TO ENTER

Entry Deadline: April 17, 2024

Entry Fees

Youth: \$5 (11 to 19 years) per entry

Adult: \$20 First work (inc. Arts West annual

membership)

\$10 Second work

Make cheques payable to: "Arts West Council" OR Autodeposit e-transfer: chrismoore@wcgwave.ca

To Enter by Mail: send attached entry form and

fees to:

Arts West Council

33 Eagle Way, Brandon MB R7C 1C6

To Enter Online:

Westman Juried Art Show Entry Form

AWARDS:

Youth: Sponsors - Janzen's Paints & Decorating and The New System Store

Categories (as of Dec 31, 2023):

Ages 11-13 years; Ages 14-19 years

Presented in each category for the most outstanding entry as selected by the jurors.

Reminder: youth entries must be mounted; framing is not required (see regulation #6)

Best in Show: Sponsor – Gerry Oliver

Presented to the most outstanding work in the Juried Show as selected by the jurors.

People's Choice: Sponsor - Lasting Image

Presented to the work receiving the most votes from those in attendance at the opening reception.

Theme Category: Sponsor - Lasting Image

Presented for the most outstanding entry in the Theme Category as selected by the jurors.

Rural & Northern Art Show

Ten works will be selected for exhibition in the R&N Art Show sponsored by the Manitoba Arts Network.

JURORS



Leona Herzog graduated with a BFA (Honours) in 1975, and completed a Master of Arts with a focus on Curatorial Practices in 2012. As Director/Curator of the Buhler

Gallery, she created notable exhibitions featuring the work of contemporary Canadian artists. Her video tours and interviews with artists can be found at https://galeriebuhlergallery.ca/ Long committed to working with her community, Leona has volunteered on numerous arts boards and now serves as Chair of the Board for Mentoring Artists for Women's Art (MAWA).



Visual artist **Ben Davis** has an expanded practice, working across a diverse range of media and approaches, often collaboratively, to explore land and meaning through

lenses of social justice, eco-aesthetics, and postcolonial theory. He has taught at Brandon University while also being actively involved in community arts education. Ben has been awarded Banff and Hospitalfield residencies and has won multiple grants from funding bodies including the Canada Council for the Arts and the Manitoba Arts Council.

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Arts West Council and Hamiota Mid-West Art Club Present



45th Annual Westman Juried Art Show and Travelling Gallery

Sunday, April 28, 2024 Kenton Community Hall 219 Cornwall St.

Arts West Council

Room 335, $340 - 9^{\mbox{th}}$ St., Brandon MB R7A 6C2 Ph: 204-726-0493 FB: Arts West Manitoba www.artswestcouncil.ca

THE JURIED SHOW

Westman Region artists are invited to enter the 45th Annual Westman Juried Art Show. The purpose of the Juried Show is to provide amateur and emerging artists a venue for professional critique (all pieces receive an individual critique from each juror) and an opportunity to present their work to the general public. The opening ceremony will be held at 2:00 pm; doors open at 1:30 and close at 3:30 pm. The exhibition will be available for public viewing only at the public reception. All works, unless disqualified by the jurors will be displayed at the public reception.

DELIVERY AND PICKUP OF WORKS

Works may be delivered to MB Municipal Relations, Rm 335, 340 - 9th St, Brandon (Provincial Bldg) between April 16 & 24 only or between 10:00 and 10:30 a.m. at Kenton Community Hall on Friday, April 26.

Note: works must be wrapped suitably for transport by car.

Artists are requested to make arrangements to pick up works not selected for the Travelling Gallery on Sunday, April 28 between 3:30 and 4:00 pm from Kenton Community Hall.

THE TRAVELLING GALLERY

The jurors will select 20 works for the Travelling Gallery which will tour communities in the Westman Region over the following year. Jurors' selection is final. Crates will be used for the transportation of the Gallery. All works will be insured from arrival at the Juried Show and the Travelling Gallery works for the year on tour. At the conclusion of the tour, the Arts West Council will arrange return of works to the artists. To be eligible for the Travelling Gallery, works must measure no more than 27" by 27", no less than 11" by 14", including frame (see framing requirements). Works not meeting these size restrictions will be accepted for the Juried Show only.

REGULATIONS

- 1. Artists must reside in the Westman Region and be at least 11 years of age as of December 31, 2023.
- 2. Prizes are restricted to Best in Show, Youth Awards, People's Choice, Theme Category Award.
- 3. Each artist may enter a maximum of two works, regardless of category.
- 4. The categories are: Painting-any medium; Printmaking; Drawing-any medium; Silkscreen; Scratch Art, Mixed Media, 2D Fibre Art.
- 5. All works submitted to this Juried Show must be original hand-made works of art, completed within the past 12 months. Reference photos must be those of the artist; written permission for use of photos by other people must accompany the entry. Works that do not meet these criteria will be disqualified. (If written permission cannot be obtained, do not submit the work.)
- 6. Framing requirements: Adults-all works must be in a solid frame, ready for hanging (includes stretched canvas). Install sturdy hooks and wire on the back, approximately 3 inches below top of frame. Youth- framing not required, all works must be mounted (fixed to a firm support, ie-cardboard backmat).

NOTE: To be eligible for the Travelling Gallery, youth and adult work must be securely framed and wired. 7. Labels contained in this brochure are to be firmly attached to the backs of works.

- 8. All works are to remain on display until 3:30 pm. No exceptions will be made.
- 9. Artists whose works are selected for the Travelling Gallery must permit their works to remain displayed and toured for a period of one year.

OPTIONAL THEME CATEGORY -

"CHASING LIGHT"

Artists are invited to enter one or both works into our optional theme category: "CHASING LIGHT". Theme entries must meet Westman Juried Show regulations as stated in this brochure and are eligible for the Travelling Gallery.

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