

GARLAND COUNTY LIBRARY SHOW RULES

July 1, 2012 to August 31, 2012.

Judged

The Garland County Library Show is a judged show for Brush Strokes Members only. The Exhibition dates are July 1 - August 31.

Professional and **Non-Professional** are the two entry levels.

a) Professional Category - The Professional Category is an open category. Any member may enter artwork in this category.

b) Non-professional Category – This category is open to members who do not regularly sell their artwork, do not display their artwork in galleries, or who have not entered State or National exhibits. A member may not enter artwork in both categories. Any member who has received a First Place, or Best of Show award in a juried show is encouraged to submit future entries into the Professional category. Receiving the award demonstrates an advanced level of artistry and ability

Only members in good standing may enter.

This Exhibit consist of a Judged and Juried portion

Juried Portion:

- 1) A member enters a juried show with the understanding that his or her paintings may not be juried in, and fees will not be refunded.
- 2) E-mail or mail your photo of your painting or paintings to Dorothy Guthrie by the announced date.
- 3) The following information must accompany each photo:
 - a. Artist's name,
 - b. Title of Painting,
 - c. Medium,
 - d. Artist's telephone number and E-mail address. (Price is not needed at this time. It may be included when the artwork is accepted and delivered.)
- 4) A member may enter up to 2 paintings (1 for \$5, or 2 for \$7.50)
- 5) Entry forms and fees will normally be required two weeks in advance unless special arrangements are made with the Exhibit Manager.
- 6) Only 30 to 35 paintings are juried into the exhibit per judge's discretion.
- 7) Within 2 weeks of the entry deadline notification will be given to those entrants whose artwork was juried into the exhibit and to those not accepted.

Judged Portion:

- 1) Accepted paintings must be delivered to the exhibit location on the announced date
- 2) Awards will be announced on the day of the reception.
- 3) We encourage everyone to attend the reception and learn why certain artwork is chosen for awards. Entering juried shows are educational. It provides an opportunity to get a professionals viewpoint of what makes a good painting.

Brush Strokes encourages everyone to enter the show no matter how long you have been painting. It provides everyone the experience of the process of entering a juried and judged show on a small scale, so hopefully in the future you will enter a state or national exhibit and know what to expect.

All Artwork Entries Must Be Presented In The Following Manner:

- 1) All artwork must have wires for hanging. (No saw tooth hangers.) Artwork need not be framed if it is on gallery wrap canvas (finished on all sides), or clay board mounted on wood. The Exhibit Manager may reject an entry if it does not comply with this requirement.
- 2) Artwork must be delivered to the appointed spot at the specified time and date
- 3) Artwork must be picked up on the specified date and time.
- 4) Artwork must have an accompanying card with the following information:
 - a) Artist's name
 - b) Title of painting
 - c) Medium
 - d) Price of painting
 - e) Phone number of the artist
- 5) The Exhibit Manager will announce the maximum size of the painting to be entered. The size is to be determined by measuring the size of the canvas or glass.

Only original artwork may be submitted. Please, no copy work, or art done in a workshop where participants paint the same subject.

Only artwork done from photos, or photos of others by permission, plein-air, still life, or your own original design and composition, should be entered.