

DEPARTMENT K - FINE ARTS



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ENTRIES:

Entries will be received on:

- A. Friday, Aug. 23 from 11:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- B. Saturday, Aug. 24 from 11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- C. No exhibits will be received after these hours.

RELEASE DATE:

- A. Sunday, September 8 from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

PREMIUMS:

Will be available next to the Ticket Office on Park St.

- A. Monday - Saturday, September 2-7, from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- B. Sunday, September 8 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
- C. After September 8 awards will be given out only during regular office hours. Premiums not claimed by September 30 will be considered a donation and will revert back to the Fair's general fund.

ENTRY FEES:

Divisions I and II

There is a limit of three works per person, two of which may be 40" or larger on longest dimension.

Less than 40" at the longest point (not including frame)

\$6 per item

40" or greater at the longest point (not including frame)

\$15 per item

Divisions III - VIII \$2 per item – up to 3 items per person

SPECIAL DEPARTMENT RULES:

- A. All articles shall be under the control of the Superintendent of this department. Every precaution will be taken to insure the safety of the exhibits, but the artist assumes all responsibility in case of loss or theft and in no case will the Management of the Eastern Idaho State Fair or the Superintendent be responsible for loss or damage. Exhibitors are requested to read the General Rules and Regulations of this fair.
- B. Submission of art work in the Fine Arts Department signifies acceptance of such rules.
- C. Because of the family orientated nature of the Fair, objectionable or inappropriate items will not be displayed. Superintendent reserves the right to reject any artwork that would not meet this requirement.
- D. Superintendent has the authority to divide categories if needed. No premiums will be paid where there is no competition.
- E. Judging will be by qualified professionals. The judge will use his/her discretion in making awards.
- F. A 2 x 3 business card with your name and contact information may be displayed with entry. However, no prices may be listed.

FINE ART GUIDELINES

- A. All Artwork in Division I and II must use a secure wire hanger (both ends anchored with screws).
- B. We encourage you to appropriately frame watercolors, pastels and drawings with glass or plexi-glass. This gives a better presentation and protects your artwork.
- C. Artwork in youth divisions done on paper must be mounted on a board or construction paper. Mating or framing is encouraged. Velcro may be used as the hanging device if the work is unframed and lightweight, otherwise a wire hanger must be used- anchored with screws. **Please do not use tape as a hanging device.**

- D. No sawtooth hangers will be accepted. Metal wall sculpture must have an adequate hanging device.
- E. Craft work is unacceptable in the Fine Arts Department.
- F. Superintendent has the authority to accept or reject.
- G. If the hanger detaches from artwork it will be removed from display area.

AWARDS CEREMONY AND SOCIAL

Friday evening, August 31, at 7 p.m. Artists and one guest are invited to attend the awards ceremony and have a chance to meet the other artists. (For Divisions III-VIII two guests are allowed.)

Light refreshments served.

SPECIAL AWARDS

Best of show- \$500

Gamblin paint set- \$120 value

Superintendent's Award - \$40

Spectator's Choice of the day- \$10 (an entry can win only once)

DIVISION I – PREMIER CLASS

Each entry must be the submitting artist's original work (concept and execution). All artwork must have been created in the last three years and never entered before in the Eastern Idaho State Fair.

PREMIUMS –

Top Ten- \$75 each

Five Awards of Merit- \$25

Honorable Mention- Ribbon

DIVISION II – OPEN CLASS

All wishing to enter the exhibition are welcome in this class. Artwork done in classroom or workshop settings may be included. All artwork must have been created in the last three years and never entered before in the Eastern Idaho State Fair.

PREMIUMS

Top Ten- \$50 each

Five Awards of Merit- \$25

Honorable Mention- Ribbon

DIVISION III - PRESCHOOL

DIVISION IV - GRADES 1-3

DIVISION V - GRADES 4-6

DIVISION VI - GRADES 7-8

DIVISION VII - GRADES 9-10

DIVISION VIII - GRADE 11-12

PREMIUMS - 1st - \$20 2nd - \$15 3rd - \$10

Honorable Mention Ribbon

Best of Show Student - \$50

SPECTATOR'S CHOICE OF THE DAY

Each day of the fair, visitors may vote for their favorite artwork. At the end of each day the entry receiving the most votes will receive a special ribbon and \$10.

An entry can win only once.