

SALUTE TO THE ARTS 2023

IMPORTANT DATES

Exhibition Dates: June 9 - July 1, 2023

Deadline for submission: May 12, 2023

Notice of Acceptance/Decline: You will receive an email notice of acceptance no later than May 19, 2023

Delivery: All accepted work must be received in the gallery by June 5, 2023

SALUTE TO THE ARTS is a well-received and energizing annual juried exhibit held at The Crossing Arts Gallery that highlights exceptional, fresh, new work from area artists. We are looking for your best work yet from the past year! All mediums will be considered, including, but not limited to painting, photography, drawing, printmaking, mixed media, fiber, and sculpture.

The public is invited to visit our gallery during regular business hours to view this exhibition. In addition, a gallery tour video will be created/posted on our website and social media platforms for all to view.

SUBMISSION RULES

This exhibition is open to residents of Minnesota. Artists may submit up to 2 pieces for consideration. 2D/3D work, literary, multimedia, and performance art are eligible. Artwork must have been created **after June 2022** and not previously exhibited with Crossing Arts. All work must be exhibition-ready and prepared for hanging/display. Incomplete and in progress works will not be considered. Works that are not as represented in the submission process will be rejected. Artwork must be available to display in our gallery if selected by the jurying committee. No artwork shall violate any copyright. All artwork will remain in the gallery for the duration of the exhibit. Submission fee is FREE for Crossing Arts members and \$5 per piece for non-members. Submission fees are non-refundable.

Hanging/Display – 2D artwork must be able to fit on panel walls that are 4' wide x 8' tall. 3D artwork must be free standing or be able to sit on a sculpture stand. Artwork cannot be hung from the ceiling. Space is limited. Please contact us before submitting your artwork if you have any questions regarding size and how it will be displayed in our gallery.

Artwork will be juried by the Crossing Arts Gallery Committee, and a guest judge will select 1st (\$250), 2nd (\$100), and 3rd (\$50) place cash awards for selected pieces. In addition, each of the three winners will receive a free one-year membership to Crossing Arts.

HOW TO SUBMIT

Complete the submission form on crossingarts.org under Exhibitions/Calls for Art. **PLEASE DO NOT DROP OFF WORK TO BE JURIED.** Non-members must pay the submission fee online, call with payment, or send a check to The Crossing Arts Alliance at 711 Laurel St, Brainerd MN 56401. Submissions received without complete information and payment will not be considered. Contact TCAA at info@crossingarts.org or 218.833.0416 with questions.

DELIVERY

Work may be delivered to The Crossing Arts Alliance, Tues – Fri from 10am to 5pm, and Saturdays from 10am to 2pm. For those who must use shipping – each artist is responsible for all shipping costs to and from the gallery. Any special opening and hanging instructions should be accessible on the exterior of the container. Return shipping is the responsibility of the artist. Pre-paid return shipping labels should be included with the package. Please allow two weeks for return shipping after the end of the exhibition.

Gallery is not responsible for works not collected after the pickup dates or without return prepaid shipping information. After 30 days of storage, works will become the property of The Crossing Arts Gallery. Avoid shipping works framed under glass, or that are especially fragile.

LIABILITY

Every effort will be made to ensure the safety of exhibited works. Artists are encouraged to insure their pieces and must agree to hold The Crossing Arts Alliance harmless for any damage that may occur. The Crossing Arts Alliance, its agents and employees, assume no responsibility for the safety of the works submitted or exhibited. Shipping insurance to and from the gallery will be the responsibility of the artist.

SALES

The Crossing Arts Gallery will retain a 30% gallery commission of the listed price on all work sold. Work may be listed as

“Not For Sale” (NFS)

AWARDS

Our judge will select 1st (\$250), 2nd (\$100), and 3rd (\$50) place cash awards for selected pieces. In addition, each of the three winners will receive a free one-year membership to Crossing Arts. A People’s Choice Award will be given as well. The winners will be featured on The Crossing Arts Alliance’s social media page and in the Crossing Currents, our quarterly newsletter.

CONDITIONS

Your submission grants the following: 1) Permission to The Crossing Arts Alliance to use digital images sent by the artist for publicity/promotional and/or educational purposes. 2) Placement of digital images on our website unless written notification is given to The Crossing Arts Gallery before exhibit opening. 3) Agree with all the terms and conditions listed above. 4) Releases The Crossing Arts Alliance of any loss or damage of works.