

MATTAWOMAN CREEK ART CENTER
Winter Open All-Media Show Call for Entry
Friday, February 21 – Saturday, March 15, 2025

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all artists 18 years or older. All artwork entered must be original. Artwork may not exceed 6' in any dimension or weigh more than 40 lbs., except by special permission. We cannot accept installation artwork. Artwork shown in the MCAC gallery or gift shop within the past 12 months is not eligible. Entries may be declined due to space limitations.

THEME

There is no theme for this show, so let your imagination run! We look forward to seeing what beautiful and interesting art you create.

PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD

Gallery visitors will be invited to vote for their favorite piece of artwork. At the end of the show the winner will be awarded a ribbon and invited to display the artwork in the gallery foyer.

ENTRY PROCEDURE

All entries must be **hand delivered** to Mattawoman Creek Art Center on the dates specified as Artwork Delivery dates.

Entry into this exhibit constitutes an understanding and acceptance by the artist of the conditions set forth in this document.

ENTRY FEE

The entry fee is **non-refundable**. Fees are as follows:

Members: \$10.00 for 1 piece or \$20 for 2 or 3 pieces.

Non-members: \$20.00 for 1 piece or \$40 for 2 or 3 pieces.

Cash or check preferred to card. Make checks payable to **MCAC**.

Members entering artwork are requested to sign up to docent.

PRESENTATION

Artwork must be clean, professional in appearance, and suitable for community viewing. All artworks must be delivered ready for installation. The MCAC Framing Standards and Display Standards for 3-Dimensional Artwork (on the web site) apply. Artwork intended for the wall must be prepared with picture hanging wire. No saw-tooth hooks will be allowed. **Each piece must be clearly labeled with the title, medium, price, and name and phone number of the artist when delivered.** Artists may use their own labels, or the labels provided by MCAC on the day of entry, to be affixed to the back of each piece. *MCAC reserves the right to refuse any improperly presented artwork or artwork inappropriate for community display.*

SALES

Two of your entries must be for sale. MCAC will retain a 25% commission on sales. IRS Form W-9 is required of anyone receiving \$600 income from MCAC in one calendar year. Artwork sold may not be removed until after the show ends.

IMPORTANT DATES:

ARTWORK DELIVERY

Friday, Feb. 14: 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. or

Saturday, Feb. 15: 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Artists who stay and help hang the show may bring in their artwork on the day the show is hung.

EXHIBITION DATES

Friday, February 21 through Saturday, March 15.

The gallery is open and free to the public Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Park gate fee is waived for MCAC visitors.

OPENING RECEPTION

Sunday, February 23: 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Snow date, Sunday, March 2.

Participating artists are encouraged to attend.

ARTWORK RETRIEVAL

Unsold artwork must be picked up by the artist on: Saturday, March 15: 3:30 p.m. (in-gate closes 4:00) or Sunday, March 16: 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

After 30 days, artwork becomes MCAC property.

LIABILITY

MCAC will not be responsible or liable for any lost or damaged artwork. Insurance on artwork is the responsibility of the artist.

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