

CALL FOR ENTRIES

Juried Show Open to Bergen County Artists

“ CELEBRATING BERGEN COUNTY'S DIVERSITY ”

February 7 - 28, 2012

The Art Center of Northern New Jersey is endeavoring to mount an exhibition that will reflect the artistic talent of the many racial and ethnic groups that call Bergen County "Home".

We are marketing through civic and cultural organizations and religious groups. We encourage all Bergen County artists to enter as we are all part of the Bergen County mix.

The artwork will be judged by Joseph Terrone, MFA Pratt Institute; a well known Plein Air artist. The jurying will be blind as always. We will be asking each artist whose work is accepted to give us a bit of background information so that our gallery visitors can appreciate our diversity.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

FRIDAY, JAN. 27, 2012

Entry Form Deadline

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 1, 2012 (9:30 -12:00)

Drop off work for jurying

THURS/FRI. FEB. 2-3, 2012 (9:30 - 3:30)

Pick up work not juried in

SATURDAY, FEB. 11, 2012 2:00-4:00

Opening Reception and Awards

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 29, 2012 (9:30 - 2:30)

Artists pick up work

If you enter the show, **please keep this page**. It contains dates you need to know. Works are to be submitted “in person” only. No electronic or CD submissions.

Please note: This show is for Bergen County, New Jersey artists only. We are trying to be as inclusive as possible. Please feel free to inform any artists in your organization who meet the criteria and duplicate the enclosed material as needed. Thank you.

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ELIGIBILITY: Any artist currently residing in Bergen County may submit up to two works for jurying. The entry fee is \$25.00 for either one or two works. The fee is not refundable. Please include it with the entry form.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS: All work must be original. No kits or copies. Art work must be **no more than 38” and no less than 11”** in height and width including matting and framing. Sculpture may not exceed **20” in any dimension; measurements must include base.** All work must be ready to hang with screw eyes and wire, labeled at the back or at the bottom if 3D. Where necessary, artwork should be protected with Plexiglas. (While every attempt will be made to preserve and secure each entry submitted, the Art Center will not assume responsibility for loss or damages incurred. Entry in the exhibition signifies compliance with this waiver.) All artists must submit entry forms by January 27, 2012. **For this show, works are to be submitted “in person” only. No electronic or CD submissions.**

CATEGORIES:

- Acrylics
- Drawing – Pencil, pen and ink, graphite.
- Computer imagery (artwork created by computer only, using a pixel-based painting or graphics program, such as Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator or Corel Painter. **Please note:** Photos taken by digital camera, digitally-altered photos and images made using a scanner must be entered in the Photography category).
- Mixed media – including collage (entry must specify media).
- Oil
- Pastel – inc. chalk, charcoal, oil pastel
- Photography—includes any image created using a light-capturing devise such as a film-based or digital camera, scanner, pinhole camera, etc. **Please note:** This includes color, black & white or tinted photos, digitally manipulated photos, photograms, etc.
- Prints – etching, dry point, intaglio etc.
- Sculpture – wood, stone, metal, clay
- Watercolor – inc. gouache

Tear off and send form with check. Entry fee is \$25 for either one or two works.

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Artist's Name: _____

Address: _____

Home Telephone: _____ **Cell:** _____

Email: _____

Number of works _____ **Medium/s** _____

Send form and fee to the Art Center of Northern NJ, 250 Center St., New Milford, NJ 07646.

Checks payable to the Art Center of NNJ. Questions or special needs, please call 201-599-2992.

How did you hear about this show? _____