Jefferson City Art Club

2025 Adult Fine Art Exhibit

Entry Information

Exhibit at Capital Arts Gallery, 1203 Missouri Blvd. Jefferson City Mo

The annual Adult Fine Art Exhibit (AFAE) is for any amateur or professional artist above high school age and living within a 100-mile radius of Jefferson City, Missouri to enter two or three-dimensional fine art into a judged competition and exhibit. Sponsored by Jefferson City Art Club (JCAC) and Capital Arts (CA), it has been a tradition for many years. The ten Entry Fields include painting, drawing, photography, 3-D art and more.

The annual Adult Fine Art Exhibit is scheduled for Thurs. May 8 - Sat. June 7 in the Capital Arts Gallery, 1203 Missouri Blvd., Jefferson City, Missouri. (Please note that all dates are different than last year). There will be an artists' reception which will be held Thursday, May 15, 5:00-7:00 pm.

Entries will be accepted from residents and artists within 100 miles of Jefferson City. As this is an Adult Fine Art Exhibit, high school and younger artists are not eligible to enter. Entry registration is required using the enclosed form or via https://jeffersoncityartclub-missouri.com. No work will be admitted to the show unless we receive your registration by Tuesday, April 29. All artwork must be hand delivered between 12:00 and 6:00 pm on Tuesday, May 6, 2025.

Eligibility Classifications:

Professional

- A. Anyone who has earned an art degree in any area of art from a college, university, or accredited art school, or
- B. Anyone who earns at least 50% of his/her yearly income from artwork, or
- C. Anyone who teaches or has taught art classes for reimbursement, or
- D. Anyone attending graduate school in art, or
- E. Anyone self-identified as professional. (Once professional always professional)

Amateur

- A. Anyone who has had formal training of art in a college, university, art school or accredited correspondence school, but who has not attained any levels mentioned for professionals, or
- B. Anyone self-taught or having had limited training only through workshops or community art classes.

The Adult Fine Art Exhibit Committee may determine eligibility.

Entry Fields:

1. Acrylic 2. Oil 3. Charcoal/Graphite/Ink 4. Pastel/Chalk/Colored Pencil

Sculpture-3D
Watercolor/Gouache
Film
Photography/Darkroom

8. Photo-based Digital Art 9. Digital Art, not Photo-based

10. Artist's Choice: including Monoprint (no copies), Fabric, Mixed Media, or Egg Tempera (Specify medium)

Entry Rules:

- 1. Entry fee is \$15 per entry, discounted to \$7 for Jefferson City Art Club members only (not Capital Arts Members). Limit of 4 entries per artist. Entry forms and payment are due by April 29 to participate in the Exhibit. JC Art Club membership is \$25/yr. and may be paid now with this entry form and a membership form from https://www.jeffersoncityartclub-missouri.com if joining.
- 2. Artwork must not have been shown in any previous JC Art Club AFAE or Professional Exhibit.
- 3. Art must be original in design and execution by the registered artist. No copying except copyrighted images may be used in artwork, if they are significantly transformed into new creative art forms. Artist is solely responsible for copyright legal challenges. All artwork must be produced by your own hand. Artwork must not be from an instructional class.
- 4. JCAC and CA reserve the right to reject artwork for any reason. Artwork and frames must be completely dry. No damaged or fragile artwork.
- 5. All 2-dimensional artwork must be framed, except gallery wrapped canvas with painted edges. Wire hangers only, no saw tooth or loop hangers. **Artwork without wire hangers will not be accepted in the show.**
- 6. Artwork may not exceed 144 inches in perimeter including frame. For example, a 48 inch by 24-inch artwork is the maximum size. (48x2=96 inches, and 24x2=48, 96+48=144 inches.)
- 7. Art must be suitable for family viewing at the discretion of JCAC.
- 8. Sculpture may be clay, metal, glass, wood, papier mâché or other media.
- 9. All entries are checked for meeting entry requirements, proper classification, and entry field on the tag. Any artworks not meeting requirements will be rejected.
- 10. Artwork must remain in the gallery for the duration of the show. If artwork is removed early all awards will be revoked.
- 11. Capital Arts Gallery will retain 25% commission on sales made during the show. Payments are made to Capital Arts. Capital Arts will pay the artists less the CA commission after the show.
- 12. CA and JCAC reserve the right to use photographs of the artwork for promotion and advertising of Capital Arts, JCAC and the Exhibit. Submit images of artwork for its promotion by emailing JPEG files to artsadmin@capitalarts.org and cherylarti@aol.com and please note which show they are for. These images may be posted on the CA website and Facebook page, and on the JCAC Facebook page and Members-only webpages. Optionally bring Artist's Biography page for the bio book when dropping off the artwork. It should be one typed page with images if desired. CA and JCAC will do their best to display artwork in a complimentary fashion. We reserve the right to hang the exhibit as we see best.
- 13. No refunds will be issued.

