



## THE 25<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SOUTHEAST OPEN JUDGED ART EXHIBIT

### Calling all Local Artists:

We would like to see your artwork and invite you to participate in the “The 25th Annual Southeast Open Judged Exhibit,” taking place in March of 2023. We would love to feature YOUR artwork and the work of other amateur artists from the Southeast region.

### Exhibit Information:

- All adults are encouraged to participate no matter what your skill level, medium or experience may be.
- Application Fee: \$10 (non-refundable) by February 17, 2023.
- Credit Card payments can be made over the phone or through our website. Cash, Cheque, or Debit payments may be made in our office. Cheques payable to SAC.
- Each category will have awards for 1<sup>st</sup> place, 2<sup>nd</sup> place, 3<sup>rd</sup> place and honorable mention.
- A “People’s Choice” Award will be selected through public voting
- If you would prefer to not have your artwork judged, then you can submit your work into our non-competitive category.
- Artwork will be displayed in the Hall Gallery from March 3 – March 31, 2023.
- Artists are limited to one submission each.
- Applications for SOJE 2023 are only available online at [SteinbachArts.ca](http://SteinbachArts.ca)

### Important Information:

Application Deadline:	February 17, 2023
Exhibit Fee Payment:	\$10.00 (non-refundable)
Artwork Drop-off: <i>(during office hours only)</i>	February 20-24, 2023
Opening Ceremony:	March 3, 2023 (Format will depend on current restrictions)
Artwork Pick-up:	April 3-7, 2023

### Preparing Artworks for Hanging:

All artwork must be ready to hang upon submission. Artists are required to supply and install 2 screw-in eye hooks for their artwork. Eye hooks should be 1cm in diameter to accommodate the hanging apparatus in our gallery.

Size of Artwork:	Where to Mount the Eyehook
11”x14” or smaller	2” from the top of the artwork, 1 hook on either side
16” x 20” side	3” from the top of the artwork, 1 hook on either
Over 16” x 20”	4” from the top of the artwork, 1 hook on either side

<b>Category Codes for Artwork Tags</b>		
<b>Code</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>Medium</b>
100 - A	Visual Arts "A"	Oils
100 - O	Visual Arts "A"	Acrylics
100 - W	Visual Arts "A"	Watercolors
200	Visual Arts "B"	Charcoal, Ink, Pastels, Printmaking, Mixed Media, Colored Pencil, Pencil, Resin Arts
300	Visual Arts "C"	Photography, Digital Art
400	Fiber Arts	Quilting, Batik, Rugs, Crocheting, Patchwork, Clothing, Knitting, Needlework, Macrame
500	Pottery & Sculpture	Stone, Clay, Metal, Wood Carving, Polymer Clay, Ceramics, Eggery
600	Crafted Arts	Glass, Leather, Woodwork, Beadwork, Other
*Please note, if you would like to enter your work non-competitively, please indicate that on your application. You will still enter the correct category code on to your art tags.		

#### **Terms and Conditions:**

1. Due to the popularity of this exhibit, each artist is limited to the submission of ONE artwork.
2. Artists must reside in the Southeastern region of Manitoba. The Southeastern region is defined on the North by Highway 44, on the West by Highway 75, on the East by the Ontario border, and on the South by the United States border.
3. All entries must be original works, designed by the artist, preferably executed within the last 2 years, and not previously judged.
4. All artwork must remain with the exhibit for the duration of the show.
5. Upon submission, all artwork must be properly framed or mounted and ready for display.
6. SAC will promote sales of artworks. A 20% commission from all sales will help to support Visual Arts Programs and Exhibits at the Steinbach Arts Centre.
7. **IMPORTANT:** The Steinbach Cultural Arts Centre and the Steinbach Arts Council assume no responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury to any entries or exhibits. Private insurance of personal artworks is always recommended - the Centre has limited insurance.
8. Please feel free to contact the SAC staff if you need assistance with preparing your artwork for hanging.
9. Artists must fill out 3 labels prior to submission. Attach one label to back of art; submit other two. Please Note: SAC Staff reserve the right to refuse any artwork that does not meet these conditions for hanging, or that is deemed inappropriate.