



Happy February from Your Naperville Art League

2020 GALLERY EXHIBIT & EVENT CALENDAR:

- **Feb 16** "Fabulous Fakes" Reception Public | 2-4pm
- **Feb 21-22** "Fabulous Fakes" pick up, "Hometown" drop off
- **Feb 28** "Hometown" Fourth Friday Reception Public | 7-9pm
- **March 6** "Sister City Student Art Competition" Reception | 6-9pm
- **March 11-14** "AFA Student Scholarship Competition" (guest event)
- **March 14** "AFA Student Scholarship Competition" Reception | 1-2pm
- **March 14** "Juxtapose" Public Art Competition drop off (no extensions)
- **March 20-21** "Hometown" pick up
- **March 29** "Juxtapose" Public Art Competition Award Reception | 2-4pm
- **April 17-18** "Juxtapose" pick up, "Chaotic" drop off
- **April 24** "Chaotic" Fourth Friday Reception Public | 7-9pm
- **May 15-16** "Chaotic" pick up, "Chanson (French for song)" drop off
- **May 21-23** "The Work of Don Castro" (guest event)
- **May 22** "Chanson" Fourth Friday Reception Public | 7-9pm

**If your artwork has won an award, please pick up after the Fourth Friday party so those attending may see your piece.*

OPEN BOARD POSITIONS

Would you like to be a part of our amazing Board of Directors? Upcoming openings, some which may be filled immediately include:

Don't Miss It! **Public Art Competition** *Theme: Juxtapose*

Once again, the Naperville Art League (NAL) is partnering with local non-profit Loaves & Fishes Community Pantry for our Public Art Competition. All entries must be the artist's personal, original artistic interpretation of the theme: **Juxtapose**. An artist's statement of 100 words or less explaining how your work relates to the theme must accompany your piece. The judge reserves the right to reject work that does not reflect the theme.

Pieces may be representational or abstract. All work must be original in design, concept and execution and signed by the artist. Pieces must have been made within the last 3 years. Group projects, kits or commercially prepared objects that are decorated will not be eligible. No previously winning artwork!

When is the exhibit?

Entries will be exhibited at Naperville Art League's Fine Art Center & Gallery from **March 24 through April 17, 2020** with an **Artists' Reception and Award Ceremony on March 29, 2020** (Sunday) from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm. NAL will host a non-perishable food drive throughout the exhibit.

ENTRIES DUE BY
Saturday, March 14, 2020
4:00 pm

- Treasurer
- Director of Exhibits
- Director of Marketing
- Director of Development
- Director of Education
- Directory of Hospitality

Did You Know? Holding a Board position provides you with a new skill that is valuable on resumes and CV's. Don't miss an opportunity to benefit yourself while helping out a worthwhile non profit organization. **Learn more about the benefits of joining a non profit Board.**

GALLERY HOURS

10am-5pm Tuesday - Friday
 10am-4pm Saturdays
 12pm-4pm Sundays (seasonal)
 Closed Mondays

naperartleague@aol.com
 630-355-2530
 508 CENTER STREET, NAPERVILLE, IL
 60563

Learn more by viewing the Entry Form below...



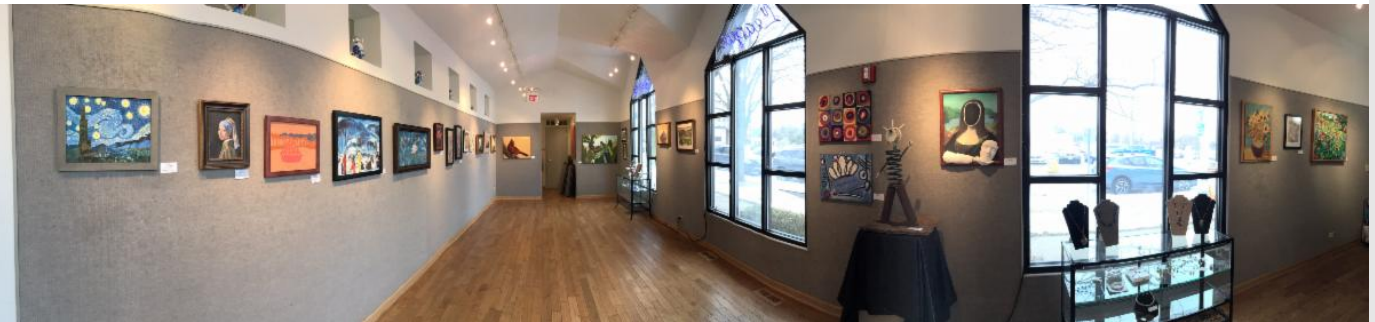
PUBLIC ART COMPETITION ENTRY FORM

If you need help figuring out the theme or getting inspired...

What is JUXTAPOSE?

CURRENTLY ON EXHIBIT: FABULOUS FAKES | FEBRUARY 2020 AWARD WINNERS

Announced at the Reception February 16th!



Fabulous Fakes Reception and Awards Sunday, February 16, 2-4pm

Celebrate our February show, "Fabulous Fakes" with Art, Refreshments and More! Open to the public, family friendly.

Bring your friends and enjoy beautiful art while mingling with local artists.

Awards announced!

Donations are accepted and always appreciated.



