Juried Fine Art Exhibition 2024-25



The Gallery Westland City Hall



November 8, 2024 - January 9, 2025

OPEN CALL FOR ARTISTS

Original Drawings, Paintings and Photography ~ \$1,200 in cash prizes to be awarded

Entry deadline is Thursday, October 31, 2024 - mail to: Marilyn Meredith, 41021 Southwind, Canton, MI 48188

Juror/Judge: JEAN-PAUL ABOU-DIB After earning his BFA, he went on to achieve an MFA in painting from Wayne State University. Influenced by contemporary expressive realism and figure painters, his work began exploding with luminous color and a gestural mark inundated with texture and synergy. Jean-Paul's current paintings embody a saturated color palette and a painterly approach culled from a variation of expressive realism. His work employs not only the technical traditions of classical anatomy and the convincing representation of the figure, but also the multiple psychological complexities, yet subtle nature of his subjects. Jean-Paul's art can be found in the collections of The Plymouth Community Arts Council, PCS Global Company, Milano's high end Men's Fine Apparel and in the private collections of art lovers including a portrait in the collection of Hip Hop artist Eminem. His work can be viewed at www.jeanpaul-art.com or www.emillionsart.com

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If you wish to be included in the "ARTIST'S PROFILE BOOKLET", please email to marilynmeredith@wowway.com a recent photo (headshot) of yourself and a short statement about yourself and your art.

	IMPORTANT DATES
Oct. 31	Postmark deadline for Entry form and payment; email pictures of art
Nov. 8	9 - 10 am deliver entries for jurying/judging to Gallery at Westland City Hall, 36300 Warren, Westland 48185
Nov. 8	Noon - 1 pm Notification of juror results
Nov. 8	1 - 2 pm pick-up non-accepted artwork; show hanging
Nov. 8-Jan. 9	Exhibition open to public whenever City Hall is open
Nov. 14	4:30 - 7:00 pm Artist's Reception - Refreshments will be served; 6:00 pm Awards Presentation/Judge's comments
Jan. 10, 2025	9 - 10 am pick-up artwork

JUDGES AWARDS

F	Photography	All Others
First Prize	\$200	\$200
Second Prize	\$150	\$150
Third Prize	\$100	\$100
Honorable Mentic	ons -0-	\$50 (4)*
Mayor's Choice	\$1	00

Winners also receive ribbons and Award Certificates. All accepted works will remain as placed by the installation committee unless artist sells a piece and add a red dot to show card. Buyer can take anytime after reception and marked show card shall remain hanging thru close of exhibit.

Prizes presented at Artist's Reception, November 14
*To level odds of winning based on # of entries/# of prizes

ELIGIBILITY

Participation is open to all artists 18 years or older. Recent works in 2-dimensional (3-dimensional if able to hang) media will be considered unless exhibited in previous Three Cities Art Club ("TCAC") Call for Artists event. Pieces must be properly wired for hanging and weigh no more than 20 pounds. TCAC membership is not required.

ENTRY FEE

Non-refundable entry fee of \$35 for up to three (3) entries (\$25 for paid TCAC members; membership fee of \$30 can be paid at time of entry) and \$5 for each additional entry up to a total of 6 pieces. Each piece being submitted is considered one entry (i.e. triptych would be 3 pieces). Please make check payable to Three Cities Art Club.

ENTRY PROCEDURE

Entries must be postmarked no later than **Thursday**, **October 31**, **2024** with the total entry fee and signed Artist's release form **mailed to: Three Cities Art Club c/o Marilyn Meredith**, **41021 Southwind**, **Canton**, **MI 48188**.

Entries will be juried/judged from the original art to be delivered on Friday, November 8, 2024 between 9 and 10 am to Westland's Gallery at City Hall located at 36300 Warren Road, Westland, MI 48185. Each piece must be labeled on back with artist's name, title, selling price and artist's phone number. ART NOT RECEIVED BY 10 AM ON NOVEMBER 8TH WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

Please print clearly on Entry Form as you wish your name to appear on the show cards and in the program. <u>To be included in the program</u>, we need a photo of yourself and a short artist profile. Please email electronic files ASAP to marilynmeredith@wowway.com; pictures in JPEG format,

less than 2 MB with artist's last name and title of art as file name: i.e. Meredith.Flowers.jpg.

NOTIFICATION OF JUROR RESULTS/PICK-UP

Artists will be notified of juror's results by phone between noon and 1 pm Friday, November 8. Pick-up art which was not accepted by 2 pm Friday, November 8.

RIGHTS AND REPRODUCTIONS

Three Cities Art Club and the City of Westland reserve the right to use provided images and photographs and reproduce all accepted entries, regardless of copyright, for the sole purpose of publicity.

SALES

No commission will be charged on sales. Artists are responsible for handling their own sales. Your phone number will be printed on show cards so those interested in purchasing your art will contact you directly. A red dot will be added to show card to indicate "SOLD". Buyer may take art after payment anytime after reception and show card shall remain in place.

RECEPTION AND AWARD PRESENTATION

Thursday, November 14, 2024 4:30 - 7:00 pm; Awards will be presented and judge will provide comments on each winner starting at about 6 pm - plan to attend and invite your family, friends and associates. Delights for the senses - outstanding art to see, tasty treats to eat and live music to hear.

PICK-UP AT END OF SHOW

Please arrange to pick up your art on Friday, January 10, 2025 between 9 and 10 am. ANY ART NOT PICKED UP BY 10 AM ON JANUARY 10, 2025 WILL NOT BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF TCAC OR THE CITY OF WESTLAND.

For more information; contact Marilyn Meredith at **313-231-3939** or email at <u>marilynmeredith@wowway.com</u> or Cres Schwartz at **248-449-9790** or email at <u>cresnfritz@aol.com</u>

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