A Bus Excursion to the Crocker Art Museum

Bus will be departing from the VA Hospital at Clinton & Fresno Streets at 7:30 am and arriving in Sacramento around 11:00 am. The day will be spent at the Crocker Art Museum, where travelers can dine on their own and at their leisure in the Crocker Cafe. A 4:00 pm we will head over to Old Sacramento for shopping and an early dinner with a 6:00 pm departure and a return to Fresno at approximately 10:00 pm.

Bus Excursion: $125 FAM members
$140 non-members

Price includes round trip bus fare, a breakfast snack, entrance to the Crocker, and wine en route home to Fresno.

Lecture on Andy Warhol

All registered travelers are invited to join Fresno Art Museum Director & Chief Curator, Michele Ellis Pracy for a talk about the colorful life & times of Andy Warhol on Wednesday, June 1, 2016 at 5 pm in FAM’s Bonner Auditorium.

Lecture free to All Registered Travelers. All others, $5 for FAM members, $10 for non-members, if space available.

LECTURE ON Andy Warhol

Andy Warhol's lifelong fascination with celebrity and the art of portraiture is examined in this exhibition featuring 168 drawings, fashion sketches and paintings, photo-booth film strips, Polaroids, photographs, personal memorabilia and portrait paintings. From early fashion sketches to Warhol's revolutionary use of media images, the power of the Warhol portrait is traced, revealing how the artist transformed this genre into the status symbol of an era.

Andy Warhol: Portraits includes examples of Warhol's self-portraits, in addition to a broad sampling of the 20th–century luminaries who eagerly sat for him, such as Yves Saint Laurent, Tennessee Williams, Truman Capote, Keith Haring, Robert Mapplethorpe, Jean-Michel Basquiat, Judy Garland, Jane Fonda, and Sylvester Stallone. Evoking the experience of Warhol’s Factory, an exhibition interactive allows visitors to make their own Screen Test, bringing to life and making personal a related aspect of Warhol’s portraiture. The exhibitin was organized by The Andy Warhol Museum, one of the four Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh.

The Crocker Art Museum has an impressive permanent collection. Old Sacramento is charming, full of interesting shops, great restaurants, and a river walk.

Booking Deadline for Registration:
Friday, May 19, 2016, 5 pm

Bus Excursion presented by FAM's Education Department. Any excess funds collected help support the Kennedy Center’s Any Given Child Program which brings 3rd grade students from Fresno Unified Schools to FAM. (50% of your payment is tax-deductible)

Contact 559.441.4221 x 101 or susan@fresnoartmuseum.org for additional information or to register.
Andy Warhol lived in the XX cent., a remarkable figure of American Pop Art. Find more works of this artist at Wikiart.org – best visual art database. Andy Warhol (/ˈwÉ'rhɒl/; born Andrew Warhola; August 6, 1928 – February 22, 1987) was an American artist, director and producer who was a leading figure in the visual art movement known as pop art. Andy Warhol was an American artist who was the leading figure of the Pop Art movement. Such was his impact that he is called the Pope of Pop Art. The subject of his works varied from iconic American objects to celebrities to fictional characters to traditional subjects like flowers. Warhol created a Myths-series which contained a series of silkscreened portraits of ten fictional characters taken from popular culture. All the portraits were inlaid with diamond dust which made them shine with soft, wavering light. Andy Warhol (/ˈwÉ'rhÉ'l/; born Andrew Warhola; August 6, 1928 – February 22, 1987) was an American artist, film director, and producer who was a leading figure in the visual art movement known as pop art. His works explore the relationship between artistic expression, advertising, and celebrity culture that flourished by the 1960s, and span a variety of media, including painting, silkscreening, photography, film, and sculpture. Some of his best known works include the silkscreen paintings Campbell's.