



## NEWS RELEASE

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### **THE FRICK PITTSBURGH PRESENTS THE ROY A. HUNT FOUNDATION AWARD FOR COMMITMENT TO EDUCATION IN THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES TO JUBILEE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL OF MT. LEBANON**

**AWARD PROGRAM: Wednesday, May 17, 2017, 12:00 p.m.  
The Frick Art Museum Auditorium**

PITTSBURGH, PA, May 10, 2017— The Frick Pittsburgh announces that the Jubilee Christian School of Mt. Lebanon will receive the 2017 Roy A. Hunt Foundation Award for Commitment to Education in the Arts and Humanities. The award ceremony is scheduled for Wednesday, May 17, 2017 and will begin at noon in The Frick Art Museum Auditorium.

In 1999, the Roy A. Hunt Foundation worked with the Frick to establish this award. The *Roy A. Hunt Foundation Award for Commitment to Education in the Arts and Humanities* is given annually to a teacher or school in recognition of a demonstrated a commitment to participation in the Frick's educational programs and successful integration of the arts into the learning experience.

The Jubilee Christian School staff has consistently participated in a variety of programs at the Frick since 1999. The school's students have been engaged in *Growing Up at Clayton*, *Chemistry of Color*, *Medieval Gold*, *Join the Guild*, *Long, Long Ago*, and *Portraits of Power*, as well as teacher workshops offered over

the past 18 years. The staff actively integrates art, science and social studies into many aspects of the school's curriculum and makes the most of its biannual visits by extending the field trip experience. They readily extend meaningful connections with art, history, math, and writing, using the applications in Frick programming as fortification. The Frick and the Roy A. Hunt Foundation is honoring the Jubilee Christian School with this award for its extra effort in providing a cultural and historical context for the enrichment and advancement of its students.

Jubilee Christian School of Mt. Lebanon will be recognized at a ceremony in The Frick Art Museum Auditorium on Wednesday, May 17, 2017 at 12:00 p.m. The ceremony will be attended by teachers and students, who will participate in a tour and activity, followed by a brief presentation to ceremony attendees.

A representative from the Roy A. Hunt Foundation will present the award. On hand for the award presentation will be: Charles R. ("Chip") Burke, Jr. , Chair, Board of Trustees, The Frick Pittsburgh; Robin Nicholson, Executive Director of The Frick Pittsburgh; Roy A. Hunt Foundation trustee Torrence M. Hunt, Jr.; Jenny Kelly, Executive Director of the Roy A. Hunt Foundation; and representatives from Jubilee Christian School of Mt. Lebanon.

Jubilee Christian School of Mt. Lebanon will be presented with a plaque for display at the school, and a check in the amount of \$3,000 will be presented to the school to help defray the cost of future field trips and enrichment activities. Additionally, the school's students will receive 150 complimentary admission passes to Clayton to encourage future visits.

## **ABOUT THE ROY A. HUNT FOUNDATION AWARD FOR COMMITMENT TO EDUCATION IN THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES**

*The Roy A. Hunt Foundation Award for Commitment to Education in the Arts and Humanities* was established at the Frick Pittsburgh through the efforts of Torrence M. Hunt, Sr. (1921–2004), a longtime Alcoa executive who was involved with many civic, educational, wildlife, and conservation groups. Following his retirement from Alcoa in 1982, Mr. Hunt served as senior trustee of the Roy A. Hunt Foundation, named for his father and established in 1966. Thanks to the generosity of Mr. Hunt and the Foundation, including Torrence M. Hunt, Jr., who serves as a trustee on the foundation’s board, thousands of students have participated in enrichment activities through support provided by *The Roy A. Hunt Foundation Award for Commitment to Education in the Arts and Humanities*.

## **ABOUT LEARNING & VISITOR EXPERIENCE AT THE FRICK PITTSBURGH**

The Frick Pittsburgh offers educational programs for children, students, adults and families. During the Frick’s last fiscal year (2016–2017), these programs served more than 16,500 individuals. For more information about the Frick and its educational programs, please call 412-371-0600 or visit [TheFrickPittsburgh.org](http://TheFrickPittsburgh.org)

## **ABOUT THE FRICK PITTSBURGH**

Located on the Pittsburgh estate of late-19<sup>th</sup>-century industrialist Henry Clay Frick, The Frick Pittsburgh is the steward of collections left as a legacy to the people of Pittsburgh by Frick’s daughter, Helen Clay Frick. The permanent collections include fine and decorative arts, cars, carriages, historic objects, and buildings. The Frick experience includes The Frick Art Museum, the Car and Carriage Museum, Clayton, the Frick family Gilded Age mansion, and six acres of beautifully landscaped lawns and gardens. Also included are an Education Center, the Frick children’s playhouse (designed by renowned architects Alden & Harlow), a large working greenhouse (also designed by Alden & Harlow), The Café at the Frick, and the Grable Visitor Center, which houses the Frick Museum Store.

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The Frick Pittsburgh is located at 7227 Reynolds Street in Pittsburgh’s Point Breeze neighborhood. Free parking is available in the Frick’s off-street lot or along adjacent streets.

The Frick is open 10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m., Tuesday–Sunday; 10:00 a.m.–9:00 p.m. Friday; and is closed Mondays and major holidays. The public should call 412-371-0600 for information, or visit the Frick online at [TheFrickPittsburgh.org](http://TheFrickPittsburgh.org).

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