The Laurel Arts League P.O. Box 4188 Laurel, MS 39441



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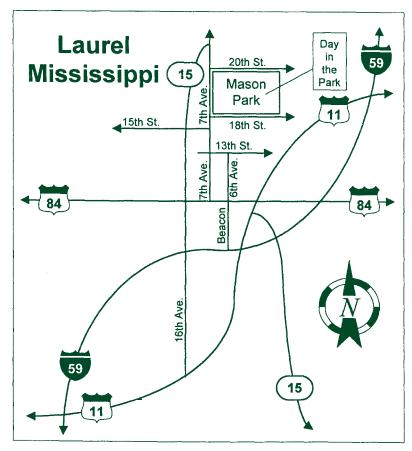
Saturday, May 6, 2023 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.



Laurel, Mississippi Mason Park *Day in the Park* takes place in Laurel's beautiful Mason Park. Exhibitors should check in at the corner of 20th Street and the service road to receive instructions and a pass to enter the park for unloading.

For more information contact <u>DayInParkArtsAndCrafts@gmail.com</u> or visit www.LaurelArtsLeague.com.

From I-59, take exit 95B, North 16th Avenue, turn right at 4th red light (1.5 mile) on 15th Street. Turn left at 2nd 4-way stop (blinking light) on 7th Avenue. Mason Park is on right.





Join us on the first Saturday in May for the *Day in the Park* arts and crafts festival! This annual event is sponsored by the Laurel Arts League in cooperation with the City of Laurel. *Day in the Park* combines art, food, entertainment, and fun for the entire family.

Day in the Park kicks off the day with the annual 5K Race that starts at 8:00 a.m. on 18th Street (rain or shine), followed immediately by the one-mile Fun Run. Register online at www.LaurelArtsLeague.com or at the starting line at 6:30 a.m. Awards will be presented at 9:00 a.m.

Join us at 9:00 a.m. by visiting and shopping with our Arts and Crafts Vendors who will be located throughout the park. Shop for those one-of-a-kind creations, Mother's Day gifts, Christmas gifts or something special for the kids! Contact: DayInParkArtsAndCrafts@gmail.com for vendor info.

Entertainment begins at 9:30 a.m. on the main stage and will feature a variety of performances including rhythm, blues, country, variety, popular and jazz.

The Student Art Exhibit features judged art and awards for pre-school through high school aged students. We welcome the participation of students from public and private schools as well as home-schooled children. Visit www.LaurelArtsLeague.com for entry requirements.

The Children's Activities area will delight the young with many supervised arts and craft activities as well as facepainting.

Festival Concessions will offer a tantalizing array of Food including hamburgers, corndogs, barbecue, chicken-on-a- stick, funnel cakes, ice cream, lemonade and soft drinks.

The festival is held rain or shine unless notified by the Emergency Management District to close the festival due to inclement weather conditions. NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN.

Exhibitors' Rules and Information

- All arts and crafts must be hand-made by the exhibitor.
- The work of only one exhibitor may be displayed in each assigned space. Two or more people producing a single item may qualify as a single exhibitor and should indicate this in the "Comments" section of the registration form.
- The registration fee of \$75 is for a 12' x 12' exhibit space. Spaces will be assigned only after receipt of registration form/fee and notification of acceptance. Exhibitors must occupy their pre-assigned space. Returning exhibitors desiring the same space as last year should indicate so in the "Anything else we need to know?" section of the registration form. We will try to honor the requested space. Registration form and fee must be received by April 8, 2022.
- Sales tax of 7% must be collected and turned in at the registration table by 3:30 p.m. on the day of the event.
- No commercially prepared T-shirts will be allowed.
- No commercially produced items with the *Day in the Park* logo may be sold without the permission of the Laurel Arts League.
- Selling prices may not be increased during the day.
- Exhibitors are responsible for providing their own tent, display tables, racks, etc., and are responsible for set-up and removal.
- No animals, bicycles, roller blades, skateboards or alcoholic beverages will be allowed in the park.
- Exhibitors will be allowed to set up their displays on Friday between 4:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m., and on Saturday between 6:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. Overnight security will be provided. Exhibitors should check in at the Mason Park Pavilion to receive instructions and a pass to enter the service road for unloading.
- Unsold work must be removed by the exhibitor between 3:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. on the day of the event.
- Vehicles will not be allowed on the park grounds for unloading, loading or displaying of items.
- The Laurel Arts League <u>WILL DENY</u> exhibit space to any entry which does not comply with the rules stated herein.
- The Laurel Arts League has the right to request the removal of items considered inappropriate for the event.

Exhibitor Entry Fee & Deadlines Early Bird Entry Fee - February 28, 2023 - \$50.00 Standard Entry Fee - April 8, 2023 - \$75.00

Exhibitors must complete the registration form below and return it along with the \$75 registration fee to The Laurel Arts League, c/o Arts & Crafts Chair, P.O. Box 4188, Laurel, MS 39441. Checks should be made payable to The Laurel Arts League.

A non-returnable photograph depicting each type of work to be sold must also be submitted with the registration form.

City		State	Zip	
Cell Phone		Alternate		
E-mail				
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Fine Art	Woodwork	Crafts	Plants	Jewelry
Describe your	art or craft:			

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Anything else we need to know?

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For additional information, please check the website at
www.LaurelArtsLeague.com
or contact Peggy Padilla 601.978.0687
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