



ENTRY for Child-Centric Art Exhibit

March 1 – APRIL 24, 2025

Reception: Saturday, March 1 from 3:30-5:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Ridgefield Community Library

210 N Main Ave, Ridgefield, WA.

HOURS:

Mon: 10:00 am-6:00 pm

Tue - Wed: 10:00 am-7:00 pm

Thu - Sat: 10:00 am-6:00 pm

Registration is now open to RAA Members

Email Entry Deadline is Friday, February 21, 2025 (see Entry Deadline details below).

Deliver Artwork: Friday, Feb. 28 from 10:30 AM- 12 PM. (Pick-up Black & White 10-11AM)

Pick Up Artwork: Friday, April 25 from 10-11AM.

CHILD-CENTRIC EXHIBIT: Child-Centric Art historically combined the idea of child focused - youth-centered strategies to embrace the inner child. [Paul Klee](#), [Joan Miró](#) and [Jean Dubuffet](#) frequently looked to playful children's art for inspiration. [Mary Cassatt](#) looked at children for inspiration. Artists are encouraged to unleash the child within and have fun.

In honoring youth during Ridgefield's Youth Arts Month, [RYAM](#), five young Ridgefield artists have been invited to exhibit with RAA's Child-Centric artists at the Ridgefield Community Library.

TO ENTER:

- RAA members interested in entering their artwork in this exhibit need to email their entry information to Brenda at bberg007@comcast.net by Friday, February 21, 2025.
- Your email's subject space should have "RAA CC Entry ID".

Include the following wall ID information for your submission:

Artwork Wall ID Information:

Artwork Title(s) (limit 2 artworks)

Artist

Medium

Price or NFS

Your Contact Information for interested buyers/patrons

Artwork Dimensions (over 3' x 3' and 7 pounds need curatorial approval)

If possible, a jpg image of your artwork(s) for website and social media releases

All entries must be wired with "D" rings and ready to install/hang. Click [Instructions](#) for how to install "D" rings and museum wire on artwork/frame.

RAA RULES OF ENTRY:

- Open to artists who are current members of the Ridgefield Art Association.
- Acceptance of artwork is at the curators' discretion (limited wall space, not "family friendly", etc.)
- Artwork jpg images will be used for social media and publicity releases.
- Unframed 3-D wall work must include museum wire, "D" hooks and any special installation materials and instructions needed to be hung/installed.

Artwork Sold:

- The artist is responsible for making arrangements with the buyer and collecting cost of artwork. The buyer may take the artwork with them at the time of the sell, or artist may arrange for the buyer to wait until the exhibition pick-up date (preferred).
- Notify Brenda at bberg007@comcast.net or any Curatorial member if:
 - ✓ your artwork sells
 - ✓ the buyer must take artwork at the time of purchase
 - ✓ you are able to replace the sold work with comparable work
 - ✓ for replacement artwork's new wall ID information

Opening Reception**Saturday, March 1st, 3:30PM - 5:30PM**

LOCATION: Ridgefield Community Library

Allene Wodaeye Community Room

210 N Main Ave, Ridgefield, WA.

Photographing Your Artwork

If possible, email a JPG image of your artwork with your ENTRY information (see page 1):

- File Type: JPG only
- File Size: No larger than 5 MB
- Color Profile: RGB

There are many online resources to help you take a high-quality photograph of your artwork. HINT: Remove artwork from under any reflective surface (like glass) before photographing it. This is one site that offers some good strategies: [click here](#)