Greenville Museum of Art
2023 Fine Arts Ball – 50th Golden Anniversary
Call for Art Donations and Consignments

The annual Fine Arts Ball is the Greenville Museum of Art (GMoA)’s biggest fundraiser of the year. This event celebrates the fine arts with an evening full of live and silent auctions, raffles, fine dining, drinks, music, dancing, and merriment! The GMoA is soliciting original artworks for the silent auction for this prestigious event. The chosen artworks will be on display at the event, held at The Martinsborough on Saturday, April 1, 2023 from 6:00 - 10:00pm.

Visual artists, 18 years of age and older, working in all styles and media are invited to submit work. Artists selected for the auction will be able to set the minimum bid price for their work. Artists are allowed to submit up to 3 pieces each. Donations/consignments of artwork valued at more than $2,000 cannot be accepted. All proceeds from each donation to the auction will go to the GMoA. The final auction bid for each consigned artwork sold will be divided equally (50/50) between the artist and the Museum. Proceeds from your support will directly benefit the GMoA’s exciting schedule of exhibitions and programs, as well as its art education and outreach programs. The in-person and virtual auction display will include artists’ information and will be marketed through social media.

We have two options available for submitting to the GMoA Fine Arts Celebration auction:

1. **Submitting a Donation**: If your donation is chosen for auction, you agree that the Museum will receive 100% of the profits made from the sale.

2. **Submitting for Consignment**: For this option, if the work is chosen for auction, you agree that you will receive 50% of the proceeds from its sale.

*Please note that auction space is limited, and outright donations will receive priority during the selection process.* For both options, please use the attached form to provide us with dimensions, the value of the artwork, title, artist’s name, and year it was created. We also request a biography or artist statement and ask that you provide the minimum bid price for the work and an estimated price range in which you expect the work to sell.

Feel free to contact the Museum at 252.758.1946 or communications@gmoa.org with any questions you may have. We encourage you to share this application with other artists and donors.

**Submission Schedule**

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<td>February 6</td>
<td>Deadline to send in digital images of artwork. Images must be submitted in JPEG format via email to <a href="mailto:communications@gmoa.org">communications@gmoa.org</a> and must be accompanied by the attached form. Please save the files using the following format: lastname_firstinitial_01, lastname_firstinitial_02, etc. <strong>Submitted images will be juried by the Fine Arts Ball Committee.</strong></td>
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<td>February 17</td>
<td>Artists will be notified of their acceptance into the silent auction via email.</td>
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<td>March 4</td>
<td>Deadline for artwork to be delivered to the Museum. All work must be completely dry, framed if necessary, wired, and ready to exhibit.</td>
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<td>April 1</td>
<td>Artwork will be displayed at the Fine Arts Ball at The Martinsborough where supporters will place their bids in person and online.</td>
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<td>April 4-29</td>
<td>Artwork that did not receive bids or purchases at the event must be picked up from the museum or have arrangements made with GMoA staff for return shipping.</td>
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2023 Fine Arts Celebration
Art Donation/Consignment Agreement

Contact Information

Name: ______________________________________________________________________________

Address: ______________________________________________________________________________

City: __________________________ State: __________ Zip Code: _____________________________

Phone: __________________________ Email: ____________________________________________________________________________________________

☐ Donation  ☐ Consignment

Object Information

Artist: ______________________________________________________________________________

Title of artwork: ______________________________________________________________________________

Date (of Artwork): ______________________________________________________________________________

Media: ______________________________________________________________________________

Size: H_____ x W______ Framed? Yes ☐ No ☐

Retail value: ____________ Requested Minimum Bid/Reserve Price: ______________

Special Instructions: ______________________________________________________________________________

If this work does not sell during the initial auction, would you permit us to list it at a “Buy it Now” price for a 25% discount? Yes ☐ No ☐

If this work does not sell during the initial auction or “Buy it Now” stage, would you permit us to hold onto it for a future auction? Yes ☐ No ☐

This form must be filled out to its entirety before artwork is accepted.

Email this form with images and an artist statement/biography to communications@gmoa.org.

This will serve as your tax receipt for a donation to the Greenville Museum of Art, 802 South Evans Street, Greenville, North Carolina 27834. Tax ID: 56-0754646