Additional Information:

Artist assumes complete responsibility for insurance of artwork. All reasonable care will be given to artwork in custody of the Jefferson City Art Club and Capital Arts Gallery. Works submitted are at the artist's risk. The Jefferson City Art Club and Capital Arts Gallery are not responsible for damage or deterioration incurred before, during or after the exhibition. Artists/Exhibitors further agree to release and to hold harmless Capital Arts and The Jefferson City Art Club, its officers, directors, presidents, employees, volunteers, and agents from all liabilities and damages to artwork and/or persons as a result of any part of Artist/Exhibitor's participation in the Exhibit.

Submissions of any entry in this exhibit constitutes agreement from entrant to the conditions above. If not for sale, indicate on entry form. Works are submitted at artists' risk.

Judging and Awards:

A judge is a qualified individual familiar with all classifications and judging is closed to the public. Judges may award ribbons in each field within each classification for 1st, 2nd, 3rd place and Honorable Mention. A cash prize of \$100 and a ribbon is given to one Best of Show winner each in Professional and Amateur categories. The People's Choice Award for each classification will be voted on during the entire show. A People's Choice ribbon will be given at the end of the show.

Special awards in each Classification will be given to 1) a watercolor piece in memory of Florence Guhleman, a long-time member, past president, and well-known watercolorist; and 2) an oil piece in memory of Miki Claypool (1937-1956), a gifted oil painter and sister of the late Roberta Dunkel, and 3) an acrylic piece in memory of gifted artist Roberta Claypool Dunkel (1944-2023), long-time member and past president.

Winners will be announced on the CA and JCAC websites or Facebook pages and to the public.

Registration and Entry Form:

Fill out the entry form below and make check payable to **Jefferson City Art Club**. Mail forms and checks to be received by April 29 to Ruth Fisher, 5826 Sterling Ridge, Jefferson City, Mo. 65101

Entry forms can also be found on the Jefferson City Art Club website at https://www.jeffersoncityartclub-missouri.com/. No entries will be accepted unless registration forms and entry fees are received by April 29, 2025. Complete and attach the included ID to the bottom of the correct artwork and be sure to indicate the correct Entry Field as described in this document. It is the artist's responsibility to assign the correct field from the list on page 1 and attach the correct ID tag to the work.

Schedule:

Monday	April 29	Registration due
Tuesday	May 6	Artwork Drop off 12:00 am to 6:00 pm
Wednesday	May 7	Judging (gallery closed)
Thursday	May 8	Show open
Thursday	May 15	Artist Reception (5 to 7 pm)
Saturday	June 7	Show Closes
Tuesday	June 10	Artwork Pick-up 12:00 to 6:00 pm, ID will be requested

Contacts: Fred Schollmeyer, (573)690-4831 Chairman Capital Arts, (573)635-8355

Entry Form

Entry Fields are: 1. Acrylic 2. Oil 3. Charcoal/Graphite/Ink 4. Pastel/Chalk/Colored Pencil 5. Sculpture-3D 6. Watercolor/Gouache 7. Film Photography/Darkroom 8. Photo-based Digital Art 9. Digital Art, not Photo-based 10. Artist's Choice: including Monoprint (no copies), Fabric, Mixed Media, or Egg Tempera (Specify medium) Please fill out in full, this information is needed with the registration, to make tags. E-mail_(required)____ Street/City/State/Zip_____ Home/Cell Phone_(required)_____ **Professional or Amateur (Please circle one)** Entry One: Title Price Size Entry Two: Title_____ Price____Size___ Entry Three: Title_____ Price____Size____ Entry Four: Title_____ Entry Field_____ Price____Size____

I agree to the above exhibit information and will drop off artwork on Tuesday, May 6^{th} , between 12 and 6 pm. at Capital Arts Gallery. I understand the gallery will retain 25% commission on any artwork sold and said gallery will pay the artist the remaining amount due according to the gallery timeframe. I agree photographs of my artwork will be used for publicity.

Artist's Signature______

Please copy and attach to back of each artwork:

Artist Name:	
Title of Artwork:	
Entry Field	(If Artist Choice specify)
Professional or Amateur (Please circle one)	
Priceor NFS	
Phone Number(required)	
E-mail (required)	
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