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**WEXNER CENTER THROWS OUT THE FIRST PITCH WITH
RARE FILMS FROM THE BASEBALL HALL OF FAME**

For the second year in a row, the Wexner Center screens **Rare Films from the Baseball Hall of Fame** on **April 1 and 2 at 7 pm** to celebrate the beginning of baseball season. Included in this year's program of cinematic treasures is an unusual 1968 highlight film of the recently relocated Expos' first season in Montreal, a series of Gillette commercials featuring such stars as Willie Mays and Pee Wee Reese, footage of the 1966 Cincinnati Reds in spring training, and an interview with Cleveland slugger Rocky Colavito. The program is approximately 120 minutes, and the screenings will be held in the Wexner Center Film/Video Theater, 1871 North High St.

Tickets are \$6 general public; \$4 senior citizens, members, students; \$2 children under 12, available at the door or in advance. Public information: 614 292-3535 or wexarts.org/fv.

Special thanks to Jeremy Jones of the National Baseball Hall of Fame.

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