

MTWS 2023 • All Members-Only Show • Prospectus Instructor: Kiana Fecteau• Lewistown Art Center, Lewistown, Montana Exhibition Dates: May 1, 2023 – May 30, 2023 Entries due between April 17-25, 2023

AWARDS

- 1st place \$150 2nd place \$100 3rd place \$50
- Six Honorable Mention Awards and Three Awards of Merit

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Only MTWS members may enter
- The work must be in watercolor, watercolor pencils, watercolor inks, acrylic, acrylic inks, casein, gouache, egg tempera.
- The following will not be accepted: pastels, class work, digital images, or any form of print or reproduction.
- Submissions must be the artist's original work only. No copies or likenesses of other artists work, including published sources or references not attributable to the artist will be accepted.
- No work previously exhibited with the MTWS Member's Show will be accepted.
- The artwork must have been executed within the last two years.
- All paintings must be for sale.

SIZE REQUIREMENTS

- Artists may submit up to Six (6) artworks for the entry fee of \$15 for one or \$25 for 6 paintings.
 - Please make payment out to MTWS.
- Artworks may be no larger than 6"x 6" unmatted, and no larger than 8"x 8" matted.
- Works are **not to** be framed; we recommend the following:
 - works on stiff watercolor paper with a border.
 - works on paper secured to a front mat (without backing).
 - works on paper secured to a front mat with backing.
 - works are not to exceed the above dimensions.
- We encourage works of variable dimension not to exceed 36 inches on 4 total sides (unmatted), this could include rectangular, circular, or bookmark-shaped submissions.

RULES AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR SUBMITTING YOUR ENTRY

- Commission: The LAC retains 40% on any painting sold, the artist will thus receive 60% of the marked price.
- Entry fee: \$15 for one painting and \$25 for up to six paintings.
- Please enclose two matching labels for each painting submitted, with TITLE, ARTIST NAME, ADDRESS, and PRICE.

SHIPPING AND DELIVERY GUIDELINES

Submissions must arrive at the Lewistown Art Center between April 15-25.

- Please mail submissions to the Lewistown Art Center, PO Box 1018, Lewistown, MT 59457.
- Please include the following with each submission: title, date, dimensions, media, any additional information.
- Please include **return postage** with your submissions. This can look like:
 - Exact postage for the package.
 - A pre-printed USPS, UPS, or fed-ex label.
 - A blank check made out to the Lewistown Art Center (we ship USPS, insured).

CHECKLIST: inside the painting carton, include:

- Pre-addressed UPS PRE-PAID label
- Two matching identification labels for each painting
- One check, made out to MTWS for \$15 or \$25 entry fee

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