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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**THE WARHOL ANNOUNCES NEW EXHIBITION, *REALLY PHONEY: ANDY WARHOL AND THE TELEPHONE***

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(Pittsburgh, PA) . . . July 13, 2004... The Andy Warhol Museum announces that it will present, *Really Phoney: Andy Warhol and the Telephone*, a small exhibition that explores Andy Warhol's life-long obsession with the telephone. On view July 9 through September 19, 2004 on The Warhol's fourth floor, the exhibition will include Warhol's films and videos featuring the telephone, audio recordings of his taped calls, more than 40 telephones from his studio, the enormous telephone journals of Andy Warhol Enterprises, Warhol's rolodex, mailed-in phone messages, and other telephone-related archival objects, photographs and works of art.

Throughout his adult life, the phone call was Warhol's favorite form of communication and he tape-recorded hundreds of his telephone conversations. From these recordings came the scripts for his play, *Pork*, his final film, *Bad* and his posthumously published book, *The Andy Warhol Diaries*. The telephone is also a prop in several of Warhol's films including *Poor Little Rich Girl*, *The Chelsea Girls*, *Eating Too Fast* and *Horse*, and in his video pieces, *Factory Diaries* and *Phoney*. Scenes and excerpts from these film and video works will be on view in the exhibition along with more than 15 of Warhol's telephone-themed photographs, paintings and drawings and more than 50 items from The Warhol's archives.

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The Andy Warhol Museum receives state arts funding support through a grant from the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, a state agency funded by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the National Endowment for the Arts, a federal agency.

Located in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, the place of Andy Warhol's birth, The Warhol is one of the most comprehensive single-artist museums in the world. The Andy Warhol Museum is one of the four Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh. Additional information about The Warhol is available at [www.warhol.org](http://www.warhol.org).

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**Phone:** 412.237.8300  
**Hours:** Tues, Wed, Thurs, Sat, and Sun 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
Fri, 10 a.m. - 10 p.m.  
Mon closed  
**Admission:** Members - free  
Good Fridays - 5-10 p.m., Half-price Museum admission  
Adults - \$10, Sr. Citizens - \$7, Children/Students - \$6  
The Warhol Store/The Warhol Café – free

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