

**Evening Lecture on Berthe Weill
Followed with refreshments
Stephens House, 17 East End Road N3 3QE
Tuesday 6th January 2026 from 8 – 10pm**



For the first time TASHH is offering an evening lecture to give friends and family of our members the opportunity to attend a lecture in the evening when they may not be able to attend during the day. The lecture will be held at Stephens House in Finchley followed by refreshments. Stephens House is an elegant Grade II listed building in extensive grounds which was gifted to the public by Henry ("Inky") Stephens who made his money from Stephens Ink.

We delighted that Patrick Bade, a very well-known speaker, has agreed to give us a talk about the work of Berthe Weill. Berthe Weil was a Jewish gallerist who opened a tiny gallery in Paris at the end of the 19th century and had the taste and foresight to be the first to exhibit Picasso, Matisse and Dufy. She moved on to bigger galleries once they achieved fame. She also supported many other artists including female artists such as Suzanne Valadon. She gave Modigliani his only solo show. She was persecuted in the war as a Jew and was helped financially after the war by her friends in the art world as she was penniless. She is the subject of an exhibition in the Orangerie in Paris at the moment which has been in Canada and other cities.

Patrick Bade has been leading tours in London and Europe for over 40 years. He has lived in Munich and currently divides his time between London and Paris. He is fluent in German and French. He holds a BA in History and History of Art from University College London and an MA in History of Art from the Courtauld Institute. For many years until 2016 he was senior lecturer at Christies Education (in conjunction with Glasgow University). He taught courses on Fine and Decorative Arts Renaissance to 20th century as well as course on the history of opera.

We will warmly welcome your friends and family. The cost of the evening to include the lecture followed by wine and nibbles is only £10 whether or not you are a member. There is plenty of parking in East End Road and nearby roads and the Committee is looking forward to seeing you all at this very special event.

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The cost for this event is **£10.00 per person** (non-member included). If you can, please pay by making a bank transfer to the TASHH bank account, Sort Code: **20-36-16**, Account number: **40475416**, giving as reference Berthe and telling either Tamara or our treasurer Celia on treasurerTASHH@gmail.com that you have done so.