

North Charleston  
**ARTS FESTIVAL**

May 2 – May 10, 2014

**Judged Art Exhibition**

Charleston Area Convention Center Complex

**TERMS & REGULATIONS**

- Applicant must be age 18 and up.
- Entries must be original, two-dimensional works completed in the last two years that have not been previously submitted to the Judged Art Exhibition. An original artwork is the artist's sole creation and is not, in whole or part, a copy, digital image, or print of any other person's work or photograph. NOTE: 3-D artists can apply for Palmetto Hands or the Outdoor Sculpture Competition and Exhibition.
- Applicant may enter an unlimited number of works in any combination of categories.
- Sponsor reserves the right to change an entry's category if another category is more appropriate.
- Entries must be clearly labeled on back with artist's name and title of work. Title cards will be filled out upon delivery of entries.
- Entries must be ready for exhibition. Maximum width of entries is 48" (including frame). Work must be framed, gallery wrapped, or have finished edges and must be wired for hanging. No glass clip frames, hanging brackets.
- \$10 per entry is due at drop-off. Entry fee is paid by cash, credit card, or check made payable to the City of North Charleston. Non-refundable.
- Sponsor reserves the right to reject any entry that does not meet the terms and regulations or is inappropriate for public exhibition.
- Exhibition facilities have a professional security system and the exhibition is monitored.
- A 15% commission will be charged on all sales resulting from the exhibit. Artists will be notified by phone and mailed documentation.
- Sponsor reserves the right to use images of work and/or exhibition for publicity.
- All works must remain on display throughout the exhibition viewing times. **No early pickups.**
- By submission of entries, the artist accepts all conditions and terms set forth in this prospectus.

**CATEGORIES**

Acrylic, Oil, Drawing/Pastel, Watercolor, Mixed Media

**JUDGING GUIDELINES**

Awards will be at the sole discretion of the juror. If a small number of entries occur in one category, juror may select winners at their own discretion.

**JUROR**

We are pleased to announce the juror for this exhibition is Tiffany Reed Silverman, Director of the Fine Arts program at The Citadel, the Military College of South Carolina. As the first full-time faculty member in the fine arts in the institution's history, Silverman teaches courses in art appreciation and photography and develops all art-related lectures, programs, exhibitions, and community partnerships on campus. She has added new courses in drawing, painting, drama, and film to create the Fine Arts Minor, now the third largest minor at the school. She has curated numerous exhibitions of artwork on campus, highlighting work by regional artists and cadets. Silverman is the former Director of Education and Outreach at the Gibbes Museum of Art and has also served as an Adjunct Professor in Arts Management at the College of Charleston. She holds a BA with Honors in Art History from the College of William & Mary, a master's degree in Art History from Williams College, and is a candidate for an MFA in Photography from the Savannah College of Art and Design.

**AWARDS**

(Totaling up to \$4,425 )

Winners will be announced at the Opening Reception and will also be notified by mail. Winners will also receive award ribbons and festival T-shirt at return of entry.

**Best In Show** \$300

To be selected from all entries.

Limit one placement award per entry.

**1st Place** \$150

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** \$125

**3<sup>rd</sup> Place** \$100

**Honorable Mention up to 15** \$50

To be selected in each of the categories.

Limit one placement award per entry.

**Purchase Awards** Total up to \$1500

To be selected from all entries, including placement awards, by the City's Public Art Collection Purchase Award Committee. Ribbon/s placed on winning entry/entries by 3:00pm Monday, May 5. The purchased artwork will become part of the City of North Charleston Public Art Collection. The City will retain legal rights to the purchased artwork, including reproductive and photographic rights.

**DELIVERY OF ENTRIES**

Wed. & Thurs., April 30 & May 1 12:00pm - 7:00pm

Fri., May 2 9:00am - Noon

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 at Darius Rucker Blvd. Directional signs will be posted.

**OPENING RECEPTION**

Fri., May 2 6:00 pm - 7:00pm

Charleston Area Convention Center Exhibit Hall Lobby  
All participants are invited to bring a guest. Ribbons placed prior to reception. Awards announced at 6:30pm.

**ARTS FESTIVAL SCHEDULE**

NorthCharlestonArtsFest.com

**MAIN EVENT WEEKEND**

May 3 & 4

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!

**Judged Art Exhibition Viewing Times:**

Sat., May 3 10:00am – 4:00pm

Sun., May 4 2:00pm – 5:00pm

**INDIVIDUAL EVENTS**

May 2 – May 10

Free and ticketed events take place throughout the festival at various locations around North Charleston. Events include street dances, concerts, art workshops, demonstrations, art walk, dinner theatre, National Outdoor Sculpture Exhibition, and the Grand Finale.

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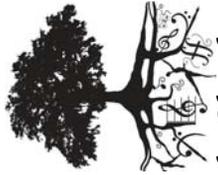
Mon. – Fri., May 5-9 9:00am – 5:00pm

Sat., May 10 9:00am – Noon

**RETURN OF ENTRIES**

Sat., May 10 Noon - 4:00pm

Charleston Area Convention Center Exhibit Hall Lobby  
Present entry receipt for entry pick-up. Participants may allow someone to pick up their entries by using entry receipt. No early pick-ups. Not responsible for unclaimed entries.



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### Call for Artists - Judged Exhibition Opportunity

Delivery of entries April 30, May 1 and 2



RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

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North Charleston Performing Arts Center @  
Charleston Area Convention Center Complex

Fine artists are invited to participate in the annual North Charleston Arts Festival Judged Art Exhibition, which will be on display throughout the Charleston Area Convention Center Complex May 2-10, 2014. Be a part of an incredible exhibition opportunity and competition with cash awards in five categories totaling up to \$4,425.

The North Charleston Arts Festival is one of the most comprehensive arts festivals in the state, drawing over 30,000 residents and visitors from throughout the Southeast to participate in a fabulous, multidiscipline nine-day event. The Main Event weekend at the North Charleston Performing Arts and Charleston Area Convention Center on Sat., May 3, and Sun., May 4, offers free parking and admission to over 40 performances from national, regional, and local professional performers, ethnic and cultural groups, bands, magicians, dancers, theater groups, jugglers, and storytellers. Other activities include fine art and photography shows, the SC Palmetto Hands statewide fine craft exhibit, a gem and mineral show, an antique show, activities for kids at Box City and Creation Stations, art and craft booths, and a food courtyard. The rest of the festival is packed with an array of free and ticketed events including street dances, concerts, children's activities, workshops and demos, a National Outdoor Sculpture Competition and Exhibition, and Grand Finale with fireworks.

Visit our website to view festival details and updates, including downloadable applications for Judged Art, Photography, Youth Art, and SC Palmetto Hands Fine Craft competitions and exhibitions; Art @ Craft and Food Vendors; and Volunteers.

[NorthCharlestonArtsFest.com](http://NorthCharlestonArtsFest.com)

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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.