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NATIONAL GALLERY OF ART OPENS NEW CASCADE ESPRESSO BAR JUNE 20

WASHINGTON, D.C. -- Summertime treats await visitors to the National Gallery of Art's new Cascade Espresso Bar. Located on the concourse level between the East and West Buildings at Fourth Street and Constitution Avenue, NW, the Cascade Espresso Bar will be open seven days a week from 12:00 noon to 5:00 p.m., beginning June 20, 1991.

"The Cascade Espresso Bar will be a nice place for visitors from both in town and out to meet, to relax, and to enjoy light refreshments. It's an appealing way to accompany a visit to our permanent collection or our summer shows -- Rauschenberg Overseas Culture Interchange and Soap Bubbles of Jean Siméon Chardin," said J. Carter Brown, director, National Gallery of Art.

The Cascade Espresso Bar will serve a variety of refreshing drinks including espresso, cappuccino, and fruit juices, to accompany small plates of various sandwiches, fruit tarts, pastries, and frozen yogurt. The menu will change periodically to feature seasonal specialties. This summer, freshly squeezed lemonade and homemade iced tea with sprigs of mint will be among the offerings individually prepared.