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Present

Art Chat: Teenie Harris

Date: Saturday, February 27, 2010

Location: Penn Hills Library

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Teenie Harris' photographs are unsurpassed in the range of subjects they portray and for their ability to evoke the spirit of an era and to display the humanity of a people. Harris' 40-year career with the *Pittsburgh Courier*, one of the largest and most influential Black newspapers in the country, began as the nation emerged from the Depression and ended with



the Civil Rights Movement. Numbering upwards of 80,000 images, Carnegie Museum of Art acquired Harris' archive in 2001, which represents the largest single collection of photographic images of any Black community in the United States-or the world for that matter.

In celebration of Black History Month, join Jara Dorsey, Community Outreach Specialist at Carnegie Museum of Art, in an engaging presentation that details Teenie Harris' life and shows some of his most famous photographs. As we look back in history, see Pittsburgh through Teenie's eyes, and learn about some of the photographic techniques that make him an incomparable artist of the 20th Century.