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Kunsthaus Kannen

Museum for Outsider Art and Contemporary Art

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Opening Times

Tue – Sun 1pm - 5pm
Sensory Park and café, daily 9am - 8pm
admission free

More Offers on the Alexianer Campus

Sensory Park and Petting Zoo, Garden of Silence, Church,
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Stop: Alexianer-Krankenhaus
Travel duration: 25min. from the Central Station



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Wavelength

February 05 – March 26, 2023

The exhibition conveys the creative dialogue with psychiatric situations using a wide variety of media - painting, drawing, sculpture, photography and film. Students at the Münster Art Academy deal with the social context of psychiatry. The question is whether there is a wavelength between art and psychiatry. The exhibition invites you to explore this question.

Outside-inside-outside, Literature and Psychiatry

April 02 – June 4, 2023

The Freie Künstlergemeinschaft Schanze e.V., an association of artists that has existed for over 100 years, maintains regular exchanges with each other and presents itself in exhibitions on various subject areas. In the exhibition "Where is the secret?" the Schanze artists deal with works of outsider art from the Kunsthaus Kannen. The approach is as different as the question reveals commonalities, inspires imagination or triggers reflections on individuality.

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When the motive is stuck in your head...

June 11 – September 24, 2023

How similar or different can repetition be? The works of Paul Berger, Wolfgang Brandl, Klaus Mücke and Helmut Liczniersky are presented in this exhibition. All artists have motifs that they reproduce again and again. With clay, chalk and pencil, the artists create diverse and rhythmic repetitions in their very own way.

Art Fair, 2x2 Forum Outsider Art 2023

18 August 2022, concert

2x2 is the title and at the same time the concept of the art fair: studios, art projects, universities, galleries and museums will come together, show their concepts and offer works for sale, and be available for questions, suggestions and discussions. 22 European studios, galleries, museums and projects from Germany and Europe have been invited to present their working methods and above all the works of their artists at the forum.

Annual and sales exhibition 2022

October 22, 2023 – January 28, 2024

The sales exhibition takes place regularly, presenting over 200 paintings and objects by the artists from the Kunsthaus studio as well as by guest artists and up-and-coming talent. The pictures and objects are available for purchase.

Das Kunsthaus Kannen

Museum for Outsider Art and Contemporary Art

Kunsthaus Kannen is situated between Lüdinghausen and Münster in the middle of the green parkland of Münsterland, in close proximity to the Dortmund-Ems canal with excellent connections to its extensive bicycle routes. An integral part of the Alexianer Münster GmbH, a clinic for psychiatry and psychotherapy since 1996, Kunsthaus Kannen was originally created in order to support the needs of long-term patients with exceptional artistic talent. Their creativity and development has been supported since the early 1980s. The created works were so convincing that the erection of a museum with ateliers made sense.



Klaus Mücke

In the course of years, Kunsthaus Kannen not only expanded but also gained a national and international reputation as a well-known place to meet and exchange views. Numerous national and international exhibitions and cooperations between outsider artists and professional artists have resulted in Kunsthaus Kannen evolving into a meeting place for Contemporary Art and Art Brut.

A spacious new building covering an area of 620m² which is suitable for people with special needs has been providing space for art studios and an exhibition hall under the same roof since 2000 with lots of space for projects, workshops, conferences and lectures dealing with the subjects "art and psychiatry", "art brut" and "outsider art". Today, Kunsthaus Kannen is strongly integrated in the city's cultural offer.



Exhibition hall 2016

Studios

The Kunsthaus Kannen studios for drawing and painting provide room for 15 people in an area of 150sqm, and these spaces are an integral part of the hospital's different projects. For those who are looking for sculptural expression there is also a work-room available. Under the care of experienced art therapists, both psychiatric and mentally disabled people have the opportunity to develop their talents and to learn different techniques of artistic expression.

Furthermore there are various workshops which provide the opportunity to meet artists from other studios, both Germany and beyond, as well as to exchange and expand their experiences gained during years of active creativity. A studio community has arisen, in which everybody is able to develop his or her own style. In a supporting climate full of esteem and acceptance pictures, sculptures, drawings, figures and actions are created.

Collection

Using the wealth of material collected of more than 35 years of art therapy, Kunsthaus Kannen has organized numerous exhibitions both around Germany and abroad. The collection now consists of more than 5000 works of art including drawings, paintings and several sculptural objects.



As an integrative meeting place, the Kunsthaus welcomes all of the interested visitors to its studios and exhibitions, small specialized library and museum shop.

The new Book of Kunsthaus Kannen (incl. DVD) presents 45 artists that work here for generations. Kerber Verlag, 304 pgs, ISBN 978-3-7356-0303-6 für 35,-€