



Montgomery Museum of Fine Arts News Release

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**The Montgomery Museum of Fine Arts Presents the 22nd Annual
Holiday Open House**

Montgomery, AL, November 20, 2017- Celebrate the start of the holiday season at the 22nd annual *Holiday Open House* at the Montgomery Museum of Fine Arts on Saturday, December 2, from 1 to 4 P.M. Admission is free, but visitors are encouraged to bring canned goods to benefit the Montgomery Area Food Bank and new, unwrapped toys for Toys for Tots.

Holiday Open House will feature musical performances by local school choirs, festive art-making activities, horse-drawn carriage rides through the park, a Christmas tree adorned with hand-made ornaments created for the Museum by Alabama artists, and an appearance by Santa Claus.

In addition to these holiday treats, the Museum invites guests to view these exhibitions *Uncommon Territory: Contemporary Art in Alabama*; *Rodin: Realism, Fragments, and Abstraction*; *Southern Accents*; *Principally Paper* and the ARTWORKS Corridor student exhibition, *Emergent Viewpoints: Art in Alabama Today*.

Also, while you enjoy the FREE cookies and lemonade, stop by the Museum Store to do some of your holiday shopping from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. You can also make reservations for our Saturday brunch at Café M from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M. at 334.240.4339.

The BBVA Compass Foundation is the sponsor of this year's *Holiday Open House*.

The Montgomery Museum of Fine Arts is located inside the Wynton Blount Cultural Park, One Museum Drive, Montgomery. The Museum is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10 A.M. to 5 P.M.; Thursday from 10 A.M. to 9 P.M.; and Sunday 12 noon to 5 P.M. For more information, call the MMFA at 334.240.4333 or visit the website at <http://www.mmfa.org>.

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