



CHARLES ALLIS  
ART MUSEUM

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## **Movie Time at the Charles Allis Art Museum Presents: *We Love a Mystery***

**Milwaukee, WI** – The Charles Allis Art Museum, 1801 N. Prospect Ave., Milwaukee presents *We Love a Mystery*, the first installment of the museum's popular classic film series MOVIE TIME. The series features classic mystery and noir films from the 30's and 40's, including Hitchcock's NOTORIOUS on February 23 and several films that have never been screened at the Allis before. The series entitled *We Love a Mystery* focuses on just that – some of our favorite suspense thrillers of all time!

Movie Time is every other Wednesday at the Charles Allis Art Museum. Doors open @ 6:30 p.m., film screens @ 7:30 p.m. Admission is \$5/adult, \$3/student & senior and FREE/Museum Member. Includes film, cash bar and admission to the Mansion.

### **SCHEDULE:**

<b>Wednesday, January 26</b>	<b>Laura</b> (1944, 85 min)
<b>Wednesday, February 9</b>	<b>The Uninvited</b> (1944, 98 min)
<b>Wednesday, February 23</b>	Hitchcock's <b>NOTORIOUS</b> (1946, 101 min.)
<b>Wednesday, March 9</b>	<b>IVY</b> (1947, 99 min.)
<b>Wednesday, March 23</b>	<b>The Thin Man Goes Home</b> (1944, 100 min.)

Film synopsis/more about movie time <http://www.charlesallis.org/movietime.html>

### **About Dale Kuntz, Milwaukee Film Historian**

Dale Kuntz has been sharing his wealth of knowledge and passion with Milwaukee audiences for over 30 years. He is President of Milwaukee Film Classics and the film society, FOOFS, Followers Of Old Films. He also teaches a Film History class at Cardinal Stritch University. As a free-lance writer, he has been published in local magazines such as *Milwaukee Magazine* and *Exclusively Yours*, as well as national film magazines and newspapers. Kuntz also collaborated with Phillip Castanza, New York City author, on the successful book, *The Films of Jeanette McDonald and Nelson Eddy*.

### **About the Charles Allis Mansion**

The Charles Allis Art Museum, 1801 N. Prospect Ave., Milwaukee Celebrates its 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 2011. The Museum, a historic and cultural landmark on the city's East Side will celebrate with ***Allis in Wonderland***, a year-long celebration of exhibitions featuring unseen works from the Charles Allis Art Collection, presentations, special events and more! On the National Registry of Historic Places, the lavish 1911 Tudor-style mansion was originally the home of Charles Allis, first president of Allis-Chalmers Corporation and his wife Sarah. The Charles Allis Mansion was designed by prominent Milwaukee architect Alexander Eschweiler. Construction on the home began in 1909 and was completed in 1911. Special attention was paid to the exterior walls which are constructed of thick concrete to keep the Allis' substantial art collection safe from the ever-present threat of fire. It was one of the first private residences in Milwaukee to have electricity. Interior materials included fine Italian marble, used for the hand-carved fireplaces found in almost every room as well as the grand staircase and the Marble Hall, *Lincrusta Walton*, an embossed wallpaper, and Cirassian walnut paneling found in the French Parlor and Library. The Charles Allis Art Museum is a treasure, preserved intact in its original form with some items in the collection being the only known examples of their kind in existence.

### **General Information**

Museum Hours: Wednesday - Sunday, 1-5 p.m. General Admission: \$5/adult, \$3/student & senior (62+), Free for museum members, children 12 & under, and active military. Group tours available. More information at (414) 278-8295 or [www.charlesallis.org](http://www.charlesallis.org)

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