

37th Annual Judged Art Exhibition



You are invited by Arts Rolla to enter the **37th Annual Judged Art Exhibition** held at **The Centre: Rolla's Health & Recreation Complex**, 1200 N. Holloway St. Rolla, MO 65401, during the Month of November. Exhibit dates are **October 29 – November 26, 2024**.

Awards:

Best In Show	\$ 300.00	Sponsored by Phelps County Bank
2 nd Place Award	\$ 200.00	Diane Knight Memorial Award Sponsored by Diane Knight Memorial Fund.
3 rd Place Award	\$ 100.00	Sponsored by Jeanenne Silleck Memorial Fund
Award of Excellence	\$50.00	4 will be awarded - Sponsored by Phelps County Bank
Honorable Mention		Number of Honorable Mentions is determined by the Judge
Total awards	\$ 800.00	

Awards determined by judge are final.

Calendar:

The Exhibition will run Tuesday, October 29 to Tuesday, November 26, 2024.

First Friday Opening: November 1, 2024, 5 – 7 p.m. Works of art receiving recognition will be revealed at 6 p.m. on November 1, 2024 during the opening.

The winners will also be posted on Facebook and on the Arts Rolla website.

Entries received: Tuesday, October 29 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at The Centre.

End-of-show pick up: Tuesday, November 26, 2024 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at The Centre.

Artist or their designate must register artwork on the day received and sign for receipt on the day of pick-up (if being picked up by the artist designate). Please call 573-364-5539 if you have questions about the drop-off or pick-up of your artwork.

Judge: Laurie E. Herrman Myers

I have been blessed for thirty-five years by literally thousands of students as I have had the ultimate privilege of teaching them about art and individual expression. Many say teachers have an incredible impact on their students and, as I wholeheartedly agree, I must say my perspective on art, expression, and life has been greatly affected by students! My students impact me every day with the amazing strength and positive attitude they seem to so naturally possess. The excitement my students display with learning makes every day and every project a new journey for me. Their pure ability to forgive, accept, and love also encourages me. The simple forgiving nature of a child is somewhat similar to the forgiving possibilities of a digital photograph, a brush stroke on an acrylic painting, or an eraser on a pencil drawing. All of these assist me in my own individual expression!

While drawing, painting, and photographing for others has driven my personal art over my life, my amazing family and incredible students has led me to challenge myself in other forms of expression as well. Through various art media, I teach my students life-long skills which will assist them in any career they choose as well as a creative outlet to express themselves. The viewer of my work can look into my heart and mind as each piece reveals something about my life; something I also pull from my students as they create. Although most of my experience has been in photography, acrylics, and pencil, I enjoy pushing myself to learn more and the creative expressions I can gain and in turn, share with my students.

Conditions of Entry

1. Artists must be 18 or older and may submit 1- 3 (total) entries.
2. All artworks must be submitted with a completed entry form and payment of fee.
3. **Entry Fee:** ARTS ROLLA Members - \$15.00; Non-Members - \$30.00. Entry fees and donations will be applied toward the expenses and awards of this exhibit. **In order to receive member discount on the entry fee, artists may join ARTS ROLLA when entering the show.**
All entry fees are payable to ARTS ROLLA and are non-refundable.

4. Each entry must be **labeled on the back with the name, address, and phone number of the artist, title of the entry, date created, and medium.** Must use a separate label for each work. Medium examples: Oil, Acrylic, Watercolor, Pastel, Pencil, Ink, Collage, Sculpture, Wood/stone carvings, Metal work, Hand-built pottery, etc.

(No Photography).

5. **Due to space available,** maximum size of entry is 144” circumference including the frame, (Examples of maximum size is 2'x4' and 3'x3').

6. **ALL Hanging art must be securely mounted and properly wired.**

NO Saw-tooth or loop hangers, tape, or other non-wire material will be accepted for hanging art.

All 3-D art must be small enough to fit in a glass case or large and durable as a floor or pedestal display. Entries will be checked for compliance of size, wiring, and information when the artwork is submitted.

7. **Artwork must not have been previously submitted in ARTS ROLLA competitions and must not be over 2 years old.** Entries must be original artwork. No commercial molds, patterns, prints, crafts, or kits will be accepted. (Contact Arts Rolla with questions.)

8. **ARTS ROLLA and the City (The Centre) reserve final approval of ALL artwork to be displayed.** The Centre is a family friendly venue which welcomes a diverse community.

9. **Sales:** Entrants are encouraged to price their work at their established market price. This price may not be altered during the run of the show. All sales attributed to the exhibition shall be transacted between the Buyer and ARTS ROLLA, who shall retain a 20% commission.

10. **Handling Fee:** Artists are responsible for making arrangements to pick up/sign-out their entries at the end of the exhibit. Artworks that are not picked up will be stored in the ARTS ROLLA office, and a **handling fee of \$10.00** will be charged. After one month, unclaimed artwork will become the **property of ARTS ROLLA.**

11. **Agreement:** The Centre provides general security during the exhibit, and ARTS ROLLA will handle all entries with care when hanging the show. ARTS ROLLA and its representatives or sponsors will not be held responsible for damage, theft or loss during the competition or related storage or handling, or because of failure to pick up entries as specified. ARTS ROLLA **assumes the right to photograph any entry submitted for educational and/or publicity purposes only.** Entries cannot be removed before the close of competition. **The signing of an entry form will be understood to imply agreement on the part of the artist with all of the conditions mentioned within this invitation.**

Date: _____ Artist’s Signature: _____

If you have questions, contact Arts Rolla at 573-364-5539, or rtsrolla@gmail.com

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Please use this space below as your entry form. Label the back of each piece of artwork with a SEPARATE label which includes the information shown below.

* First Name: _____ * Last Name: _____

* Address: _____ * Phone# _____ * Email: _____

* Title 1: _____ * Title 2: _____

* Medium: _____ * Price: _____ * Medium: _____ * Price: _____

* Title 3: _____

* Medium: _____ * Price: _____