

Wind River Valley Arts Guild

“Within” Exhibit Prospectus

This is a themed exhibition where the artist explores the word “Within”, entering into a creative journey to discover and create a piece of artwork that expresses or illustrates the theme.

Calendar of Events

July 26, 2024: Deadline for entry forms and fees. All paperwork to be in by this date. Artwork must be shipped/hand delivered separately from entry form & fees. *NOTE: Artwork will not be accepted if paperwork/fees arrive later or with artwork.*

August 23, 2024: Deadline for Artwork. Final day for accepting artwork entries hand delivered or shipped.

September 04, 2024: Final set up, hanging and judging.

September 06, 2024: Opening Reception 5 - 7 PM.

September 06 - 20, 2024: Exhibition Dates

September 24, 2024: Artwork may be picked up from 10 AM to 2 PM. Artists and those individuals who have purchased artwork may retrieve their pieces at these times. Artwork picked up by persons other than the owner will be released only on presentation of written permission. Work not picked up will be stored by WR-VAG until the owner takes possession. Storage fees may apply after 30 days. **PLEASE DO NOT REQUEST EARLY PICK UP.**

AWARDS

Artwork that best expresses or illustrates the exhibition theme: “Within”

Best of Show: \$500.00

Eligible Artists

Any Artist 18 years of age or over.

ACCEPTED MEDIA

Oil | Acrylic | Pastels | Water Media | Graphics | Mixed Media | Pottery | Fiber Art | Sculpture | Photography

Water-Media: Includes all water-media excluding Acrylic when used as Oils and Water soluble.

Graphics: Includes drawings, batik, paper carvings, scrimshaw, and print making processes: etching, wood-cuts, wood engraving, holographs, linoleum blocks, lithograph, Monotype or any combination above.

Mixed Media: Artists to specify two or more of the Medias listed.

Sculpture: Bronze, stone, metals, plaster, clay, wood and horn carvings, bas relief.

Photography: Chromatic (color), Monochromatic (B&W)

ENTRY FEE

First Entry: \$35.00 Second Entry: \$20.00

OPTIONAL REQUEST

Artists may provide a short statement on their inspiration for creating their artwork. **This is optional.**

CONDITIONS

Maximum number of artwork per artist is two (2). 2D artwork maximum size: 16X20 inches framed. 3D artwork no more than 12"X12"X16", including base. Our gallery has limited space and lighting, so the exhibition is limited to approximately 40 pieces of hanging artwork, artwork size dependent. Once we reach that limit, we will close the exhibit to new entries — any Entry Forms and fees arriving after that date will be returned to the artist. Please check our website frequently or email director@wrvag.org for information.

All artwork must be original. Entries must be on exhibit until the exhibition closes. Substitutions of work or price changes will not be permitted after the entry form is received. The show committee &/or judge will make the final decision on entries and their eligibility. *WRVAG Board reserves the right to refuse entry of any artwork deemed inappropriate for our community viewers.*

FRAMING INFORMATION

Maximum size is 16X20 inches framed. All 2D work must be sturdily framed with 2 screw eyes or 2 D-Ring hangers with wire in place, suitable to be hung on a panel. Absolutely no Foam Fast hangers, single D-Ring hangers, Saw-tooth hangers or Swiss corner clips. In addition, make sure there are no sharp objects (nails, screws, etc.) protruding from the work. Your work will be returned, and not included in the show, if it is not received in proper condition for hanging. **Gallery Wrapped will be allowed.**

SALES

All entries must be for sale. Work sold during the show may not be removed from the show unless purchased by out of county buyers. It will be released to save shipping/handling costs for buyers. WRVAG will handle all sales of work at the show; a 35% commission will be retained on all sales.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Artwork may be shipped by UPS, US Postal Service or FedEx. Use strong reusable crates or cartons which conform to the regulations of your chosen carrier. This ensures your artwork is returned safely! Although we will take every care when shipping back your artwork, we will use the same shipping materials you provided to ship back your artwork. The WRVAG is not responsible for any damage upon reshipment of your artwork.

Packing peanuts are not acceptable! Please do not use when shipping your artwork! Bubble wrap is recommended. Please determine the cost for return shipping to your address, insured for the desired amount and using your same carrier, or provide a prepaid return shipping label. If return shipping funds or a prepaid return shipping label are not provided, artwork will be kept by the WRVAG until funds are provided. Storage fees may apply.

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Download the Prospectus & Entry Forms at: www.wrvag.org/theme_exhibit.html