



THE FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK 16TH ANNIVERSARY ART CONTEST & EXHIBIT



CALL FOR ENTRIES DEADLINE: JUNE 1-SEPT. 29, 2017 | EXHIBIT OCT. 6, 2017

ENTRY FEE \$10 PER WORK ENTERED | TOP CASH PRIZE OF \$250 | DEADLINE SEPT. 29, 2017

RULES

- This contest is open to all artists age 16 and up who live in the Springfield/southwest Missouri area.
- The entry fee is \$10 per work of art entered; each artist may enter up to five individual works of art.
- **A valid contest entry consists of:**
 1. An official First Friday Art Walk 16th Anniversary Art Contest and Exhibit Application (below);
 2. A CD/DVD/thumb drive containing images of the work(s) entered. Each image file should include the name of the work and artist.
 3. Payment of a \$10 fee for each individual work of art entered, limit 5. Payment can be cash, money order or card. No checks.
- Entry forms and images will be accepted until **Friday, Sept. 29**. *Any entry that is not received by 4:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 29 will be refused.* Entry forms and images may be dropped off or mailed to the Springfield Regional Arts Council offices at The Creamery Arts Center:

Springfield Regional Arts Council
Attention: First Friday Art Walk
411 N. Sherman Parkway
Springfield, MO 65802

Initial jurying will take place by Monday, Oct. 2, 2016.

DO NOT BRING ARTWORK TO THE CREAMERY FOR JURYING; BRING ENTRY FORM & IMAGES ON MEDIA ONLY
If your work is chosen, you will be invited to bring your artwork to Yellow Chair Makery.

- Artwork must be original and have been produced in the last 10 years. No reproductions or copies may be submitted.
- Acceptable media are Painting, Pastel, Mixed Media, Drawing, Photography, Ceramics, Sculpture, Textiles and Jewelry.
- 2-dimensional work must be securely framed or mounted and ready to hang, with screw eyes and wire firmly attached.
- 3-dimensional work should be no wider than 3 feet at its widest point and no taller than 6 feet at its tallest point.
- All work juried into the exhibit will be offered for sale during the exhibit.

JUDGING

- Initial selection of artwork will be by jury review of valid contest entries; selected artists will be notified and asked to deliver their work to Yellow Chair Makery, 314 E. McDaniel St. in Springfield.
- Final judging – except for The People’s Choice – will take place the week of Oct. 2 ahead of the Oct. 6 Art Walk. The People’s Choice will be voted on by those attending the Oct. 6 Art Walk.

PRIZES

- Cash prizes will be awarded as follows: Grand Prize: \$250; Second Prize: \$100 Third Prize: \$50. The People’s Choice, voted on by visitors to the exhibit: \$100. Ribbons will be awarded for the above and up to four honorable mentions.
- Winning entries and artists will be featured on our website and announced on our social media accounts including Facebook and Twitter.

FIRST FRIDAY ART WALK

OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

16TH ANNIVERSARY ART CONTEST & EXHIBIT

Artist's Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address/Email: _____

Title of Work 1: _____

Size: _____ Price: _____ Medium: _____

Title of Work 2: _____	Title of Work 3: _____
Size: _____ Price: _____	Size: _____ Price: _____
Medium: _____	Medium: _____

Title of Work 4: _____	Title of Work 5: _____
Size: _____ Price: _____	Size: _____ Price: _____
Medium: _____	Medium: _____

Total Number of Works Submitted _____ X \$10 each = \$ _____ Entry Fee

Deliver Completed Entry & Fee, plus digital images of works submitted, to Springfield Regional Arts Council

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