# WACCAMAW ARTS & CRAFTS GUILD ANNUAL JURIED EXHIBIT THE ART MUSEUM - 3100 S. Ocean Blvd. Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

Open to public October 28th – December 21st, 2025. DEADLINE FOR ENTRY – Tuesday, September 9, 2025.

ENTRY FEE: Members - \$40.00 non-refundable for up to 3 entries (details under "size limits). Non-Members - \$70.00 non-refundable for up to 3 entries (details under "size limits). Students (18-25) — \$15.00 for a single entry up to the maximum size. If the student wishes to enter more artworks into the show, the member rate would apply, as well as the rules for the number and size of entries. Use this form and send a check payable to Waccamaw Arts & Crafts Guild via USPS, or complete the online entry form at wacg.org and make a credit card payment, or pay through your Paypal account, on our website.

ACCEPTABLE FORMS OF ART: include painting, drawing, graphics, photography, mixed media, fiber, textile, sculpture, wood carving, and original pottery/ceramics (pottery/ceramics created from commercial molds will not be accepted). All entries must be the artist's original work, completed by the artist within the past 2 years. Artwork previously shown in a WACG Judged or Juried Show is not eligible for this show. Work created in a class, workshop, or with the help of an instructor is not eligible. All work must be the sole, ORIGINAL creation of the artist. Prints of paintings or drawings, are not allowed in any WACG show (original art only).

\*Exception to above – Digital art and photos, but all will be designated as a digital art print or a photograph. If, however, the artwork is a digital print with additional painted, drawn, or other media, only the original can be entered into the show.

Work created with AI (Artificial Intelligence), or that is AI Generated, is not allowed in the show.

\*AI, in any form, is not allowed. All entrants will sign to attest that their creation(s) do(es) not contain AI in any form.

MODEL RELEASE: It is advised that a signed model release be obtained for work depicting the recognizable likeness of a person; however, this is the sole responsibility of the artist. Neither WACG nor the Art Museum will assume any liability for work submitted without written permission from the model. By signing this entry form, the entrant agrees that images of them and/or their art may appear in WACG newsletters or documents pertaining to shows.

PHOTOS ARE REQUIRED FOR THIS EXHIBIT ENTRY. No slides or prints. Digital Only. All photos must be in jpeg format (standard digital). Each photo should be given a file name using the format: title\_artist initials\_entry number (1, 2, or 3 from the entry form). (Example: untitled\_TRB\_1). All 2-D artwork should be photographed before framing. All artwork should be photographed with a neutral and uncluttered background or cropped to remove unwanted elements. Do not crop out any parts of the artwork as the photograph must represent the COMPLETE work of art. Photos should be created with care since entry into the exhibit is judged solely on these photographs AND in the event of a crisis the winners may be picked based upon these images. Individual image files should not exceed 5 mb in size, which allows

for a good quality photo. Please try to keep to the 5 mb size as larger images cause issues when publishing documents, doing virtual shows and handling the files online. Submitted work must be exactly the same as it is depicted in the entry photo. Photos of accepted work will be retained for use in advertising and in the Juried Exhibit Display Book, which will be part of the exhibit. The book will also contain the bios of the exhibiting artists. Your entry MUST be postmarked (USPS) no later than September 9<sup>th</sup> and it must be properly completed. If you enter via USPS you will need to send the images on either a CD or flash drive. Digital media will not be returned to the artists. We recommend entering through our website as it is quicker and simpler. Please follow all instructions very carefully. A summary of entry requirements is on the last page.

FOR ONLINE ENTRIES – go to <a href="www.wacg.org">www.wacg.org</a> and from the main page go to "Shows" and "2025 Juried Show". The entry form will be below the basic information on the page. Have a credit card available. Fill in the blanks and upload your photos. Complete the attached entry form for your records as a printed copy is not available online.

FOR USPS ENTRIES – Be sure to use a mailer for CD, DVD, or flash drive that will adequately protect the media (we are not able to return digital media). Fill out the entry form carefully and legibly. Make a copy for your records.

You can also drop off your entry at 320 Broadway Street, Myrtle Beach during Gallery 320's normal business hours.

SIZE LIMITS: 2D – You may submit either 3 standard size entries OR 1 oversize entry and a single standard sized entry. For STANDARD SIZE entries, the FRAMED size must not exceed 50 inches in length or width. For OVERSIZE entries the FRAMED size cannot exceed 72 inches in either width or length. All entries <u>must be securely framed and properly wired on the back for hanging (using adequate wire and "D" rings.</u> Gallery-wrapped canvas does not have to be framed, but it must be at least 1.25" thick and all edges must be painted as a continuation of the image on the front. Corner brackets and clip mountings will not be accepted.

