# Wenatchee Valley Museum & Cultural Center

Presents

# North Central Washington Juried Art Show

June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 to September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018

# **ARTIST PROSPECTUS**

Entry Guidelines & Form Artwork Entry Date: Saturday, May 12th, 2018

The 3<sup>rd</sup> NCW Juried Art Show presented by the Wenatchee Valley Museum & Cultural Center and the Wenatchee Arts, Recreation and Parks Commission showcases quality work by regional artists in a museum gallery. The art show opens during the First Friday Artwalk of June on Friday, June 1st from 5 – 8 p.m. This year's event highlights area artists of both two-dimensional and three-dimensional original works of art that will be on display and for sale. The reception will take place at Wenatchee Valley Museum & Cultural Center, 127 South Mission Street, Wenatchee. The opening reception is free and open to the public.

The Juried Fine Art Exhibit will be open to the public regularly beginning Friday June 1st from 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. and continue on display through the first Friday of September. A closing reception with announcement of the People's Choice Award winner (at 6 p.m.) will take place that evening, Friday, September 7th during the Artwalk from 5 - 8 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public.

Art will be returned to the artists no earlier than 10 a.m. on Saturday, September 8th at the Wenatchee Valley Museum, 127 S Mission Street, Wenatchee. Artists or their designated representative must be available to pick up their artwork between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on September 8th to be eligible to enter the show.

The prospectus and entry form is available on our website: www.wvmcc.org. The Juried Art Show is presented by the Wenatchee Valley Museum & Cultural Center and the Wenatchee Arts, Recreation and Parks Commission. We gratefully acknowledge the support of our volunteers and sponsors who generously support the Artist's Awards.

### **EXHIBIT COMMITTEE CHAIRS**

Kasey Koski, Marriah Thornock - Wenatchee Valley Museum & Cultural Center

#### **ART SHOW JURORS**

**ABOUT JUROR 1: Joe Feddersen**, Joe Feddersen first studied printmaking at Wenatchee Community College under the direction of printmaker Robert Graves, and then later studied with influential artists Glen Alps and Michael Spafford at the University of Washington, where he received his B.F.A. in 1983. He went on to receive an M.F.A. at the University of Wisconsin, Madison in 1989, and studied with Dean Meeker and Truman Lowe. Since that time has taught art at The Evergreen State College in Olympia. Feddersen has been honored with an Eiteljorg Fellowship for Native American Fine Art (2001) and exhibited his work at the Smithsonian's National Museum of the American Indian as part of the Continuum Series, in New York City in summer 2003. A new recently released monogram, *Joe Feddersen: Vital Signs*, is a new addition to the Jacob Lawrence Series of books by University of Washington Press.

Feddersen has worked in glass, painting, public art, photography, and computer-generated imagery, but he is best known as a printmaker. As a member of the Colville Confederated Tribes located in north central Washington State, Feddersen associates his work with the geometric patterns derived from his Plateau ancestry. He infuses his work with designs that abstractly evoke the symbols of contemporary urban life. **ABOUT JUROR 2: Isabella Valencia,** Isabella Valencia is an arts activist and gallery owner from Everett, WA. Her gallery touts the tag line "where the art doesn't suck". Black Lab Gallery features a range of art and artists in all mediums. The art represented embraces a sense of whimsy and lightheartedness and appeals to a wide range of people. Isabella's Black Lab Gallery is also a participant and major supporter of the Everett Art Walk which takes place each third Thursday of the month. A winner of the 25<sup>th</sup> City of Everett Mayor's Arts Award as a catalyst for emerging artists, Isabella was recognized for her efforts for mentoring and encouraging young artists. Isabella and Black Lab Gallery have also been leading the charge on a historic renovation in the heart of downtown Everett. The Rockefeller Hotel will soon be reopened as studio space for artist and musicians.

# The NCW Juried Art Show is a showcase of regional artists' work that will be on display from June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018 – September 7<sup>th,</sup> 2018.

### ELIGIBILITY

All art submitted must be original, for sale, and not more than two years old. All work must be finished and ready to hang safely by wire. No clip frames or saw tooth hangers. Paintings and frames must be completely dry. Artists must reside in Chelan. Douglas, Grant, Okanogan or Ferry Counties. Maximum of three works total per person. The art exhibition does not conform to a theme; any original two-dimensional artwork or three-dimensional work suitable for public viewing is eligible for display. **The drop off and pick up dates for art are strictly enforced**. You may arrange for others to drop off or pick up with the claim check. If you are unable to meet the requirements for dropping off or picking up artwork per the schedule, you are not eligible to enter the exhibition.

### NOTIFICATION

Results of the jury will be emailed to the address given at registration by Tuesday, May 22nd. E-mail <u>kkoski@wvmcc.org</u> or call (509) 888-6240 if not received by May 22.

