

CALL FOR ENTRIES

2012 High School Students Show and Sale

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Ribbons for 1st, 2nd and 3rd, Honourable Mention

1. Eligibility

Artists in grade 10, 11 & 12 and are in Parkland County are eligible to enter provided they meet the rules. To conform to the spirit of the awards all work must be original and completed within the last two years and not previously shown in the Spruce Grove Art Gallery.

No copies from other artists or from published material will be allowed. Proof of originality may be required. All work must be labelled on the back with the artwork's title, size, medium, price and your name.

2. Dates, Times and Location

Entry Deadline – Wednesday, April 4, 2012

Delivery of artwork – Saturday, April 14, before 5:00 pm

Reception and awards presented – April 21, 2012, 1:00 - 4:00pm

Pick-up of all artwork - Saturday, April 28th, 2012, 3:00 – 4:45pm

Location: Spruce Grove Art Gallery, 35 – 5th Avenue, Spruce Grove

[Located in the Melcor Cultural Centre on the east side of King Street Plaza]

3. Entry form - Attached

4. Guidelines:

Oils, watercolour, acrylic, pastels, etc. – All work must be "gallery ready". Materials used must be acid-free (i.e. acid-free mats and backing). ***The framed work must have proper wire for hanging otherwise the piece will be rejected.***

Photography - The artist (photographer) should be directly involved in the creative and technical process. This refers to:

- All aspects of preparing to photograph a subject, such as choosing film and equipment types (lenses, filters, etc.) lighting and composition.
- A working knowledge of how the final result is achieved.

Archival materials must be used. "Gallery Ready" and hanging requirements same as above.

Three-dimensional work - All work must be "Gallery Ready". Clay work must be fired, with no cracks. Wood must be finished, (i.e. pieces must be polished, varnished, etc.). If work is a series the pieces must each have a number.

Digital Art: Due to the AAC Standards, AAC does not accept digital art at this time.

Art Prints (Intaglio, Monoprint, Serigraph etc – Artwork made in a print process is permitted. Must be original and created by the artist. Maximum numbers of prints in a series is 150. **Prints reproduced mechanically, by printing company, colour copying, etc, are NOT ACCEPTABLE!**

6. Insurance

Artists are responsible for carrying their own insurance on all their artwork.

7. Commission

A 25% commission fee to the Allied Arts Council will be charged on all sales.

8. Reception

All participating artists are encouraged to attend the Saturday afternoon reception and award presentation. Artists may pickup 10 – 20 invitations for their guests.

The AAC reserves the right to refuse any painting that does not meet the criteria set out in the general rules and regulations of this competition.

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