

THE 37th ANNUAL OPEN ART COMPETITION

presented by

ROCK SCHOOL

ARTS FOUNDATION



2023 1st Place Winner: Summer Day / Karen Yost

2024 PROSPECTUS

GALLERIES I AND II

August 2 – August 30, 2024

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 — Friday, August 2, through Friday, August 30. With Opening Day August 10.

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 2 to September 6.

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 **Exhibition Opening Day, August 10.** **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.
- **Works submitted framed and under glass must come with image to be used on the website.** If the artist does not provide an emailed image of the work, it will not be placed on the website. Foundation will not photograph artwork under glass.
- **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 24, 12–6pm and Thursday, July 25, 10am–2pm in Gallery I.

REMOVAL of EXHIBITED WORK – Tuesday, September 3 and Wednesday, September 4. Please pick up your works on these dates between 9am and 4pm. **Storing paintings is not permitted.** No work may be removed before Friday, August 30.

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
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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 back of work)

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1B (Copy for Gallery Use)

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