LOUISVILLE ART ASSOCIATION FALL MEMBER ART & CRAFT SHOW

Louisville Center for the Arts, 801 Grant Avenue, Louisville, Colorado November 16 through 19, 2023

PROSPECTUS • CALL FOR ENTRIES

Online registration deadline: Monday, November 6 Judge: RICK DALLAGO

To Enter:

- Must be a Louisville Art Association (LAA) member in good standing
- Registration deadline: Midnight, Monday, November 6
- Entry fee: \$25 paid at registration including signed Participant's Waiver
- Volunteer: Enroll for two or more volunteer slots at this link: <u>Signup.com</u>

Important Dates:

November 6 (Mon.) – Registration received by LAA November 15 (Wed.) – Check-in for art and crafts from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. November 17 (Fri.) – Art Awards reception, 6 to 8 p.m.; Awards ceremony, 7 p.m. November 19 (Sun.) – **Pick-up art and crafts, 5 to 6:30 p.m.; no early pick-ups**

Contact <u>https://louisvilleartassociation.org/contact-us</u> for any questions related to the Fall Member Art & Craft Show requirements.

Show Requirements

Craft Participants:

- All crafts must be original and created by the artist.
- Crafts are not judged for awards.
- Only 24 registrations will be accepted; first come/first served.
- Submit any number of craft items, limited by space available. An approximate 2x3 foot table space, with tablecloth is provided for each artist.
- Single or packaged cards are considered crafts and will not be accepted as bin art for this show.
- Download the craft inventory form from the LAA show webpage. Completed inventory form for all crafts and bin work is required to check-in no exceptions. Craft Inventory form and price tag must match (inventory form will provide a more detailed description).
- Each craft item must have a price tag in the following format: Artist initials (*Last, First, Middle*) item number, item name, price.

Example: John Paul Smith selling an ornament for \$30 Price tag would read: SJP1 ornament \$30

- Provide your own tabletop crafts displays.
- Inventory may be replenished during show hours.
- Optional a maximum of five (5) pieces of bin art may be included (see more information on bin art under the All Show Participants section below)

- Not Permitted -

- No kits or imported goods will be accepted.
- No free-standing floor displays permitted. LAA will have limited space on floor card racks available to display your cards on a first come first serve basis if you do not wish to have them displayed in your table craft area.
- Pieces without labels will not be accepted or sold.

Fine Arts Participants:

- Show Judge: Rick Dallago
- Entry Options -
 - 1 piece, longest framed dimension equals 48 inches or less, OR
 - 2 pieces, longest framed dimension equals 24 inches or less, OR
 - 1 piece, longest framed dimension equals 24 inches or less + a 3D piece, OR
 - 2 pieces of 3D artwork
- Optional a maximum of five (5) pieces of bin art may be included (see more information on bin art under the All Show Participants section below)
- Single or packaged cards are considered crafts and will not be accepted as bin art for this show. Limited space on floor card racks will be available on a first come first serve basis. A craft inventory form is required for all cards. Craft Inventory form and price tag must match (inventory form will provide a more detailed description)
- Fine art categories: Oil, Pastel, Watercolor, Acrylic, Mixed Media, Photography; 3D categories: Pottery, Sculpture, Glass, Jewelry; Other mediums: Encaustic, Drawing, Lithograph/Monoprint, Artist-pulled printmaking, Fiber Art, and Digital Painting.
- Only 80 art pieces will be accepted; first come/first served.
- Entered art work will have a preprinted inventory sheet provided at check-in.
- All art must be ready to hang. Use a picture wire hanging system. Provide a label placed on the back of the piece. Label must include the artist's name, email address, phone number, title and price.
- Not Permitted -
 - Giclee prints of traditional media may not be entered.
 - No saw tooth hangers, frameless glass or inadequate hangers.
 - Pieces without proper wire hangers will not be hung no exceptions.
 - No work accepted that was previously entered into any LAA Member shows.

All Show Participants:

- Sign up for two (2) volunteer spots at this link: <u>Signup.com</u>.
- Bin artwork: Optional entry for all show participants.
 - Up to a maximum of 5 bin items allowed. A piece of bin art is defined as a matted original, print, giclee print or photograph.
 - Label bin art with Name (*last, first, middle*), item #, title and price.
 - Fill out the Inventory Form for bin art (download form separately) and submit at check-in. A craft inventory form is required for all cards. Cards must be properly labeled. **No exceptions.**
 - All bins are provided by LAA.
 - Inventory may be replenished during show hours.

- All artists are encouraged to attend the Awards Reception/Awards Ceremony on Friday, November 17 at 7 pm
- The Fall Member Show will follow all current State of Colorado and City of Louisville COVID Health and Safety Guidelines. If the Awards Ceremony cannot be held in person, a virtual Awards Ceremony will be presented.
- ALL ARTISTS MUST PICK UP UNSOLD ARTWORK on November 19, between 5:00 pm and 6:30 pm.
- Not Permitted -
 - No frames are allowed on bin art.
 - No canvas art allowed as bin work
 - Show participants are not allowed to supply their own bins for bin art.

All sales will be charged a 20% commission by LAA. Checks for items sold (minus the 20% commission) will be sent by mail to participant's address within two weeks from the end of the show.