

# North Charleston ARTS FESTIVAL

May 4 – 12, 2012

## Youth Art Exhibition

Main Event – May 5 & 6

### TERMS & REGULATIONS

- Open to students grades 1-12 that reside in Charleston, Berkeley or Dorchester County.
- Limited to one entry per student.
- Entries must be original, two-dimensional works.
- No entries made of clay or breakable items.
- Entries for Youth Art will be accepted from individuals or on behalf of students by an authorized representative of their school or home-school.
- Schools with less than 500 students are limited to a maximum of 25 entries and minimum of 10.
- Schools with over 500 students are limited to a maximum of 45 entries and minimum of 10.
- In order to meet the limited number of entries, schools may wish to have an art contest or school judging in order to select student pieces for the exhibition.
- Entry ID forms must be completed and properly attached before delivery.
- Entries must be ready for exhibition. All framed entries and all 1/4" thick entries must have wire for hanging. No glass clip frames or saw tooth hangers. Unframed entries must have paper matting.
- Maximum size including matting and frame:  
Grades 1-8: 16" x 20"    Grades 9-12: 24" x 36"
- No entry fee is required.
- Sponsor reserves the right to reject any entry that does not meet the eligibility requirements or is inappropriate for public exhibition.
- Exhibition facilities have a professional security system and the exhibition is monitored.
- No commission will be charged on sales.
- Sponsor reserves the right to use images of work and exhibition for publicity.
- By submission of entries, the artist accepts all conditions and terms set forth in this prospectus.

### JUDGING GUIDELINES

Awards will be at the sole discretion of the juror.

### JUROR

The City's Artist-in-Residence for 2011/12, Lori Starnes Isom, will select the winning entries.

### AWARDS

All entries will receive a participation ribbon. Award ribbons will be in place by 1:00pm, Saturday, May 5. Winners will also be announced at the Youth Art Reception, Sunday, May 6. Winners will receive Gift Cards equal to the prize amount, award ribbons and festival T-shirt at return of entry.

#### GRADES 1-5

1st Place	\$30
2nd Place	\$20
3rd Place	\$10
Honorable Mention	\$ 5

(1-2 Honorable Mention Awards will go to each school.)

#### GRADES 6-8

1st Place	\$40
2nd Place	\$30
3rd Place	\$20
Honorable Mention	\$10

(1-2 Honorable Mention Awards will go to each school.)

#### GRADES 9-12

1st Place	\$50
2nd Place	\$40
3rd Place	\$30
Honorable Mention	\$15

(1-2 Honorable Mention Awards will go to each school.)

### DELIVERY OF ENTRIES

Wed. and Thurs., May 2, 3    12:00pm - 7:00pm  
Deliver entries to the Exhibit Hall Lobby of the Charleston Area Convention Center (5001 Coliseum Drive, North Charleston, SC 29418). Use the International Blvd. entrance. Directional signs will be posted.

### YOUTH ART RECEPTION

Sun., May 6    4:30 – 5:00pm  
Charleston Area Convention Center Exhibit Hall Lobby  
A reception with refreshments honoring all participants, parents, guests and teachers will be held near the Youth Art Exhibit prior to return of entries.

### ARTS FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

www.northcharleston.org

### MAIN EVENT WEEKEND

May 5 & 6

Free admission and parking to a fabulous array of visual and performing arts activities. Enjoy art, photo and fine craft exhibits, music and dance performances, children's activities, a gem & mineral show, arts & crafts booths, an outdoor food courtyard, and more!

### Youth Art Exhibition Viewing Times:

Sat., May 5    10:00am – 4:00pm  
Sun., May 6    2:00pm – 5:00pm

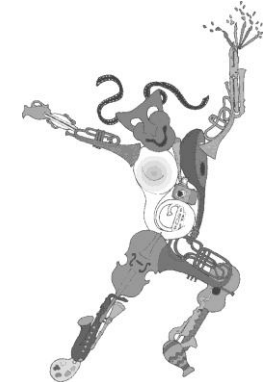
### INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

May 4 - 12

Free and ticketed events take place throughout the Festival Week at various locations around North Charleston. Events include street dances, concerts, art workshops, demonstrations, an art walk, murder mystery dinner theatre, National Outdoor Sculpture Competition & Exhibition, and the Grand Finale at North Charleston Riverfront Park.

### RETURN OF ENTRIES

Sun., May 6    5:00 - 6:00pm  
Charleston Area Convention Center Exhibit Hall Lobby  
Works, awards. And participation ribbons must be signed out by a school representative, parent or guardian. Not responsible for unclaimed entries and no early pick-ups.





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Main Event Sat., May 5 & Sun., May 6

**CALL FOR YOUTH ARTISTS**

Delivery of entries May 2,3,4

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North Charleston Performing Arts Center &  
Charleston Area Convention Center Complex

**ATTENTION YOUNG ARTISTS**

Schools and individual students in Charleston, Dorchester, and Berkeley counties are invited to participate in the annual North Charleston Arts Festival Youth Art Exhibition, which will be on display at the Charleston Area Convention Center Complex during the festival's Main Event, May 5 & 6. Be a part of a fabulous exhibit and competition with awards in three age groups.

The North Charleston Arts Festival is one of the most comprehensive arts festivals in the state, drawing over 30,000 visitors annually to participate in a fabulous, multidiscipline nine-day event. The Main Event Weekend offers free parking & admission to 40+ performances from national, regional, and local professional performers, ethnic and cultural groups, bands, magicians, dancers, theater groups, jugglers, storytellers, and more. Other activities include fine art and photography shows, the SC Palmetto Hands statewide fine craft exhibit, a Gem & Mineral show, activities for kids at Box City and Creation Stations, and outdoor food courtyard. The Festival Week is packed with an array of free and ticketed events including street dances, concerts, children's activities, art workshops, a National Outdoor Sculpture Exhibit, theatre performances, and the Grand Finale.

Visit the City's website to view festival details and updates, including downloadable applications for Judged Art, Photography, SC Palmetto Hands Fine Craft, and National Outdoor Sculpture competitions; Arts & Crafts Booths; and Volunteers.

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The North Charleston Cultural Arts Department is the recipient of the 2000 Elizabeth O'Neill Verner Award for the Arts and receives support from the National Endowment for the Arts, SC Arts Commission, and the corporate community. The North Charleston Arts Festival was named a "Top 20 Event" by the Southeastern Tourism Society.