



Rails End Members' Salon 2023

ALERT Deadline for entry is SATURDAY January 21, 2023 at 3 pm Kindly note drop off days below.

"INTERSECTION"

February 4 - April 1, 2023

INTERSECTION is a word that brings to mind a crossing, a chance meeting, or perhaps a Venn diagram? Any convergence, even a joining could be interpreted as a form of "intersection". An exhibition theme like the one I've chosen this year can be challenging. I hope so. I also hope you, the Members, rise to the challenge and find yourselves responding in new and interesting ways. We shall see! Thank you for participating in our 2023 Salon!

Laurie Jones, Curator

As a Rails End Gallery Member you may enter ONE (1) work in any medium for the Annual Salon Exhibition.

PLEASE ensure your work is:

- dry and clean
- ready to hang (unframed works on gallery canvas/panel are acceptable)
- for sale (Rails End will retain 30% commission on work sold during the exhibition and through the virtual show)
- signed
- labelled with title, medium, height and width in inches *i.e. title, watercolour, 16 x 20*

Each Artist is invited to include a brief bit of text with their entry to accompany the virtual exhibition and appear in the Exhibition Binder.

WHO CAN ENTER?

All Rails End Members are eligible to participate in this popular annual exhibition challenge. NOT A MEMBER YET? Visit [HERE](#) to join.

IMPORTANT DATES

ENTRY FORMS October 12 - January 21, 2021 ENTRY FORMS should be completed online before artwork delivery. When we receive your online entry *your email will be added to the the list of participating Artists and we will send you an e-vite to share with your mailing list, friends and family and on social media. (Another good reason to get that done early!)*

ART DROP OFF DAYS December 17, January 19, 20, 21 from noon til 3 pm ****Please ensure your work is wrapped for safety. If drop off times are not convenient or you are shipping work, please contact the Rails End office beforehand at 705-457-2330**

Saturday January 21 at 3 pm FINAL DEADLINE to drop off your work.

EXHIBITION DATES February 4 - April 1

ART PICK UP April 6,7,8 from noon til 3 pm

"INTERSECTION" will be presented in person at Rails End Gallery and virtually at www.railsendgallery.com/exhibitions

THE IMAGE YOU SEND US IS WILL BE USED FOR THE VIRTUAL EXHIBITION.

An Opening Reception is planned for Saturday February 4.

We will keep you informed closer to the Exhibition.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. How to enter: Please complete this online form in advance. It streamlines intake of work and ensures we have the correct details for you. Let us know if we can assist you.
2. How many pieces can you enter? Each Rails End Member is invited to submit ONE(1) original work of visual art, ceramics, glass, fibre, jewelry, photography, original music, literature or digital media. Reproductions, (giclees or copies) of original art and items created from a commercial kit are not permitted. If you used someone else's photo/publication as a source please acknowledge it. i.e. from a photograph in by [photographer's name] or [National Geographic Calendar].
3. Your entry should respond to the exhibition title "INTERSECTION" in some tangible way. The connection can be mentioned in your text (see item 4).
4. Each Artist is invited to include 200 words (or less) of text/artist statement for the Exhibition binder and virtual show. If you need help with your statement we are here to help. Just ask!
5. The Annual Salon raises funds for Rails End through a 30% commission on sales during the in person exhibition and the virtual show. ***All work must be offered for sale.***
6. Gallery visitors and online viewers will be encouraged to vote once for their favourite work. The top five entries will be announced on Facebook/railsend and at www.railsendgallery.com

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

1. Late entries will not be accepted.
2. Maximum perimeter for wall work is 160 inches. This includes the frame. For example 36" x 36" = 144" inch perimeter; 16" x 20" = 72" perimeter. Questions? Contact Laurie 705-854-0993 text or phone
3. Only works completed in 2021, 2022 and 2023 are eligible for entry.
4. Work consigned (past or present) to the Gallery Shop or previously exhibited at Rails End is not eligible for entry.
5. Work must have proper hangers/wire, be clearly signed, dated and titled on the reverse, be clean and dry. Unframed work is acceptable provided edges are finished appropriately. As always, ask if you need advice.
6. All work must be offered for sale.
7. Entry is open to all Rails End Members. Not a member yet? Complete your membership online at <https://railsendgallery.com/shop/ols/products/membership> or drop by the gallery in person. We appreciate all our Membership support and encourage you to spread the word about our public art gallery opportunities to your friends and family. Membership is valid until September 1, 2023.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The Artist is responsible for transportation of the work to and from the Gallery.

The Artist will determine the sale price of each piece of work. The Rails End Gallery & Arts Centre retains 30% commission on work sold. Payment will be issued on or before May 15, 2023.

Rails End Gallery & Arts Centre will be responsible for the insurance of the full value of the work, less 30% gallery commission, from the time of its receipt until it is picked up by the artist or buyer.

Rails End Gallery and Arts Centre is responsible for marketing activities related to the Members' Salon.

We will supply an e-vite to all participants for their email list/website.

The Artist permits the Rails End Gallery to photograph work for archival, publicity, educational, online sales/exhibition, catalogue and reference purposes.

Artist's full name *

First Name Last Name

E-mail *

example@example.com

Phone Number *

Area Code Phone Number

Title *

type title EXACTLY as you wish it to appear, including capitalization and punctuation.

Year of completion *

must be 2021, 2022 or 2023

Selling price in dollars and cents i.e. \$100.00 *

NFS is not an option. All work must be offered for sale.

Medium *

lower case letters only please.

YOUR SOCIAL MEDIA AND WEBSITE ADDRESSES (OPTIONAL)

Website if applicable

optional

Instagram

optional

Facebook page/

optional

unframed Height (vertical) in inches *

unframed Length (horizontal) in inches *

for 3D works only Diameter in inches if applicable

Special instructions

Below is where you add text related to your work or an Artist statement - You may cut and paste from another document. Keep it under 200 words. You will be cut off after 205 words and unable to send this application. PLEASE DO NOT FORMAT TEXT. Rails End will format Artist Statements for display. Please do not send paper copies or handwritten notes. *

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CHECK TO MAKE SURE YOU ENTERED ALL REQUIRED INFORMATION (SMALL RED STAR INDICATES REQUIRED)

When you submit this form your information will be sent to Rails End Gallery and Arts Centre.

You may PRINT a copy of this form for your records.

If you cannot drop of during these times please contact Laurie by TEXT or PHONE at 705-854-0993 to make alternate arrangements.



PLEASE EMAIL US A HIGH RESOLUTION IMAGE OF YOUR WORK TO
INFO@RAILSENDGALLERY.COM BEFORE THE ENTRY DEADLINE SO
WE CAN INCLUDE IT IN THE ONLINE VIRTUAL SHOW.

