
Small Works Exhibition

Nov. 5th, 2023 - Jan. 2nd, 2024

Opening Reception

Sunday, Nov. 5th, 2023

3:00 – 5:00pm Gilmer Arts Link Gallery

Prospectus

GENERAL INFORMATION

- *The 2023 Small Works Exhibition is open to artists 16 years old and up.*
- *There are three categories: Submissions can be Paintings & Mixed Media, Photography, Sculpture*
- *Submission Deadline is Friday, September 29th, 2023 5pm*
- *Each applicant may submit up to 6 entries with no fee if a member of Gilmer Arts*
- *Fee for non-members is \$10.*
- *Artists will be notified of acceptance on or before Friday, October 16th, 2023*
- *Dates of the Exhibit are November 5th, 2023 through January 2nd, 2024*
- *There are no awards for this exhibit. This exhibit's purpose is to allow our artists a chance to sell gifts at Christmas time.*

Timetable for Entry and Exhibit:

- *Saturday, Sept 1, 2023: Prospectus available at gallery and emailed to artists in database*
- *Friday, Sept 29, 2023: 5pm Deadline for entry*
- *Friday, Oct 16, 2023: Notifications of acceptance*
- *Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, Oct. 31, Nov 1, & 2, 2023: Delivery of works*
- *Sunday, November 5, 2023, 3-5pm: Opening Reception*
- *Saturday, December 30, 2023: Exhibit Closing 5pm*
- *Tuesday & Wednesday, January 2 & 3, 2024: Removal of works of art and artists pick up*

SUBMISSION DETAILS:

- *Call for entry Sep 1, 2023 to Sep 29, 2023 (5pm)*
- *All work must be ORIGINAL and have been produced within the last 3 years. "Original" meaning that the work must be from the hand of a single artist: pieces that originate from a workshop or a class under the direction of a teacher are not eligible.*
- *Works previously exhibited at Gilmer Arts are not eligible. Gilmer Arts reserves the right to reject works that do not meet the criteria established in these rules. All works are to be for sale.*
- *All pieces must have an estimated value, if for sale, and the price of the art is to include a 35% commission to Gilmer Arts, if sold during the exhibition.*
- *Please ensure that each work is clearly labeled with the title of the work and the artist's name.*
- *Hanging work must be firmly wired with the wire apex at least 2 inches from the top edge of the frame. **No saw tooth hangers will be accepted.** Framed or gallery wrapped canvas will be accepted. All works and framing must be professionally presented and in excellent condition.*
- *No changes in Titles nor prices will be allowed after October 16, 2023.*
- *Work may not be removed before the end of the exhibition. All works sold will remain on display until the established pickup date. (Exception is if the purchaser is visiting from more than a 50 mile radius. You may be asked for a replacement.)*
- *We will accept photographic copies or emailed digital image files (jpeg image files) only: longest side not less than 1500 pixels. It is important we receive clear detailed images. Email image files to Gilmer Arts at gilmerarts@gilmerarts.org or hand deliver to the gallery at 207 Dalton St. Downtown Ellijay by the entry deadline date, Friday, Sep 29, 2023. Be sure that the photograph for each work is clearly marked (include the title of the work, the artist's name, and the sale price).*
- *Artists will be notified of acceptance on or before Friday, October 16, 2023. Artwork selected for the exhibition must be delivered on Tuesday - Thursday, Oct. 31 - Nov. 2, 5-7 from 11:00 am until 5:00 pm, at Gilmer Arts, 207 Dalton Street. Delivery and pickup of works is the sole responsibility of the artist. If mailing work, please provide return shipping information and the appropriate postage.*
- *Works left after exhibit may be changed over to the gift shop for six months. Works left more than six months after the close of the exhibit will be considered a donation unless arrangements are made with the office. Donations will be entered in the next art auction Gilmer Arts host.*
- *Gilmer Arts reserves the right to decline any work*

NO WORK WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER 5:00 pm THURSDAY, Nov. 2, 2023 without previous arrangement.

CURATORS:

Elizabeth Bame &

Maria Bruckman

THREE CATEGORIES:

1. *All 2 dimensional painted, drawn, multi-media.*
2. *Photography: including Compositional and Traditional, Illustrative and Conceptual style work captured on film or digital cameras*
3. *3-dimensional works of art may be submitted for review*
4. *2D Work: Under 12" x 12" including frame*
5. *3D Work: No Larger than 10" x 10" x 10"*
6. *Work does not have to be maximum size.*
7. *Preferred price range: \$150-\$1000 retail (the sweet spot tends to fall between \$150-\$500).*

AWARDS:

- *N/A*

LIABILITY:

All reasonable care will be exercised in the handling and exhibiting of work. Sole liability for the art rests with the artist. Gilmer Arts is not responsible for unclaimed art after the designated pickup date. Art may go into closet or in Gift Shop for 6 months if a Gift Shop contract is in file. This will be at the discretion of Gallery staff.

APPLICATION

Submission to *Small Works Exhibition* constitutes an agreement with all conditions of this show. Gilmer Arts reserves the right to photograph an accepted work for publicity purposes. Gilmer Arts reserves the right to reject any work not resembling the submitted entry, or work that is not ready to be shown according to the aforementioned specifications. Completed applications must be received at the Gilmer Arts office by Friday, Sept. 29, 2023. I will participate and abide by the rules set out. You may enter at gilmerarts.org Artist will be notified of accepted works on or before Friday 10/16/23

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please type or print the following information:

Name: _____ Daytime Phone: _____
Address: _____ Email address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Complete the entry labels and properly label your artwork on the back/bottom of each piece.

Entry #1

Name: _____
Title: _____
Price: _____
Medium: _____
Finished Size: _____

Entry #2

Name: _____
Title: _____
Price: _____
Medium: _____
Finished Size: _____

Entry #3

Name: _____
Title: _____
Price: _____
Medium: _____
Finished Size: _____

Entry #4

Name: _____ NA _____
Title: _____
Price: _____
Medium: _____
Finished Size: _____

Entry #5

Name: _____ NA _____
Title: _____
Price: _____
Medium: _____
Finished Size: _____

Entry #6

Name: _____ NA _____
Title: _____
Price: _____
Medium: _____
Finished Size: _____