

2017 OIL HERITAGE FESTIVAL

YOUNG ADULT ART SHOW

Grades 9 - 12

Wednesday, July 19TH – Sunday, July 23RD

Dear Artist,

You are cordially invited to participate in the **9th Annual Oil Heritage Festival Young Adult Art Show 2017**, sponsored by the Oil City Arts & Culture Commission and local area businesses. This year's exhibit will be held from Wednesday July 19th through Sunday July 23rd in conjunction with the annual Oil Heritage Festival, which runs from Thursday, July 20th through Sunday, July 24th. The site of the show will be on the **Mezzanine Floor** of the historic **National Transit Building** at 206 Seneca Street in Oil City, Pennsylvania.

You are also invited to an **Artist Reception for the Art Show, Children & Young Adult Show AND NEW Photography Show, which will be held simultaneously on **Wednesday, July 19th from 6-9pm**. These events as well as the art and photography exhibitions are **FREE and OPEN to the public**. Everyone is welcome to attend!*

REGISTRATION INFORMATION:

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY...TWO FEE OPTIONS!!!

A. Early Bird Registration: \$15.00 for up to three (3) entries. These entries (paperwork only-with completed artwork labels, application and fees) *****MUST BE POSTMARKED OR HAND DELIVERED to Art Show Chairperson ON OR BEFORE JUNE 30TH, 2017.**

B. Standard Registration: \$20.00 for up to three (3) entries for all entries postmarked or hand delivered paperwork and fees after **June 30th through Monday July 17th**. (See Delivery/Pickup of Artwork pg. 2)

Please note: Inquiries regarding application/fee or information can be made by calling 814-673-6392, or emailing evchef4him@gmail.com

All applications and fees should be mailed or delivered to Evelyn Wheeler c/o Oil Heritage Festival Art Show 2017; 706 West First Street, Oil City, PA 16301.

Checks should be made out to Oil City Arts Council. All Entry Fees are non-refundable. All fees and donations directly benefit this show. Unregistered work will not be exhibited.

AWARDS

1. All entries will be Professionally Judged with **Cash Prizes & Ribbons Awarded for First, Second & Third Prizes in each category;**
First: \$20 Second: \$15 Third: \$10
2. One Cash Prize & Ribbon will be awarded for **"Best of Show"** (judges choice)
Cash: \$25.00 (Grades 9-12)
3. **Honorable Mention Ribbon(s)** are awarded to work(s) as per judge's selection.
4. One **"People's Choice Award Ribbon"** is awarded, as per selected by popular vote.
(no cash prize – Grades 9-12)

CATEGORIES:

1. **PAINTING:** To include acrylic, watercolor, oils, etc., any painting using a single (one) medium.
2. **DRAWING & GRAPHICS/MIXED MEDIA:** To include pastels, pencil, charcoal, block printing, screen printing as well as mixed media works. (Mixed media is considered 2 or more mediums used per work.)
3. **THREE-DIMENSIONS ARTS -** Any medium which projects from its base, ground or support more than two inches. To include pottery, sculpture, woodcarving, fiber arts, stained glass, etc.
4. **PHOTOGRAPHY –** Any two-dimensional work wherein the entire work is created by photographic process. To include black and white and color. Computer enhanced work is permitted.

DELIVERY & PICK-UP OF ARTWORK:

1. Artwork must be delivered to the Oil Valley Center for the Arts in the National Transit Building Annex on **Sunday JULY 16TH AND Monday JULY 17TH between 3PM AND 8PM. Art will not be accepted after 8pm on MONDAY JULY 17TH and NO refunds will be made.**
2. Artwork must be removed after the show closes on Sunday, July 23rd. Pick-up times are 4:30PM – 6:30PM SUNDAY JULY 23rd or MONDAY JULY 24th between 10AM AND 1PM. ***If an artist wishes to send a delegate to pick up their work, they must notify us in advance or send a signed permission note with the delegate at time of artwork drop-off. All items must be signed out for release.
3. The Chairperson, sponsors, volunteers, and organizations with the Transit Building are not responsible for work that has not been picked up by the deadlines above.

