Information about the
46th Annual Woman's Club of Chevy Chase Community Art Show and Sale
April 1-3, 2022

Welcome. The Woman's Club of Chevy Chase invites new and continuing artists to submit their work for our show. Questions? Check the Club website (https://wcccmaryland.org/community-art-show) or contact the show co-chairs at wcccartshow@gmail.com.

Award Categories. First, Second, Third, and Honorable Mention awards will be given in ten categories:

*** Acrylic**	*** Mixed media**	***Oil**	*** Other Media *(new)***	*** Pastel**
*** Portrait**	*** Photography**	*** Print and Drawing**	*** Smalls *(formerly Minis)***	*** Watercolor**

Judge: Information about the judge will be available on the website within the next few weeks.

Entry Conditions:

*****Registration closes Tuesday, March 1. However, please note that registration will be closed when we reach 375 works of art, even if it is before March 1. Register as early as you can!***

1. This community art show and sale is open to artists living within 50 miles of WCCC. The show is not juried.

2. Entry fees: $9.00 per Small and $17.00 per entry for all other categories. We charge artists no sales commission on works they sell during the show. We will issue refunds if the show is canceled.

3. ENTRY DEADLINE: Tuesday, March 1 or when 375 works of art have been entered. As we approach March 1, check https://wcccmaryland.org/community-art-show to see if entries are still being accepted.

4. Maximum sizes: Smalls - 8 x 10 inches. All others: 34" x 36". **Measurements include the frame. Weight limit:** Each entry must weigh no more than 10 pounds.

5. Photography**:** Please indicate on the registration form if a photograph has been digitally enhanced.

6. Other Media: For this new category, artists can enter 2-D works in media such as glass, wood, fiber, and metal. Unlike the other show categories which are for works typically done on paper or canvas, this category is for works made of other materials. Pieces must be designed to be hung. Note the 10-pound weight limit.

7. Number of entries permitted: Up to 4 Small works (8" x 10" or less, **including** frame) may be submitted. A total of 4 other works may also be submitted, with a maximum of 2 in any single category.

8. All entries must be original work and securely framed, with wire attached for hanging. Gallery wrapped canvas with wire is accepted. Entries may not appear in other shows concurrently.

9. Attach a card to the back of each entry with: artist name, phone number, title of work, category, and price.

10. Delivery of your art: We will accept art work on Wednesday March 30, between 11 AM and 7 PM and will stagger the delivery times for artists. See details in a future email or on the website.

11. Picking up your art: Artists will be able to pick up their art in staggered timeslots Sunday evening or Monday. Details and a sign-up for a pick-up time will be made available closer to the show date.

Call for Entries Registration Form
The Call for Entries Registration Form is available for downloading from the WCCC website.

You may submit your completed registration form by email to wcccartshow@gmail.com and pay by credit card through the PayPal link on the registration form.

You may also submit the registration form by U.S. mail. If you mail your form you must include payment by check. Make checks payable to WCCC Art Show and mail the check and form to: WCCC Art Show, 7931 Connecticut Ave., Chevy Chase, MD 20815. Note that incomplete entries will not be processed or accepted.

We will confirm receipt of your form within 10 days of receiving it.

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Note: Neither the Art Show Committee nor the Woman's Club of Chevy Chase will be responsible for any loss or damage to work submitted. However, the utmost care will be taken in handling the artwork. Note that entry fees are nonrefundable unless the art show is canceled. If the show is canceled, fees will be refunded, less a small fee to cover administrative costs.

Accommodations and Changes from Previous Years Related to Covid:
1. Masks: All visitors to the building must wear masks that cover their nose and mouth.
2. Social distancing: The drop-off and pick-up hours have been expanded so that fewer artists are present at any given time. In addition, the show layout will be changed so that we can accept artwork at the patio doors, eliminating the need for artists and volunteers to congregate in the building. We will follow the Montgomery County guidelines regarding the cap on the number of people in the building at any one time.
3. Judge's commentary and opening night reception: It is unlikely because of the pandemic that we will be able to hold an in-person opening night reception; we will make that decision closer to the show date. If we don't feel we can offer a live event, the judge's commentary will likely be offered as a virtual event, as it was for last year's online show.
4. Show cancellation: If required due to pandemic conditions as the show date approaches, a decision to cancel will be made no later than Friday, March 25. If cancelled, we will return all entry fees, deducting a small fee to cover administrative costs. There are currently no plans to switch to a virtual show.

