



# CALL for ART

## Hull Artists Members Juried Exhibit

May 17th – August 11<sup>th</sup>

Nantasket Beach Resort

### LOCATION

This juried exhibit will be hosted at the newly renovated **Nantasket Beach Resort**. This location is ideal for the summer months because the hotel guests and visitors are expected to be significant now that vaccinations are allowing more people to travel. (The hotel is at 45 Hull Shore Drive, Hull, MA.)

### ELIGIBILITY

- ✓ All members of Hull Artists are eligible to enter. Artists may join or renew online at <https://hullartists.com/join/>
- ✓ All work must be original work and not done as part of a class or workshop with input from an instructor and completed in the past 3 years.
- ✓ Only art that was not included in the **2020** Members Exhibit will be accepted.
- ✓ Only art that can be hung on walls is permitted for this exhibit. Mediums may include drawings, paintings, photographs, mixed media, printmaking, fiber art, or other 2-dimensional pieces.

### ENTRY

- The **deadline** for submitting entries is **midnight, Saturday, May 1st**.
- Entries should be submitted online at **EntryThingy.com**. A helpful video tutorial on registering and submitting an entry is available at [https://www.entrythingy.com/vtour\\_entrants.html](https://www.entrythingy.com/vtour_entrants.html).)
- Register, for free, to create your account.
- Search the “Calls for Entry List” for May and Massachusetts, then scroll to the “**2021 Hull Artists Members Juried Exhibit**.”
- Artists will be required to upload images of their artwork in **jpg/jpeg** format. Your photo’s file size should be between 500kb and 8 MB. Most cellphone photos will meet this requirement.
- Your submitted images should be of your **artwork only** (do **not** include the mat and frame). After uploading your image, you will be asked for the dimensions of the piece without the frame.

### ENTRY FEE AND COMMISSION

- Each artist is limited to 6 entries at **\$10 each** or **3 for \$25**; 4/\$35, 5/\$45, 6/\$50.
- You will be asked to pay to complete your submission.
- Payment is made by PayPal or credit card.
- A commission of 30% will be taken on all sold art.

### PROMOTION and SALES PROCESS

- The show will be promoted on the HA website, social media, email announcements, and articles in local media.
- To purchase a piece a buyer will contact Sandra Weeks who will arrange for the buyer to pay for it at Gallery Nantasket by cash, check, or credit card. HA will then mail a payment check for 70% of the sale price to the artist.

- The buyer will be requested to keep the piece in the show until the conclusion, but if they want it at purchase, that will be accommodated.

#### **ARTWORK PRESENTATION**

- All fine art and photographs must be properly framed (or canvas gallery-wrapped) and wired for hanging (no clip-on frames or sawtooth hooks). Other mediums that are not meant to be framed are acceptable.
- For each piece submitted include a label on the back with your name and phone number along with the title, medium/materials, and price. Labels will be mailed when accepted art is announced.
- HA reserves the right to not accept any art piece deemed unsuitable for presentation.

#### **JURIED SELECTION**

- We are pleased to announce that the jurors for the Exhibit are **Keith Conforti, Nancy Sargent Howell, and Karie O'Donnell**. All three artists are highly respected award-winners in their mediums and together form a very strong group of jurors able to cover the scope of the exhibit's works. They will select the accepted pieces and the awards. Their biographical information is available at their websites.
- Accepted art will be announced on **May 6** by email and posted on the HA website.

#### **AWARDS**

**Best in Show, \$100. 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, \$50. 3<sup>rd</sup> Place, \$25.** Ribbons for Honorable Mentions.

#### **OPENING RECEPTION**

- On **Monday, May 17 at 7:00 PM**, a virtual opening reception will be held on Zoom to announce the award winners and present a slide show of the accepted pieces. The slide show will later be posted on the HA website.

#### **LIABILITY**

- All due care will be used in handling the work submitted, however, HA cannot be held responsible for loss or damage. This includes loss of work from the hotel venue.

#### **KEY DATES**

- **May 1**, deadline for online submissions
- **May 6**, announcement of accepted pieces
- **May 13, 9-10 AM**, drop-off of accepted pieces at the Nantasket Beach Resort hotel (45 Hull Shore Drive, Hull). (For special arrangements contact Sandra Weeks.)
- **May 17, 7:00 PM**, Opening Reception on Zoom
- **August 12, 9-12:00 PM**, Pickup of artwork. Artwork not collected during this time will be available Friday-Sunday at Gallery Nantasket. Artwork that is not picked up by Sunday, August 15<sup>th</sup> will be assessed a fee of \$10 per week.

For questions, visit the Hull Artists website: [www.hullartists.com/MembersExhibit2021](http://www.hullartists.com/MembersExhibit2021) or contact Sandra Weeks ([SandraWeeks55@Gmail.com](mailto:SandraWeeks55@Gmail.com)) or Lara Williams ([LaraWilliamsFineArt@Gmail.com](mailto:LaraWilliamsFineArt@Gmail.com)).