

# Warman Arts Centre

## Spring Community Art Show and Sale

### Artist Entry Package



#### About:

The annual Warman Community Art Show & Sale is an opportunity to display artistic work created by citizens in our local area. Warman Arts Centre believes in supporting art development at the grass roots level and hosts this exhibition to feature artwork created by new or emerging artists as well as professional artists that live in Warman and the surrounding communities. Submissions are curated by artist board members, and the exhibition showcases the collective creative spirit of our community. Gallery visitors can vote for the Community Choice Award, which adds an interactive element to the event. The exhibition is celebrated with an artist reception where the Community Choice Award is presented. It's an opportunity for everyone to come together and celebrate the diverse talents in our area and support local artists.

#### Process:

Artists from Warman and the surrounding areas are warmly welcomed to participate in this exhibition with no entry fee. Artwork is to be dropped off at the gallery on any of the following dates and times: (April 6<sup>th</sup> 2pm-4pm, April 7<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> from 6pm to 8pm.). Nudity, violent or vulgar images will not be accepted. The WAC board members curate the gallery space, carefully arranging the pieces for display. We aim to include all submitted pieces in the exhibition, as long as they meet eligibility guidelines and are approved by our team. This ensures a diverse and inclusive showcase of talent from our community.

#### Important Dates:

**Art Drop-off times:** (April 6<sup>th</sup> 2pm-4pm, and/or April 7<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> from 6pm to 8pm).

At time of drop off, submit the completed Entry Form and 1 piece of artwork. No artwork will be accepted after these dates.

**Exhibition dates:** (April 14<sup>th</sup> to June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2025).

The exhibition is open to everyone of all ages and it is Free admission

**Community Choice Award Voting will be open during these dates:** (April 14<sup>th</sup> to May 22, 2025).

**Artist Reception & Community Choice Award Presentation date:** (May 22, 2025 7pm -8:30pm)

Free admission. Complimentary refreshments (no alcohol). Donations are appreciated.

**Art Pick-up dates and times:** (June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> or 24<sup>th</sup>).

The artist, a representative, or purchaser picks up the artwork. Contact the gallery if other arrangements are needed. Any artwork not picked up or arranged for after June 24, 2025 will become the property of Warman Arts Centre or be disposed of.

#### Artist Eligibility

- Artist must reside within 50 km radius of Warman, SK
- Open to all ages, and all experience levels
- Artists under the age of 18 must have parent/guardian representative to submit
- Artists/representatives must submit signed entry form agreement



## Artwork Requirements

- Maximum 1 entry per person
- Can be 2D or 3D artwork
- Open to a variety of mediums
- Recently completed (2022-2024)
- Must be suitable for public viewing by all ages. No nudity, violent or vulgar images please.
- Artwork must not have been previously exhibited at the Warman Arts Centre
- **Artwork must be ready for installation (hanging) and include hanging hardware** (if applicable). Art on paper must be framed. Stretched canvas can be framed or unframed.
- Collaborative pieces considered= 1 submission per artist
- Multiple-component artworks (ie. Diptych, triptych) considered 1 submission
- Artwork must be the artist's original work and design. It must not be a reproduction, made from commercial kits/guides, artificially generated, a copy of someone else's work, or claim someone else's work as your own.
- **Artwork must be delivered and unpacked by the artist/representative at the Warman Arts Centre during the designated drop-off times.** No artwork will be accepted after the specified dates.
- Do not ship entries by mail or courier.
- Fragile, excessively large, heavy, hazardous, or inadequately prepared artwork may not be included in the exhibition.
- If special installation is needed, include notes with the entry form or contact Warman Arts Centre about suitability before drop-off.
- Warman Arts Centre reserves the right to decline exhibiting artwork deemed inappropriate for the context of the exhibition. Artists unsure about suitability should contact Warman Arts Centre well before drop-off.
- Artists/representatives are responsible for unpacking/packing their artwork at drop-off/pick-up. **Packing materials must be removed from Warman Arts Centre.** Storage is not available. Any materials left at the gallery will be disposed of.

## Options: Display Only or Artwork for Sale

### Option 1: For Sale

The artist can choose to submit their artwork for sale. If it sells during the exhibition, Warman Arts Centre handles the transaction and remits the sale amount to the artist minus 20% commission. The artist is responsible for remitting any applicable taxes. Exhibition royalties not applicable.

### Option 2: Not For Sale

The artist can submit artwork for display only. It will be displayed NFS (Not for Sale). The artist voluntarily declines the sale opportunity. Exhibition royalties not applicable.



## Hanging Hardware

- **Wall artwork must have suitable hanging hardware installed before drop-off**
- **Accepted:** Hanging wire (Fig. 1) or upright D-rings on both sides (Fig. 2)

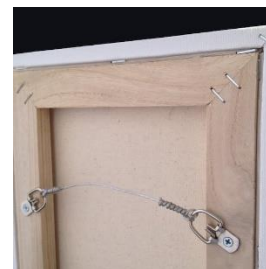


Figure 2



- **Not Accepted:** Sawtooth hangers (Fig. 3)

Figure 3



- Warman Arts Centre will not install hanging hardware or frame artwork.
- Artwork without appropriate hanging hardware will not be exhibited.
- Hanging hardware can be purchased at art supply stores, hardware stores, or installed at framing shops.

## Award

The Community Choice Award is sponsored by the Warman Arts Centre. Public votes are submitted at Warman Arts Centre during the exhibition. The winner will be revealed at the artist reception, and a prize will be presented. If the winner is not at the reception, alternative arrangements will be made to pick up/deliver the prize. An award certificate will be displayed next to the winning artwork for the remainder of the exhibition and given to the artist at artwork pick-up.

## Our Funders

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