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Editors' Picks: 13 Events for Your Art Calendar This Week, From Tarot Reading for Artists to Lucy Lippard on Central American Solidarity

Plus the great Nepalese Modernist Lain Singh Bangdel gets his first U.S. solo museum show.

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Luca Buvoli, *Thank You for the Spotlight, Daily Heller!* (2021) (from *Astrodoubt and the Quarantine Chronicles*), 2021. Image courtesy Cristin Tierney Gallery.

9. “Luca Buvoli: Astrodoubt and the Quarantine Chronicles” at Cristin Tierney Gallery, New York

The show, which marks Buvoli’s first project with the gallery, and his first solo show in New York in 13 years, takes aim at the hopes and fears that permeate our lives. It’s based on a conceptual graphic novel posted on the artist’s Instagram feed near the start of the Covid-19 related shutdown. The show explores the challenges of navigating daily life in a pandemic-stricken world.

Guest curator John G. Hanhardt was reintroduced to the work in the last year as Buvoli, who recently battled cancer, cultivated a virtual audience in isolation, sharing video works and images online daily on his social media feed. Hanhardt, an independent film scholar based in New York, said preparing the show was like putting together a conceptual jigsaw puzzle of pieces that revealed the artist’s understanding of the traditions of drawing.

Location: Cristin Tierney Gallery 219 Bowery, 2nd floor, New York

Price: Free

Time: Opening reception Friday, 6 p.m.–8 p.m.; Tuesday–Saturday, 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

—*Eileen Kinsella*