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Dear Little Friend: Impressions of Galka Scheyer

At the Norton Simon Museum February 20 – July 20, 2026

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Alexei Jawlensky (Russian, 1864–1941) Mystical Head: Galka, 1917 Oil and pencil on tan textured cardboard 15 1/2 x 12 in. (39.4 x 30.5 cm) Norton Simon Museum, The Blue Four Galka Scheyer Collection



Beatrice Wood (American, 1893–1998)

Portrait of Galka Scheyer, 1934

Colored pencil on paper
15 1/4 x 9 1/2 in. (38.7 x 24.1 cm)

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Edward Hagedorn (American, 1902–1982)

Galka Scheyer Viewing Modern Portraits of Galka

Scheyer, c. 1926–28

Graphite on wove paper

comp: 23 1/8 x 18 in. (58.7 x 45.7 cm); sheet: 25 1/8 x
20 1/8 in. (63.8 x 51.1 cm)

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Lucretia Van Horn (American 1882–1970)

Portrait of Galka Scheyer, 1927–30

Black crayon on wove paper
12 1/2 x 9 1/2 in. (31.8 x 24.1 cm)

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Maynard Dixon (American, 1875-1946)

Portrait of Galka Scheyer, 1925

India ink on wove paper
comp: 3 3/4 x 3 1/4 in. (9.5 x 8.3 cm); sheet: 4 x 3 3/8 in.
(10.2 x 8.6 cm)

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Peter Krasnow (American, 1886–1979)

Recalling Happy Memories, c. 1927

Watercolor, silver pigment and pencil on wove paper 5 x 6 3/8 in. (12.7 x 16.2 cm)

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Vassily Kandinsky (Russian, 1866–1944) Small Worlds II, 1922 Color lithograph on wove paper 10 1/8 x 8 7/8 in. (25.7 x 22.5 cm); sheet: 12 7/8 x 11 in. (32.7 x 28.1 cm) Norton Simon Museum, The Blue Four Galka Scheyer Collection



Angelo Ravagli (Italian, 1891–1975) *Galka Scheyer*, 1936

Oil on canvasboard
13 7/8 x 18 in. (35.2 x 45.7 cm)

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Wolo Trutzschler (American, 1902–1989)

Caricature of Galka Scheyer, 1935

Crayon on wove paper
19 x 12 in. (48.3 x 30.5 cm)

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