



Sweet Pea Festival 2009

Juried and Open Art Shows



www.sweetpeafestival.org

Awards



* Only pieces selected for the Juried Show are considered for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and Honorable Mention awards.

Location & Schedule

The Bozeman Public Library is the featured venue for the Sweet Pea Festival's Juried and Open Art Shows. Both shows will be displayed in the Library's Atrium Gallery between Thursday, August 6th and Wednesday, August 26th. All artwork may be viewed during the Library's normal business hours, which are Monday - Thursday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., and Friday - Saturday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. All artists and the public are invited to the shows' opening reception on Thursday, August 6th between 6 and 8 p.m. in the Library's Large Community Room.

Eligibility

The Juried & Open Art Shows are open to all artists. However, artists may only enter one piece of work. **In an effort to allow greater participation in the shows, hanging artwork shall not exceed the size of 3 feet x 4 feet (36 inches x 48 inches).** Only original artwork designed and executed within the last two years, and not previously shown in past juried shows, is eligible for the Juried Show participation. The Open Show is a non-juried and non-competitive exhibition. Artwork in any media is acceptable, but acceptance is also conditional upon examination for extreme fragility or size. **Please keep in mind that artwork will be located in an area heavily frequented by the public.** Artwork also must be finished and ready for professional hanging. If artwork requires special handling, it must be accompanied by the artist's written instructions. All artwork must remain on display for the duration of the exhibition.

Delivery & Deadlines

Hand Delivered: Artwork must be hand delivered to the Bozeman Public Library, 626 East Main Street, Bozeman, on Friday, July 31st between 12 and 5 p.m. Application form and entry fee will be collected at that time, as well as the optional artist statement. If the artist is unable to hand deliver on July 31st, the work must be shipped, or special arrangements must be made with the Art Show Chair.

Shipped: Artwork being shipped must be sent prepaid in appropriate reusable containers to the Sweet Pea Office, Attn: Art Show, PO Box 1015, Bozeman, MT 59771. All shipped pieces must arrive no later than Wednesday, July 29th. Application form and entry fee must be included. Artist statements are optional, but encouraged. Shipped artwork not accompanied with return postage will be disposed of at the discretion of the Art Show Chair.

Entry Fee
\$20 non-refundable
Please make checks payable to:
Sweet Pea Festival



Notification of Acceptance

Notice of acceptance into the Juried Show will be mailed to all artists on Monday, August 3rd. Artists that list an email address will also be contacted by email. **All accepted artwork must be on display for the duration of the exhibition.** In the event a piece is not accepted for the Juried Show, the artist may have it automatically transferred to the Open Show by checking the appropriate box on the entry form.

Sales

Sales are encouraged upon the artist's request. Sweet Pea will handle transactions, retain a 30% commission on all works sold, and disperse the remainder to the artist by check. Artwork is not available to the purchaser until the end of the exhibit.

Artist Statements

Artists are encouraged to include a brief statement with their entry. Describe the materials, techniques and processes used, and the mission and motivation inherent in your work. All submitted statements will be published in pamphlets available to the public visiting the exhibit. Statements must be created in Microsoft Word and be no more than 300 words. Submit statements by email to artshow@sweetpeafestival.org, or turn in on a CD-Rom disk with entry, no later than Friday, July 31st.

Jewelry

Watercolor

Acrylics

Photography

Sculpture

Oils

Ceramics

Insurance

Artwork is insured (\$5,000 maximum per piece) by the Sweet Pea Festival for the duration of the show, but will not be insured before or after the exhibition. Neither Sweet Pea nor the Bozeman Public Library are responsible for work during transit or for work not picked up by specified dates and time allotments.

Return of Work

Unaccepted artwork for the Juried Show, not transferred to the Open Show, must be picked up at the Bozeman Public Library on Thursday, August 6th between 12 and 5 p.m.

Accepted Juried Show & Open Show entries must be picked up at the Bozeman Public Library on Thursday, August 27th between 12 and 5 p.m.

Shipped artwork will be returned prepaid by the artist at the close of the exhibition. Failure to include return postage may result in the loss of your work. Please specify carrier and shipping instructions. If new crates are required for shipping, the artist will be charged for repackaging.

Work not picked up or claimed by Thursday, August 27th will be stored at the Sweet Pea Office and assessed a \$5.00 per/day charge in storage fees to be paid by the artist to the Sweet Pea Festival. Work not claimed by Friday, September 25th will be disposed of at the discretion of the Sweet Pea Art Show Committee.

**Sweet Pea does not claim any responsibility for artwork not picked up by the specified times.*

Questions?

artshow@sweetpeafestival.org

Allyson Bristol
Art Show
Chair
579-5525

Sweet Pea
Office
586-4003

For a digital copy of the
Art Show application go to:

www.sweetpeafestival.org

Entry Form - please enclose a \$20 check payable to Sweet Pea Festival

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Email: _____

Phone: Day _____ Evening: _____

Title: _____

Medium: _____ Date Completed: _____

Price (if for sale): _____ Insurance Value (if not for sale): _____

Release

I have read and agree to all the specified terms set forth by the Sweet Pea Festival. I affirm that submitted artwork is original and produced solely by myself, the applicant. I further release the Sweet Pea Festival and all of its duly appointed representatives of all liability and responsibility for any injury, damage or loss sustained by works of art before or after the Sweet Pea Festival. I understand that the Sweet Pea Festival reserves the right to remove any works that do not meet the standards set forth. In consideration of the Sweet Pea Festival's acceptance of my application, I agree to accept all decisions of the Juror as final.

Select One:

- Open Show only.
- Yes, I would like my work moved to the Open Show if not selected for the Juried Show.
- No, I do not want my work moved into the Open Show.

Artist Signature _____ Date _____

Entry #

Attach to BACK of entry

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____ Email: _____

Phone: Day _____ Evening _____

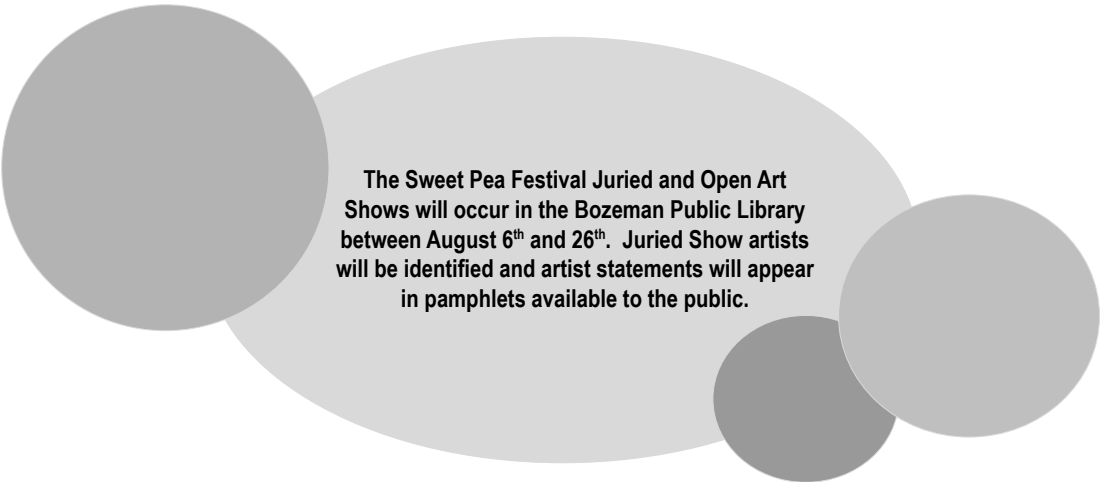
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