

# THE MUSEUM OF MODERN ART

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The Jazz Singer, with Al Jolson, will be shown at the Museum of Modern Art on Thursday, September 13, at 8:30 p.m. The 1927 movie is the first in a series of Warner Brothers productions to be shown on occasional Thursday evenings throughout the winter, interspersed with lectures, symposia and concerts. The entire Museum is open Thursdays until 9:00 p.m.

The Warner Brothers series continues September 20 with Little Caesar (1930), with Edward G. Robinson and Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.; September 27, The Public Enemy (1931), with James Cagney and Jean Harlow; October 4, at 8:00 p.m., I am a Fugitive from a Chain Gang (1932), with Paul Muni and Glenda Farrell; and October 18, Forty-Second Street (1933), with Dick Powell, Ruby Keeler and Ginger Rogers.

Future programs will be announced.

Admission to the Museum is \$1.00; members free. There is no additional charge for Warner Brothers films.

According to Richard Griffith, Curator of the Museum's Film Library; "The Warners not only launched talking pictures, they contributed more than any studio to the development of sound style. This Thursday evening series emphasizes their contributions to the gangster and musical genres, and to social realism."

The Warner Brothers films are presented through the courtesy of Brandon Films.

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Further information available from Herbert Bronstein, Associate Publicity Director, Museum of Modern Art, 11 West 53 Street, New York 19, New York. Circle 5-8900.

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## **WARNER BROTHERS: EARLY SOUND FILMS**

**THURSDAYS AT 8:30 P.M.**

**September 13 THE JAZZ SINGER (1927) Al Jolson**

**September 20 LITTLE CAESAR (1930) Edward G. Robinson, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.**

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**October 4 I AM A FUGITIVE FROM A CHAIN GANG (1932) Paul Muni, Glenda Farrell**

**Series to be continued**

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**Galleries open Thursdays until 9:00 p.m.**

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