Becoming a Patron for the Show
Patron contributions support scholarships for art students. Please consider being a patron in support of those artists! There are three levels of patronage, and all contributions go directly to scholarship gifts.

Platinum Patron: $100 or more
Gold Patron: $50 - $99
Silver Patron: $25 - $49

To make your contribution online or by check, fill out the Form for Patron Contributions.

Additional Information for Artists Included in the Show
The following page of this document has **Information For Participating Artists**, which includes information on important dates; requirements for artwork such as framing, size, and labelling; and payment conditions. ***We encourage you to print and save the Information for Artists page.***

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Important Dates for Artists

- **Thursday, February 3** – First day to submit entries for the show. Entries may be mailed or submitted electronically. Entries will not be processed until payment is received. Artists must use the Call for Entries form or the electronic form found on our website. Incomplete forms will not be accepted and forms must include contact information.
- **Tuesday, March 1 or before** – Last day to submit entries. We will accept 375 works of art; the cutoff for entries may occur before March 1. As we approach March 1 check our website at http://www.wcccmaryland.org/community-art-show to find out if entries are still being accepted.
- **Registration closing date:** We will notify artists whose entries we receive after registration has closed, using contact information provided on the registration form.
- **Delivery of your art:** Receiving Day for the art will be Wednesday, March 30. We are revising how we structure the art deliveries in order to reduce the number of people in the building at one time. We expect to offer sign-up times for artists to deliver their work between the hours of 11-7 PM. Details about delivering your art will be sent no later than March 15.
- **Friday, April 1, 7-9 pm – Awards presentation and Judge's commentary.** We will not be able to hold our champagne reception. Most likely, we will present the judge's commentary via Zoom during the 7-9 PM window the evening of April 1, our usual reception time frame. Details will be provided no later than March 15.
- **Picking up your art:** We expect to offer staggered sign-up times for artists to pick up their work on Sunday, April 3, 5-7 PM and on Monday, April 4, 10-3. More details will be sent by March 15.

Requirements for the artwork

- All entries must be original work and securely framed. Gallery wrapped canvas with wire attached for hanging is acceptable.
- **Photography:** Please indicate on the registration form if a photograph has been digitally enhanced.
- Maximum size for a Small is 8 x 10 inches. Maximum size for others is 34 x 36. Size includes the frame. Maximum weight for any entry is 10 pounds.
- On the back of each entry include: artist, title, category, and price. The categories are: Acrylic, Mixed Media, Oil, Other Media, Pastel, Photography, Portrait, Print /Drawing, Small, and Watercolor.
- *Please make a copy of your registration form before submitting it so that you can refer to it later.*

Charges for Late Art Pickup

We recognize that it is sometimes difficult for artists to pick up their art at the scheduled time. This year should present less of a problem because of expanded pick-up times. Please keep in mind that we do not have the staffing or the storage facilities to keep art for later pickup. Artists who do not pick up their art by the end of the Monday pickup window will incur a charge of $10 per day for each day the art remains at the Club. If someone other than the artist will be picking up the artwork, please let us know at the time of check-in or by email no later than Saturday, April 2, at 5 pm. (wcccartshow@gmail.com)

Payment to artists for art sold

Artists will receive payment for art purchased by cash or check when they check out at the end of the show. Payments made by credit card will be mailed to artists within 10 days of the show's close. Please note that we will deduct all bank fees paid by WCCC from the artist's payment for art purchased by credit card. Please note that, for art purchased by credit card, we will deduct all bank fees incurred by WCCC from the artist's payout for those pieces.