

The Noyes Gallery at the Claridge, A.C. Opening Reception for Two New Exhibitions!

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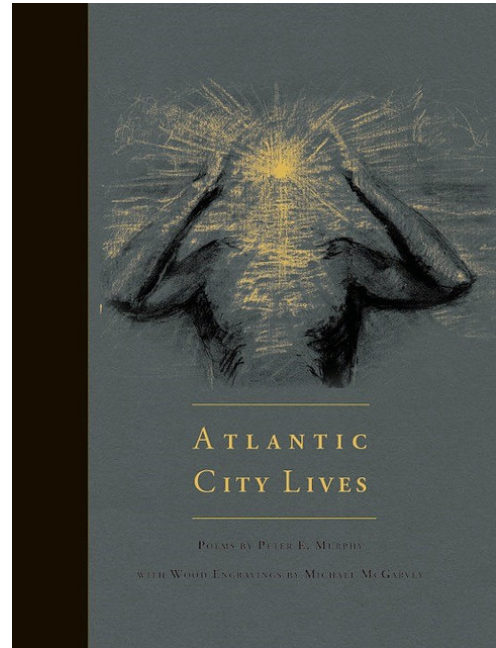
NOYES GALLERY AT THE CLARIDGE, A.C.

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. - The Noyes Museum Gallery at the Claridge Hotel in Atlantic City is celebrating two new artists' exhibitions with an opening reception on Saturday, December 1, from 1-3 pm. The featured exhibitions are: *Atlantic City Lives: Peter Murphy & Michael McGarvey* and *David French: Chromatic Payoff*.

Atlantic City Lives: Peter Murphy & Michael McGarvey is on view until December 12, 2018. Opening Reception: Saturday, December 1, 1-3pm. With wood engravings by Michael McGarvey and poems by Peter E. Murphy, *Atlantic City Lives* explores the stories of the people of "America's Favorite Playground" during and after its gambling heyday. Each of the paintings are based on one of the stages in the archetypal hero myth outline in Joseph Campbell's *The Hero with a Thousand Faces*. The series deals with the transformative journey of the creative spirit. These themes emerged in the engravings for *Atlantic City Lives* many years later. (Photo 1)

DAVID FRENCH: Chromatic Payoff is on view until December 12, 2018. Opening Reception: Saturday, December 1, 1-3pm. Artist David French explores his celebratory and investigative relationship with the essential elements of painting. According to French, "The painter's toolbox consists of a flat surface, and the colors red, yellow, blue and white. The paint provides optical structure, I provide human agency." (Photo 2)

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Atlantic City Lives: Peter Murphy & Michael McGarvey, poems & wood engravings



David French: Chromatic Payoff, untitled, oil on canvas

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NOYES GALLERY, THE CLARIDGE, ATLANTIC CITY:

Current Exhibitions:

- *Atlantic City Lives: Peter Murphy & Michael McGarvey* October 4 – December 12, 2018
- *DAVID FRENCH: Chromatic Payoff* October 4 – December 12, 2018

Upcoming Programs & Events:

- Opening Reception: 1-3pm December 1, 2018

Photos 1-2 Captions:

1. *Atlantic City Lives: Peter Murphy & Michael McGarvey, Cover Art by Michael McGarvey*
2. *DAVID FRENCH: Chromatic Payoff, untitled, oil on canvas*

ABOUT:

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2. Noyes Arts Garage: 2200 Fairmount Ave., Atlantic City, N.J. 08401 • [\(609\) 626-3805](tel:6096263805) • <http://www.artsgarageac.com>
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