

Salem County Seniors Juried Virtual Art Show

Please note: Because of the COVID-19 (coronavirus), both the Salem County and State Senior Art show will be held virtually on-line this year.

IMPORTANT DATES

Saturday, August 15

Deadline for entering artwork which includes submitting a registration form and at least one photo of artwork. Details are below.

Saturday, August 29

The winners of the Salem County Senior Art Contest will be announced during a Zoom meeting at 2 pm. The results will also be on the Salem County Art League Facebook Page and web site. Ribbons will be mailed to the winners

Friday, October 23

New Jersey State Senior Art Show will open. The show is on-line. Award certificates will be mailed to winners. More details are still being determined.

CONTEST RULES

General Rules

- Open to all Salem County Artists, 60 years and up.
- Art work must be no older than 3 years.
- Artists may enter only one work per category up to 3 entries. Categories include: Acrylics, Craft (original creations only), Digital Imagery, Works on Paper, Mixed Media, Oil, Pastel, Photography, Print, Sculpture, and Watercolor.
- Entries winning first place automatically advance to the State Competition.
- There are separate contests for Professional and Non-Professional Artists.

Registration Options

There are two components to registering for the show this year. The first is the registration form and the second component is photo(s) of your artwork. Below are details.

1. Registration Form

- Complete the attached form and mail or email it to Annette Devitt

OR

- Complete the form on-line at
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SCSeniorArt2020>

2. Photos of artwork

- Photos can be emailed to Annette Devitt at amdevitt@comcast.net

OR

- Upload the photo files to the on-line registration form
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SCSeniorArt2020>

OR

- Contact Annette Devitt at 856-299-2036 to arrange for a time to have the artwork photographed at Home Coming Art Studio once the studio opens after July 13.

Artwork/Display Rules

- Hanging artwork, photos, or crafts must be no more than 30” and no less than 10” **in any dimension, including matting and framing.**
- Sculpture or 3-D crafts **may not exceed 20” in any dimension** (measurements must include any base for the sculpture).
- Work should not exceed 40 pounds in weight.

- All artwork must be the original creation of the artist. No reproductions (such as giclee or other digital copies) of original art work will be accepted.
- No work made using kits or copies of another person's artwork will be accepted.
- Up to three photos of the artwork may be submitted. One photo of the entire artwork including frame (if framed) is required. Two additional photos may be submitted such as a photo of the artwork alone without frame or matting or details of the artwork. The photo file name should include the participant's last name, title of artwork, and a number if sending in multiple photos; ex.
 - Devitt Pepper Trio 1,
 - Devitt Pepper Trio 2,
 - Devitt Pepper Trio 3.

Tips for taking photos of artwork using your cell phone can be found at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tIDdsj3iMiw>

Artist Classification

Professional:

An artist who meets 2 or more of the following criteria:

1. has sold artwork through commercial channels (including galleries, on line galleries, craft shows, art shows, etc.)
2. has been exhibiting their work for 2 or more years in professional galleries and/or professional art exhibits**
3. had work selected in 2 or more Juried art or craft shows**
4. has received 2 or more awards for their artwork **
5. holds (or has held) professional membership in a guild or association)

Non Professional:

An artist who does not meet 2 or more of the above criteria.

**** Exceptions:** Any artist who only enters their County Senior Art Show and who never exhibits art work in any other show or venue do not have to identify him or herself as a Professional Artist.

Medium Categories

- **Acrylics**
- **Craft** - one-of-a-kind original creations only. NO craft kits or molds
- **Digital/Computer Art** – artwork generated or altered using computer - graphics software.
- **Works on Paper** – includes hand-drawn work in mediums including charcoal, colored pencil, graphite, pen + ink
- **Mixed Media** – art that combines two or more media, **no one of which clearly predominates**: includes collage and assemblage
- **Oil Painting**
- **Pastel** – includes chalk and oil pastel
- **Prints** – includes drawings all print forms including etching, linoleum block, lithograph, woodcut, monoprint, silkscreen, etc.
- **Photography** – includes color, black & white or tinted photographs taken with a film-based or digital camera
- **Sculpture** – any work designed in 3-dimensions, carved or constructed in any medium, abstract or figurative, painted or unpainted.
- **Watercolor** – includes gouache

Questions?? Call Annette Devitt, 856-299-0236 or Sarah Tarpine, 856-466-7237