

# 2024 ART EXHIBITION

The **2024 [unveiled] ART EXHIBITION**, is open to all artists 16 years of age and older that wish to compete.

**OVER \$2,000 IN PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED TO WINNERS, INCLUDING THE \$750 BEST OF SHOW AWARD!**

*Accepted Media: watercolor, oil and acrylic, photography, drawing (pastel, charcoal, pencil, and ink), mixed media, 3D (glass, pottery, wood, textiles, metals/jewelry/needlework) and digital print.*

Artists are invited to enter the **2024 [unveiled] ART EXHIBITION** by submitting the attached entry form (page two) to the Mentor Municipal Center, 8500 Civic Center Blvd., on Monday, April 29th, 2024, between 2:00 pm and 6:00 pm. Artwork pieces will not be accepted prior to 2:00 pm on that day! A public awards reception for award winners will be held on Friday, May 3rd, 2024, at Mentor Municipal Center from 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm.

Artwork will be on display at the Mentor Municipal Center, May 3rd through June 21st, 2024, Monday through Friday, from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm All artwork must be picked up on Monday, June 24th between 3:00 pm and 6 pm

## IMPORTANT DATES

### Art Drop Off:

Monday, April 29th, between 2:00 pm and 6:00 pm

### Opening Reception:

Friday May 3rd, 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 pm

### Show Dates:

Friday, May 3rd, through June 21st between hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm

### Art Pick Up:

Monday, June 24th. between 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm

**All pieces must be signed out!**

## CONTEST RULES & GUIDELINES

- Entry fee is a \$20.00 fee for up to two pieces. Entry fees are non-refundable.
- Two pieces per artist can be entered in this contest!
- Artists must be 16 years of age or older and **DO NOT HAVE TO BE A LAKE COUNTY RESIDENT!**
- All art work must have been completed in the past 1 year and have not been submitted prior to an unveiled contest!
- **Artwork media are accepted in the following categories: Watercolor, Oil & Acrylic, Photography, Drawing (pastel, charcoal, pencil and ink), Mixed Media, 3D (GLASS/POTTERY/WOOD/TEXTILES/METALS/JEWELRY/NEEDLEWORK) and Digital Print.**
- All artwork must have a completed entry tag secured to the upper right corner of its reverse side and must include the exhibitor's name, address, phone number, title of entry, price or NFS (not for sale) listing, values and media type (see page two for tag).
- The maximum size for artwork must not exceed 30'' x 40'', including framing. The maximum size for 3D is 14 inches high x 20 inches wide or deep. All entries must be appropriately mounted and framed, complete with screw eyes and wire across the back for hanging. 3D artwork, including needlework and jewelry, must be accompanied with a tabletop display stand. One will not be provided by the [unveiled] committee. Artwork that does not comply with these show standards will not be accepted. **Unveiled Staff will not take responsibility for repairing artwork to meet such standards.**
- The following types of media *will not be accepted* (including but not limited to): nudes, political in nature, greenware, bisque ceramics, decoupage, dough art, floral displays, commercially produced or manufactured items and resale products. The City of Mentor reserves the right to decline any artwork which is deemed inappropriate for public viewing.
- Over \$2,000 in prizes will be awarded to winners, including a \$750 Best of Show monetary award! The judges' choices in awards are final. If your piece sells, the City of Mentor Community Arts Commission will receive 10% of the purchase price.
- Unless objection is indicated, permission to photograph for publicity purposes is assumed.
- **All entries must be signed out and picked up at the Mentor Municipal Center on Monday, June 24th, between 3:00 pm and 6:00 pm. The City of Mentor is not responsible for entries not picked up on the above date!**



For OFFICE ONLY

# 2024 Entry Form

Please fill out and submit with your artwork and entry fee.

Artist Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State & Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Website/Social Media: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Below areas must be filled out for artwork to be accepted.**

Artwork Title : \_\_\_\_\_

Artwork Media Category: (Ex. 3D- JEWELRY EX. Photography) \_\_\_\_\_


Artwork For Sale?: YES \$ \_\_\_\_\_ NO

Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration date (MM/YY): \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ CVC Code: \_\_\_\_\_

X \_\_\_\_\_

Signature Date

*By signing above, I, the artist, certify that the artwork I am entering is my original work and that it has been created within the last year. I also understand that any guidelines and/or rules not followed by my artwork submission will disqualify my artwork from being shown.*

 Cut artwork tags on dotted line and adhere to artwork before submission.

**ENTRY TAG**

This entry tag must be attached to upper right corner of entry. For 3D please attach to underside of work. Please print!

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Artist Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Artwork Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Media: \_\_\_\_\_

Sale Amount : \$ \_\_\_\_\_ NFS

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