

**DELAWARE WATERCOLOR SOCIETY**  
**SPRING FINE ART EXHIBITION**  
**APRIL 3- 30, 2018**  
**LEWES LIBRARY**  
111 Adams Avenue, Lewes, DE 19958

## CALL FOR ENTRIES

All Delaware Watercolor Society (DWS) members and non-members are eligible to enter this open, judged exhibition which will hang in the Lewes Library gallery at 111 Adams Avenue, Lewes, Delaware. DWS is delighted to have this exhibition in this unique setting.

**AWARDS JUDGES** - Anne Crown-Cyr, BWS, DWS, and Isabel Pizzolato, BWS, DWS will preside as judges. Both are award-winning watermedia artists whose work has been on display in local and regional exhibitions.

**AWARDS** - DWS will present monetary awards totaling \$550 and ribbons for First, Second, and Third place winners plus two Merit Awards. There will be three non-monetary honorable mention awards.

**ELIGIBILITY AND REQUIREMENTS** – DWS members and non-members may submit up to two original works that have been created within the past three years in any water-based media, except for water-based oils. DWS will accept works in watercolor, acrylic, and multi-aqueous media. Note that collage elements must be created by the artist and comprise no more than 10 percent of the painting content. Works may be executed on paper, Yupo, canvas, Aquabond, or other similar material. *No digital art, digitally enhanced art, or works developed during workshops will be accepted.* All works must be for sale and not previously exhibited in DWS juried exhibitions. No giclées or prints are permitted. Anyone entering must be 18 years or older and reside in Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, or Washington, D.C.

**FRAMING AND MATTING** - Submitted works must be framed in accordance with professional standards and be covered with glass or Plexiglas depending on size. *Poorly matted or framed paintings are subject to disqualification.*

- All entries *must be framed and wired on back*, with appropriate hooks, eyes, and wires only. No clip frames or cardboard backing are permitted. Wooden frames must have a standard dust cover backing supported by Foamcore or a similar structure. The dust cover must be intact and securely adhered to the frame.
- Mat colors are limited to white, cream or light gray. Double matting is permitted, and the inner mat may be colored. Mats must be properly cut and free of stains/marks.
- Works larger than **30 inches** *in either direction* must be covered with Plexiglas.

**Maximum FRAMED size: No larger than 40 inches in either direction.**

**Minimum IMAGE size: 7 inches in either direction.**

**Maximum weight: 30 pounds.**

**RIGHTS, RESPONSIBILITIES, AND LIABILITY** - Entries not meeting any of the above conditions will be rejected. DWS further reserves the right to determine the suitability of artwork for this exhibition. Submitting an entry for this exhibition means that

- The work is the artist's original concept and photography and does not infringe on any copyright;
- DWS has permission to reproduce accepted works in the exhibition catalogue, on its website, and in media promotion.
- **All artwork must be for sale.**

**ENTRY FEE** - Members: \$20 for up to two entries. Non-members: \$25 for up to two entries. **Make checks payable to the Delaware Watercolor Society and submit when delivering artwork.**

**SALE OF WORK – All artwork must be for sale.** The artist is responsible for setting the price of each entry. A 10-percent commission will be taken on any sale of artwork by the Lewes Library during or as the result of this exhibition. Each artist will be responsible for the sale of his/her work and the commission. Each painting will be clearly marked with the artist’s contact information.

Please note that pricing should be consistent with your usual sales. Intentionally pricing a painting above its reasonable value to prevent a sale may result in disqualification of the entry. A price cannot be changed once the entry has been received. All prices are firm and non-negotiable during the Exhibition.

**INSURANCE** – The facility does not carry insurance for the artwork, so please insure your work as you see fit for this exhibition. They do have video cameras in the area where the artwork will be on display.

**ADDITIONAL ENTRY INFORMATION** – Entries are to be hand delivered on dates indicated in the prospectus. Please complete the entry and label forms in advance of delivery. Measure your entries to ensure they meet the size requirements. Attach labels to the wire on the back of your artwork, as indicated. Please give the completed registration form to the DWS receiving member at the site along with your entries and entry fees. Artwork will not be accepted without completed forms.

**THIS EXHIBITION HAS LIMITED SPACE FOR UP TO 40 PAINTINGS.** If you plan to enter, please let us know: Exhibitions Director, Joan Fabbri: 302-945-3721 or DWS President Anne Crown-Cyr: 302-226-7781. For more information on DWS events, go to [www.delawarewatercolorssociety.org](http://www.delawarewatercolorssociety.org)

#### **DELIVERY AND PICKUP**

***Hand Delivery of Work - Tuesday April 3, 2018 from 10:00 a.m.- Noon. Only on this day/time. No exceptions.***

***Pickup of Work After Exhibition Closes - Monday April 30, 2018 from 10:00 a.m.- Noon.***

**OPENING RECEPTION – Friday, April 6, 2018 from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.**

**Location: “Medium” Meeting Room at the library.**

#### **GALLERY HOURS, LOCATION, AND CONTACT INFORMATION**

Address: Lewes Library 111 Adams Avenue Lewes, Delaware 19958

Phone: 302-645-2733

Hours of Operation:

- Monday – Thursday 10 a.m.- 8 p.m.
- Friday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Saturday 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- Sunday Closed

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**ENTRY FORM AND LABELS**

**PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM AND GIVE TO DWS ALONG WITH YOUR  
ENTRY FEES: \$20 FOR MEMBERS \$25 FOR NON-MEMBERS**

**PLEASE FILL OUT ALL INFORMATION**

NAME (LAST) \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
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FRAMED SIZE: \_\_\_\_\_ " X \_\_\_\_\_ " PRICE: \_\_\_\_\_  SELECTED  DECLINED

TITLE # 2 \_\_\_\_\_

FRAMED SIZE: \_\_\_\_\_ " X \_\_\_\_\_ " PRICE: \_\_\_\_\_  SELECTED  DECLINED

ENTRY FEE: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_ CASH \_\_\_\_\_ MEMBER [ ]

**YOUR SIGNATURE BELOW SIGNIFIES THAT YOU HAVE READ, AGREE TO, AND ARE IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL REQUIREMENTS/ PROVISIONS AS STATED IN THE EXHIBITION PROSPECTUS.**

ARTIST SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**ATTACH THE FOLLOWING LABELS TO PICTURE WIRE -----DETACH HERE**

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