

Die Künstler von Fredericksburg
33rd ANNUAL FINE ART SHOW AND SALE

November 13, 14, 15, 2026

St. Joseph's Halle 212 W. San Antonio Street

Friday, Artist Reception, Nov. 13th 5:00 – 8:00

Saturday, Nov. 14th 10:00 - 4:00 Sunday, Nov. 15th 11:00-4:00

RULES AND GUIDELINES

ELIGIBILITY & REQUIREMENTS

- Must be a paid member by June 30, 2026.
- Must attend the Friday reception.
- Must sign up for a show duty: Greeter, Set-Up, Sales, Food, Art Check-in, Hanging the Show, Ballots, etc.
- Provide food for the show as requested by the food chairman. **Last names ending in A through L bring savory foods, names ending in M through Z bring sweets.**
- Prior to the opening of the show, check your artwork display cards for correct placement and that they are adjacent to the correct painting. **It is the artist's responsibility to ensure the correct placement of display labels for each painting.**

DEADLINE FOR ENTRY AND RELEASE FORMS

Entry form for framed art and the signed release form must be delivered or postmarked by **November 3rd. Email or snail mail submissions only will be accepted. No texts, no phone calls. Early submission is greatly appreciated!**

Please Email or snail mail to Art Submission Chair before or by deadline to:

Karen Oldham
301 Majestic Ridge Comfort, TX 78013

Email is: oldhamKal.artist@gmail.com

PAYMENT

Entry fee of \$25.00 for 6 paintings will be collected on day of delivery.

Please pay via cash or check made payable to DK.

Commission will be 25% on any art sold.

No late entries or changes will be made after the deadline.

ORIGINALITY

- All artwork to be shown must be wholly original in concept and execution; created from the artist's own direct observation, imagination, or from reference photos purchased by or given permission to the artist. Artwork derived directly from the work of another artist is strictly prohibited. No AI generated art, digital art, work produced under instruction, work derived from another's intellectual property or from copyrighted references will be accepted.
- Photos of other artist's work used as your basic reference constitute "copying". Any art submitted that represents a substantial copy of another artist's work will be removed from the show at the discretion of the show chair. Any dispute of this action will go before the Die Künstler Board.
- No giclees or other reproductions will be accepted.
- **Artwork previously shown in a DK FALL ART SHOW AND SALE cannot be shown again.**

ELIGIBLE ARTWORK

- Original, two dimensional artwork.
- No crafts, photography, pottery, mosaics, fabric wall hangings or sculpture.
- Two dimensional art that includes three-dimensional components must be presented to the DK Board **four weeks prior to the show** for approval to be included in the show. Board members who are submitting for approval will not be included in the Board vote.

FRAMED ARTWORK

- You may enter up to **six (6) pieces** of original art in the show, with the total square inches ...including frame...not to exceed 2500 square inches. Maximum width: 38 inches. If you paint large and can hang only one painting that will fill an entire panel of 38" width x 60" height, inquire about space availability.
- All paintings must be framed, except for gallery wrap. **Depth of gallery wrap must be 1 inch or larger.**

- All paintings must have a wire for hanging *no exceptions*. You are required to tape the wire ends for the safety of the hanging committee members. Allow about 1-inch of slack so paintings will hang as close and straight to the panels as possible.
- Watercolor and sketches 16 x 20 and larger should be displayed under acrylic (Plexiglas). Pastel paintings may use glass.

LABELS and DISPLAY CARDS

- Complete and attach a label to the back of the painting. Display cards will be printed and available for pick up at check in desk on Friday when art is delivered. Each artists work will have a preprinted gallery card made especially for their art.
- Label sheets will be available at the Sept. & Oct. meetings, along with the show guidelines.
- Artwork will remain in the exhibit until the end of the show, unless there are special circumstances (the buyer is leaving town). We will not mail artwork to out of town buyers.

DELIVERY OF ARTWORK: Friday, November 13, 8:30 a.m.-10:00 a.m

PRICING

- All hanging artwork must be priced above \$150. “NFS” paintings are accepted.
- There are no pricing or framing negotiations between the artist and a potential buyer.
- Under our non-profit status we do not charge sales tax. This is the responsibility of the artist.

UNFRAMED ART

(1) one box with a maximum of 25 pieces per member for the fall show

- Unframed original art will be displayed in (1) *one box* that does not exceed the dimensions of: 18” (front) x 24 “ (sides).
- Your display must be sturdy. No plain brown boxes will be accepted.
- **Your boxes cannot be replenished with replacement art. 25 pieces of art is limit.**
- The **price, your inventory #, and artist name** must appear on the back of each piece of art. Unframed Art titles are not necessary for the sales room. **Minimum price for each painting \$25, maximum price \$150.**
- The artist will be responsible for tracking their inventory, as the art is not recorded, other than your inventory # on the sales receipt.

- The artist must provide an inventory list for the sales room.
- The show chairman and assistant will determine the final location of the boxes and have the right to exclude any display that does not meet these guidelines.

SALES PROCEDURE

Artists whose paintings are sold will receive a check in the mail as well as documentation of the sale from the treasurer, less a 25% donation to DK. The cost of credit card sales will be absorbed by the Die Künstler club.

AWARDS: “People’s Choice”, “Member’s Choice” & “Best Body of Work”

On Sunday the ballots will be tabulated and the awards will be given at 4:00. Winners will be photographed with their painting. A new award: **“Best Body of Work”** will be determined by counting “People’s Choice” votes on ALL work submitted by an artist. This prize will be equal to “People’s Choice.” Money awards will be given at the DK Christmas Party in December.

BIOGRAPHY

- Please bring your business cards, which will be displayed on your panel with your paintings. Business card holders will be provided.
- Provide a copy of your biography on white card stock (for display on the panel) and 6 copies for the sales table file. Include contact information. This can be in any format (8-1/2 x11”), with or without photos.
- Please deliver them in a file folder or file envelope on Friday with your paintings. Do not fold.

PICK-UP & TAKE DOWN-- Sunday Nov.15, begins at 4:30

Pick-up all unsold artwork after the awards ceremony on Sunday, Nov. 15.

If you are not able to pick-up your artwork, prior arrangements must be made with another member to take your paintings. All participants are expected to help **(as much as they are physically able to; otherwise, please send an able representative to help)** with take down and packing of panels, lights, velcro hooks, signage, and sales materials. The gallery area will be swept.