

Creative Arts Guild's 56th Annual FESTIVAL of Fine Arts and Fine Crafts Outdoor Artist Market Application September 20-22, 2019



Outdoor Artist Market Application Deadline
Outdoor Artist Market Jury Response
FESTIVAL Outdoor Artist Market Dates

Friday May 24, 2019
Friday June 14, 2019
September 20-22, 2019

Online: Zapplication www.zapplication.org/event-info.php?ID=6538

Hard Copy: Applications will be accepted by email or mail.
Mail to: FESTIVAL, 520 West Waugh Street, Dalton, GA 30720 or festival@creativeartsguild.org
Outdoor applications will be accepted as long as space is available.

Artist Market Dates

Friday, September 20	7:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Saturday, September 21	10:00 am - 5:00 pm
Sunday, September 22	11:00 am - 5:00 pm

FESTIVAL INFORMATION

The Creative Arts Guild is Georgia's oldest multi-disciplinary community arts center. We celebrate our 56th anniversary in 2019. The Creative Arts Guild is located in northwest Georgia, approximately 20 miles south of Chattanooga, TN and 70 miles north of Atlanta.

The Creative Arts Guild's Annual Festival of Arts and Crafts will be held on the Guild's campus at 520 West Waugh Street, Dalton, GA 30720. In addition to the Outdoor Artist Market FESTIVAL also includes Indoor Juried FESTIVAL Exhibit which hangs in the Guild's galleries September 14 - October 19, children's activities, live music, food vendors, and self guided tours of the Robert T. Webb Sculpture Garden. Admission is free and open to the public.

FESTIVAL weekend kicks off with our Friday evening FESTIVAL Preview Party and Taste of Dalton. Our guests will enjoy making purchases from the FESTIVAL Artist Market and Indoor Juried Exhibit, as well as sampling tasty treats from Dalton's favorite restaurants.

Artists exhibiting in the Outdoor Artist Market Exhibit receive one guest ticket to the Friday Night Preview Party and may purchase one discounted ticket at \$25. Additional tickets are regular admission of \$55.

FESTIVAL 2019 OUTDOOR ARTIST MARKET

September 20-22, 2019

Friday 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm, Saturday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, Sunday 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Applications Due Friday May 24, 2019

Jury Notification June 14, 2019

Late applications will be accepted at FESTIVAL director discretion

Check In/Set Up Friday, September 20, 2019 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Outdoor Artist Market Applications accepted through Zapplication: www.zapplication.org/event-info.php?ID=4101

Applications may be sent to Creative Arts Guild, 520 West Waugh Street, Dalton, GA 30720 or festival@creativeartsguild.org

If you have questions or need additional information, contact Leanne Gillilan Martin, festival@creativeartsguild.org, 706.217.6677

Application Information:

Open to all artists 18 years and older. All works must be the original creation of the applicant. All media is eligible.

Categories

Ceramics: All original clay, raku, porcelain work. No machine-made or mass produced work is permitted. Each piece must be signed.

Children's Arts: Work that is designed specifically for children. May include paintings, drawings, toys, functional work, etc.

*Children's Art exhibitors may be placed adjacent to the Children's Hill activities.

Digital/Graphic Arts: Work from which the image is created and/or manipulated by the artists using a computer. Work in this category must be original designs and printed on quality materials. Embellishment of manufactured materials is not permitted.

Drawing: Original drawings using chalk, pastels, charcoal, pencil, wax crayon, etc.

Fiber/Basketry: Works created from fibers including basketry, batik, weaving, papermaking, knitting, and quilting. Embellishment of manufactured materials is not permitted.

Furniture: Functional tables, chairs, screens, desks, etc. crafted from any material.

Glass: Work that has been hand-crafted by the artist by blowing, fusing, casting, or kiln forming. No pre-manufactured items are allowed. No mass production permitted.

Handcraft: Handmade items made by the artist from manufactured, recycled, or repurposed materials transforming the combined materials into a unique product in a cohesive collection. Complete description of items required.

Jewelry: All Jewelry crafted from metal, glass, stone, clay, or other materials. Jewelry made from commercial molds or casts are not eligible.

Printmaking: Printed works by hand manipulated plates, stones, or screens and which have been signed and numbered as a limited edition.

Metal: Functional and sculptural work where the primary material is metal.

Painting: Works created with acrylics, oil, watercolor, or gouache.

Paper & Bookmaking: Functional and sculptural work created primarily from paper.

Photography: Photographic prints made from the artist's original negative or digital image.

Sculpture: Three-dimensional artwork in any medium.

Wood: Original works in wood that are built, turned, carved, or tooled. Embellished manufactured wood items are not permitted.

Fine art prints/reproductions will be eligible for the Outdoor Artist Market exhibit but may constitute no more than 33% of the artist's total display and must be signed. Any artwork produced by any mechanical means, i.e., giclees, photo-offset, or any other reproduction technique must be labeled a "REPRODUCTION" and displayed in bins.

Not Acceptable

Work not created by the artist. Imported items, commercial molds, items from kits or patterns, dried flower arrangements, decoupages and decal crafts, machine-made or mass produced items.

Jury Images: Total of 6

Images #1-4 should represent the work you plan to show. **Image #5** should represent your display. **Image #6** should show artists creating work in their studio/work space.

