

February



For Members

Philadelphia
Museum of
Art

This Month

Newly Reinstalled

Chinese Galleries

Opens February 3

Members' Previews: February 1 & 2

Rediscover four thousand years of the art of China in our newly reimagined and reinstalled Chinese galleries. Go deeper into the stories behind the objects, grouped thematically in four eye-opening sections: Belief in the Afterlife, Nature and Self-Cultivation, Exchanges with the West, and Order in the Imperial Court. The new installation features recently conserved works, improved lighting, and a wide variety of objects, including a stunning collection of costumes and textiles, photographs, and contemporary art on view together for the first time.



Last Chance

Fabulous Fashion: From Dior's New Look to Now

Through March 3

In the spirit of Valentine's Day, experience the fantasy and sophisticated simplicity of bridal design in the exhibition's wedding section, including hometown princess Grace Kelly's wedding shoes, headpiece, and bridal manual.



Little Ladies: Victorian Fashion Dolls and the Feminine Ideal

Through March 3



For more information on the exhibitions and programs listed here, including generous donors, please visit philamuseum.org.

February



In the Galleries

The Duchamp Family

d'Harnoncourt Gallery 182

1 Friday

**Members' Previews:
Chinese Galleries**

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

**5:00–
8:45 Friday Nights
Ensemble Novo**

2 Saturday

**Members' Previews:
Chinese Galleries**

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

3 Sunday

Pay What You Wish

**10:00–
3:00 Family Festival
Lunar New Year**

6 Wednesday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Fabulous
Fashion **R M****

7 Thursday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Rethinking
the Modern
Monument **R M****

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

8 Friday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Rethinking
the Modern
Monument **R M****

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

**2:15 Members-Only
Tour Arms and
Armor **R M****

**5:00–
8:45 Friday Nights
Caleb & Carolyn**

9 Saturday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Rethinking
the Modern
Monument **R M****

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

**2:00 In the
Artist's Voice
David Lebe **R****

10 Sunday

**10:15–
11:45 Families
Ready, Set,
Sew! **R** \$**

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Fabulous
Fashion **R M****

**10:30–
3:00 Families
Sweet Dreams**

**10:30 Members'
Program
History of Your
Museum **R M****

**1:00–
3:00 Families
Ready, Set,
Sew! **R** \$**

13 Wednesday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Arms and
Armor**

**11:00 Families
Stroller Tour**

**5:00–
7:30 Families
We ♥ Art**

14 Thursday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Rethinking
the Modern
Monument **R M****

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

**5:00–
7:00 Members'
Program
A Monument
to Your Love **R M****

15 Friday

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

**5:00–
8:45 Friday Nights
Michelle Lordi**

16 Saturday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Arms and
Armor **R M****

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

**1:30,
2:15
& 3:30 Music in the
Galleries
Radiance & Light**

17 Sunday

**10:30–
3:00 Families
Sweet Dreams**

**2:15 Members-Only
Tour Arms and
Armor **R M****

18 Monday

**We're open on
Presidents' Day**

19 Tuesday

**2:15 Members-Only
Tour Fabulous
Fashion **R M****

**6:00 Talk Jasper Johns:
Redo an Eye **R****

20 Wednesday

**6:00–
8:00 Associate Sponsor
Members
Women in Art
(\$5,000+) **R M****

**6:15 Members-Only
Tour Arms and
Armor **R M****

21 Thursday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Rethinking
the Modern
Monument **R M****

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

22 Friday

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

**5:00–
8:45 Final Fridays
Celestial Bodies**

**6:30–
7:30 Young Friends
Members Muses
in Dance **R M****

23 Saturday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Fabulous
Fashion **R M****

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

24 Sunday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Rethinking
the Modern
Monument **R M****

**10:30–
3:00 Families
Sweet Dreams**

26 Tuesday

**2:00 Circle Members
Rodin's Monuments
(\$500+) **R M****

**2:00 Lecture Fashion &
Fabulousness**

27 Wednesday

**2:15 Members-Only
Tour Arms and
Armor **R M****

**6:00 Workshop
Pop-Up Cards **R** \$**

28 Thursday

**10:15 Members-Only
Tour Rethinking
the Modern
Monument **R M****

**11:00 Spotlight
Conversation**

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\$ Fee charged (member discounts offered for some events)

M Members' event

R By reservation only

More for You

For a complete list of upcoming member programs, please visit philamuseum.org/membership or see the winter **What's On** guide.



Members-Only Tours

There's always more to see—let us show you around.

Space is limited, and reservations are required. These tours are free for members and start in Lenfest Hall (West Entrance). See left for dates and times. **R M**

Arms and Armor

Discover our collection of armors, swords, shields, crossbows, equestrian equipment, and more.

Fabulous Fashion

Delve deeper into the drama and glamour of the exhibition.

Rethinking the Modern Monument

Hear how Auguste Rodin shaped modern sculpture. This tour meets at the Rodin Museum.

Want More?

Additional guided tours are offered every day and are open to all, no reservations required. Members-only tours are highlighted in this calendar. To see the entire schedule of tour topics and times, check the calendar page on our website on the first of each month.



Members' Programs

Space is limited; reservations are required.

History of Your Museum

Sunday, February 10, 10:30 a.m.

Discover hidden stories behind the Museum's rich holdings, from our beginnings to the transition into the new millennium. Members free; guests \$10. **R M**

Young Friends: Muses in Dance

Friday, February 22, 6:30–7:30 p.m.

Take a tour through the galleries with Pennsylvania Ballet dancers, and enjoy free drinks with the Young Friends of the Ballet. Young Friends free; guests \$10. **R M**

Rodin Museum

Rethinking the Modern Monument

Opens February 1

Auguste Rodin's public monuments challenged expectations and caused enormous controversy in their day. Explore his designs and their legacies in sculptures by Pablo Picasso, Jacques Lipchitz, and others.

More Members' Programs

A Monument to Your Love

Thursday, February 14, 5:00–7:00 p.m.

Start off a romantic Valentine's Day evening at the Rodin Museum, with in-gallery guides and later hours just for you and your special guests. The first one hundred people receive a sweet treat from chocolatier John & Kira's. Members and guests free.

R M

Rodin's Monuments

Tuesday, February 26, 2:00 p.m.

Hear how Rodin shaped modern sculpture through his new approaches to the form and function of monuments. With Alexander Kauffman (Mellon-d'Harnoncourt Postdoctoral Curatorial Fellow). For Sustainers and above (\$500+). **R M**



Special Events

Entertain with Us

Celebrate your next special occasion at the Rodin Museum. We offer an array of entertaining options, both in the galleries and in the garden, for anniversaries, birthdays, weddings, and corporate events. Members receive a 5 to 10% discount on space rentals. Check out our other remarkable settings too, at philamuseum.org.

For more information, contact Special Events at 215-684-7310 or entertaining@philamuseum.org.

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Discover our Chinese galleries.