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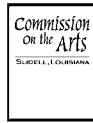
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IMPORTANT DATES

OCTOBER 13 & 14, 2008

Art Delivery Days. Please bring your completed entry form and art work to Slidell Cultural Center personnel at Olde Towne Art Center (300 Robert St. in Olde Towne Slidell) on Monday, Oct. 13 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. or Tuesday, Oct. 14, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

OCTOBER 16, 2008

Art Notification. All artists will be notified of acceptance no later than 2 p.m. on Oct. 16. Work not accepted in the show should be picked up by 5 p.m. on Oct. 17.

OCTOBER 17, 2008

Opening Reception & Awards.

7 to 9 p.m. at the gallery. Awards will be presented at 7:30 p.m.

OCTOBER 18, 2008

Exhibit Opens. Free admission. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

NOVEMBER 21, 2008

Exhibit Closes.

NOVEMBER 24 & 25, 2008

Art Pick Up Days. Art work must be picked up on Monday, Nov. 24, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. or on Tuesday, Nov. 25, from 2 to 6 p.m. *Art work left past this deadline will become the property of the City of Slidell.* Artists unable to pick up their work on these dates should call (985) 646-4375 before Nov. 20 to make other arrangements.

THE CITY OF SLIDELL PRESENTS

Out of Our Element

juried exhibition

GEORGE DUNBAR

Juror

OCTOBER 17 - NOVEMBER 21, 2008

OPENING RECEPTION:

Friday, October 17, 7 to 9 p.m.

SLIDELL CULTURAL CENTER

in the Olde Towne Art Center
300 Robert Street in Olde Towne Slidell

GALLERY HOURS:

Tuesday - Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Saturday, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

(985) 646-4375

www.slidell.la.us

CALL FOR ENTRIES

The City of Slidell's Department of Cultural & Public Affairs and the Slidell Cultural Center are proud to present *Out of Our Element*, a new art exhibition jurored by George Dunbar and hosted by Olde Towne Art Center. This diverse exhibit will challenge artists to step out of their creative comfort zones and create new work in media that they have not previously utilized.

JUROR

The juror for Out of Our Element is renowned artist George Dunbar. Mr. Dunbar is an accomplished visual artist who has exhibited his work around the world. He has been an integral part of the New Orleans art scene for the past five decades and he lives, works and creates art right here in Slidell. For more information, please visit www.georgedunbar.com.

AWARDS

Artists will receive recognition for first, second and third place. Honorable mention(s) will be awarded at the juror's discretion. Awards will be presented at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 17, during the opening reception.

DELIVERY & ENTRY

Entry must be the original work of the artist only and must have been created within the past year. No more than three entries per artist will be accepted. Please bring your completed entry form and art work to the Slidell Cultural Center staff at Olde Towne Art Center, located at 300 Robert Street in Olde Towne Slidell, on Monday, Oct. 13 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. or Tuesday, Oct. 14, from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. No late entries will be accepted. Entry form must include value of each piece for insurance purposes. Work need not be for sale. All entries must be available to display in the exhibit for the full duration of this show. No accepted artwork may be removed from the exhibit before the close of the show. The Commission on the Arts reserves the right to choose not to display artwork presented for this exhibition. There is no entry fee for this exhibit. This is a juried exhibit. As such, not all works entered will be selected for exhibition.

SIZE & HANGING REQUIREMENTS

All hanging artwork must not exceed a total weight of 50 pounds. Two-dimensional art work must be prepared for hanging with a secured wire hanger. All work must be submitted dry, finished and ready to show. Three-dimensional work must be delivered ready to exhibit. Additionally, the maximum size for art work is 60" wide

by 60" high, including mat and frame. Freestanding artwork must not exceed 6' high or 36" wide. Each work must be labeled with the artist's name, telephone number and address displayed on the back of each piece.

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all artists 18 years or older. Work must be original, completed within the past year and not previously exhibited with Slidell Cultural Affairs. Work must be created primarily by one or more media not previously utilized by the artists.

LIABILITY

Utmost care will be exercised in the handling of entries. However, the City of Slidell will assume responsibility for damage or loss of accepted entries only for the period of time in which each piece of art is in the facility, between 8 a.m., Oct. 13, 2008 through 6 p.m., on the scheduled pick up date. The City of Slidell will not assume responsibility for works in transit; unaccepted entries not picked up by 5 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 16; or for accepted works not picked up by 6 p.m., Nov. 25, 2008.

PICKUP REQUIREMENTS

Due to space limitations, we are unable to store any shipping materials or art work not accepted into the show.

Upon closing of the exhibit, art work must be picked up from Olde Towne Art Center on Monday, Nov. 24, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. or on Tuesday, Nov. 25, from 2 to 6 p.m. Work left past this deadline will become the property of the City of Slidell unless other arrangements have been made with the city. If you are unable to pickup work on these dates, please call (985) 646-4375 before Nov. 20 to discuss.

By entering your art work in this exhibit, you are agreeing to allow the City of Slidell to photograph your work for promotional materials, without further compensation. Entry in this exhibit establishes an agreement on the part of the artist to all of these conditions. You are also certifying that you understand the rules of entry and have submitted work that primarily uses media that you have not previously utilized.

QUESTIONS?

For more information, call the City of Slidell's Dept. of Cultural & Public Affairs at (985) 646-4375 or visit www.slidell.la.us or blog.nola.com/slidell.

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ENTRY FORM

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-mail _____

Daytime phone (_____) _____

Media I traditionally use _____

1. Title _____

Media _____

Size _____ Value _____ For Sale Not For Sale

2. Title _____

Media _____

Size _____ Value _____ For Sale Not For Sale

3. Title _____

Media _____

Size _____ Value _____ For Sale Not For Sale

Please complete ALL items. Value is used to determine insurance values. Work need not be for sale.

I agree to allow the City of Slidell to photograph my submitted art work for use in promotional materials.

I certify that art submitted is my original work created primarily with media I have not previously utilized.

I understand the rules and restrictions and attest that all information submitted is correct.

(Artist signature)