Fees:

Applicants may pay online by credit card through ZAPApplication or complete information on application form. Checks made payable to CAG may be mailed to Creative Arts Guild, 520 West Waugh Street, Dalton, GA 30720. Application fees are non-refundable.

Application Fee Each application must include a \$25 application fee.

Booth Fee Spigel Pavilion Booth Fee: \$110 • Lawn/Sculpture Garden Booth Fee: \$100, Electricity \$25 - Electricity availability is limited and will be assigned on first come, first serve basis.

Booth/Exhibitor Information:

Location

The Outdoor Artist Market is presented in two areas: the **Guild's Spigel Pavilion** and the **Guild Lawn**. The Spigel Pavilion is a covered, partially enclosed area with a concrete floor. The pavilion ceiling provides shelter from rain and direct sun while the "walls" of the pavilion are open, allowing air to circulate from all sides. The Guild Lawn and Sculpture Garden are adjacent to the Spigel Pavilion.

Artist Market Display

Exhibitors are responsible for providing their own displays. White tents should be EZ UP quality or higher. All tents must be secured with weights on each tent leg, stakes may not be used. A two-person team or partnership may share a booth as long as each artist submit their own application. Artists must be present with their work. **If you have a specific space request, please make a note on the application. Requests will be accommodated whenever possible.**

Spigel Pavilion Market

Tents are optional on the Spigel Pavilion. Tents, frames and all display boards must be sufficiently weighted to withstand strong breeze. Tents should be weighted on each leg, tents cannot be staked on the pavilion. Booths are a minimum of 10' x 10'. **Electricity is available but MUST be requested on your application form.**

Guild Lawn and Market

Spaces will measure a minimum of 10' x 10'. Tent frames and all display boards must be sufficiently weighted to withstand strong breezes. Many lawn spaces are "corner spaces."

Check In

Outdoor Artist Market exhibitor check in is Friday September 20, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. **Artists may drive up to most spaces and unload. Vehicles must be moved immediately after unloading.** Any artist not arriving or calling the Guild by 4:00 P.M. to notify of a delay will be considered a no show and the space will be reassigned. **Artist and booth set up must be complete by Friday at 6:30 pm and be open for the Kick Off /Patron Party.**

Night Security

The Guild will furnish outside security Friday and Saturday nights, but exhibitors' discretion is advised.

THE CREATIVE ARTS GUILD ASSUMES NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE FROM ANY CAUSE.

FESTIVAL Hours

Friday 6:30 pm - 9:00 pm, Saturday 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, Sunday 11:00 am - 5:00 pm

Exhibitors are required to remain open during these hours. Volunteer booth sitters will be available all day Saturday and Sunday so that artists can take short breaks. Artists that do not abide by FESTIVAL rules or that do not remain fully open during FESTIVAL hours will be not be invited to return.

Sales

Artists will be responsible for handling their sales and should plan to have change and other financial necessities. Artists will be responsible for collecting and reporting Georgia 7% sales tax. Forms for reporting sales tax will be provided to Outdoor Artist Market artists. The Guild does not charge commission on Outdoor Artist Market sales.

Services to Artists

Booth sitters will be available to relieve artists for short breaks. Creative Arts Guild volunteers provide a continental breakfast for artists on Saturday and Sunday morning. Light snacks and beverages will be available throughout each day in the Artist Hospitality Room. Artists and a guest are invited to our artist/volunteer dinner at the close of FESTIVAL Saturday evening.

Cancellations and Refunds

Cancellations by accepted artist participants must be received in writing before 5:00 p.m. on August 1, 2019 for a refund of booth fee.

Creative Arts Guild FESTIVAL 2019 Outdoor Artist Market Entry Form

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The following form may be mailed or emailed if you are unable to access Zapplication.

Artist Name _____

(Please print clearly. The Guild will not be responsible for misspelled signage if application is illegible).

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Website _____

Enclosure Checklist:

Application Fee \$25 _____

Entry Form _____ CD Images _____ or Images email date _____

Pavilion Fee \$110 _____ or Lawn/Sculpture Garden Fee \$100 _____ Electricity \$25 yes/no _____

Patron Party RSVP Artist N/C _____ 2nd Guest \$25 _____ Additional Guests \$55 (#) _____

CC# _____ Expiration Date _____ Total \$ _____

All images must be clearly marked with artist name.

Category _____

Description of work _____

Price Range (Least — Most Expensive) \$ _____

Other needs/requests _____

AGREEMENT

By completing the application to The Creative Arts Guild's FESTIVAL the exhibitor agrees to hold the Creative Arts Guild, its Board of Directors, Staff, and Volunteers harmless for any losses, expenses, injury, demands, or damage to my artwork or other personal property regardless of cause. I agree that each item displayed will be my unique and original artwork and to abide by all the rules and regulations set. I agree to allow images of my work and likeness to be used in event-related publicity and/or materials. We suggest artists carry their own insurance. Extreme care will be taken with artwork. Submitting images and entry form to the Guild constitutes an agreement with these terms and conditions. Accepted entries must remain on display until the end of the exhibition. The Guild reserves the right to reproduce accepted entries and the right to reject artwork not accurately represented by submitted images or information. Artist signature constitutes agreement with these terms.

Signature _____ Date _____