

February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Oakland Art Association eBulletin

Dear OAA Members;

- Happy Valentine's Day!!
- We have a couple of BIG shows in the next two weeks, so we are off and running in 2020!
  - The new show at **the Alameda County Admin** Building goes up in about a week. Registration for this show is closed, but the response was great, and the show is fully subscribed. John Henry has communicated the take-in details directly to the participating artist/members, and all that remains is to box up your art and get it to the take-in next Thursday the 20<sup>th</sup>
  - The pre-registration period for the **John Muir Aspen Surgery Center Show** (Rick Nelson Show Chairman [rixingm@gmail.com](mailto:rixingm@gmail.com) ) is open for another 10 days. Artists generally seem to put off pre-registering for shows right up to the deadline, **but please submit your entries sooner** if you can - so far there are only about one third the entries needed to fill out this show. The artwork will be collected at the Law Library on Thursday February 27<sup>th</sup> between 10 and 11am (the same time/place as the pick-up of entries from the current Law Library Show). Rules for the John Muir Show are attached.
- **Pre-registering artwork for our Juried Shows:** The new procedure is working well, although some minor tweaking may still be needed.
  - All you need to do to pre-register is to take a picture of the individual art, and a second photo of the completed entry form, then email them to the respective show chairman. **Do it with your phone it's really easy!** If you would rather -- simply email the entry details -- and that's OK too.
    - If taking / emailing the photo of your entry is a technical challenge for you, please just email the entry details to the chairman, and (s)he will snap the required photo when you drop off the art.
    - Please begin using the **revised entry forms!** (also attached) Fill the form out and **initial the liability** waiver section
      - Attach original form to the back of your art.
  - Questions or difficulties? – Please contact the Show Chairman.
- **Have you renewed your OAA membership for 2020??** This formality seems to be dragging on this year. If you have not already done so, **please take a minute to renew your OAA membership.** Simply fill out the form (attached) and send it to Hallie Strock with your check for \$50 and you're done! Alternatively, the PayPal button on our website [www.oaklandart.org](http://www.oaklandart.org) works great if you would rather pay electronically. (Use your PayPal account or simply a credit card -- Don't let the "Donations" label confuse you.)
- During the January Board Meeting, the **2020 Operating Budget** for the Oakland Art Association was approved and is also attached for your information. Please note that the Budget indicates OAA will be losing about \$1,000 of our reserves this year.

To sustain our Association over the long term the Directors discussed several options that would take us back to a balanced budget.

- The immediate action by the Board was to eliminate the discounted \$5 entry fee for shows of a month or less beginning, March 1st. The **entry fee for all juried shows will be \$10** per entry regardless of the length of the show.
  - The Board agreed to review the Budget problem again toward year-end.
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- The **“pick-up/drop off” dates of our 2020 juried shows** are being refined and a new “draft” list is attached. Note that when possible, the “pick-up/drop off” events are being coordinated with an adjacent show to simplify the process.

## John Muir Medical Center Show

1601 Ygnacio Valley Road, Walnut Creek, CA

February 29<sup>th</sup> through April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020

Paintings (all Media), Drawings, Photography, Collage, Monoprints, etchings, and woodcuts.

### Exhibit Rules

**SHOW CHAIRMAN:** Rick Nelson – [rixingm@gmail.com](mailto:rixingm@gmail.com) – (925) 989-9183

**TAKE-IN:** Thursday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020 between 10 and 11am at Law Library 125 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Oakland, in conjunction with the pick-up of the current Law Library Show. (Alternatively, members can bring their entries to the Hospital - Aspen Surgery Center on Saturday February 29<sup>th</sup> at 10am.)

**PICK-UP:** Also at the Law Library on Saturday April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020 between 10 am and 11am. (Alternatively, members can pick up their entries at John Muir Hospital - Aspen Surgery Center on Friday April 3<sup>rd</sup> at 11:30am.)

**ENTRY FEE:** \$5.00 per entry collected at the take-in.

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

**JUROR:** Karen Leoni

**PRE-REGISTRATION:** Please email [rixingm@gmail.com](mailto:rixingm@gmail.com) on or before Monday February 24<sup>th</sup> with entry details, including: **Medium, Title, size, price, and a digital image of the entry(s)**. (pre-registration can be as simple as a cell phone photo of the artwork **and** a second photo of the completed entry form, emailed to the address above.)

**ENTRIES:** Up to 3 entries will be accepted per member.

- Entries will be two dimensional; **The sides (including the frame) must measure at least 17" x 21"**, but no more than 46" in either direction.
- Works restricted to original work – no class work or copies.
- All work must be for sale and be **priced under \$1500.**
- All work having won cash awards in any OAA show is not eligible to receive another cash award but may receive a merit award.
- John Muir Medical Center reserves the right to refuse to exhibit any work of art which it determines at its sole discretion to be unsuitable for exhibition in the hospital setting. Included in the unsuitable category are nudes and any subject which could be construed as being of a religious or political in nature.

### **FRAMING:**

- Frames must be clean, sturdy and no protruding screw eyes, or hangers will be allowed.
- No glass is allowed in the frames at any OAA Show. **If covered -- plastic must be used.**

**ENTRY FORMS:** Please use the new entry form, filled out completely and affixed to the upper left-hand corner on the back of the entry. The Insurance Waiver is part of this entry form must be initialed.