FABRIC WORK (3 standard or 1 oversize and 1 standard) — must have a MUSEUM QUALITY HIDDEN hanging system (such as a dowel) and proper hardware. No wires or rods should be visible when the artwork is hung.

3D — The finished size (up to 3 regular) may not exceed 36" in height, width or depth. Oversize (1 only) may not be over 95" high and/or 72" in width or depth and must be fully equipped for hanging and/or installation (if free-standing). Sculpture weight may not exceed 100 pounds per square foot of base area. The artist will be totally responsible for prearranged handling of work over 50 pounds in total weight.

The Art Museum and WACG will share a 30% commission on all sales which occur during the exhibition.

REMEMBER – THIS SHOW IS IN A MUSEUM SO PLEASE PRESENT YOUR ART, PHOTOS AND BIO IN A PROFESSIONAL WAY.

NOTE: Art accepted into the show will be selected by a jury of three artists with diverse backgrounds. Their

# Our Judge will be announced soon.

personal selections will be compared, and the artworks will then be selected for the show by the votes cast. We want the process to be fair and to provide equal consideration to all types of art and media.

Instructions For Accepted Artists - No changes or substitutions for accepted entries. Upon acceptance of your work, you will receive a notice and a very important form from The Art Museum concerning insurance information. All information on the Insurance Form must be exactly the same as the title, size, and price that you put on your Entry Form. Every entry must have a stated price/value for insurance purposes even if the piece is not for sale. The PDF must be filled out and emailed to Liz Miller (Imiller@myrtlebeachartmuseum.org) as a PDF attachment by September 26<sup>th</sup>. FAILURE TO RETURN THE INSURANCE FORM TO THE ART MUSEUM BY September 26, 2025, 4:00 PM, WILL RESULT IN ELIMINATION FROM THE EXHIBIT. If you absolutely cannot email the form, please contact us at wacg@wacg.org and we will make arrangements for you. Do not send insurance forms to WACG.

Artist Biography: Please submit a short, half-page, artist bio which may include your photo (photos of your work will be added to your Bio page) and email it to <a href="mailto:wacg@wacg.org">wacg@wacg.org</a> (in pdf or MS Word format), or (if you must) mail it to WACG, 320 Broadway St, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577. Make the bio neat as it will be part of the museum book, which may also be a virtual display. If mailed, please do not fold the bio or photo. Do not mail bio to the museum.

# Prepare your artwork for delivery to the Art Museum

For 2-D entries the frame should be strong, well secured and a proper hanging wire with D-rings securely in place. NO CORNER BRACKETS, SAW-TOOTH BRACKETS OR CLIP MOUNTINGS WILL BE ACCEPTED. Place your name and title of the work on the upper right corner on the back of the entry.

For Fabric entries a MUSEUM QUALITY hidden hanging system (such as a dowel) and proper hardware for hanging is required. No wires or rods should be visible when hung. Your name and the title of the work should be secured on the back (upper right corner).

For 3-D entries place your name and title of the work on the bottom or a side. Entries that are free-standing should be stable. For wall mounted 3-D see instructions for 2-D hanging works.

All works should be clean, in good condition, and ready to display. If you cannot deliver or pick up your artwork during the specified hours, you MUST make arrangements for someone else to do it for you. NO EARLY DROP OFFS ARE ALLOWED AND LATE ARRIVALS ARE NOT ACCEPTED. Great care is always used when handling the entries, the Waccamaw Arts and Crafts Guild (WACG) and/or the Art Museum will NOT be responsible for damage or loss of work left beyond the pick-up date and time.

Late pick-ups will incur a \$5 per day storage/handling fee and the artist may be disqualified from future shows.

### IMPORTANT DATES AND REMINDERS FOR 2025 JURIED SHOW:

Tuesday, September 9, 2025 - Last day for all entries. ENTRIES RECEIVED OR POSTMARKED AFTER 9/9 ARE DISOUALIFIED.

If mailed, the entry envelope (USPS) should include the following:

- 1 A high quality digital photograph of each work of art in jpeg format on a flash drive or CD and properly named. Keep in mind that digital media will not be returned to the artist.
- The Juried Exhibit Entry form, properly completed and signed by the artist. USPS only.
- The Entry Details for each piece (fully completed). Please be sure to include the value/price
  and if it is for sale or not. If not for sale we still need a value for insurance purposes.
- A self-addressed, stamped legal size envelope (for our response to you).
- Your <u>check</u> for the appropriate amount.

