

11.08.20 OAA eBulletin – OAA News and Notes!

Hello again everyone:

The OAA Board continues to meet regularly by video conference, although the October meeting has been pushed out into the next week or so of November. The meetings are interesting as board members wrestle with ways to keep our art accessible to the public and to support visual art education in the East Bay. If you would like to attend our next meeting, please respond by return email.

- The last OAA Show of 2020 will be another online General Category Show. The complete rules for this show are attached for your information, although there are no dramatic changes from the last open category show held at the end of August.
 - Up to 4 entries per member – fee is \$5 per piece.
 - Deadline for entries is noon on Sunday November 29th.
 - First award \$100; Second award \$50; Third award \$25.
 - Enter by return email, with images of your art attached – include title, price, size, and medium in the email text – no entry form is required.
- The October “Paintings only Show”, produced together with the “Chalk it Up” pastel group was very successful. The show was fully subscribed at 55 entries, roughly half from OAA members and half from the “Chalk it Up” group. Please go to: www.oaklandart.org to view the entire show. Additionally, John Henry has produced a YouTube video of the show images which you will also enjoy:
<https://youtube/dECX7CsPw34> - please share this link with your friends and family.
- The “OAA on Instagram” project is still picking up steam - as of today we have 284 followers and have posted 172 images of your art – please follow OAA on Instagram @Oaklandartassociation .
 - Rosemary Therkelsen has stepped up once again and offered to feed images of the art in our new “Paintings only Show” to our followers – thanks again Rosemary!!
 - Please consider offering to help with the Instagram chores for one or more of the upcoming shows.
- Unfortunately, planning for the next general membership video meeting has hit a snag and the meeting date has not been set. More news to follow.

That about wraps it up for now, look for an update in about two weeks. Stay SAFE!!

OAA Show Reminder!

Just a short note to remind OAA members that the deadline for entry into our December OnLine art show is only a week away. Entries have been trickling in, but so far only about a quarter of the show has been filled. We are looking forward to Anne Austin Pinata being our judge for this show.

- The last OAA Show of 2020 will be another online General Category Show. The complete rules for this show are attached.
- 2D and 3D art of any medium/size will be accepted for this show
- Up to 4 entries per member – fee is \$5 per piece.
- Deadline for entries is noon on Sunday November 29th.
- First award \$100; Second award \$50; Third award \$25.
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Have a great Thanksgiving and look for a full update early in December!!

OAKLAND ART ASSOCIATION - ONLINE GENERAL CATEGORY SHOW #3

December 1st, 2020 through January 2021

View the show at: www.oaklandart.org

Exhibit Rules

SHOW CHAIRMAN: Rick Nelson / (925) 989-9183 / rixingm@gmail.com

ENTRY DEADLINE: 12 Noon Sunday November 29th, 2020

JUROR: Anne Austin-Pinata

ENTRIES:

- **Up to 4 entries will be accepted per OAA member.**
- Entry Fee will be \$5 for each entry.
- Entries can be either two or three-dimensional work of any size.
- Entries restricted to original work – no class work or copies.
- Politically contentious or otherwise grossly inappropriate work may be rejected.
- All work must be for sale.
- Any work having won a cash award in any previous OAA show is not eligible to receive another cash award but may receive a merit award.
- If the show is oversubscribed, the Judge will reduce the entries to 55 “finalists” for awards and display in the virtual OnLine show.

ENTRY PROCEDURE:

- Please email rixingm@gmail.com before Noon on Sunday November 29th, 2020 with entry details and attach a digital image of each entry. Entry details must include: Medium, Title, size, and price of the unframed art.
 - Please send full sized images – bigger is better.
- Alternatively, artists may enter this show by regular USPS mail by sending all the above requirements including snapshots of their entries. Mail to: Rick Nelson / 1584 Webb Lane / Walnut Creek, CA 94595
- Entry fees for this show can be paid in two ways:
 - Online through the PayPal button on the OAA website www.oaklandart.org. **OR**
 - With a check (made out to OAA), mailed to Rick Nelson at the address given above.
- By entering art in this show, the artist acknowledges that Association is not responsible for the appropriation of digital images from OAA websites. A “watermark” will be added to the digital entry if specifically requested.

AWARDS:

- First award \$100; Second award \$50; Third award \$25.
- Merit awards are given at the discretion of the Juror.

SALES:

- The member/artist retains the right to show and sell their entries at any time in other venues.
- All sales initiated through the Online Show website, will be handled by the Show Chairman.
 - The artist agrees that 30% of these sales will be taken as a donation to the OAA Educational Fund.
 - Sales tax of 9.25% will be added to all OAA sales.
- OAA policy is that no change will be made in the price (in connection with this show) after the work is accepted.