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Oh, there's no place like CAM for the holidays! Cincinnati Art Museum celebrates the season with art, tradition and holiday shopping

CINCINNATI — Get in the spirit of the season with a one-of-a-kind, art-filled family visit to the Cincinnati Art Museum. Experience world-class exhibitions, get a head start on holiday shopping at our Gift Shop and place your New Year's wishes on the *Tree of Life*. No matter how you celebrate this festive time of year, making CAM a part of your family's holiday tradition is sure to have you feeling merry and bright!



Tree of Life

Nov. 22, 2016-Jan. 8, 2017

Created by Cincinnati artist Matt Kotlarczyk, *Tree of Life* features a crabapple tree that has been transformed into a sculptural piece of art. Visitors are encouraged to write wishes for the New Year, which will adorn the tree. This tradition, at the museum during the holidays since 2013, provides a symbol for community, culture, beauty, family and tradition—the values that embody the holiday season. This exhibit will be located in the Near Eastern Galleries (G147-149). FREE admission to the museum and *Tree of Life*; no tickets required.

Van Gogh: Into the Undergrowth

Now-Jan. 8, 2017

Bring the entire family for a tour of this world-class special exhibition centered on the Cincinnati Art Museum's *Undergrowth with Two Figures*. The exhibition explores the significance of the forest interior to the art of Vincent van Gogh. FREE for art museum members. <u>Purchase tickets online</u> or at the museum. We recommend visiting on Tuesdays, Wednesdays or afternoons at 3 p.m. or later to avoid the crowds.

Kentucky Renaissance: The Lexington Camera Club and Its Community, 1954–1974

Now-Jan. 1, 2017

Don't miss the first major exhibition of photographs, prints, books and other artworks made in Lexington, Kentucky during the third quarter of the 20th century. FREE for art museum members. Purchase tickets online or at the museum.

Holiday Gift Shop

Inspired by *Van Gogh: Into the Undergrowth,* CAM's Gift Shop features exclusive Van Gogh-themed dresses, t-shirts, totes, scarves, men's ties, ornaments, mugs, artisanal coffee, wall décor, books, Graeter's chocolates and more! Members enjoy a 10% discount and free gift wrapping is available.



About Cincinnati Art Museum

The Cincinnati Art Museum is supported by the generosity of individuals and businesses that give annually to ArtsWave. The Ohio Arts Council helps fund the Cincinnati Art Museum with state tax dollars to encourage economic growth, educational excellence and cultural enrichment for all Ohioans. The Cincinnati Art Museum gratefully acknowledges operating support from the City of Cincinnati, as well as our members.

General admission to the Cincinnati Art Museum is always free and parking is free. The museum is open Tuesday–Sunday, 11 a.m.–5 p.m. and from 11 a.m.–8 p.m. every Thursday.