



SHERMAN ART LEAGUE – FALL 2022
Annual Fine Arts Show and Sale
September 15-17
Municipal Building Ballroom
405 N. Rusk
Sherman, Texas

INVITATION: All professional and amateur artists. Nothing is more exhilarating than to see your artwork on display. This is a great opportunity to share and sell your artwork.

PURPOSE: The Sherman Art League (SAL) sponsors this annual show to encourage artists to promote excellence and diversity in the arts and to increase the awareness and appreciation of art in the community.

ELIGIBILITY: Adults, 18 years or older

Combined total of over \$1,000 in awards to be given in 4 categories. Each category must have a minimum of three entrants for awards to be presented. The categories are:

(1) Realism/Traditional

**(2) Abstract/Contemporary,
Mixed Media & Collage**

(3) Photography/Digital (4) 3-D.

Also award for "Best of Show", "Memorial" & "People's Choice".

The judge will give a professional commentary of the winning entries at 7 PM on Thursday evening. Both the commentary and reception for the artists are open to the public. SAL selects a judge outside of this community.

ENTRY FEES: Members \$40 (up to 5 entries)
Non-Members \$55 (up to 5 entries)

Members are those who have paid their dues for 2022 at the time of or before entering the art show
***\$10 fee added for entries not pre-registered,
\$50 for members, \$65 for non-members.***

Entry forms submitted by mail must be postmarked no later than Thursday, September 8th to Sherman Art League, P.O. Box 222, Sherman, Tx 75091.

*SAL may choose not to accept artwork perceived as inappropriate for family viewing.

SALES: Sherman Art League receives 20% commission for any sale made during the exhibition. SAL members must handle all sales.

REGISTRATION DROP OFF: Thursday, September 15, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm, Municipal Ballroom, 405 N. Rusk, Sherman

ARTISTS AND PATRONS RECEPTION: Thursday, September 15, 7:00 pm. The awards will be presented at this time. It will be a special evening of sharing art and wine. You may BYOB of wine to place on wine table.

ART SHOW HOURS:

Friday, September 16 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Saturday, September 17 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

ART WORK PICKUP: Saturday, September 17, from 4:00 – 5:00 pm. No pickup before 4:00 pm. **ALL ARTWORK MUST BE PICKED UP ON SATURDAY.**

LIABILITY: Although the utmost care will be taken in handling work entered in show, the Sherman Art League and the City of Sherman will not be responsible for any loss, damage, or theft of artwork. The league will not be responsible for damage resulting from inferior or improper framing or other elements of presentation.

*Entry label must be attached to upper right hand corner on back of each art piece. See instructions on Entry form.
*Work must be original and completed in the last four years.

*Nothing may be copied from another artist's work or reprints.

*Reproductions of the artist's own work may not be entered.

*For work larger than 46 inches including frame, the artist will need to provide an easel for display.

*Hanging space may limit the number of large pieces that can be entered. This decision is the sole decision of the Sherman Art League.

*Entries to be hung must be securely wired - no saw-tooth hangers or unframed (two pieces of Plexiglas held together with clamps).

*Any three-dimensional entry needing special support should be entered with that support.

*35 lb. weight limit for hanging art.

*Unframed canvas edges should be wrapped to the back supports. No visible staples.

*No wet paintings.

*No price changes after the show opens.