

## 12.05.20 OAA eBulletin – OAA News and Notes!

Hello again everyone:

- The first OAA Show of 2021 will (by necessity) be another online Show, but it is special in that it will feature **non-representational Abstract Art**. All OAA members are encouraged to participate in this show, even if non-representational art is a little outside your “wheelhouse”. The complete rules for this show are attached for your information.
  - Up to 4 entries per member – fee is \$5 per piece.
  - Deadline for entries is noon on Sunday January 17th.
  - 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. (Please do not use the entry forms.)
- The December “General Category Show” has been up on our website for almost a week, if you haven’t taken the time to browse the art in this show, you really should – this seems to me to be the best collection we have shown since the pandemic began. Please go to: [www.oaklandart.org](http://www.oaklandart.org) to view the entire show. Additionally, John Henry has produced another outstanding video of images taken from this show -- please share this link with your friends and family: <https://youtu.be/dECX7CsPw34>
- The Instagram project is still charging ahead with Rosemary Therkelsen posting images of your art daily. Please follow us on Instagram @Oaklandartassiation. Also, please consider volunteering with the Instagram effort to promote OAA generally and you and your art specifically!
- Please mark your calendar and plan to join us for the **General Membership ZOOM meeting on Saturday January 23<sup>rd</sup> at 2pm!** Our speaker will be Anne Austin and she will talk about changes in the art world from a Gallery managers perspective. The next Bulletin will have an agenda and details about how to join the call.
- A final note, OAA member Ruth Shorer has updated her website and it looks great: [www.ruthshorerart.com](http://www.ruthshorerart.com)

We all wish things could be different now, but as you know, we must endure the COVID-19 situation for a little longer. **Please double your efforts to stay healthy and enjoy the Holiday’s the absolute best way you can!**

# OAKLAND ART ASSOCIATION - ONLINE GENERAL CATEGORY SHOW #3

December 1st, 2020 through January 2021

**View the show at: [www.oaklandart.org](http://www.oaklandart.org)**

## **Exhibit Rules**

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