



Christian Ludwig Attersee at the Belvedere 21, 1984; photo: Didi Sattmann

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ATTERSEE MATINEE SELTEN GEHÖRTE MUSIK

Sunday, June 16, 2019 | 10:30am to 1pm

Thirty-five years after Christian Ludwig Attersee first rocked the then "20er Haus" with his legendary matinee, he returns to the scene on the occasion of his exhibit. Together with artist friends Markus Lüpertz, Hermann Nitsch, and Gerhard Rühm, as well as Ingrid and Oswald Wiener, the universal artist will perform the legendary *Selten gehörte Musik* [Rarely Heard Music] on June 16 at the Belvedere.

Christian Ludwig Attersee has a long history with today's Belvedere 21. In 1982, he exhibited for the first time in what was then the 20er Haus. In the years that followed he returned several times to perform his matinees, accompanied by friends, artists, and musicians. *ATTERSEE. Feuerstelle*, featuring the well-rounded artist's early work, is on view until August 18, 2019, at the Belvedere 21.

Selten gehörte Musik emerged in the 1960s from a multiday workshop of Austrian artists at the "Exil" in Berlin. There they met to talk, eat, drink, and produce, everyone contributing; the lack of style became a direct principle of expression, musical quotations and modes of playing used nonchalantly – what transpires is music about music. This is how, for instance, the record *dritter Berliner dichter-workshop* (12./13.7.1973) *roth, rühm, wiener* was produced already bearing the brand *Selten gehörte Musik*.

Selten gehörte Musik was first performed in 1974 in Munich – with Wiener, Rühm, Roth, Brus, and Nitsch on stage. Due to its great success, more concerts soon followed in Berlin and Kassel – with Arnulf Rainer, Dominik Steiger, and Christian Ludwig Attersee joining the lineup. The next few decades brought about some sporadic get-togethers – but *Selten gehörte Musik* was indeed rarely heard. In 2014, the provisionally last Fluxus concert of the series took place in Basel. On June 16, 2019, *Selten gehörte Musik* will enter into one more round at Belvedere 21 in Vienna.

Final rehearsal on June 15, from 5 to 7 pm.

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Program on June, 16

10:30, Champagne reception and visit of the *ATTERSEE. Feuerstelle* exhibition

11:30 – 13:00, Start concert *Selten gehörte Musik*

GENERAL INFORMATION

Concert	<i>Attersee Matinee. Selten gehörte Musik</i>
Lineup	Christian Ludwig Attersee, Markus Lüpertz, Hermann Nitsch, Gerhard Rühm, Ingrid Wiener, Oswald Wiener
Seats available	Approx. 500
Date	Sunday, June 16, 2019 10:30am – 1pm
Location	Belvedere 21 Arsenalstraße 1, 1030 Vienna
Program	10:30am Admission at the main gate Belvedere 21 Champagne reception and visit of the <i>Attersee. Feuerstelle</i> exhibition 11:30am Start <i>Attersee Matinee. Selten gehörte Musik</i> 1pm End of event
Tickets	Regular 25 euros Discounted 19 euros Available at www.wien-ticket.at , T +43 1 588 85, at the WIEN-TICKET pavilion at the State Opera, in all WIEN-TICKET ticket offices, and all Belvedere ticket offices
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