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**CHICAGO HARP QUARTET PLAYS McCORMICK MUSEUM FEBRUARY 15**

*Complimentary performance opens museum's 2015 concert series*

**Wheaton, Ill., January 15, 2015** — Cantigny Park's Robert R. McCormick Museum will host the Chicago Harp Quartet on Sunday, February 15, at 3 pm.

Formed in 2012, the [Chicago Harp Quartet](#) presents innovative and charismatic performances on concert stages across the country. The quartet builds bridges between traditional chamber music and the unique harp ensemble by commissioning and creating new works as well as transforming classics.

CHQ founder Marguerite Lynn Williams is Principal Harp for the Lyric Opera of Chicago. She is joined by Emily Ann Granger, Cathy Litaker and Kelsey Molinari. All are extensively trained orchestral and chamber musicians, bringing an unprecedented level of ensemble skill to harp chamber music.

Concert tickets are free, but distribution is by lottery due to limited seating in the museum's historic Freedom Hall. **Those wishing to attend should call 630.260.8162 or email [register@cantigny.org](mailto:register@cantigny.org) by February 6.** E-mails should include a phone number. Cantigny will draw 40 names and contact ticket recipients by February 11. Each winner will receive two tickets. Parking is \$5.

The McCormick Museum is closed in January and reopens on weekends in February for free guided tours. Hours in February are 10 am to 4 pm Fridays, and noon to 4 pm on Saturdays and Sundays. The museum returns to its regular Tuesday through Sunday tour schedule in March.

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**About the Robert R. McCormick Museum**

The McCormick Museum is a historic house museum interpreting the life and legacy of Colonel Robert R. McCormick (1880-1955), longtime editor and publisher of the *Chicago Tribune*. It is located at Cantigny Park, the Colonel's 500-acre Wheaton (Illinois) estate that he left as a gift to the public.

**About Cantigny Park**

Part of the nonprofit Chicago-based Robert R. McCormick Foundation, Cantigny is home to 30 acres of spectacular gardens, the Robert R. McCormick Museum, the First Division Museum and a 27-hole championship golf course. All are open to the public. More information, including park hours, directions and a calendar of upcoming events is online at [Cantigny.org](http://Cantigny.org).