

AFRICAN ART MUSEUM OF MARYLAND (AAMM) Opens its 2023 Fall Season and Invites you to Come and Enjoy

"African Art: Cross fibers...Cross Cultures, II" which highlights AAMM's textile artistic creations to include:

- Tapestries by Senegalese artist and Master Weaver, Abdulay Kassé, whose creations have been exhibited in the Vatican, the Sistine Chapel, Buckingham Palace and in world-famous The Louvre,
- From Nomsa of the Kusile Expert Weavers of Swaziland, a 51"x42" fringed tapestry combining wool and terra cotta balls, woven in 1991, and
- For its first public exhibition in the United States, a 57"x 77" appliqued tapestry "The Kings of Benin", colorfully depicting, in exquisite needlework, the names of the Benin (formerly Dahomey) Kings, their symbols of their reigns, and their reigning dates for 300 years.

on

Saturday, September 16, 2023
1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
at the
African Art Museum of Maryland
8875 Cloudleap Court, Suite 112
Long Reach Village Center
Columbia, MD 21045
Free * Light Refreshments * All Invited

Witness also:

- Informal modeling of "The Cloth That Speaks" the Adinkra cloth of Ghana, and
- On exhibition a fashionably attired outfit of a Nigerian female,
- Available for sale are professionally crafted objects by AAMM's Circle of Stars Vendors.

Hope to see you!

AAMM appreciates the support of Lee Anderson's Doodle Hatch in Columbia, MD

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Mission: In service to the public, the African Art Museum of Maryland, through an exploration of the arts of Africa, is dedicated to the encouragement of broader understanding and awareness of the diverse cultures and artistic expressions of the people of the African continent. AAMM collects, exhibits, and preserves for the public, treasured objects reflecting the fifty-five countries of Africa.