia Society Texas

Asia Society Texas believes in the strength and beauty of diverse perspectives and people. As an educational institution, we advance cultural exchange by celebrating the vibrant diversity of Asia, inspiring empathy, and fostering a better understanding of our interconnected world. Spanning the fields of arts, business, culture, education, and policy, our programming is rooted in the educational and cultural development of our community — trusting in the power of art, dialogue, and ideas to combat bias and build a more inclusive society.

About Sunday Press

Sunday Press is a vibrant and innovative fast-casual cafe that has been redefining the dining experience since its inception. Founded by two women native Houstonians and University of Houston alumnae, Sunday Press was born out of a desire to provide a convenient yet wholesome dining option for families and individuals with busy lifestyles. Our story is deeply rooted in a commitment to balance taste and nutrition without compromising on quality. With its flagship storefront in Garden Oaks, Sunday Press is also located in Hermann Park, at Asia Society Texas, and will be opening a new location in the Westchase District in Spring 2025.