FABULOUS FAKES
Reception & Awards
FEBRUARY 16, 2-4PM

NEXT EXHIBIT: HOMETOWN | FEB 25 - MARCH 20, 2020
Drop off February 21-22



Winter Art Classes are Now in Session!
Sign up for your favorite soon . . .



INSTRUCTORS



ADULT 16+
CLASSES



KIDS Pre K-Teens
CLASSES

Register online or call the gallery 630-355-2530

WINTER CLASS SCHEDULE



JOIN NOW!
Watercolor & Acrylic Classes
ADULT



STARTING SOON FEB 19
Painted Serving Tray Class
ADULT



FEBRUARY 22
Felted Vessel Class
ADULT



JOIN OUR WEEKLY KIDS CLASSES GOING ON NOW!
WEDNESDAYS: Art Lab - Grades K-3
Open Studio & Art Coach - Tweens & Teens
THURSDAYS: Seriously Fun Art Drop In THURSDAYS - Grades 3-5
Open Studio & Art Coach - Tweens & Teens

VISIT NAPERVILLE ART LEAGUE FULL

***Registration for the 2020 Riverwalk Fine Art Fair is
NOW OPEN!***



APPLY HERE

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE RFAF

ARTISTS WANTED:

Opportunity awaits you at the Naperville Art League Off-Site Exhibits!

Our wonderful Off-Site Exhibit Coordinator, Ariana, is looking for member-made artwork to fill the walls at off-site locations in the local area. This includes banks, restaurants and office settings. If you are interested, please send photos or a description of your art media to the gallery at naperartleague@aol.com, with "Off-Site" in the subject line.



***Our need for your support lasts all year long
and our Go Fund Me is still active***

We are a 501(c)3 non-profit arts organization.

At times, we get mixed in as simply a retail gallery to hang and sell art, but art leagues - OUR LEAGUE - is so much more. We rely on members and volunteers to host our Fourth Friday receptions, to operate the Riverwalk Fine Art Fair, to set up our Holiday Show and Off-Site exhibits so local artists and crafters can have maximum opportunities to sell their art and gain exposure, leading to success.



While we do as much as we can on our own, sometimes we hit a roadblock when our building needs sudden, but absolutely required, repairs. Our Gallery furnace of 24 years has failed us just in time for an early winter and we need a replacement ASAP. We also need to do repairs in our restrooms to add additional insulation before our pipes are at risk for freezing.

If you are in any way able to donate \$5 or more, every bit counts and is appreciated by all those who call the Naperville Art League their art league. If you cannot afford to donate, please share this plea with your family and

friends on social media and by word of mouth.

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MEMBER NEWS, EVENTS & CALLS FOR ARTISTS

The Naperville Art League is not responsible for the outcome or result of answering these outside calls for artists

MEMBER NEWS: Cynthia Boudreau has three pieces in the juried “Visual Harmony” show at the Norris Cultural Arts Center in St. Charles through Feb.16.

CALL TO ARTISTS: Common Grounds Birmingham

September 26 & 27
Birmingham, Michigan
South Old Woodward

Produced in association with The Guild of Artists & Artisans
Saturday 10am - 6pm & Sunday 10am - 5pm
160 Artists
Deadline: February 24

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CALL TO ARTISTS: 46th Annual Morning Glory Art Fair

WHERE: Fiserv Forum in downtown Milwaukee, Wisconsin
WHEN: August 8-9, 2020 | 10am - 5pm

NOTEWORTHY:

- ***Fabulous Venue** in the heart of downtown Milwaukee
- *Limited to 130 Artists
- *\$6,000 Awards and Gift Certificates
- *Friday afternoon set-up
- *Booth sitters available
- *Overnight Security
- *Color promotional postcards for artists' use
- *Catered artist breakfast on Sunday

- *Listing in show program with color image
- *Image from each artist on show website and Facebook page
- *Booth sign with artist's name, medium, hometown, booth number
- *Home Stay program offered
- *Convenient nearby parking
- *Free WiFi
- *Timing of show works well with show circuit in Wisconsin and region
- *On-site staff and fabulous volunteers
- *Jury Fee \$35

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CALL TO ARTISTS: CAA's 2020 National Prize Show

Greetings!

We are pleased to announce the call for art for our 2020 National Prize Show, juried by Sharon Butler! Sharon is a painter, and publisher of the popular arts blog, [Two Coats of Paint](#).

The entry period for the 2020 National Prize Show opens on January 20th, with a March 9th deadline. Entries are open to all artists living/working in the United States, aged 18 and older. We cannot accept international entries.

Please scroll down for all of the entry details! And, if you have questions about the application process, please contact our Assistant Director, Rebecca Schnopp, at rschnopp@cambridgeart.org.

AWARDS

Best In Show | \$1,000
First Prize | \$750
Second Prize | \$500
Third Prize | \$250

Photography | \$250 • Painting | \$250 • Printmaking | \$250
Sculpture | \$250 • Mixed/Multimedia | \$250

DATES & DEADLINES

- Submission Begins | January 20, 2020
- Submission Deadline | March 9, 2020 at 11:59pm EST
- Artist Notification | All accepted artists will be posted on our webpage March 30, after 5pm. NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE
- Drop-Off | TBA
- *Early and late drop-offs will not be accepted.
- Pick-Up | TBA

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[PAST NEWSLETTERS](#)

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