Mail entry to WACG Juried Exhibit, 320 Broadway Street, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577 no later than 9/9.

Alternatively, you can save postage and drop off your entry at 320 Broadway Street.

Online entries are completed entirely online, at wacg.org with a credit card payment, or through your Paypal account. We recommend this method as everything can be done with ease, even your photos.

## IMPORTANT DATES FOR ACCEPTED WORK

Saturday, September 20th - Notices emailed out. (If you do not have email, we will notify you by another method).

Friday, September 26<sup>th</sup> - Insurance form PDF due-email to: <a href="mailto:lmiller@myrtlebeachartmuseum.org">lmiller@myrtlebeachartmuseum.org</a>, DO NOT mail insurance form to WACG. LATE SUBMISSIONS ARE DISQUALIFIED.

Saturday, October 4th - Bio due: to be emailed to wacg@wacg.org.

Wednesday, October 15th - Deliver artwork to the museum, 9:30 AM to 12:30 PM. LATE DELIVERIES NOT ACCEPTED.

Tuesday, October 28th - Opening Reception 5:30 - 7:30 PM.

Sunday, December 21st - Last day of show.

Monday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> - Pick up artwork - 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM, or have someone do it for you. NO EXCEPTIONS.

NOTE: READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS IN THE PROSPECTUS CAREFULLY (even if you enter online). We suggest that each artist print the Prospectus so they have the information for reference. Some rules may have changed. All rules are important. Each rule has a reason; and therefore, they all must be strictly observed. Every deadline is part of the schedule for the show that many people depend upon. Each year we have some problems (causing stress for all involved), so we have tried to make the rules very clear with some edits and the checklist above. Please help us eliminate stress and disqualifications. Important – Keep a record of your submissions so that you know what you submitted and all related details. We suggest filling out the entry form attached to the prospectus for your records. You will need this information again after you submit your entry. If accepted, you will need to fill out an insurance form for the museum and the information must match exactly.

Cash awards are as follows:

Rebecca Randall Bryan Best in Show - \$700

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - \$500

3rd Place - \$300

10 Honorable Mentions - \$100 each

THINGS TO REMEMBER -

Be sure to get good digital photos of your art work, they are very important.

Be aware of important dates, times and requirements.

Please watch for any important announcements pertaining to the show.

Every year we have multiple artists contact us saying how they entered, were accepted, but can't remember the details of their entries to fill out museum forms. So, print the entry form attached to this document and fill it out for your records. Then take that information, go online, and put that information on your online entry. If you mail your entry, please make a copy for yourself.

If you have questions or concerns, submit them to wacg@wacg.org. We are always here to help if you need assistance. Thank you for your cooperation, and good luck to all. We are looking forward to a great show.

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# Juried Show Entry Form

Artist Inform	ation MEMBER	NON-MEMBER	(check one)	
Name (print)		_email	Phone	
Address	0	ty	StateZip	
It is understood and agreed, that conditions listed in the Juried Ext	9030057 (70000) - 50	nowledge that I have read, und	erstood, and that I accept, all terms and	
	Signed		Date	
	ENT	RY #1 DETAILS		
Title	000011030011599050230050	Medium	Year Completed	
Value / Price \$	For Sale? Yes / No (circle	one) 2 D FINISHED SIZE (fr	eme included) HW	
3 D FINISHED SIZE H	wpw	Is Pedestal Required For	Display Of 3D Art? YES / NO (circle one)	
	ACCEPTED?	YES / NO		
	ENT	RY #2 DETAILS		
Title		Medium	Year Completed	
Value / Price \$	For Sale? Yes / No (circle o	one) 2 D FINISHED SIZE (fra	me included) HW	
3 D FINISHED SIZE H	wb	Is Pedestal Required For	Display Of 3D Art? YES / NO (circle one)	
	ACCEPTED?	YES / NO		
	ENT	RY #3 DETAILS		
Title		Medium	Year Completed	
Value / Price \$	For Sale? Yes / No (circle	one) 2 D FINISHED SIZE (fr	ame included) HW	
3 D FINISHED SIZE H	wb	Is Pedestal Required For	Display Of 3D Art? YES / NO (circle one)	
	ACCEPTED	YES / NO		

We recommend that you enter online at wacg.org and use this form as a record of your entry details. If you wish you may use this form for your entry and mail to or drop off in person: WACG Juried Exhibit, 320 Broadway Street, Myrtle Beach, SC 29577 with the non-refundable entry fee, a CD or USB flash drive containing an individual digital photo for each entry, and a self-addressed, stamped envelope to get your notifications and forms back from us.