

this is a new art school

MOD ART an art exhibition on the subculture



March 8 - April 5, 2025 | **Art of Buna e.V.** | **Genter Str. 26** | **50672 Köln**

OPENING HOURS: FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS 5-8 PM | www.art-of-buna.de





PAINTER MAN

The Creation
Edwin Phillips / Ken Pickett
1967

Went to college, studied art
to be an artist. make a start
studied hard, gained my degree
but no one seemed to notice me

**Painter Man, Painter Man
Who would be a Painter Man**

Tried cartoons and comic books
dirty postcards, woman's books
here was where the money lay
classic art has had its day

**Painter Man, Painter Man
Who would be a Painter Man**

Do adverts for TV
household soap and brands of tea
labels all around the cans
who would be a Painter Man



In songs such as “Painter Man” (The Creation 1967) or “David Hockney’s Diaries” (TV Personalities 1982), a certain affinity between mod culture and the visual arts is palpable. In the song “Art School” (The Jam 1977), the young Paul Weller even declares being a modernist to be an art form itself. In a group exhibition with works by:

TOBI DAHMEN

CARSTEN KNAPPE

PAUL MÜLLER-RODE

MICHAEL PELTZER

THOMAS BERGHAUS

we explore the interfaces between a subculture and the visual arts. Meanwhile, we celebrate over 60 years of mod culture in Germany.



**Opening:**

Saturday, March 8, 2025 | 5 to 8 pm

Music with DJs Dynamic Eric and Sir Faulker.

Reading: Tobi Dahmen “Bicycle Mod”

Saturday, March 22, 2025 | 6 pm (doors open from 5 pm)

Unfortunately, we have very limited space and can only offer 34 seats for the reading. If you would like to make a reservation, please send us a (really binding) pre-registration to: post@art-of-buna.de

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March 8 to April 5, 2025

every Friday & Saturday from 5 to 8 pm

(March 28 & 29 parallel to the Cologne Soul Weekender)

Friday, March 28 from 5 to 8 p.m.

Saturday, March 29 from 3 to 8 p.m.

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Title image:

„The Weekender“, Michael Peltzer, 160 x 170cm, 2011, Acrylic on nettle.

