

Mobile Art Association
Falls Show Prospectus (Juried)
November 8 through December 1, 2017
Cathedral Square Gallery 612 Dauphin Street Mobile, Alabama 36602

MAA President: Barbra Rettig
Exhibit Chair: Roxann Dyess (littlerox@aol.com)
Exhibit Judge: Sandra Halat

Eligibility

1. Eligible Artwork – Artwork must be submitted by the artist who is 18 years of age or older. The artwork must be the artist's original creation and completed within the past three years. An artist does not have to be a member of the Mobile Art Association to participate in this show.
2. Ineligible Artwork – Artwork previously exhibited in MAA sponsored exhibits or which has won an award in any exhibit in the Mobile/Baldwin County area is ineligible.
3. No computer generated nor electronic art, nor artwork done in a class or workshop will be accepted.
4. Two-dimensional artwork must be properly framed and securely wired for hanging, complete with mounting hardware and appropriate matting or gallery wrap. *No saw tooth hangers or metal ring hangers will be accepted.* Artwork may not exceed 48 inches in any direction.
5. Three-dimensional artwork may not weigh over 150 pounds. Due to a limited number of available pedestals, artists in this category may be required to provide a display base and/or be available for installation of artwork.
6. Equipment needed for the presentation of film, video, or computer imagery must be supplied by the artist.
7. MAA and the host venue reserve the right to refuse any work for public display that is deemed obscene, offensive, unsafe, or disregards these rules.

Entry Procedure

The artist may enter up to two pieces of artwork at the host venue. An entry form will be supplied and must be completed before submission of artwork. Upon submission, identification labels will be supplied and must be completed and attached by the artist to the back of each piece of artwork. If you have been e-mailed these forms, please have same completed and identification labels attached prior to arrival at the host venue.

Entry Fees and Categories	One Piece of Artwork	Two Pieces of Artwork
MAA members of record as of November 3, 2017:	\$20.00	\$25.00
Non Members	\$30.00	\$35.00

(The MAA membership year begins on May 1 and ends on April 30 of the following year. Dues for the coming year, 2017-18 may be paid at the time of entry. MAA welcomes new members)

Entry fee does not guarantee acceptance to exhibit if the exhibit is a Juried show.

Upon submission, artists must sign that they agree to the following terms:

1. All artwork must remain on exhibit from November 8, 2017 through 3 p.m. on Friday, December 1, 2017

No exceptions. A \$25.00 fine will be charged to the artist for early pick up.

2. All artwork must be picked-up from host venue, Cathedral Square Gallery, between 3 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. on Friday, December 1st OR on Saturday, December 2nd, 2017 between 11:00 a.m. – 1 p.m. Artwork not picked up by the artist or a designated representative becomes the property of MAA.

3. Mobile Art Association, its representatives and the host venue cannot be held responsible for artwork not picked up at the designated times listed herein.

4. Photographs of artwork may be published for publicity purposes.

5. Cathedral Square Gallery will receive a 25% commission on any sales.

AWARDS – Awards are still being finalized, but Best of Show will be a \$500 award

Judging and Notification

Artwork will be judged on the following criteria: (1) composition, (2) technique, (3) subject treatment, (4) presentation, and (5) creativity. Winners will be determined by the exhibit judge and will be announced at the opening reception.

Opening Reception

The opening reception will be on Friday, November 10, 2017 from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. The reception is open to the public. Attendees may vote for the *People's Choice Award* during the reception from 5:30 until 6:00 p.m. Ballots will be collected at 6:00 p.m. The awards ceremony will begin IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE *PEOPLE'S CHOICE* BALLOTS ARE COUNTED or approximately 6:15 p.m.

Exhibit Calendar

November 3 (Friday), 2:30 pm. – 4:30 pm – Artwork to be submitted to the host venue at 612 Dauphin Street **OR**

November 4 (Saturday), 11:00 am – 1:00 pm - Artwork to be submitted to the host venue at 612 Dauphin Street

November 4 (Saturday), 1:30 pm – until completed - Judging of work submitted.

November 8 (Wednesday), 11:00 am - 12:00 pm - Pick up juried out pieces

November 8 (Wednesday), 11:00 am – until completed - Exhibit to be installed by the Show Chair and MAA volunteers

November 10 (Friday 5:30 pm – 7:30 p.m - Opening Reception during ArtWalk (Open to the public) Cathedral Square Gallery

December 1 (Friday), 3:00 p.m. - Exhibit closes

December 1 (Friday), 3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. - Artwork to be picked up by artist or designated representative.

December 2 – (Saturday) 11:00 a.m. until 1:00 pm – Artwork to be picked up by artist or designated representative.

If more information is needed, please contact the Exhibit Chair, Roxann Dyess at littlecox@aol.com or 251-402-8336.

Electronic copies of the Exhibit Prospectus and Entry Form are available at www.mobileartassociation.org.

Membership Information

The MAA membership year begins each year on May 1 and ends on April 30 of the following year. Annual Dues are \$20.00. Association meetings are on the third Sunday of each Month, at 2:30 p.m. at Spring Hill Presbyterian Church, Edington Building, 10 Westminster Way, Mobile, AL 36608. Dues may be paid at the time of entry. For membership information, contact Jane Sawyer, Treasurer, at 251-634-1882 or sawyer6453@bellsouth.net.