



the Society

The Fine Arts Society (FAS) provides stimulating social gatherings for Museum Members who have a common interest in earlier European art.

The Society strives to increase community knowledge and appreciation of European art by promoting interest in the Milwaukee Art Museum's exhibitions and Collection, and by organizing related education programs and travel.

FAS supports acquisitions and encourages private donations of European art to the Museum's Collection.

benefits of membership

Previews and behind-the-scenes tours of exhibitions at the Milwaukee Art Museum and other national museums

Parties and small group tours of private collections

Advance notice of lectures and programs offered by experts in the field

Invitations to special events and trips related to earlier European art

Opportunities to help select acquisitions of earlier European art for the Milwaukee Art Museum

FAstrack, the Society's semi-annual newsletter

past speakers

Richard Brettell
Professor of Aesthetic Studies,
University of Texas at Dallas

David Alan Brown
Curator of Italian Paintings,
National Gallery of Art,
Washington D.C.

Erich Cirilano
Neapolitan crèche expert

Richard Kendall
Independent art historian
and consulting curator to
the Clark Art Institute

Christopher Lloyd
Past Surveyor of The Queen's
Pictures

Mariët Westermann
Director, Institute of Fine Arts,
New York University

Ernst van de Wetering
Director, Rembrandt Research
Project

Arthur Wheelock
Curator of Northern Baroque
Painting, Washington, D.C.

Christian Witt-Döring
Decorative arts expert

past trips

(Museums and Private Collections)

Baltimore | Washington, D.C.

Basel | Strasbourg | Zurich

Berlin | Dresden

Boston

Brussels | Antwerp | The Hague

Chicago

Cracow | Warsaw | Gdansk

Houston

Kansas City

Los Angeles | Santa Barbara

Moscow | St. Petersburg

New York

Philadelphia

Vienna | Munich



Fine Arts Society Members enjoy lunch in Windhover Hall before a lecture.

Fine Arts Society membership form

PLEASE NOTE: You must first be a Member of the Milwaukee Art Museum to join the Fine Arts Society. To join the Museum, go to www.mam.org or call the Membership Hotline at 414-224-3284.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP _____

HOME PHONE _____ WORK PHONE _____

FAX _____ E-MAIL _____

MEMBERSHIP (check one):

- Student: \$25
 Individual: \$75
 Young Family (45 and under): \$45
 Family: \$125

TOTAL MEMBERSHIP \$ _____

ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTION

Please consider giving an additional contribution towards the Fine Arts Society Acquisition Fund.

TOTAL CONTRIBUTION \$ _____

TOTAL AMOUNT \$ _____

(membership and contribution)

PAYMENT (Please include one of the following):

- CHECK VISA MASTERCARD DISCOVER

ACCOUNT NUMBER _____

EXPIRATION DATE _____ FOR DISCOVER TRANSACTIONS ONLY
CID number (last 3 digits on signature strip)

SIGNATURE _____

RETURN THIS FORM TO

Fine Arts Society—Milwaukee Art Museum
700 North Art Museum Drive, Milwaukee, WI 53202

FOR INFORMATION

414-224-3293 | mam@mam.org



Fine Arts Society Members organized *An Evening in Biedermeier Vienna*, an event that raised funds for acquisitions of Biedermeier art.

COVER IMAGE
Pair of Candelabra, Vienna, ca. 1820. Stephan Mayerhofer, Sr. (Székesfehérvár 1772–1852 Vienna-Leopoldstadt). Silver-plated copper. Milwaukee Art Museum, Purchase, with funds from Kenneth Treis.



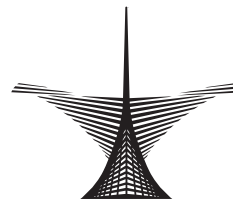
The Fine Arts Society provided funds in 2000 to help with the installation of the French Period room.



The Fine Arts Society sponsored a number of events for the exhibition *Biedermeier: The Invention of Simplicity*. The Society also raised funds to purchase the magnificent Biedermeier table, shown in the center of the lower photo, for the Milwaukee Art Museum's Collection.

MILWAUKEE ART MUSEUM Fine Arts Society

A SUPPORT GROUP OF THE MILWAUKEE ART MUSEUM



MILWAUKEE ART MUSEUM

700 NORTH ART MUSEUM DRIVE
MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

414-224-3200 | www.mam.org