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Visitors view paintings and drawings by surrealist artist Leonora Carrington. PHOTOS BY TANIA SAVAYAN/THE JOURNAL NEWS

Admire the exhibits at Katonah Museum of Art

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The Katonah Museum of Art has been making art accessible to the community for more than 70 years. It was founded by a group of women in 1954 as the Katonah Gallery and has since transformed into a northern Westchester cultural institution.

Michelle Yun Mapplethorpe, the museum's director and chief curator, said they stage three major exhibitions a year. "We don't have our

own permanent collection, but we bring both monographic exhibitions and thematic group exhibitions to our community," said Yun Mapplethorpe.

The museum offers programs and special events, such as daily docent tours, lectures, panel discussions, art classes for all ages and family days. They also have an art center for children to visit.

The current exhibitions – Leonora Carrington: Dream Weaver and Sublime Geometries: Selections from The William Louis-Dreyfus Foundation – are on display until Oct. 5.



Martha Levites of Goldens Bridge gets a closer look at Dannielle Tegeder's collaged acrylic on canvas titled "Secret Midnight Sun Universe Plan with Chemical Silver Suspended Classification of Color and Shape Language, 2011-2014."



Jena LoCastro, right, of Hartsdale and Yonkers resident Niko Storm study paintings by Hester Simpson.



Michelle Yun Mapplethorpe is director and chief curator at the Katonah Museum of Art.



The Katonah Museum of Art was designed by architect Edward Larrabee Barnes. It's located at 134 Jay St. in Katonah.



Docent Judith Fields of White Plains leads a tour of the Leonora Carrington: Dream Weaver exhibit.



Visitors view works from the exhibit Sublime Geometries: Selections from The William Louis-Dreyfus Foundation.