

# Fountain City Art Guild

## Standard Show Guidelines

The Fountain City Art Guild host two shows per year; the *Spring Show* and the *Annual Holiday Show and Sale*. This is an opportunity for members to receive feedback from judges and other artist along with the public a chance to view our work and perhaps make a purchase.

**Awards** All awards will be posted to the web site [www.fountaincityartguild.com](http://www.fountaincityartguild.com)

<i>Best of Show</i>	<i>\$100.00</i>
<i>First Place</i>	<i>\$ 75.00</i>
<i>Second Place</i>	<i>\$ 50.00</i>
<i>Third Place</i>	<i>\$ 25.00</i>
<i>3 Honorable Mention</i>	<i>no cash award</i>

### **Show Guidelines**

1. All artwork displayed must be of original creation and composition of the artist submitting the piece.
2. All artwork must be framed (an exception of a gallery wrap canvas') ready to hang on the walls with proper framing techniques when it is brought in for registration.
3. All artwork must have proper identification on the back upper left hand corner (when looking at the back). Artist name, title of the artwork, media, sale price, and insurance value must be in place. For those pieces which are not for sale, please place NFS (not for sale) or Private Collection for display purposes. Entry forms must accompany artwork when paying entry fees.
4. Artwork must be brought to the Art Center during the time specified. You will have at least a two-day window to accommodate people's schedules.
5. There is a \$10.00 entry fee for work 8X10 and over. The guild will collect 10% of the selling price if a piece sells during the show. These monies are used towards judges, awards, and show cost.
6. Any artwork which is not ready to hang, entry forms not filled out properly, and/or fees not paid it will not be accepted for entry.
7. Acceptable media are: Acrylic, watercolor, oil, gouache, charcoal, pen and ink, color pencil, conte crayon, graphite (pencil), pastels or a combination of the above.  
No 3-D art is allowed.
8. Work previously been hung and judged in an Art Center Show will not be allowed to show again. If it was entered and juried out of another show, it is eligible to hang in a FCAG show. This is a way to keep shows fresh and interesting at the Art Center.
9. Members are encouraged to enter at least 3 or 4 pieces (depending on the size) of art work per show. Due to limited wall space, one extra large and a couple of small works or 4 average size pieces will be accepted. Entries are to remain in the Show until the expected pickup date. The more pieces in a show, makes for a great exhibit!
10. The week before entries are taken, all artwork information: name, titles, media, sale amount, and insurance amount must be sent in or emailed in for program listings and placement cards to be made. Please be prompt with your entry information. If reproductions are for sale it can be noted in the information.
11. Artwork must be picked up on time after the show. The Art Center cannot be responsible for damaged art and there is absolutely no space to store your art.

### **Show To Do List**

- Send in or email entry information one week ahead of show
- Print 2 entry forms: one for registration and one to cut and use for Show tags on the back of artwork.
- Turn in artwork ready to hang with tags on back, entry form, and entry fee before 5:00p.m. on the specified entry days.
- Pick up artwork promptly on the specified pickup days.