



City of Moorpark

Parks, Recreation & Community Services Department

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CALL FOR ENTRIES

MOORPARK ARTS FESTIVAL – APRIL 26, 2009

MOORPARK CIVIC CENTER

The Moorpark Arts Festival is an annual one-day event celebrating creativity. This year's Festival will be held Sunday, April 26 at the Moorpark Civic Center, Moorpark Library, High Street Arts Center and several businesses along High Street. The event will run from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. There is an entry fee of \$20.00 to submit work. All work must be of the artist's origination and must be no more than three years old. Artists with accepted work for show are strongly encouraged to be present at the exhibit.

Sales will be allowed at the 2009 event. If artwork is available for sale, sale price must be included at the time of entry; no sales commission will be taken and each artist is responsible for reporting all sales tax. A single \$20.00 application fee covers all entries from an individual artist. Checks may be made payable to: City of Moorpark.

Please read the following criteria carefully regarding the category of art in which you wish to submit work; artists may submit work in more than one category, but the total number of pieces submitted in all categories combined cannot exceed four (4) in number.

Criteria – Drawing and Painting Exhibit:

All two-dimensional work submitted must be framed or, if on canvas, stretched with means to secure the work. Framed work must be wired and ready to hang (no saw tooth hangers or clips; wire for hanging must be firmly attached to the back). Maximum overall size for two-dimensional work: 28" x 36". **Up to two pieces of artwork may be submitted.**

Criteria – Photography Exhibit:

All two-dimensional work submitted must be framed or, if on canvas, stretched with means to secure the work. Framed work must be wired and ready to hang (no saw tooth hangers or clips; wire for hanging must be firmly attached to the back). Maximum overall size for two-dimensional work: 28" x 36". **Up to two pieces of artwork may be submitted.**

Criteria – Sculpture Exhibit:

Artist must provide pedestal for any sculpture which requires one in order to be exhibited. If a pedestal is provided, be sure to label pedestal with your name and the name of the artwork it is to support. For any accept art pieces over 40 lbs, the artist is responsible for moving and setting up the piece on the Friday before the event. **Up to three pieces of artwork may be submitted.**

Criteria – Ceramics Exhibit:

All work submitted must be freestanding; there will be no wall space to hang work. If a stand is submitted with the piece, be sure to label the stand with your name and the name of the artwork it is to hold. Commercial slip cast molds may not be used. ***Up to three pieces of artwork may be submitted.***

Criteria – Gourd Exhibit:

All work submitted must be freestanding; wall space to hang work cannot be guaranteed. If a stand is submitted with the piece, be sure to label the stand with your name and the name of the artwork it is to hold. ***Up to four pieces of artwork may be submitted.***

Criteria – Mixed Media/Other:

For artwork not falling within the above criteria, all two-dimensional work submitted must be framed or wired and ready to hang (no saw tooth hangers or clips; wire for hanging must be firmly attached to the back). For freestanding work, if a stand is submitted with the piece, be sure to label the stand with your name and the name of the artwork it is to hold. Maximum overall size for two-dimensional work: 28" x 36". ***Up to two pieces of artwork may be submitted.***

Work should be brought to:

Moorpark Active Adult Center
799 Moorpark Avenue
Moorpark, CA

Drop Off Dates and Times:

Monday, April 20 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Tuesday, April 21 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Pick-Up of Unselected Work:

Thursday, April 23 9 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Friday, April 24 8 – 3:30 p.m.

Pick-Up of Selected Work:

Sunday, April 26 4 – 5 p.m.
Monday, April 27 9 – 4 p.m.

If you require additional information about submitting artwork for the Arts Festival, contact Peggy Rothschild at 805-517-6260.