



Call for Entries

Submission Deadline: May 26, 2010 Exhibit Dates: June 18 - July 17, 2010

This exciting show is presented annually to showcase artists from the North Alabama area as well as other invited guests. An open call to artists invites those who work in all mediums to enter multiple pieces of art for consideration. Juried awards will be given for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place overall. Additional awards will include the **Director's Choice Award** and possible purchase awards.

A special **Embracing Art Junior** category will be available for high school students. To qualify for this category, students must be full-time students and aged 14 to 18 years. These entrants will be juried separately from the adult category and awards will be presented for **Best in Show** and up to three honorable mentions.

General Information

- Submitted works must be available for the entirety of Embracing Art (June 18 - July 17) and approximately one week earlier for installation.
- Artists must complete the official entry form, listing pieces being submitted for consideration. You **are not** required to offer your work for sale but may do so if you wish. An **Art Exhibit Submission Form** is available with this Call for Entries and also available for download at www.carnegiearts.org and at the Carnegie during regular business hours (Wed. - Fri. 11 AM - 6 PM and Sat. 11 AM - 4 PM)
- Two-dimensional work, with the exception of stretched canvases, **MUST** be properly framed. (That means: art must be securely attached to frames and the frames themselves must be structurally sound. We will not be able to hang work that is loose in the frame or has been taped into the frame.) The edges of stretched canvases or other flat surfaces (such as wood) must be painted. Works on paper must be under clean glass or plexiglass. All art should be cleaned by the artist before delivery.
- Specific hanging hardware must be properly attached to the back according to Hanging Hardware Instructions to be included with acceptance letter.
- All three-dimensional work must be of a size and weight that one adult can move easily.

Submission process: Complete the **Art Exhibit Submission Form** and mail (or present in person) to the Carnegie along with the following: Photograph(s), 5" x 7" or smaller or a CD (not DVD) with JPEG format photographs of submitted work(s) and applicable entry fees. **Do not submit actual artwork** until you receive a notification of acceptance. Your photos or CD will be available for pick up on art delivery date(s) if you would like it returned. Submission of photographs of work(s) does not guarantee acceptance into the exhibit.

Submission Deadline: Deadline for submissions is Wednesday, May 26, 2010. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Entry Fees: An entry fee of \$10 is required of each artist for 1, 2, or 3 pieces. Additional pieces may be submitted for a fee of \$5 per piece. Entry fee is non-refundable.

Acceptance: Email notifications of acceptance status will be sent on Wednesday, June 2, 2010 along with information about delivery and pick-up dates, exhibit installation, Hanging Hardware Requirements, sales and commissions, award presentations, Preview Artist Reception, and other events during the exhibit.

For more information, contact Kathryn Silvestri at 256-341-0562 or kathryn@carnegiearts.org

Carnegie Visual Arts Center

Art Exhibit Submission Form

Type or Print clearly:

Name: _____ Phone: () _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____ Website: _____

Please check all medium types being submitted:

Painting	Mixed Media	Drawing/Pastels
_____ acrylic	_____ 2-D	_____ Photography
_____ oil	_____ 3D	_____ Fiber
_____ watercolor	_____ Digital Art	_____ Glass
_____ Clay: ceramics or sculpture	_____ Sculpture: other than clay	

Description of Submission Pieces:

Title	Medium	Size	NFS or Sale Price
1. _____	_____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____	_____

Photos (either hard copy or jpeg format) of submitted work must be enclosed with this form. Clearly mark each photo with the title of the work and the name of the artist. NO DVD'S, SLIDES or TRANSPARENCIES. Photos only; no actual work for submissions.

Entry Fee: \$10 (for up to 3 pieces). Additional pieces submitted - \$5 per piece. (Entry Fee is non-refundable)

I hereby agree to comply with all Carnegie Visual Arts Center regulations. I understand that this is a juried show and that space is limited and that the jury judges' decisions are final. I understand that submitted works must be available for the entirety of the installation and duration of the exhibit. I understand neither the Carnegie, nor any sponsors or personnel of the same, is responsible for the loss or damage of work, personal injuries, or property damages. Photos of my work may be used for publicity purposes and example photos submitted are an accurate representation of my work to be displayed. CVAC reserves the right to review and approve all works to be exhibited. My signature signifies acceptance of all terms and conditions listed in the prospectus.

Signature of Submitting Artist: _____ Date: _____