

53rd ANNUAL Lynchburg Art Festival 2026



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The Lynchburg Art Club
Lynchburg, Virginia

E.C. Glass High School Grounds
Memorial Avenue and Lakeside Drive
lynchburgartclub.org

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SEPTEMBER 19, 2026

RAINDATE, SEPTEMBER 20, 10:00 am - 4:00pm

cover art: Louise Payne

EMERGING ARTIST REGISTRATION - LIMITED AVAILABILITY

***THIS REGISTRATION IS ONLY FOR FIRST TIME ART FESTIVAL APPLICANTS**

****The EMERGING ARTIST registration is ONLY for artists who have NEVER participated in the Art Festival before. You may only rent an Emerging Artist Space your first year. SPOTS ARE EXTREMELY LIMITED. They will be filled on a first come first serve basis. If you apply and spots have been filled you will be offered a refund or the ability to upgrade to a regular space. If you have any questions, please email LynchburgArtFestival@gmail.com**

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

Fee: \$75.00

E-mail _____ Total Fee Paid _____

Please give a brief description of the type of work to be exhibited _____

I accept the conditions set forth in this registration and will be responsible for collecting and filing my own sales tax. I have read the requirements on what is considered eligible artwork.

*****Signature -** _____

INCLUDE A SELF-ADDRESSED, STAMPED ENVELOPE with your registration and entry fee. There will be no registration on the day of the festival.

Please indicate which type of space you need and if you will be furnishing your own panel and canopy.

___ Fence Space ___ Tent Space (Sculpture/3D work only)

Artists wishing to be placed next to each other must send registration forms at the same time, as spaces are assigned when entries are received. Only work of the registered artist may be exhibited in a space. **Registrations are "first come, first serve".**

FENCE SPACE: Artists will have a **6x4' space (6ft tall, 4ft wide)**. Absolutely no panel or canopies in this area: Artists should furnish their own hanging hooks for mesh fence and display racks for portfolios. Bring plastic covers in case of rain. ***NO FREE STANDING TALL CARD RACKS OR DISPLAY PARTITIONS TO EXISTING ASSIGNED FENCE SPACE.**

SCULPTURE SPACE will be integrated into the tent spaces. Artists will be sharing a tent space with one other artist. This will allow each artist a **5x5' space**. The artist is responsible to bring their own tables, stands, and pedestals.

Rosalie Loving Short Memorial Award	Best in Show.....	\$1,000
Lindor Arts Award (Best Mountain Landscape).....		\$750
Lynchburg Art Club President's Award.....		\$500
Katie Hill Vaden Memorial Best Watercolor Award.....		\$500
Peery and Woolwine Dentistry Award.....		\$500
N.B. Handy Company Award.....		\$300
Steven Francis Fine Arts Award.....		\$300
Bank of the James Award.....		\$250
Campbell Insurance Company Award.....		\$250
Dolly Annette Marcuson Memorial Award.....		\$250
Virginia Price Memorial Award.....		\$250
Creative Framing & The Art Box Award.....		\$200
The Tom Morris Creative Use of Materials Award.....		\$200
Melinda's Award		\$200
Royal County Arts Award.....		\$200
Charlie Bird Quail .Award.....		\$200
Elizabeth Ford Memorial Award		\$150
The Framery Award.....		\$150
Seven Hills Art Club (Cityscape)) Award.....		\$150
Lynchburg Noon Rotary Club Award.....		\$100
McBride-Blackburn Opticians Award.....		\$100
William S. Thomasson Family Award		\$100

Chairperson: Emily Goodyear
Registration: Julia Dean
*More info about registration can be
found on Lynchburg Art Club website.*

STUDENT EXHIBIT

Grades 9-12

Schools by Invitation Only

Student Judging begins at 10:00 AM

Awards announced at 12:00 Noon at information tent

Student Judge of Awards: Jon Roark - **Lynchburg, VA**

STUDENT AWARDS (given in current and previous years):

Seven Hills Art Club (Best in Show).....\$150.00
Royal County Arts\$100.00
Melinda's Award..... \$100.00
Lynchburg Art Club President's Award..... \$50.00
Gail Harris Family Award..... \$50.00

Questions: Contact: Holly Frazier frazierhh@gmail.com

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