

HOUSATONIC VALLEY ART LEAGUE

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JURIED EXHIBITION 2009

- WHEN** July 2 to July 26, Daily: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Fri: 'til 6 p.m.
- WHERE** Dewey Memorial Hall, Route 7, Sheffield, MA
(Town Center, next to Post office)
- RECEPTION** Friday, July 3, 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. (Awards at 5:30 p.m.)
- AWARDS** Housatonic Valley Art League Awards:
One award for "Best in Show": \$400
Four Awards of Excellence: \$100
Three Honorable Mentions
Awards will be based on merit without regard to medium
- JURORS** Joan Jardine Artist (painter/teacher)
Joe Wheaton Artist (sculptor)
- ENTRY DATE** Sunday, June 28, 3 to 5 p.m. ----DELIVERY IN PERSON ONLY

Wayne Jenkins, President
860-824-5105
Walter Bogad, Show Chariman
413-528-2812

ENTRY: Open to members and non-members of the Housatonic Valley Art League. Each artist may submit one/two entries for \$15/20 if a League member (**membership dues must be paid at the latest by the time of receiving art work**), or \$20/25 if not. Membership is \$35.00 for the calendar year. All entries will be reviewed by a 2-judge panel based on originality and technical execution. The judges are expected to retain no more than 100 pieces for exhibition. Only one prize per artist. Decisions of the judges are final. FEES ARE NOT REFUNDABLE.

ELIGIBILITY: Each entry must be an original two/three dimensional work of art. Acceptable media include oil, acrylic, watercolor, gouache, pastel, ink, pencil, scratchboard, sculpture, ceramic, monoprint, serigraph, relief print, collage, multimedia (computer art, copies, giclees, photography are not accepted).

ENTRIES must be recent works (within the past two years), not previously exhibited in a Housatonic Valley Art League show, original with the submitting artist, not copied from another artist or photographer's work, nor from any previously League-shown work, nor touched by a class/workshop teacher. Each entry to be signed, dry and 'exhibit-ready'. **Frames must be provided with a proper hanging wire.** (no saw-tooth hangers)

FRAMING: NOT TO EXCEED 42 inches in height or width

SCULPTURE: NOT TO EXCEED 75 lbs; sculptors supply own stands.

FORMS: 1. Attach completed 4-part form, uncut, taped at top only to upper left back corner of frame.

2. Sign liability WAIVER and SUBMIT at registration for art works to be accepted.

3. Artist to provide at registration a **self-addressed stamped envelope** for notification of jurors decision. No notification without this envelope.

4. Artists may submit a one page (8.5/11) resume/cv for inclusion in a binder at the exhibition.

BIN SALE WORKS

Up to four unframed works per artist

SIZE limit 20"x24", neatly shrink-wrapped (or equal). It is recommended to keep the overall size not smaller than 16" x 20".

LABELLED on back with price and artist's name.

Submit at registration a one page (8.5/11) sheet with name, title and prices of works. At end of show, unsold works must be picked up and signed out by artist just like framed works.

SITTING: As part of admission, show entrants are expected to serve as gallery hosts at least for one half day (10 am to 1:30 pm, or 1:30 to 5 pm). Sign up will be at the day of receiving the art work. This service is also expected of an entrant in the event his or her artwork should be eliminated from the show by the jury.

RAFFLE PAINTING: During the show we hold a raffle for the benefit of our scholarship fund. The prize is a painting, and the drawing is on July 26. We would appreciate your considering donating a piece of your artwork of sufficient quality for this purpose. Please contact Wally Bogad at 413-528-2812.

SALES: All exhibition entries are expected to be for sale and reasonably priced. Works labelled '**Not for Sale**' will not be accepted. Portraits should be priced as for a similar work.

A commission of 30% (to cover rental & utility expenses for Dewey Hall) will be deducted from **all sales**.

Submitting an entry and SIGNING the LIABILITY WAIVER means acceptance of the above conditions.

No. _____ Entry 1 - Attach to back, upper left Title _____ Medium _____ Price _____ Artist _____ Phone _____ E-mail _____	No. _____ Entry 2 - Attach to back, upper left Title _____ Medium _____ Price _____ Artist _____ Phone _____ E-mail _____
No. _____ Entry 1 - for Catalog Title _____ Artist _____ Medium _____ Price _____	No. _____ Entry 2 - for Catalog Title _____ Artist _____ Medium _____ Price _____
No. _____ Entry 1 - Artist notification Artist _____ Address _____ Town/ST _____ ZIP _____ Phone _____ E-mail _____ Title _____ ACCEPTED [<input type="checkbox"/>] NOT ACCEPTED [<input type="checkbox"/>] If not accepted, please pick up July 2, 10 am - 5 pm	No. _____ Entry 2 - Artist notification Artist _____ Address _____ Town/ST _____ ZIP _____ Phone _____ E-mail _____ Title _____ ACCEPTED [<input type="checkbox"/>] NOT ACCEPTED [<input type="checkbox"/>] If not accepted, please pick up July 2, 10 am - 5 pm
No. _____ Entry 1 - Artist receipt Artist _____ Title _____ Medium _____ Price _____ Please pick up unsold work July 26, 3-5 pm	No. _____ Entry 2 - Artist receipt Artist _____ Title _____ Medium _____ Price _____ Please pick up unsold work July 26, 3-5 pm

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FINE ART LIABILITY WAIVER

I understand that every reasonable precaution will be taken in the handling and exhibition of art works submitted by me to the Housatonic Valley Art League, Inc., and Dewey Hall, and I do hereby hold harmless the Housatonic Valley Art League, Inc. and Dewey Hall and their agents, servants and employees, from any claim or damage that might arise from loss or damage to the works of art submitted by me for the exhibition from any cause whatsoever.

Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____