### **SALES:**

All sales made during the show and/or 30 days following the close of the show (if the work was seen by the buyer at the show) will be handled by the Sales Chair (Rick Nelson 925 989-9183).

OAA policy is that no change will be made in the price (in connection with this show) after the work is accepted. The artist agrees that 30% of the sale price will be held back as a donation to the OAA Educational Fund. Sales tax of 9.25% will be added to all sales.

OAA Show entry form

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\_\_\_\_\_ Show/Date  
Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Medium \_\_\_\_\_ price \_\_\_\_\_  
Artist \_\_\_\_\_

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Artist \_\_\_\_\_ email \_\_\_\_\_  
Title \_\_\_\_\_  
Price \_\_\_\_\_ Medium \_\_\_\_\_ Entry Fee \_\_\_\_\_  
Size (including Frame): H \_\_\_\_\_ W \_\_\_\_\_  
This work has already won an OAA cash award ( )

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Insurance Waiver

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By submitting this specific piece of art to the show listed above, I understand that I am releasing the Oakland Art Association and the venue (including all their agents, employees, and visitors) for any and all liability for damages to or loss of this artwork from now until it is returned to me following this show. Initial here: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please mark one of the following:

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- OK to display image of this artwork online ( )
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# 2020 OAA Membership Renewal Form:

**ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP -- \$50.00** Must be received before your artwork will be accepted into any OAA Shows in 2020. Membership fees are waived for new members who joined OAA during the last half of 2019.

**PATRON MEMBERSHIP -- \$25.00** Patrons receive all membership privileges except entering shows.

**THE VOLUNTEER CATEGORIES:** It is very important that you mark one or more of the three volunteer categories below! Additionally if you have an interest in other areas of support (serving on the board, searching for new shows, publicity, etc.) please also note it on this form.

- \_\_\_\_\_ **Receiving:** Cataloging artwork as it's delivered by members, schlep the pieces through the take in process, photograph art for the website, input the details of the entries into the computer and print the wall tags.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Transportation:** Be available with a vehicle to transport art to/from the show location, help with loading and unloading of artwork.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Hanging:** Help with loading and unloading the artwork, arrange the art inside the show venue, secure the art by the provided means, remove art from the venue at the conclusion of the show.
- **Other** interests in working with the Association: \_\_\_\_\_

Please remember to enclose the following: (1) Your check made payable to OAKLAND ART ASSOCIATION, and this completed form including your volunteer selection and mail to:

**Ms Hallie Strock, 148 Avenida Drive, Berkeley 94708**

YOUR NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

# Oakland Art Association

## RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND FUND BALANCES

RECEIPTS	ACTUAL 2019	BUDGET 2020
Art Show Sales, Net	\$513	\$600
Member Dues	\$2,750	\$3,000
Member Show Fees	\$2,655	\$3,000
Donations	\$120	\$200
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$6,038</b>	<b>\$6,800</b>

DISBURSEMENTS	ACTUAL 2019	BUDGET 2020
Art Show Awards	\$925	\$1,200
Board Expense, Roster	\$0	\$200
Art Education Grants	\$3,000	\$3,000
Rent	\$170	\$100
Juror Honoraria	\$900	\$1,000
Sales Tax Pass Through	\$167	\$200
Show Expense	\$78	\$200
Annual Meeting	\$240	\$240
Insurance	\$1,489	\$1,488
Miscellaneous	\$92	\$100
<b>TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS</b>	<b>\$7,061</b>	<b>\$7,728</b>

NET RECEIPTS OR (DISBURSEMENTS)	-\$1,023	-\$928
OAA FUNDS AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$13,261	\$12,238
OAA FUNDS AT END OF PERIOD	\$12,238	\$11,310

FUND BALANCES	Q1	Q2
UNRESTRICTED FUNDS	\$9,238	\$8,310
RESTRICTED FOR ART EDUCATION	\$3,000	\$3,000
OAA FUNDS AT END OF PERIOD	\$12,238	\$11,310

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## 2020 OAA Juried Shows --- as of January 2020

	<b>Drop off</b>	<b>Pick up</b>	Venue	jan	feb	mar	apr	may	jun	jul	aug	sep	oct	nov	dec
1	1/3/2020 @ LL	2/27/2020 @ LL	Law Library Open Category	xx	xx										
2	2/21/2020	8/6/2020	Alameda County Admin Show			xx	xx	xx	xx	xx					
3	2/27/2020 @ LL	4/4/2020 @ LL	John Muir Hospital			xx									
4	4/4/2020 @ LL	5/2/2020 @ RR	Law Library Photo Show				xx								
5	5/2/2020 @ RR	6/1/2020 @ RR	Rockridge iPhone Photo Show					xx							
6	6/1/2020 @ RR	6/30/2020 @ RR	Rockridge Library Show						xx						
7	6/30/2020 @ RR	8/31/2020 @ FF	Abstract Show							xx	xx				
8	8/31/2020 @ FF	11/2/2020 @ FF	First Federal Savings Show									xx	xx		
9	9/10/2020	10/9/2020	Oakland City Hall Show									xx			
10	11/2/2020 @ FF	1/3/2021 @ LL	Law Library Open Category											xx	xx

- LL = Law Library
- RR = Rockridge Library
- FF = First Federal Savings