NEW!! MEMBERS SHOW SILENT AUCTION

Do you have a spare painting laying around, doing nothing?

Consider donating it to MTWS for the new Members Show Silent Auction! Amidst all of the festivities going on during the Members Show and Workshop at Confetti Heart Studio in Billings, we'd like to offer a unique way for everyone attending the Opening Night of the Show to take home a one-of-a-kind souvenir – an original painting from one of our members!

We all have paintings that have been hanging around – consider divesting yourself of one and giving joy to an art lover or fellow artist by donating a painting to us. Your donation can be framed, matted, or unframed and unmatted. Size doesn't matter – the lucky recipient will treasure it always!

All you have to do is go through your artwork, pick one, and get it to us prior to Opening Night on Friday, May 3rd. How do you do that?

First: Email Co-Chair Linda Ham at <u>lindakham@juno.com</u> to let us know that a painting is coming, and please include a photo of your donation. Estimate the value of the painting.

Second: If you are attending the Workshop or coming to the Show, you can bring it with you. We will need it prior to 4:00pm on May 3rd.

Third: How else can you get your artwork to us? If you are not attending the Workshop or the Show, but would still like to donate, let us know in your email. There are a number of ways to get your painting delivered:

If you live in the Billings area, you can deliver it directly to Confetti Heart Studio.

Or you can send it with a friend who is going.

Or we could help connect you with someone who is going.

Or you can mail it to Co-Chair Linda Ham (133 Silverado Trail Rd, Hamilton, MT 59840). In your shipment, please indicate that this is a donation to the Silent Auction.

We hope that your response to this MTWS fundraising idea is overwhelming, and we receive many paintings. We plan to offer 4 paintings at the Members Show Opening, and will hold the rest for future MTWS Silent Auctions.

Thanks in advance!