

CALL FOR ENTRIES
FIFTEENTH ANNUAL
BERGEN COUNTY JURIED SENIOR SHOW

Sponsored by the Art Center of Northern New Jersey in cooperation with the
Bergen County Department of Human Services, Division of Senior Services

JULY 14th – August 7, 2017

**WINNERS IN PROFESSIONAL AND NON-PROFESSIONAL
CATEGORIES WILL BE ENTERED IN THE
NEW JERSEY STATE SHOW**

Juror: Jim Edmonds, Artist
BFA School of Visual Arts

Entry form is at bottom of this page.
Attached you will find information sheets and labels.

<u>DATES TO REMEMBER:</u>	<u>July 5, 2017</u>	Deadline for return of entry forms
THURSDAY	<u>July 6, 10:00-12:30</u>	Drop off work
MONDAY	July 10, 10:00-1:00	Pick up work NOT juried in
SUNDAY	July 16, 2:00-4:00	OPENING RECEPTION AND AWARDS CEREMONY
TUESDAY	August 8, 10:00-1:00	PICK UP WORK!

NOTE: PLEASE KEEP THE TOP OF THIS SHEET FOR IMPORTANT DATES YOU
WILL NEED TO KNOW!!!

Funding has been made possible in part by the New Jersey State Council on the Arts/Department of State through grant funds administered by the Bergen County Department of Parks, Division of Cultural and Historic Affairs.

ENTRY FORM – PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

Artist's Name _____ Age _____
(required)

Address _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Number of works _____ Medium _____

Send completed form and **\$25 entry fee** (for either 1 or 2 entries) to the **Art Center of Northern New Jersey, 250 Center St., New Milford, NJ 07646**. Please make checks payable to **Art Center of Northern NJ**.

BERGEN COUNTY SENIOR JURIED EXHIBITION

ELIGIBILITY

County: Any visual artist, **age 60 or over**, currently residing in Bergen County in New Jersey, may submit **up to two entries**.

VERY IMPORTANT PLEASE NOTE:

ENTRIES MUST HAVE BEEN COMPLETED WITHIN THE PAST THREE YEARS!

The entry must **NOT** have been previously entered in a New Jersey State Senior Art Exhibition or related County Senior Art Exhibit.

State: Entries winning first place at the county level automatically advance to the State competition. Only one entry per artist is accepted on the state level.

ARTIST CLASSIFICATION

Professional: **Any** person who meets ***two or more*** of these qualifications:

1. Sold artwork through commercial channels (including galleries, on-line galleries, craft shows, art shows, etc.)
2. Been exhibiting their work for 2 or more years in professional galleries and/or professional art exhibits*
3. Had work selected in 2 or more JURIED art or craft shows*
4. Has received 2 or more awards for their artwork*
5. Holds (or has held) professional membership in a guild or association.

***These do not apply to artists who only enter their County Senior Art Show(or get into the State Senior Art Show).**

Non-Professional: Person who does not meet any of the above criteria.

CATEGORIES:

- 1. Acrylic Painting**
- 2. Craft** – one of a kind **original creations only** (NO craft kits or molds)
- 3. Digital (Computer) Art** – artwork created using computer graphics software (does NOT include digital photographs)
- 4. Drawing** – includes hand-drawn work in mediums including charcoal, colored pencil, graphite, ink, created with a pen, pencil, crayon, charcoal stick, or stylus of some sort
- 5. Mixed Media** – art that combines two or more media, **no one of which clearly predominates**, includes collage and assemblage

NOTE: Watercolor paintings with graphite or ink drawing are considered WATERCOLOR paintings, **NOT** mixed media!

- 6. Oil Painting**
- 7. Pastel** – includes chalk and oil pastel
- 8. Print** – includes all print forms including etching, linoleum block, lithograph, woodcut, monoprint, silkscreen, etc.
- 9. Photography** – includes color, black & white or tinted photographs taken with a film-based or digital camera
- 10. Sculpture** – work designed in 3-dimensions, carved or constructed in any medium, abstract or figurative
- 11. Watercolor** – includes gouache

PLEASE BE SURE TO SEE NEXT PAGE FOR ARTWORK DISPLAY RULES!

PLEASE NOTE NEW MAXIMUM SIZE IS NO MORE THAN 28" AND NO LESS THAN 10" IN ANY DIMENSION (including matting and framing) FOR HANGING ARTWORK, PHOTOS OR CRAFTS!

The Art Center of Northern New Jersey (ACNNJ) will receive a 25% donation of the value of any piece sold.

ARTWORK / DISPLAY RULES

- Hanging artwork, photos or crafts may be NO MORE THAN 28” and NO LESS THAN 10” in any dimension (including matting and framing).
- Free-Standing sculpture or 3-D crafts may not exceed 20” in any dimension (measurements must include any base for the sculpture). **WORK SHOULD NOT EXCEED 40 POUNDS IN WEIGHT.**
- All artwork must be the original creation of the artist. No reproductions (such as giclee or other digital copies) of original artwork will be accepted. No work made using kits or copies of another person’s artwork will be accepted.
- All works are to be delivered “show-ready” (ready for hanging): - Any 2-D work must be matted/mounted, framed and wired (with screw eyes) with proper labels attached to the back of the work. Use screw eyes for hanging – no string, “saw-tooth” hangers, table-top frames, etc. Paintings on canvas must be wired for hanging and the edges should be painted or finished, but they do not need to be framed.
- The 2-D artwork should be protected, where necessary, with Plexiglas, mylar, glass, or other clear protective material. All 2-D work must be properly labeled on the back. All 3-D artwork should have the labels lightly attached.
- Use of plexiglas, not glass, is strongly recommended for 2-D work to avoid damage to artwork. Plexiglas (not glass) is **REQUIRED** for any 2-D pieces over 24” in any dimension.
- **THREE LABELS (COMPLETELY FILLED OUT AND CUT APART) MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE BACK OF EACH ENTRY!!**
Any entry with a dollar value exceeding \$400 MUST have private insurance.
- Every effort should be made to ensure that work is correctly categorized. Any work that is incorrectly categorized will be moved to the correct category (or risks being taken out of competition altogether) at the discretion of the jurors.
- Please note: The work displayed at the State Show is not covered by insurance. Every attempt will be made to preserve, secure and protect each entry, and the artwork is handled with great care. However, the sponsoring organizations do not assume responsibility for any loss or damages incurred. Entry of work in the NJ State Senior Citizen Art Show signifies agreement and compliance with this waiver.

No artwork may be removed prior to the close of the exhibit. Only the County Coordinator or an appointed substitute will be permitted to remove the artwork from the State exhibition at the designated time.

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County **BERGEN**

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First Name _____

City _____

Phone () _____

Category _____

Year Done _____

Size: H _____ W _____ Depth _____

Non-Pro

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Title _____

(If mixed-media or 3-D Art, specify materials)

Sale Price \$ _____

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