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### **Morris Area Public Library to Host Bonus Art Expo Featuring Masterworks in Print**

**Morris, IL - October 5, 2026** - When the Liberty Arts Festival was postponed, it created an exciting opportunity for the Morris Area Public Library to bring another Art Expo to the community. The library will host a Bonus Art Expo on Saturday, October 17, from 10AM-4PM, featuring an expanded selection of artwork generously shared by a private collector.

The exhibit will showcase an impressive collection of masterworks in print spanning centuries of art history. Visitors will have the opportunity to view original etchings, engravings, woodcuts, lithographs, and linocuts featuring the work of some of the world's most celebrated artists, including Rembrandt van Rijn, Edgar Degas, Albrecht Dürer, Wassily Kandinsky, Salvador Dalí, Marc Chagall, Pablo Picasso, Adamo Scultori, Wenceslaus Hollar, and Nicolas Chapron.

The Bonus Art Expo offers visitors a chance to view the works up close and learn more about the history and craftsmanship behind various printmaking techniques. From centuries-old etchings and engravings to colorful lithographs and linocuts, the exhibit provides a unique look at the ways artists have used printmaking to create and share their work.

Admission is free, and no registration is required. Visitors are welcome to stop in at any time during the event and enjoy the exhibit at their own pace. The Morris Area Public Library extends its sincere appreciation to the private collector for generously sharing additional pieces from their collection and helping bring this special art experience to the community.

For more information about this BONUS Art Expo and other events at the Morris Area Public Library, please visit our website at [www.morrislibrary.com](http://www.morrislibrary.com) or contact us at 815-942-6880.

**About Morris Area Public Library:** The Morris Area Public Library's mission is to provide materials, programming, and space to cultivate curiosity, enlighten the mind, and strengthen the community. We strive to offer diverse and enriching experiences for all members of our community.

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