



Announcing New Temporary Exhibition

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WHAT: ***Welded & Fabricated Poetry: The Artistic Life of Elizabeth Yanish Shwayder***
Co-curated by Hugh Grant, Founding Director, and Christopher Herron, Deputy Curator
Catalog essay by Stan Cuba, Associate Consulting Curator, foreword by Hugh Grant

WHERE: Kirkland Museum of Fine & Decorative Art
1201 Bannock Street
Denver, CO 80204
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WHEN: Friday, August 24, 2018 through Sunday, January 6, 2019

HOURS: Tuesday–Saturday: 11am to 5pm; Sunday: 12pm to 5pm; Closed Mondays

COST: \$10.00 General admission, \$8.00 Seniors (age 65+), Teachers and Students (age 13+) with ID. Free admission for Kirkland Museum members.
NOTE: Due to the fragile nature of our collection, children under age 13 are not admitted.

DETAILS: Kirkland Museum is pleased to feature a retrospective of 50 highlights from Elizabeth Yanish Shwayder's career. Shwayder has created hundreds of sculptures and executed a number of public art commissions in the Rocky Mountain region. She came to Colorado in 1945. Her sculptures have been shown widely in galleries in the United States, England and Italy. In addition to creating artworks, she has been very active in the local art community, serving on the Mayor's Committee on Cultural Affairs [now the Denver Commission on Cultural Affairs], the Denver Council on the Arts & Humanities [now Colorado Creative Industries] and the Board of Trustees of the Denver Center for the Performing Arts. Her charitable work includes organizing multiple coat and book drives and teaching art to hundreds of Denver Public Schools' students.

EVENTS: **Opening Reception**
Thursday, August 23, 2018, 5:30 to 8pm