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## Manchester American Art Museum Asks *Who Shot Rock & Roll* In New Exhibit

MANCHESTER, NH, DECEMBER 9, 2024 – Manchester American Art Museum (MAAM) will host the traveling photography exhibit *Who Shot Rock & Roll: A Photographic History, 1955 to the Present* from April 20 through June 29, 2025.

Tickets for the exhibit will be available for purchase starting January 4, 2025, and can be purchased online on their website <a href="www.maamrocks.org">www.maamrocks.org</a> in advance of the exhibit. General admission will be \$15, seniors (ages 65 and older) will be \$12, college students with a valid New England college ID will be \$8, and active military and veterans with valid IDs will get free admission. If a guest purchases a ticket at the door they will be \$2 more than online prices.

Who Shot Rock & Roll: A Photographic History, 1955 to the Present is a traveling exhibit organized by the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in Cleveland, OH. When Manchester American Art Museum asked if they could feature the exhibit, the Hall of Fame said "Yes MAAM!"

The exhibit is broken up into six sections. The raw images of the beginnings of careers, rare images behind the scenes, photos that display the essence of a live performance of a band, Crowds and fans resembling historic paintings, conceptual images and album covers made in collaboration between the photographers and musicians, and portraits revealing the real person rather than the persona.

Some photos and films in the exhibit contain graphic images and language - including drug use, nudity, profanity, sexual content, and violence - and may not be appropriate for all ages.

It's the first major museum exhibit on rock and roll to put photographers in the foreground, acknowledging their creative and collaborative role in the history of rock music.

After walking through a bit of the Hall of Fame, guests can enjoy a bite to eat at the museum cafe *MAAM's Home Cooking*.

The exhibit will be held at the Manchester American Art Museum located at 1428 Elm Street, Manchester, NH. The hours will be Thursday 10 AM - 8 PM, Friday and Saturday 10 AM - 5 PM, and Sunday 12 PM (noon) - 5 PM.

Visitors can park at the two free parking lots on the corners of Elm Street and Springwood Street, and Springwood Street and Ohio Street. Metered street parking is also available.

## **About Manchester American Art Museum (MAAM)**

The Manchester American Art Museum (MAAM) is a distinguished modern art museum located in Manchester, NH. Since its establishment in 1993, MAAM has been a vibrant center of modern artistic expression in the heart of Manchester.

MAAM visitors explore and connect with the dynamic world of contemporary art through interactive exhibits, that actively engage patrons in the ever-evolving narrative of contemporary creativity.