

ARTS 2019 COMPETITION INFORMATION

Arts Council of Surrey (ACS), in partnership with local visual artists and the Surrey Art Gallery, presents this annual juried exhibition. This exhibition celebrates art making in Surrey and the Lower Mainland, recognizes local artists' merits and achievements, and creates professional development and promotional opportunities for local artists.

Arts Council of Surrey invites current ACS members to enter a maximum of three (3) works per artist (regardless of Category) for adjudication. However, only one work (regardless of Category) per artist will be selected for the exhibition. This show open to artists that live outside of Surrey but they must either have an Associate ACS membership or belong to a group that is a current ACS member. To encourage applications by post-secondary art students, the membership requirement is waived with a copy of valid student ID accompanying the entry form.

For information, rates and application forms to become a member of the Arts Council of Surrey in order to be eligible to enter this competition please contact 604-594-2700 or info@artscouncilofsurrey.ca

ENTRY INFORMATION

ENTRY FEES: \$20.00 for one work; \$30.00 for two works; \$40.00 for three works. Please Note: entry fees are NON refundable.

SUBMISSION OF ENTRY FEES: Entry form can be submitted by e-mail to info@artscouncilofsurrey.ca, fees then to be paid by Visa/Mastercard by phone (604.594.2700) or in person. OR Fees must be in the form of a cheque or money order made payable to the Arts Council of Surrey.

The completed entry form and fee (if by cheque) must be mailed to: ARTS 2019, Arts Council of Surrey, 13530 72 Avenue, Surrey, BC V3W2P1 or delivered, in a sealed envelope, to the above address.

ENTRY FORM DEADLINE: The completed entry form, together with the appropriate fee, MUST be received by **3:00 pm, Wednesday, May 29, 2019**. No exceptions will be made!

ADJUDICATION INFORMATION

CRITERIA FOR ADJUDICATION: The basis for selection of the art will be responsive to the variety of work submitted, in realization that artists make art for different reasons and from different experiences. The jurors look for new works that show personal creative explorations and artistic commitment. Jurors also consider the carrying-out of the work, as relayed by the artist's meaning, to select a balanced representation of styles, subject matter, and media from the submissions.

DELIVERY OF WORK FOR ADJUDICATION: Work must be delivered to the art studios at the **Surrey Arts Centre**, 13750 - 88 Ave., Surrey, between 2:00- 4:00PM and 7:00- 8:30PM, **Friday, June 14, 2019**. Please ensure that the ARTS 2019 Identification Form is completed and attached to the back of each work entered. Adjudication takes place on Saturday, June 15, 2019.

PICK UP OF WORK FOLLOWING ADJUDICATION: All work must be picked up from the studios of the **Surrey Arts Centre** between **2:00- 4:00PM, Sunday, June 16, 2019**. There is no storage space at the Gallery so work not picked up on this date will be charged a storage fee of \$10.00/day/item.

WORK CHOSEN FOR EXHIBITION

An artist whose work has been accepted for exhibition will be notified by phone or email the morning of Sunday, Jun 16, 2019. Accepted works will be stored at the Surrey Art Gallery for installation in the exhibition.

DATES OF EXHIBITION: The **Opening Reception** is from **7:00- 9:00PM on Friday, June 28, 2019**.

The exhibition runs from Saturday, June 29 - August 31, 2019.

PICKUP OF WORK FOLLOWING EXHIBITION: Work must be collected from the Surrey Art Gallery from **4:00PM to 8:00PM, Wednesday, September 4, 2019**. There is no storage space at the Gallery so work not picked up on this date will be charged a storage fee of \$5.00/day/item.

SALE OF WORK: A 25% commission will be charged on the sale of any work. The artist concerned will be notified of the sale by telephone. Arts Council of Surrey will issue a cheque to the artist as soon as all aspects of the sale are completed.

OTHER INFORMATION

The Committee will take the utmost care in handling the work but cannot be responsible for loss or damage.

To ensure originality and quality, work will NOT be accepted that is: a copy of the work of others; made entirely from a kit or commercial design; and/or an article made entirely from a commercial mold.

All pieces must be dry and ready to be displayed. All unframed artwork needs a hanging sleeve, cleat or loops/rings on the back of the work.

Digital media works can be provided on CD/DVD or USB drive. Interactive computer-based art works must be presented on a supplied computer. Sorry, no online artworks can be accommodated.

Work is to have been completed within the last two (2) years.

Work must NOT have been previously shown in a public, commercial or juried exhibition.

For the protection of both people and work, each piece must be able to be carried easily by one person, and fit through a standard door.

Works exceeding four feet (4') in width (including the frame), or of excessive weight or height, will be refused entry by the Committee receiving the work at the time of delivery. The decision of the Committee is final.

