



SUSSEX COUNTY SENIOR CITIZEN VIRTUAL ART SHOW

In cooperation with the New Jersey Senior Citizens Art Show

Senior Citizens of Sussex County,

Enter the 2021 Sussex County Senior Citizens Virtual Art Exhibition!
Open to all artists 60 years and older who are residents of Sussex County.

Entries close September 30 2021

Professional Artists and Nonprofessional Artists will be judged separately in eleven categories. The professional and nonprofessional first place winners in each category will qualify for the 2021 New Jersey State Senior Citizens Annual Juried Art Contest & Exhibition in October. For full information see the Details and Entry Form on the following two pages.

Artwork must be the original creation of the artist. No reproductions of original paintings or mixed media work will be accepted (including giclee or other digital print copies)

Of course, digital prints are accepted in Photography and Digital Arts categories.

No work made using kits or direct copies of another person's artwork will be accepted

Of course, for the virtual exhibit, work does not NEED to be framed but it does need to be presented/photographed in a way that represents the high quality of the artwork, itself, and is a credit to both the exhibiting artist and the County the art will be representing. It is recommended that 2-D work be matted, at the least, before it is photographed. Every effort should be made to photograph both 2D and 3D work against a neutral background so the work shows up well.

Every effort should be made to ensure that work is correctly categorized. Work that is incorrectly categorized may be moved to the correct category (or risk being taken out of competition altogether) at the discretion of the State administrators.

All participating artists will receive an email invitation and link to the 2021 Closing Reception & Awards Ceremony. They may forward the link to as many people as they wish. They may also share the website information with friends and family members who wish to view the show online.

IMPORTANT: Prices will not be listed with artwork this year. If an artist wishes to make their work available for sale, we will include their email address with their art so that an interested party can contact them directly. The artist assumes complete responsibility for ALL sales (including – but not limited to: payment arrangements, plans for shipping/pick-up of purchased artwork and any sales taxes they may incur from sales and/or sales negotiations.

Submitting Entries:

Email completed Entry Form and jpg of work to entries@scahc.org
To return the form, Fill it in online,down load it, (click on the down facing arrow and select "with changes", save it, click the email address above and attach the file. Subject line -Seniors 2021 - press send by September 30 2021

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All entries will be featured on the Sussex County Arts & Heritage Council Website www.scahc.org

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. Mixed Media – art that combines two or more media (often non-traditional), and no one of the media clearly predominates; includes collage and assemblage
5. Oil Painting
6. Pastel - includes chalk (soft) and oil pastel
7. Print – all print forms including – but not limited to – etching, linoleum block, lithograph, woodcut, monoprint, silkscreen, collagraph
8. Photography - includes color, black & white or tinted photographs taken with a film-based or digital camera
9. Sculpture - work designed in 3-dimensions, carved or constructed in any medium, abstract or figurative
10. Watercolor Painting - includes gouache (note: traditional watercolor often includes light pencil work and/or ink. They are still considered “Watercolor” – NOT “mixed media”
11. Works on Paper - includes hand-drawn works in mediums including: charcoal, pencil, colored pencil, graphite, ink, pen, crayon, or stylus of any sort

- If work is incorrectly categorized, it will be moved to the correct category.

PROFESSIONALNONPROFESSIONAL

Professional

is an artist who meets 2 or more of these qualifications:

- a) sells or has sold artwork through commercial channels (including galleries, on-line galleries, craft shows, art shows, etc.)
- b) has been exhibiting their work for 2 or more years in professional galleries and/or in professional art exhibits; **
- c) has had work selected in 2 or more Juried art or craft shows; **
- d) has received 2 or more awards for their artwork; **
- e) holds (or has held) professional membership in an artist or craftspeople’s guild or association.

Non-Professional:

an artist who does not meet 2 or more of the above criteria

** **EXCEPTION:** Artists who only enter their County Senior Art Show and **NEVER** exhibit their work in any other show or venue do not have to identify themselves as a Professional Artist unless they have won **First Place in their category 3 or more times**. In that case, they should identify themselves as **“Professional.”**

ARTWORK / DISPLAY RULES

Hanging artwork, photos or crafts, may be no more than 36" for 2021 only; work smaller than 10" in any dimension may be included this year.

Sculpture or 3-D crafts may not exceed 36" in any dimension for the 2021 online show (measurements must include any base for the sculpture).

High quality jpg files should be 1800 pixels on the longest side.

Only one jpg to represent 3D works is allowed for the State.

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2021 Sussex County Senior Citizen Art Show Entry Form

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____

State _____ Zip _____ Must be Sussex County Resident

E-mail _____

Please Check All That Apply (regarding you as the artist/crafter/creator):

- You sell or have ever sold any artwork through commercial channels (including: galleries, on-line galleries, craft shows, art shows, website, etc.)
- You have ever exhibited your work for 2 or more years in professional galleries and/or in professional art exhibits
- You have ever had work selected in 2 or more Juried art or craft shows;
- You have ever received 2 or more awards for any of your artwork/crafts
- You hold (or have ever held) professional membership in an artist or craftsman's guild or association
- None of the above

Entry #1

Title _____

Category _____

Size (WxH including frame) _____

Price _____ Date Completed _____

Entry #2

Title _____

Category _____

Size (WxH including frame) _____

Price _____ Date Completed _____

Entry #3

Title _____

Category _____

Size (WxH including frame) _____

Price _____ Date Completed _____

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- Please see entry requirements.
- \$10 entry fee per artwork. Up to three works.
- Payment must be made to the Sussex County Arts & Heritage Council at the time of entry by Sept 30 2021

• Check (by Mail)

Paypal

MC/Visa

#: _____

Exp. Date: _____ 3 Digit Code _____

Signature: _____

Liability. By entering this exhibit I agree to abide by the gallery policies. and to hold harmless SCAHC, and all their agents, officers and employees from any claims of damage or loss that might occur to works of art submitted for this exhibition. SCAHC does not insure exhibited art. It is recommended that artists have their own insurance. SCAHC has the right to decline at any time any work that is deemed inappropriate for this event My art maybe used for advertising and/or promotion.

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