



THE LADYSMITH WATERFRONT GALLERY
FINE ARTS JURIED SHOW



FEBRUARY 3 - 24 2018

Deadline for submissions: Friday January 19th, 2018 Midnight PST

Intake: Thurs January 25th and Fri January 26th between 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

The Arts Council of Ladysmith and District and the Ladysmith Waterfront Gallery welcome established and emerging artists living and working on Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands to participate in our 8th biennial Juried Show.

Artwork accepted into the show will be on display at the Waterfront Gallery from Saturday February 3th 2018 to Saturday February 24th 2018.

All artists whose work is accepted into the show will have their contact/website information listed in the Show Catalogue and have copies of their Bios and Artist's Statements on display in the gallery for the duration of the show

www.ladysmithwaterfrontgallery.com/fineartshow/

Email: art@ladysmithwaterfrontgallery.com

COST TO ARTIST

\$15.00/Submission for adjudication—limit 2 entries—due with submission form

\$30.00 each hanging for accepted entries—due by January 31, 2018

AWARDS

Best in Show \$1000.00

In each of the three media categories (2D, 3D, Photo/Digital) there will be:

First Prize \$500

Second Prize \$100 each sub-category see below

Honourable Mention Awards

Peoples' Choice Award: \$100 awarded opening night (voting and results on Opening Night)

Sub Categories:

2D Category – oil, acrylic, watercolour, drawing, mixed media works, hand pulled prints.

3D Category – jewelry, pottery, basketry, fibre art, metal, wood, glass, leather, stone, paper (mixed media)

Photo-Digital Category – digital (manipulated); digital (non-manipulated); Dark-room; digital painting

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- The competition is open to all established and emerging artists living on Vancouver Island or the Gulf Islands.
- The show is open to **2D category**—oil, acrylic, watercolour, drawing, mixed media works, hand pulled prints—no reproductions. **3D category** – jewelry, pottery, basketry, fiber art, metal, wood, glass, leather, stone, paper (mixed media). **Photo-Digital Category** – digital (manipulated); digital (non-manipulated); dark-room; digital painting. Computer generated artwork must be entirely original and/or created from artist's original work.
- Artwork must be original, completed within the last 18 months and not shown in any other major juried art show on Vancouver Island or Gulf Islands. Artwork shown in galleries are acceptable.
- You may submit your application forms electronically, in person or by mail along with your entry fee. (Subject line: Ladysmith Fine Arts Show) DEADLINE for submissions is Friday, January 19th, 2018 at Midnight PST.
- Artists may submit up to two pieces for jurying, with the size limit of 4' x 4' max./piece. Note: Size of diptychs etc. must fit inside these dimensions. Sculptural works must fit the elevator (Max weight 750 lbs. and no more than 7 feet high) or be able to be carried up the stairs by submitting artists.
- All submissions must be the Artist's original work. Reproductions and copies such as giclee and 2D work will not be accepted for adjudication.
- The Ladysmith Fine Art Show acknowledges and respects the cultural rights of our First Nations. We ask that artists' work be culturally appropriate, and that the artist has permission to use First Nations symbolism in their work.

How do I submit?

Complete the submission form and submit either digitally, or print out the entry form and deliver in person or by mail along with your entry fee. 610 Oyster Bay Drive, Ladysmith, BC V9G 1B8
Gallery hours are 11:00 am—4 pm daily.

Only completed submission packages received on or before the deadline will be considered. The deadline for submission is Friday, January 19th 2018 at Midnight.

Submission fee: \$15. per piece submitted. Payment can be made online, or in person at the gallery in cash, or by cheque, debit or credit card, or by mail - cheque only, no cash. Make cheque payable to 'Arts Council of Ladysmith and District'. **Address if mailing: *Art Council of Ladysmith and District, Box 2370, Ladysmith, BC V9G 1B8***

Submission fees are non-refundable.

When do I deliver my artwork?

Artwork is to be delivered either in person or by courier on drop-off days ONLY, to the Ladysmith Waterfront Gallery, 610 Oyster Bay Dr. Ladysmith.

