

The Butler Institute

OF AMERICAN ART

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83RD

AREA ARTIST ANNUAL



2022

AUGUST 26, 2022

Entries and fees are due

SEPTEMBER 27-30, 2022

(Accepted Works)

Hand deliveries:

11am – 3pm

OCTOBER 23, 2022

Opening Reception

1– 3pm

NOVEMBER 13, 2022

Exhibition Closes

NOVEMBER

17 & 18, and 22 & 23 2022

Pickup: 11– 3pm

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ENCLOSED 83RD AREA ARTIST
ANNUAL FORM FOR 2022

RULES OF ENTRY & ELIGIBILITY

ELIGIBILITY

This exhibition includes all media and is open to artists that reside within the following counties: **Mahoning, Columbiana, or Trumbull in Ohio; Mercer or Lawrence in Pennsylvania.** Entries must be completely original work created by the artist within the last **two years** and must not have been included in previous Butler exhibitions. Entries must be entered as JPEG images on a USB flash drive. The entered images are assumed to be accurate representations of the actual work. Entries must be postmarked by August 26, 2022. Late submissions will not be considered. Be certain to read all instructions carefully. The Butler reserves the right to disqualify entries that do not meet eligibility requirements. Include a self-addressed stamped envelope with the entry form.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR JPEG IMAGES:

Images on USB must be JPEG. One image per entry. Do not send an image detail. On the flash drive please title each entry image with the artist's last name, underscore, title. **For example, Homer_Snap the Whip. Spaces between the words in the title are preferred.** Flash drives will not be returned

MEDIA & ACCEPTED WORK:

Each work must weigh under 100 pounds. Work must not exceed 60 inches in any direction. All media is eligible including oil, watercolor, acrylic, pastel, photography, ceramics, and sculpture. Accepted works will receive labels with the acceptance letter. Please fill out all information clearly and accurately. All hanging works must arrive ready to hang with D rings securely attached or a wire suitable to the weight of the work.

ARTISTS MUST PROVIDE THEIR OWN INSURANCE.

Works will be handled with care and professionalism, but at the artist's risk. Entrants must insure their own work. The Butler cannot assume any liability for loss or damage, however caused.

CASH AWARDS

Cash awards will be announced at the opening reception on October 23, 2022 from 1–3pm.

DELIVERY / RETURN OF WORKS

All works must be hand delivered. No shipping arrangements will be accommodated. Please adhere to scheduled drop off dates and times. If you have any questions please email lhicks-skeels@butlerart.com. Accepted works may be hand delivered October 4-7 from 11am-3pm. Pickup will take place **November 17 & 18, and 22 & 23 2022** 11am-3pm.

EXHIBITION CURATOR

Jean Sherffler, 330-743-1107 ext. 1312
library@butlerart.com

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This year's exhibition will be judged by Diane Schaffstein. She has been with the Bonfoey Gallery since 1987. During her thirty five year tenure, she has filled many positions, including the past twenty years as co-gallery director and head appraiser. Located in Cleveland's Playhouse Square, Bonfoey's is the Midwest's oldest gallery providing artwork and framing since 1893. As co-gallery director, Ms. Schaffstein is responsible for the selection and implementation of four to six gallery shows a year, the selection of artists' works for gallery representation, and the installation of works throughout the gallery. As head appraiser, she has worked with many private and corporate clients providing appraisals for insurance, estate, and donation purposes.

Consider becoming a member and help support future Area Artist Annual Exhibitions! To download the membership form on our website at www.butlerart.com, find the donate tab at the top for the drop down menu to the membership page. Or email library@butlerart.com to have a form mailed to you.



Membership

2022

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PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____

STATE / ZIP: _____ / _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: _____

METHOD OF PAYMENT FOR NON-REFUNDABLE \$40.00 ENTRY FEE (BUTLER MEMBER \$20.00)

- Make **CHECK** payable to: The Butler Institute of American Art or BIAA
- Mail to Attn: AAA, The Butler Institute of American Art,
524 Wick Ave., Youngstown, Ohio 44502
- Enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for notification.

16 Digit Credit Card Number

Print Name on Credit Card

Card Holder Signature

Expiration Date

- I confirm that the art I submit is entirely my own work. I understand that any flash drives I submit become the property of the Butler and will not be returned. My signature below constitutes agreement to all terms and rules of entry stated on this form.

(SIGNATURE)

(DATE: MM/DD/YY)

TITLE OF ENTRY #1: _____

MEDIUM: _____

SIZE IN INCHES (HxW): _____

TITLE OF ENTRY #2: _____

MEDIUM: _____

SIZE IN INCHES (HxW): _____

I grant permission to The Butler Institute of America Art to reproduce my art in press releases, invitations, newsletters, publications and on the Butler's website and social media.

(CHECK)

The Butler does not handle sales of artists' work. As a courtesy, the Butler will provide your contact information to interested buyers upon request.

(CHECK)

If you wish to be contacted by an interested buyer check the box.

↓ **FILL OUT AND PRINT CLEARLY** ↓

NOTIFICATION CARD

ARTISTS NAME: _____

TITLE OF ENTRY #1: _____
 ACCEPTED NOT ACCEPTED

TITLE OF ENTRY #2: _____
 ACCEPTED NOT ACCEPTED