

# Detroit Institute of Arts

## Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018



The DIA's collection is among the top six in the United States, comprising a multicultural and multinational survey of human creativity from prehistory through the 21st century. The foundation was laid by William Valentiner, a scholar and art historian from Berlin, who was director from 1924 to 1945 . His extensive contacts in Europe, along with support from generous patrons, enabled him to acquire many important works that established the framework of today's collections. Among the notable acquisitions during his tenure are Mexican artist Diego Rivera's Detroit Industry fresco cycle, which Rivera considered his most successful work, and Vincent van Gogh's Self Portrait, the first Van Gogh painting to enter a U.S. museum collections.

**Presented By: Davison Area Senior Center**

**Price: \$57.00 Per Person**

### Trip Includes:

- Round trip motor coach transportation to Detroit
- Admission to the Detroit Institute of Art
- Guided Highlights Tour of the DIA – Permanent Collection
- Free time for lunch on own and touring the DIA

### Trip Itinerary:

8:30 AM Depart | 3:00 PM Return – Davison Area Senior Center

10:00 AM to 2:00 PM – Detroit Institute of Art

**Sign-up no later than 10-11-18**

- Payment due upon sign-up.
- Limit only 28 seats available.

**For reservations, please contact the Center at 810-658-1566.**