Drop – Off days for jurying: Thurs January 25th and Fri January 26th between 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Biography and Artist's Statement must accompany your art work. Please include 2 hard copies each.

Before you deliver your artwork please note:

- Artwork must be completed and ready for hanging or display. Do not bring work that has not cured – i.e. No wet paint, plaster, varnish etc.
- Framed artwork must be tastefully framed and of a professional caliber, i.e. no paint splatters, poorly joined edges, etc. Any framing that does not meet show standards may be refused.
- All 2D artwork must be **wired securely**, using D-rings with screws (screw eyes acceptable for small works only). Saw-tooth hangers or V-clips are not acceptable.
- Artists are requested to provide a one-page Biography and an Artist's Statement -100 words or less, attached to the artwork for display in the Bio Book during the show.
- Artwork MUST BE picked up either Sunday Feb 25 or Monday Feb 26, 11 am to 5 pm.
- Artwork cannot be left at the Gallery after the deadline. Any artwork left at the Ladysmith Waterfront Gallery will be considered a donation for fund-raising purposes. If you personally are unable to pick up your artwork please arrange to have a friend do so.
- Courier arrangements and payment for delivery are the responsibility of the artist as is packaging.
- Personal Insurance for the value of the artwork is the responsibility of the artist.
- The Arts Council is insured for public liability and value of materials only.

JURYING AND ACCEPTANCE PROCEDURES

- Jurying for acceptance into the show will take place on Saturday January 27th 2018
- On Sunday January 28th or Monday January 29th 2018 all artists will be contacted by email or phone to inform them of the results.
- Artwork not accepted for the show **must** be picked up between Monday January 29th and Tuesday January 30th. Hours are 11:00 am. to 5:00 pm.
- Hanging fees must be paid before Wednesday January 31st at Midnight and can be paid online, or in person at the Gallery, (in cash, by cheque or with interac) or by mail (cheque).
- Artists whose work is accepted into the show will pay an exhibition / hanging fee of \$30 / piece. (Tax incl.) Payment can be made in person or on-line.
- All artists whose work is accepted into the show will receive a special invitation to the Artists' Reception and Buyers' Preview on Friday February 2nd between 4pm - 7pm, and the opening Gala the evening of Saturday, February 3rd. 2018, 7pm—9pm; have their contact / website information listed in the Show Catalogue and have copies of their Bios and Artist Statements on display in the gallery for the duration of the show.
- Artists are encouraged to invite friends, fans, customers to both events. Artists are also encourage to use social media inviting people to the event.
- Prize winners' awards will be announced at the Opening Night Reception, Saturday February 3th 2018 at 7:00 p.m.
- ALL ARTWORK IN THE SHOW MUST BE FOR SALE. PST tax will be applied to all sales.
- Works sold are subject to 25% commission to the Arts Council of Ladysmith and District.
- AFTER THE SHOW ALL UNSOLD ARTWORK MUST BE PICKED UP EITHER SUNDAY FEBRUARY 25TH OR MONDAY FEBRUARY 26TH BETWEEN 11:00 am. AND 5:00 pm
- Artwork cannot be left at the Gallery after the deadline. **Any artwork left at the Ladysmith Waterfront Gallery will be considered a donation to the gallery for fund-raising purposes.**
- The Arts Council of Ladysmith and District/Ladysmith Waterfront Gallery reserve the right to remove any artwork from adjudication that may contravene copyright laws or family friendly show standards. Entry fees will not be refunded.

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NEW for 2018 Gallery Gift Shop

We are inviting artists to take this opportunity to sell work in our popular gift shop.

Any artist who has submitted an entry to the Fine Art Show is eligible to sell work in the gift shop. You do not have to be accepted into the show to sell in the gift shop.

Items can include original works, prints, glass, pottery, jewellery, giclees, books and art cards.

10 small gift items per artist

20 cards/artist

10 prints/giclee no larger than 12" x 16" (2D)

10 limited edition prints—authenticated 12" x 16"

No item over \$150.00

Submit all Gift Shop items on intake day at the Gift Shop table

Pick up for Gift Shop items Feb 25 & 26 11 am—5pm

A Commission of 20% will be kept on items sold