

MUSCARELLE MUSEUM OF ART

at The College of William & Mary

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MEDIA ALERT

- **Muscarelle Museum of Art Extends Run Of Exhibit**
 - **Extended Weekend Hours Announced**
 - **Fall Events Calendar Announced**

Exhibition Run Extended at the Muscarelle Museum of Art

An exhibition currently on display at the Muscarelle Museum of Art at the College of William and Mary has been extended due to its popularity.

In Memory Still: A Kiowa Legacy in Art traces the enduring artistic tradition of American Indian artists, known as the Kiowa Five, from their roots in Plains culture to their lasting influence upon contemporary Native artwork.

The exhibition will now be on view through January 22, 2012.

Extended Weekend Hours Announced

Due to the popularity of this exhibition, as well as that of *Seeing Colors: Secrets of the Impressionists*, an exhibit that features more than forty original works by the leading Impressionists in Europe and the United States, the **weekend hours at the museum have been extended to 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. each Saturday and Sunday.**

Special Events at the Muscarelle Museum

Native American Family Day

Saturday November 5 | 1:00 until 4:00 PM

In celebration of Native American Heritage Month, the Museum celebrates Native American Arts Family Day, exploring traditional and contemporary tribal art from several Native populations both regional and national, in collaboration with the exhibition *In Memory Still: A Kiowa Legacy in Art*. Enjoy the fun of hands-on projects for children up to twelve, demonstrations, and more activities that will immerse you in Native American arts.

Third Thursday Lectures - Rewinding the History of Art

Dr. John T. Spike - *Secret Messages of Faith: Fra Angelico's Frescoes at San Marco*

Thursday | November 17 | 6:00 until 8:00 PM

Called Angelico for his exquisite depictions of paradise, the paintings of the 15th century Dominican friar, Fra Angelico, have been beloved for centuries. In this lecture, Spike unravels their secret messages, showing that Fra Angelico drew upon the mystical writings of the early church fathers to describe a non-linear journey towards union with God.

All events listed are free of charge. Museum admission required to view exhibitions.

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For More Information

For more information on exhibitions, events or details about the museum, visit wm.edu/muscarelle or call 757-221-2700.

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