Multi panel or multi component pieces (i.e. diptychs, triptychs) will be accepted; however the whole work cannot exceed the 4-foot width limitation as outlined above.

By entering this call, permission is given to the Arts Council and the Surrey Art Gallery to photograph accepted works for publicity and documentary purposes, including promotion of the exhibition on their websites.

Artists who enter the completion are asked to provide a short (2-3 sentences) artist's statement about the artwork submitted (see the attached form). This helps the adjudication process and will be the statement used to accompany the selected pieces, This as part of the label, included in the exhibition catalogue, and for a potential feature in the Arts Council's Spotlight on the Arts magazine.



For further info, contact Arts Council of Surrey
13530 72 Avenue, Surrey, BC, V3W 2P1
604-594-2700, info@artscouncilofsurrey.ca



ARTS 2019 ENTRY FORM

Name (Please print) _____

Address _____ City _____ Postal Code _____

Phone _____ E-Mail _____

2019 Arts Council of Surrey Membership status: I am a(n): Individual Member Associate Member
 Student part of a group that has a current membership (Group name: _____)

Submission 1: Title _____ Medium _____

Category: 1 2 3 4 5 Sale Price \$ _____ OR Insured Value (If Not For Sale) \$ _____

Artist Statement (2-3 sentences about piece. Write here or attach) _____

Submission 2: Title _____ Medium _____

Category: 1 2 3 4 5 Sale Price \$ _____ OR Insured Value (If Not For Sale) \$ _____

Artist Statement (2-3 sentences about piece. Write here or attach) _____

Submission 3: Title _____ Medium _____

Category: 1 2 3 4 5 Sale Price \$ _____ OR Insured Value (If Not For Sale) \$ _____

Artist Statement (2-3 sentences about piece. Write here or attach) _____

I understand the terms of this competition as outlined in the Arts 2019 competition information sheet and agree to abide by them. Signature _____ Date _____

of Works _____ Entry Fee \$ _____ Paid by: Cash Debit Visa MC Cheque E-Transfer

We would appreciate your help. Can ACS contact you to volunteering for Receiving/Releasing Yes No

When submitting work, cut out and attach one completed Work Identification tags to the back of each piece.

----- Work Identification Form (cut out and attach to back of work) -----

NAME (Please Print) _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

TITLE _____ MEDIUM _____

CATEGORY 1 2 3 4 5 SALE PRICE \$ _____ OR INSURED VALUE IF NFS \$ _____

----- Work Identification Form (cut out and attach to back of work) -----

NAME (Please Print) _____

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

TITLE _____ MEDIUM _____

CATEGORY 1 2 3 4 5 SALE PRICE \$ _____ OR INSURED VALUE IF NFS \$ _____

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ARTS COUNCIL OF SURREY

ARTS 2019

A JURIED EXHIBITION OF VISUAL ART

at the Surrey Art Gallery

13750 – 88 Avenue, Surrey

June 29 - August 31, 2019

AWARDS (Per Category)

1st Prize \$150.00; 2nd Prize \$100.00; 3rd Prize \$50.00; Honourable Mention \$25.00; People's Choice Award

Complete and mail the left section of this form only with entry fees to:

ARTS 2019

Arts Council of Surrey

13530 72nd Ave, Surrey, BC V3W 2P1

Deadline for entry Form

3:00 PM, Wednesday, May 29, 2019

Entry Fees: 1 - \$20; 2 - \$30; 3 - \$40

CATEGORIES:

1. Painting
2. Drawing, mixed media, and print-making on paper
3. Sculptures and fibre art
4. Photography
5. Digital, performative and new media art

ENTRY

The left section of this Form will be returned to you as a receipt upon delivery of your work for adjudication. It must be presented when you pick up your work following adjudication and exhibition.

For further information contact:



Administrator, Arts Council of Surrey
604.594.2700

info@artscouncilofsurrey.ca



Surrey Art Gallery
604.501.5191

All concerns or complaints must be addressed in writing to ARTS 2019 Committee, 13530 72nd Avenue, Surrey, BC V3W 2P1

In all cases the ARTS 2019 Committee has the final decision.

ARTS 2019 Important Dates

Entry deadline (Deliver to Newton Cultural Centre)
Wednesday, May 29, 3 pm

Delivery of Work (Deliver to Surrey Art Gallery)
Friday, June 14, 2 - 4 pm & 7 - 8:30 pm

Pickup of Work (Pickup from Surrey Art Gallery)
Sunday, June 16, 2 - 4 pm

Opening Reception (At Surrey Art Gallery)
Friday, June 28, 7 - 9 pm

Exhibition (At Surrey Art Gallery)
June 29 - August 31

Pickup of Work after Exhibition
(Pickup from Surrey Art Gallery)
Wednesday, September 4, 4 - 8 pm

