CALL TO ARTISTS, SCULPTORS, PHOTOGRAPHERS & JEWELRY ARTISTS

Art Florida 2020

Broward Art Guild is proud to announce that entry is now open for all artists residing in Florida.

Theme: This is an open-theme competition, in which artists are encouraged to use their imagination and creativity for their entries. No restrictions on theme or medium but must be appropriate for family viewing. Within media categories, works will receive awards based on the highest level of skill, and successful execution of concept. Open to all artists (2-D and 3-D), photographers, sculptors, and jewelry artists residing in the state of Florida.

A JURIED EXHIBIT BY Broward Art Guild @ GALLERY Six

Judge: TBD

AWARDS WILL BE PRESENTED AT OPENING RECEPTION

Top Award for Best in Show: $1,000
$200 prizes for the five Best of Category Winners
Honorable Mention Award Ribbons in five categories
People’s Choice Ribbon Award

PROSPECTUS: This exhibit is open to all 2-D & 3-D fine artists, including photographers, sculptors, and jewelry artists. All work to be the artist’s original work. No reproductions will be accepted. All works must have been completed within the last two years, and must NOT have been displayed previously in an Art Florida or Tri-County Exhibit or exhibited at Gallery Six for the Broward Art Guild or any other gallery. The Judge selects the collection of works to exhibit, and as such, entry does not guarantee exhibit of entered work. The Broward Art Guild has the right of refusal at all times. Venue has the right of refusal of work that is deemed inappropriate for a professional gallery setting. Works must be acceptable for family viewing. BAG reserves the right to reject any juried artwork that is noticeably different from the JPEG image or does not comply with entry specifications.

ONLINE/MAIL-IN ENTRY DEADLINE: ALL entry materials (completed entry form, payment, and images) MUST BE RECEIVED by Wednesday, March 18, 2020, by 3:00 pm.

EXHIBIT INFORMATION: Art Florida will be on display at the Broward Main Library, Gallery Six, 100 S. Andrews Ave. Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301 (6th floor) April 14–29, 2020. Opening and Awards Reception: Tuesday, April 21, 2020 5:30-7:30 pm.

AWARD CATEGORIES:

Painting, Drawing, and Print Making
- No giclées or reproductions of original works allowed. No foam core.

Sculpture and 3-D Work
- Traditional sculpture and any works unable to be hung on the wall within the 2-D requirements. This also includes jewelry.

Photography
- Including digital photography, in a traditional photographic manner. Must be framed or matted.
- Any digital manipulation outside of the realm of traditional retouching will be considered Computer and Electronic Art.

Mixed Media and Collage
- Including but not limited to collage.

Computer and Electronic Art
- Includes computer-created works and digital photographs manipulated beyond traditional photography.

ENTRY FEES:

BAG MEMBERS: $50 for up to two entries of 2-D or 3-D work or two collections of three pieces of jewelry (six pieces of jewelry in total), $20 for each additional 2-D/3-D entry or additional three-piece collection of jewelry. FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE.

NON-BAG MEMBERS: $60 for up to two entries of 2-D or 3-D work or two collections of three pieces of jewelry (six pieces of jewelry in total), $25 for each additional 2-D/3-D entry or additional three-piece collection of jewelry. FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE.

(To take advantage of Membership pricing, Membership dues may be paid online via PayPal at www.BrowardArtGuild.org before or with your entry form...or you can stop by the Guild during regular business hours or mail membership dues prior to entering.)

Broward Art Guild is a nonprofit organization encouraging and promoting working artists in Broward County and providing the opportunity for involvement and education in the visual arts. Funding for this event is provided in part by the Broward County Board of County Commissioners, as recommended by the Broward Cultural Council.

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JURYING: The Art Florida 2020 selection process will be done via digital presentation, and viewed as individual images. Please submit high-quality images for review (see image specifications below). Selection of the awards for Art Florida 2020 will occur on-site prior to the opening reception. Award winners will be notified by phone prior to the opening reception.