GENERAL RULES:

1. Artwork must be original (NO KITS or TEMPLATES). The show chairperson reserves the right to refuse any entry that is inappropriate for family viewing.
 2. Previous prize-winning entries in the Oil Heritage Art Show cannot be entered.
 3. Please label your work on the back of each piece with ID cards enclosed (or base of 3D pieces). Two-dimensional artwork **must be framed and wired and ready for installation upon delivery.** Improperly prepared art (not completed/framed and wired) will not be accepted.
 4. Artists must sign the enclosed release form when the artwork is delivered to the show.
 5. Artwork WILL NOT be accepted after 8pm on MONDAY JULY 17TH.
 6. The submission of artwork to this show constitutes the artist's permission for general publicity
 7. Artwork submitted cannot be sold in the Young Adult Oil Heritage Art Show.
- If a Young Adult wishes to sell their work, they must exhibit in the Oil Heritage Main Art Show, and must be 18 years of age or older.

YOU ARE INVITED AND WE NEED YOU!

Did you know? This art show is viewed by 600 visitors each year?

****As an artist, you and/or your parent or guardian together, are invited to help participate by volunteering as a "show-host". If you are willing to contribute two hours of time, we do welcome your help. Please check "yes" in the box on your application and bring a friend!*

Sincerely,

Evelyn A. Wheeler / Oil Heritage Festival Art Show Chairperson 2017

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Entry Form

Grades 9-12

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Name: _____ Email Address: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Age: _____ Grade: _____ School: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Number of Entries: _____ Fee Enclosed: _____

(Maximum 3 Entries)

Young Adult Entry Fees:

EARLY BIRD FEE: \$15.00 for up to Three Entries

Must be postmarked on or before June 30th, 2017.

STANDARD FEE: \$20.00 for up to Three Entries

Postmarked after June 30th or delivered at Drop off

Date(s) (See application)

Category (Please check as appropriate)

Painting Drawing & Graphics/Mixed Media Three-Dimensional Arts

Photography

TITLE(S) OF WORK (Please list Title of Piece and Category)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Return this entry form and your check to: **Evelyn Wheeler at 706 West First St.,
Oil City, PA 16301. (Checks made payable to Oil City Arts Council.)**

Yes, I would like to be a "show-host". Please contact me to schedule a time.

CHILDREN'S/YOUNG ADULT

ARTWORK LABEL

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _(____)_____

Title: _____

Category: _____

- Elementary- (Grades K - 5)
- Middle School - (Grades 6-8)
- Young Adult (Grades 9-12)

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OHFAS 2017 RELEASE FORM

It is hereby understood that I, (print) _____ am completely responsible for all materials on exhibit and display. It is further agreed that this material will be exhibited on loan from DROP OFF DATE through Sunday, July 24th.

Every attempt will be made to protect and preserve the artwork submitted for display. But, it is agreed that the Oil City Arts Council, the Oil Valley Center for the Arts, the City of Oil City, the Oil City Civic Center, Inc., the Art Show coordinator and all volunteers are relieved of any or all liability for mutilation or damage or loss of exhibit or display from any cause whatsoever.

Submission of artwork to this show constitutes the artist's permission for general publicity. Works submitted by my but not picked-up within 30 days after the deadline for pick-up become property of Oil City Arts & Culture Commission.

Your generous loan of this material is greatly appreciated by the Oil City Arts Council. We thank you for helping to enrich the community's appreciation and understanding of the Arts.

All artwork must be picked up at the close of the show on Sunday, July 24th between 4:30pm and 6:30pm or on Monday, July 25th between the hours of 10am and 1pm.

Exhibitor's Signature _____ Date: _____

Telephone # _____ Email _____

| Title of Pieces | Category | |
|------------------------|-----------------|-------|
| 1. _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2. _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 3. _____ | _____ | _____ |

Received by: _____ Date: _____