

THE 36th ANNUAL OPEN ART COMPETITION

presented by

ROCK SCHOOL

ARTS FOUNDATION



2022 1st Place Winner: Echoes of the Past / Jeri Boerger

2023 PROSPECTUS

GALLERIES I AND II

August 12 – September 15, 2023

ONLINE

August 11 – September 29, 2023

Old Rock School

400 Main Street West Valdese, NC

(828) 838-9806

www.rockschoolartgalleries.com

EVENT INFORMATION

EXHIBITION of ENTRIES —Saturday, August 12, through Friday, September 15. Galleries are open weekdays from 9 am–5 pm. The exhibition can be viewed on the Rock School Arts Foundation website (rockschoolartgalleries.com) from August 12 to September 28.

ARTIST AGE REQUIREMENT—Must be 18 or older.

AWARDS — 1ST \$500 / 2ND \$200 / 3RD \$100 / PEOPLE’S CHOICE \$50 **Winners will be notified before the exhibition opens. Except People’s Choice. The People’s Choice Award will be voted for by visitors to the galleries on Opening Day, August 12th. **Prizes will be mailed to the winners.

JUDGE: TBA

ELIGIBLE WORKS—*2-Dimensional and 3-Dimensional works. All works must be original and never shown before in the Rock School Open Art Competition.*

ENTRIES PER ARTIST – *Two entries per artist.* Entries may be 2 2D works or 2 3D works.
Or 1 2D and 1 3D together to make the 2-entry limit.

PRESENTATION REQUIREMENTS—*All paintings **must** be ready for hanging using wire for hanging. Sawtooth hangers are not acceptable. Size for 2D is limited to 48” horizontally and vertically.* For information regarding size limits for 3D works, please call 828-838-9806 or email rsaf1893@gmail.com. Artwork needs to be priced. If artwork is NFS there must be a value given. **Tags for artwork are on the third page of this information.**

LIABILITY—Entries will be handled with care. Rock School Art Foundation will not be responsible for loss or damage from any cause.

ARTIST FEES—RSAF Members: \$10 per artist. Non-members: \$15.
Cash or Checks (payable to RSAF or Rock School Arts Foundation).

COMMISSIONS—20% of the asking price for each artwork sold.

RECEIVING of EXHIBITED WORK —Wednesday, July 26, 12–6pm and Thursday, July 27, 10am–2pm in Gallery I.

REMOVAL of EXHIBITED WORK – Tuesday, September 19 and Wednesday, September 20. Please pick up your works on these dates between 9am and 4pm. **Storing paintings is not permitted.** No work may be removed before Friday, September 15.

HANGING COMMITTEE’S AUTHORITY — Committee reserves the right to reject a painting for any reason. The decisions of the Hanging Committee are final.

SALES of ARTWORK — Sheets with Purchasing Information will be in the galleries. Or contact the Executive Director at 828-838-9806.

PAYMENT/OWNERSHIP OF ARTWORK—Payment for purchased artwork during OAC is due on the day of possession. Payment is cash/check/credit card. Possession of purchased artwork will be given on the date of removal.

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Individual \$20
Family \$35
Sponsor \$50
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Name: _____

Address:

_____ Zip Code:

Exhibit # _____ (assigned by gallery volunteer)

Artist: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Title: _____

Medium: _____ Price: _____

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1A (Attach to the back of work)

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Artist: _____

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1B (Copy for Gallery Use)

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