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PICASSO COMES TO HARRISBURG

Harrisburg, PA – A new exhibition featuring works on paper by Pablo Picasso will be on view in the Susquehanna Art Museum's Main Gallery June 8 – September 22, 2019! *PICASSO: A Life in Print, 45 Years of Collecting from the John Szoke Gallery* features work from the collection of the John Szoke Gallery, NYC.

This survey of prints spans the artist's prolific career, with work from 1904 – 1970. Though Picasso never received formal training in printmaking, he found it to be a ready format in which to develop his rapidly developing ideas. *A Life in Print* includes pieces from the historic *Suite des Saltimbanques*, Picasso's first major body of work in printmaking; *Suite Vollard*, a group of one hundred prints commissioned by famed art dealer Ambroise Vollard; and the *Caisse à Remords*, prized by collectors because they represent an intimate view of the artist's personal vision.



Pablo Picasso, *Le Repas Frugal*, 1913, etching

Picasso's use of printmaking techniques demonstrates his intuitive ability to master the possibilities of any medium. His inventiveness challenged his collaborators to push the boundaries of their own skills as craftsmen. His published prints total approximately 2,000 different images.

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Established in 1974, John Szoke Gallery specializes in works on paper with a focus on prints by Pablo Picasso and Edvard Munch. For over 40 years, the gallery has worked with dealers, collectors and museums worldwide to build collections of rare quality prints and drawings.

Susquehanna Art Museum, located at 1401 North Third Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102, is open to the public Tuesday – Saturday from 10:00 am – 5:00 pm with extended hours on Wednesdays til 7:00 pm. Sundays: 12 noon – 5:00 pm. Free parking is available to museum-goers in the lot immediately adjacent to the rear of the museum at Calder and James Streets.

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