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Hours Tuesday through Saturday 10 to 6 & Sunday 1 to 5

## 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Juried Winter Arts Festival 2025

February 20<sup>th</sup> to March 29<sup>th</sup>

Reception on Friday, February 28<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 to 7:30 with awards at 6:45

Awards will be posted on our website & Facebook

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Gallery Uptown is the oldest cooperative art gallery in the State of Michigan and 2025 marks our 50<sup>th</sup> year with award-winning artists and fresh exhibits every month.

### Juror Lindsay Isenhart

A West Michigan native, Lindsay got her start in the arts at an early age and pursued both fine arts and visual communications through high school, Kendall College of Art & Design, Academi de Bella Arti, Peitro Vanucci, Perugia, Italy, and through mentorships with artists like Ray Jansma. Her favorite focus in her own work is drawing and mixed media. Lindsay has worked as curator and program coordinator for Nawaygo County Council for the Arts-Artsplace, in Fremont, Michigan for the last 23 years. Working with a variety of artists working in 2D, 3D, and installation, she has curated over 250 exhibitions in every discipline imaginable. With experience as an artist submitting her own work, a curator selecting art for exhibitions and jurying shows, Lindsay has a unique perspective from both sides of the fence.

### Eligibility

Artists are welcomed to submit two entries (may be 2D or 3D) created within the past two years and not previously exhibited in the Winter Arts Festival. We allow only original work created by submitting artist. Entries may be inspired or influenced by other artists, but submitted work must be wholly new and original. Entrants must be 18 years or older. Minors may enter with the signature of parent or adult guardian on this form. All works are subject to the discretion of the Gallery Uptown. Any work found to be unacceptable or offensive will not be included in the show.

### Entry Fee

A non-refundable fee of \$30 for one or two eligible works. Please pay by cash or check payable to Gallery Uptown.

## Delivery & Pick Up

Our exhibition in 2025 is hosted by Central Park Place at 421 Columbus Avenue, Grand Haven.

Artists should complete the attached entry form & notification card. “Entry A” and “Entry B” labels should be affixed to their respective works on the reverse side of each entry. Works must be dry and ready to hang. Please no sawtooth hangers as they do not work well with our hanging system. No exposed glass or plexiglass edges. All works must be able to be handled/moved by two people.

Deliver works: on Wednesday, February 12 through Friday, February 14, 2025 from 10 to 5:30, and Saturday, February 15, 2025 from 10 to 4.

Pick up of declined works: Tuesday, February 18, 2025 from 10 to 5 at Central Park Place.

Note: if you are unable to pick up your declined work this date, then it will be moved to Gallery Uptown for pick up.

Accepted work must remain on exhibit until the end of the show.

Pick up of accepted works: Sunday, March 30, 2025 from 1 to 4 at Central Park Place.

After March 30, 2025 works will be at Gallery Uptown

If you intend for someone else to pick up your work you must send a release note including your signature and the title of the work to be released.

## Notification

We will notify you by email on the status of your submissions. If you would prefer notice by U.S. Post, then please include a SASE with your entry. The juror’s decisions are final.

## Sales & Commission

All work must be for sale. The gallery retains 35% commission on all sales.

## Liability

We strive to keep all work safe and secure, but in case of loss or damage the Gallery Uptown is not liable. Gallery Uptown may photograph artwork for use in promotion, publicity, and marketing. Submission of this application constitutes agreement with all conditions herein.

## Awards & Reception

Awards are presented at our reception on Friday, February 28, 2025 at 6:45pm. Our reception at Central Park Place is open to the public and runs from 5:30 to 7:30. We hope you will encourage friends and family to join in the festivities. In previous years awards have totaled more than \$1100.00.

We’d love to know how you learned of this exhibition? Please respond through our website at [galleryuptown.net](http://galleryuptown.net). Thanks.

**Notification Card Entry A:**

**Entry B:**

Artist Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

email \_\_\_\_\_

phone \_\_\_\_\_

artist's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title for Entry A \_\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Price \_\_\_\_\_ (No NFS)

Title for Entry B \_\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Price \_\_\_\_\_ (No NFS)

Please bring identification when retrieving art. Thank you.

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Entry A (affix to back of work)

Artist Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email & phone \_\_\_\_\_

Title for Entry A \_\_\_\_\_

Price for Entry A \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_

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Entry B (affix to back of work)

Artist Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email & phone \_\_\_\_\_

Title for Entry B \_\_\_\_\_

Price for Entry B \_\_\_\_\_

Medium \_\_\_\_\_