ENTRY METHOD:
1. IMAGES: All entry images must either be submitted via email to info@BrowardArtGuild.org or delivered to Broward Art Guild on a CD-ROM or PC-formatted flash drive. To make this process easy, first prepare your images for uploading. Image specifications are as follows: JPG format, maximum quality, with a file size no larger than 5MB each. Be mindful that the juror will be selecting the exhibit from the submitted images, so be sure they are not tiny or blurry. Artists may submit up to two artwork images per entry, as each "entry" is allowed one main image and a supporting detail/alternate view image. Images of jewelry collections must be in a combined image. (Three jewelry pieces constitute one entry, and will be juried as such). File Names must be in this format: LastName–Title–Measurements(HxWxD).jpg. This is the only way we can match images to the paperwork.
2. PAYMENT: Submit your application fee via PayPal, or you can mail/drop-off Check or Money Order or pay by Credit Card or Cash at our gallery prior to the deadline.
3. APPLICATION: A completed and signed application must be received at the Broward Art Guild by Wednesday, March 18, at 3:00 pm. Late entries will forfeit entry fee. The Broward Art Guild is located at 3280 NE 32nd ST, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33308.

ART FLORIDA TIMELINE:
Wednesday, March 18, 2020, 3:00 pm: Entry Deadline. All entry materials need to be received (application, images, and payment).
Friday, April 3, 2020: Notification of Acceptance
Saturday, April 11, 2020, 11:00 am–2:00 pm (SHARP): Delivery of accepted works ONLY
April 14–29, 2020: Exhibit Run Dates
Tuesday, April 21, 5:30–7:30 pm: Opening and Awards Reception
Wednesday, April 29 from 4:00-7:00pm (SHARP) - Pickup of exhibited works (Note: For works that are not picked up on this date and time, artists will incur a $25 handling and transport charge to transport works to the Broward Art Gallery, and must make arrangements during regular business hours for pickup)

ARTWORK SPECIFICATIONS:
2-D AND WALL–MOUNTED WORKS may not exceed 60”W x 60”H, and cannot weigh more than 40 lbs. All wall mount works must be wired for hanging. No saw tooth hangers will be allowed.
3-D WORKS may not exceed 21” High x 36” Wide x 24” Deep to fit in covered showcase or 72” High x 48” Wide x 48” Deep for free-standing works. Wall-hanging 3-D works must abide by the 2-D specification. Any works requiring special installation will be the responsibility of the individual artist to install. Artist must supply all tools and equipment necessary to do the installation on setup and breakdown.
ALL WORKS should be suitable for family viewing. Therefore, any artwork that is demeaning to the human condition, degrading, depicting illegal activities, offensive religious overtones or in poor taste, may be rejected. The curators and Program Director of Gallery Six make the final determination as to the criteria for acceptable works.

ARTIST NAME, TITLE, PRICE, MEDIUM, EMAIL & PHONE NUMBER MUST ATTACHED TO THE WORK with a string to hang over the front. (Labels available at www.BrowardArtGuild.org/exhibitions.htm)

SALES: All works entered should be available for sale. Broward Art Guild will retain 30% of all sales for artwork sold during the course of the exhibit. Take this into consideration when pricing your works. A pricing guide can be found at: http://browardartguild.org/pricing-guide.htm. BAG will handle the potential buyer deal directly. Works sold will remain in the gallery until the completion of the show. The purchaser and BAG will make arrangements for delivery of the artwork to the purchaser at the purchaser’s expense.

Artist name, title of work, price, medium, email & phone number must attached to the work with a string to hang over the front.

All hanging pieces must be properly wired! No sawtooth hangers, no wet work.

PRINT CLEARLY. This form will be used as reference for printing the exhibit program.

Accepted works are to be delivered to:
Gallery Six at the Broward County Library
100 S. Andrews Avenue, 6th Floor, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301