

RUTHERFORD COUNTY VISUAL
Artists Guild

**2021
Application for
Show**

CELEBRATION OF THE

October 7 – October 13, 2021

**At the Foundation Conference and
Performing Arts Center
Isothermal Community College,
Spindale, NC**

Artist Application Deadline

September 18, 2021

Art Show & Gift Shop

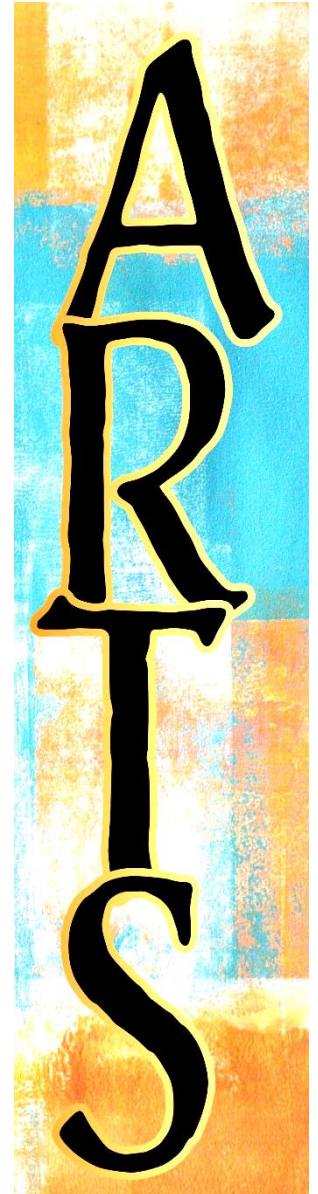
Silent Auction

Junior Art Show- separate application

Applications available at www.artatthevac.com

and

The Visual Arts Center



**North
Carolina
Arts
Council**

This show is supported in part by the NC Arts Council,
a division of the Department of Cultural Resources.

and
The Lake Lure Artist

2021 CELEBRATION OF THE ARTS

Show Location: The Foundation for the Performing Arts at Isothermal Community College, Spindale, NC

Times:

- October 7 - Check In with Art for show 10am - 3pm
- October 7 through 13 9am -5pm, except Sunday 1pm-4 pm
- October 13 9am -1pm
- October 13– Artist pick up 12 – 4pm

Eligibility: Open to all artists (*Not restricted to RCVAG members or Rutherford county residents.*)

First Time COTA Participants: First time exhibitors in COTA must include photos of the artwork being entered in the show with the application. Digital photos may be submitted on disk or emailed to rcvartg@gmail.com. Include artist name and “Celebration application” in the subject line.

Requirements: Entries must be **ORIGINAL** works of the artist and completed within the last two years. Artwork cannot have been previously displayed at COTA. **Items** made from kits, commercial molds, patterns, or instructor-assisted works are not allowed.

Maximum Number of Art Pieces: Each artist may enter a total of four pieces. Artwork may be 2D or 3D or a combination and must be indicated on the application. Artists entering 2D art exceeding 36” x 48” must supply their own easel or stand and must make a notation on the application.

Display Requirements: Framed artwork must be wired with D-rings. Saw tooth hangers, clip frames or screw eyes will not be accepted. Canvases without a frame must be gallery wrapped. Artwork deemed inappropriate for this venue by the COTA Chair or committee will not be displayed.

Questions about specifications, contact RCVAG. 828-288-5009 or rcvartg@gmail.com

Awards: Best in Show - \$200

1st Place - \$100 (2D and 3D)

2nd Place - \$75, (2D and 3D)

3rd Place - \$50 (2D and 3D)

Awards of Merit Ribbons

Sales: Art for sale must have price listed. Art that is sold during the show must remain for the entire show. Buyer may pick up 1pm - 4pm on Wednesday, October 13. Works that are not for sale should be listed as NFS.

Commission: RCVAG will retain a 30% commission on sales.

Liability: RCVAG does not carry insurance and assumes no liability for damage or loss. Artists must insure their own work. The delivery of an entry constitutes an agreement by the artist to this policy.

Marketing: RCVAG reserves the right to use photographs of the show artwork and/or artists to promote the Celebration of the Arts.

Drop-off: - Thursday, October 7, 2021, 10 am – 3 pm at The Foundation for the Performing Arts at Isothermal Community College, Spindale, NC.

LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. .

Pick up: Wednesday October 13, 12 – 4pm. If you cannot pick up your work at this time, arrange for someone else to do so. **THERE WILL BE A \$25 FEE CHARGED FOR WORK LEFT AFTER PICK UP TIME.**

Artists Reception: A Reception and Awards Ceremony for participating artist and one guest plus donors, sponsors and RCVAG members and one guest on Friday October 8, 6:30pm – 8:30pm

Participation: To help make the show a success, participation is needed from entrants. Information will be sent with acceptance letter.

APPLICATION: COTA

All applications must be submitted by September 18, 2021

No Late Applications will be accepted!

RCVAG Guild Member Entry Fee - \$25

Non-Guild Member Entry Fee - \$35

Please **PRINT:**

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone(s): _____

Email: _____

Cut here and mail application, check, and photos (if applicable)* to:

RCVAG, PO Box 2015, Rutherfordton, NC 28139, or drop off at the Visual Arts Center, 160 N Main St, Rutherfordton, NC. (Tues. – Sat., 10 am – 3 pm)

*Photos can be emailed to rcvartg@gmail.com

Make check out to: **RCVAG** Mark check: **Celebration** in “For” line.

ARTWORK # 1

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Medium: _____ Category: 2D 3D Price: _____

ARTWORK # 2

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Medium: _____ Category: 2D 3D Price: _____

ARTWORK # 3

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Medium: _____ Category: 2D 3D Price: _____

ARTWORK # 4

Artist: _____

Title: _____

Medium: _____ Category: 2D 3D Price: _____