#### AWARDS

Cash prizes will be awarded to the artists of the pieces that are selected by our judges to be the top three pieces at the NCW Juried Art Show. Other awards include People's Choice and Honorable Mention. Prize totals will be determined after all exhibit sponsorships have been received.

#### FEES

First Entry, \$10. \$5 per entry thereafter – up to 4 entries total per person. A 30% commission will be charged on all work sold. Payment for art works will be made to Wenatchee Valley Museum & Cultural Center. Artists will be paid (minus the commission) within 30 days provided that any required paperwork is completed.

#### REGISTRATION

Work must be dropped off on Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup>, between 10:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. at the Wenatchee Valley Museum, 127 South Mission Street, Wenatchee, Washington. Each work must be accompanied by a completed registration slip. Artists will be notified before the show opens by email regarding the status of their work. Not all pieces will be accepted for display and judging.

#### **SHOW HOURS**

The show will open during the First Friday Artwalk on Friday, June 1st, 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. The art will also be on display and available for purchase during museum regular hours until September

#### **ART PICK-UP**

All work must be picked up on Saturday, September 8th between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. only. No other arrangements (e.g. earlier pick-ups) will be made under any circumstances. The artist, or his/her designee may pick up the artwork by

using the claim check or (if a designee) a note signed by the artist. Please note that the Juried Art Show does not have artwork storage facilities and all artwork left will be considered abandoned property.

Artists may use the designated loading area which will be marked in front of the museum or enter from the loading dock / parking lot entrance. The two entrances are reserved for active loading and unloading and should not be used to park.

#### **ART SUBMISSION GUIDELINES**

Both two- and three- dimensional art will be accepted. Maximum artwork dimensions are 48" H x 48" W x 4" D. Paintings, prints, drawings, ceramic, glass, metalwork, mixed media are examples of fine art accepted. Photography and digital art may also be entered although those pieces will not exceed 10% of the total pieces shown in the exhibit. New work is encouraged but not required; pieces made within the last two years (2016-2017) will be accepted.

### INSTRUCTIONS

Fill out all forms accurately and completely prior to registration. **Please print!** Attach labels to upper right rear of artwork. At registration, present your entry forms and artwork at the registration table. The non-refundable fee (\$10 for 1 piece; \$5 per additional piece) must accompany each entry with a limit of 3 entries per artist: Make checks payable to Wenatchee Valley Museum & Cultural Center. **Please retain your claim form and bring when picking up art on Saturday, September 8th between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m.** 

Additional copies of the prospectus and forms can be found at www.wenatcheevalleymuseum.org

#### **RELEASE OF PERSONAL LIABILITY & ART SHOW AGREEMENT**

(Please read, complete, sign and submit with entries. Entries cannot be accepted without this signed release.)

All artists agree to comply with all rules of the Juried Art Show as presented in this prospectus. All artwork must remain on display from June 1, 2018– September 7, 2018. WAC and WVMCC reserve the right to photograph and use images of all submitted artwork for promotional and educational purposes. Your work will be treated with care and respect at all times; however, Wenatchee Arts Commission and Wenatchee Valley Museum are not responsible for damage to or loss of the property of artists at any time before, during and after the show. Artists agree to a 30% commission on all artworks sold during the show. Artwork not picked up by the published date is considered abandoned property. The Juried Art Show Committee reserves the right to exclude any work of art from the exhibits for any reason whatsoever, at their sole discretion.

I understand that my signature below indicates I have read and agree to all guidelines as outlined herein.

DATE	PRINTED NAME
	SIGNATURE

#### CLAIM CHECK

Applicant: Fill out your name and contact information. Staff will add the registration number(s) for each piece entered. Keep this claim check and bring it with you when picking up your art on Saturday, September 8th between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. This is the only time artwork can be picked up by the artist or authorized designee.

<u>No early pickups.</u>		Registration # (staff use only)
Artist Name		
Address		
City	Zip	
Phone		
Email		
Pickup Authorization (Name)		Phone

#### **IMPORTANT DATES and TIMES**

Saturday, May 12	10:00 - 2:30	Artwork Drop-off
Friday, June 1	5:00 – 8:00 p.m.	Opening Reception & Awards Announced

Friday, September 7	5:00 - 8:00	First Friday Closing Reception / People's Choice Award Announced
May 2 – September 7	10:00 - 4:00	Open regular museum hours Tuesdays-Saturdays
Saturday, September 8	10:00 - 2:00	Artwork Pick-up (no exceptions!)

## NCW JURIED ART SHOW

Complete one form and one label for each artwork submitted

## **REGISTRATION FORMS**

## ARTWORK LABELS

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