

## NEWS

As from April 18, the National Museum of Sports Art will open an exhibition in its new gallery at Madison Square Garden in New York, covering 300 years of art and about 300 different sports.

From Rembrandt (golf to Wyeth (skiing), from Rodin's athlete to Joseph Brown's bust of Jesse Owens, paintings, sculptures and sketches will give a vivid illustration of modern sports.

Mr. Germain G. Glidden is the founder and president of the Museum, and, from among his counsellors, we have the pleasure of pointing out Mr. Avery Brundage, the IOC's president.

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Mr. Karlheinz Nürnberg, a renowned West-German composer, has donated his transcription of the Samara hymn to the Olympic Museum.

Among other, he has composed a historic opera for the Scala of Milan: "Leonardo da Vinci", For the 1972 Games, he is working on a symbolic ballet: "The Return of the Olympic Champion".

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### Equipment

On April 25 and 26, a conference will be held in Frankfurt (Germany) on sports equipment. This conference is organized by the German Sports League and the German Swimming Association, under the patronage of the " Internationaler Arbeitskreis Sportstättenbau", (International working group for sports equipment).

The minutes of meeting of this 8th session (in German) as well as a special edition in three languages (German, English, French) can be obtained from the Association.

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