NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

Sixth St. and Constitution Ave. Washington, D. C. 20565



CALENDAR OF EVENTS
MAY 1965

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GALLERY HOURS

COLLECTIONS

NEW EXHIBITION

NEW PUBLICATIONS

LECTURES

LecTour

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NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

Weekdays 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sundays 2 p.m. to 10 p.m. Admission is free to the Gallery and to all programs scheduled.

Paintings and sculpture from the Andrew Mellon, Samuel H. Kress, Widener, and Chester Dale Collections, with gifts from other donors, are on the main floor. The Garbisch American Primitive paintings, Kress Renaissance Bronzes, and Widener Decorative Arts are on the ground floor.

The Chester Dale Bequest. An exhibition of the complete collection, including 80 painting not previously shown in Washington. Opening May 6.

Catalogue. Eighteenth and Nineteenth Century Paintings and Sculpture of the French School in the Chester Dale Collection. 152 pages, 9" x 6"; with introduction by John Walker; 4 color plates, 126 black and white illustrations. \$3.50 postpaid.

Catalogue. Twentieth Century Paintings and Sculpture of the French School in the Chester Dale Collection. 104 pages, 9" x 6"; with introduction by Maud Dale; 4 color plates, 86 black and white illustrations. \$3.00 postpaid.

Catalogue. Paintings Other than French in the Chester Dale Collection. 64 pages, 9" x 6"; 2 color plates, 51 black and white illustrations. \$3.00 postpaid.

A series of three Sunday lectures on the **Chester Dale Collection** will begin on May 9 and continue through May 23.

A radio lecture device is installed in 30 exhibition galleries. Talks, running continuously, cover most of the periods of art represented by the collections. A visitor may rent a small receiving set for 25¢ to use in hearing these LecTour broadcasts.

Open to the public Monday through Saturday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday 4 p.m. to 7 p.m.

THE NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART

MONDAY, April 26 through SUNDAY, May 2

Sculpture of the Week Jacopo Sansovino. Bacchus and a Young

Faun

(Andrew Mellon Collection) West Hall Tuesday through Saturday 12:00 and 2:00

Sunday 3:30 and 6:00

Tour of the Week Precursors of Modern French Painting in

France. Rotunda

Tuesday through Saturday 1:00

Sunday 2:30

Tour Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda Monday through Saturday 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday 5:00

Sunday Lecture Holbein and Henry VIII

Guest Speaker: Roy Strong

Assistant Keeper National Portrait Gallery, London

Lecture Hall 4:00

Sunday Concert Twenty-second American Music Festival:

HOWARD LEBOW. Pianist East Garden Court 8:00

MONDAY, May 3 through SUNDAY, May 9

Painting of the Week Ralph Earl. Daniel Boardman

(Gift of Mrs. W. Murray Crane) Gallery 67 Tuesday through Saturday 12:00 and 2:00

Sunday 3:30 and 6:00

Tour of the Week Precursors of Modern French Painting Out-

side France. Rotunda

Tuesday through Saturday 1:00

Sunday 2:30

Tour Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda

Monday through Saturday 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday 5:00

Sunday Lecture Naturalism in Barbizon Painting

Guest Speaker: ROBERT L. HERBERT

Professor of Art History Yale University, New Haven Lecture Hall 4:00

Sunday Concert Twenty-second American Music Festival:

CAROLYN REYER, Mezzo-Soprano RALPH ZITTERBART, Pianist East Garden Court 8:00

All concerts, with intermission talks by members of the National Gallery staff, are broadcast by Station WGMS-AM (570) and FM (103.5). MONDAY, May 10 through SUNDAY, May 16

Work of Art of Medici Ware, XVI Century. Ewer

(Widener Collection) Gallery G-3 the Week

Tuesday through Saturday 12:00 and 2:00 Sunday 3:30 and 6:00

Tour of the Week The Chester Dale Collection up to 1860

Rotunda

Tuesday through Saturday 1:00

Sunday 2:30

Tour Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda

Monday through Saturday 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday 5:00

Sunday Lecture Classical and Modern Art

Guest Speaker: Otto I. Brendel

Professor of Art History Columbia University, New York

Lecture Hall 4:00

Twenty-second American Music Festival: Sunday Concert

AEOLIAN TRIO

East Garden Court 8:00

MONDAY, May 17 through SUNDAY, May 23

French School, 1572. Prince Hercule-Painting of the Week

François, Duc d'Alençon

(Samuel H. Kress Collection) Gallery 41 Tuesday through Saturday 12:00 and 2:00

Sunday 3:30 and 6:00

The Chester Dale Collection 1860 to 1890 Tour of the Week

Rotunda

Tuesday through Saturday 1:00

Sunday 2:30

Tour Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda

Monday through Saturday 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday 5:00

Sunday Lecture Post-Impressionism in the Chester Dale

Collection

Guest Speaker: LESLIE JUDD AHLANDER

Author and Critic Lecture Hall 4:00

Twenty-second American Music Festival: Sunday Concert

National Gallery Orchestra RICHARD BALES, Conductor

Church of the Reformation Cantata Choir and

Soloists

East Garden Court 8:00

Inquiries concerning the Gallery's educational services should be addressed to the Educational Office, 737-4215, extension 272.

MONDAY, MAY 24 through SUNDAY, May 30

Sculpture of the Week Verrocchio. Giuliano de'Medici

(Andrew Mellon Collection) Gallery 2 Tuesday through Saturday 12:00 and 2:00

Sunday 3:30 and 6:00

Tour of the Week The Chester Dale Collection 1890 to

the Present Rotunda

Tuesday through Saturday 1:00

Sunday 2:30

Tour Introduction to the Collection. Rotunda Monday through Saturday 11:00 and 3:00

Sunday 5:00

Sunday Film Michelangelo

(Produced by Prof. Carlo L. Ragghianti) Courtesy of the Italian Government (Commentary in English)

(Commentary in English) Lecture Hall 4:00

Sunday Concert Twenty-second American Music Festival:

JOHN ČELENTANO, Violinist DAVID RENNER, Pianist East Garden Court 8:00