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The Macallan sponsors Guggenheim initiative

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The Macallan Anecdotes of Ages whiskey. Image credit: The Macallan

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Scottish whisky maker The Macallan is supporting arts and culture by sponsoring The Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum's Saturday on the House initiative.

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Saturday on the House is an opportunity for visitors to enjoy free admission all day to the Guggenheim on eight select Saturdays from May through December. The initiative has been created to make art available to a wider public and engage a variety of audiences.

On the house

Upcoming dates for Saturday on the House are May 1, June 5, July 3, August 7, September 4, October 23, November 6 and December 4.

Visitors are invited to experience all of the exhibitions on view each Saturday that the program is offered.

For the inaugural Saturday on the House, the exhibitions that will be open are: *Off the Record*, featuring 13 artists whose work questions and challenges dominant narratives in mainstream documentation, as well as *Christian Nyampeta: Sometimes It Was Beautiful*, a solo site-specific installation in the rotunda.



The Guggenheim Museum in New York City. Image credit: The Guggenheim

Other exhibitions include: *A Year with Children 2021*, a showcase of artworks made by students participating in the museum's arts education program Learning Through Art; *Away from the Easel: Jackson Pollock's Mural*, a presentation dedicated to Mural, a work that has not been shown in New York in more than 20 years; and *Knotted, Torn, Scattered: Sculpture after Abstract Expressionism*, sculptural work by artists who question and expand the legacy of Abstract Expressionism.

Capacity is limited and timed tickets must be reserved in advance. Visitors are invited to sign up to receive email notifications when tickets are released.

In February, The Macallan collaborated with artist Sir Peter Blake to launch "The Anecdotes of Ages Collection," which celebrated the legacies of both the artist and brand.

The collection features 13 unique bottles of whisky, featuring the colorful style of Sir Blake with each label sporting its own original collage created by the artist. The whisky maker and artist have been collaborating for more than three decades ([see story](#)).

A month later, one of the bottles was auctioned with Sotheby's New York to benefit Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum's diversity, equity, access and inclusion initiatives and raised funds to support Saturday on the House.

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