

Abstract/Surreal

exhibit dates July 28—Aug. 30, 2011



Alternative Abstract

or Surreal Art is a juried competition organized by Gallery Main Street and the Downtown Tyler Arts Coalition (DTAC). The scope of this competition will be 2D and 3D original art representing the artist's interpretation of the theme.

POSTMARKED ENTRY DEADLINE

Tuesday, June 28, 2011

NOTIFICATIONS MAILED

Tuesday, July 5, 2011

DROP OFF OF WORKS

Tuesday, July 26, 2011
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

TAKE DOWN

Tuesday, Aug. 31, 2011
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.

OPENING RECEPTION

Thursday, July 28, 2011
4:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Gallery Main Street
110 West Erwin
Tyler, Texas 75702
(903) 593-6905

Submission Details

Description: Each exhibit is a juried competition organized by Gallery Main Street and the Downtown Tyler Arts Coalition. Exhibitions will primarily showcase the work of artists from the East Texas area. The scope of the exhibit will be two- or three-dimensional original art representing the artist's interpretation of the show theme.

Awards: Monetary awards for selected works will be presented at the opening reception. At the end of the exhibition schedule, all award winners will be eligible for a "Best In Show" exhibit as judged by our Fine Arts Jury. Other awards may be presented for exhibitions during local festivals or special events.

Sales: Gallery Main Street will retain a 20% commission on all sales. Please price your work accordingly. Purchaser will be responsible for picking up artwork or for shipping costs.

Eligibility: This exhibition is open to all artists 18 years of age or older. This is a juried exhibition fitting the theme as stated on the exhibition calendar and as interpreted by the artist. Only original art will be accepted (no giclees or reproductions). 2D works are to be ready-to-hang and shall not exceed 84" in any one direction, including frame width. Exposed canvas edges are to be finished. 3D sculptural works are not to exceed 72" in any one direction, must fit through a typical three-foot-wide doorway and be light enough for one person to handle. If special pedestals are needed to complete the piece, please send images displaying the work and pedestal and the size of the pedestal in addition to the images of art for the Jury. Source material must be your own design or your own photograph.

Work taken from published images will not be accepted.

Framing: Works must be ready to hang. Framing must be light enough for one person to handle and must be sturdy enough to support the weight of the work. Improperly framed or damaged works will not be accepted or hung. All hanging works require wire-hanging hardware.

Liability: Gallery Main Street will insure all works in the period between delivery and pick-up. All reasonable care will be taken in the handling of the entries. All works are insured subject to the limitations, terms and specifications of our fine art insurance policy, and all liability will be isolated to our insurance policy.

Entry Fees and Procedure: A non-refundable entry fee of \$20 qualifies an artist to submit up to three entries. No late entries will be accepted and postage due entries will be refused. Send one compact disk with up to three jpeg images to be judged, images will be retained by the gallery. Gallery Main Street and DTAC reserve the right to reproduce accepted works for promotional materials. The digital file must be in jpeg format with a saved size of no less than 1 MB and no more than 3 MB resolution (many drug stores and photo labs do this). Enclose a #10 stamped, self-addressed envelope for return of notification. Checks for entry fees are to be made payable to Tyler Main Street and mailed to: 110 W. Erwin, Tyler, TX 75702. Gallery Main Street and Jury panel reserve the right to refuse exhibition of work it deems inappropriate for display in a public space. Any work not meeting exhibition standards or not reflecting the digital image entered may be rejected by the jury panel at time of installation.



Perfect Bloom

exhibit dates Sept. 8—Oct. 18, 2011



GALLERY MAIN STREET

Gallery Main Street is a project of the City of Tyler's Main Street Department and Heart

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- Non-refundable entry fee of \$20 qualifies an artist to submit up to three entries.
- Check payable to Tyler Main Street.
- One compact disk with up to three jpeg images to be judged. CD will be retained by the gallery.
- One Self-Addressed Stamped Envelope.



Submission Address:

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Acceptance, Delivery and Return:

All accepted work is to be hand-delivered to the gallery at the calendar take-in date and time. No works will be accepted by shipping. Artists are required to provide an Art Exhibition and Loan Agreement at the time of delivery (agreements are mailed with acceptance letters and available at gallery). A copy of the signed Art Exhibition and Loan Agreement will be the receipt for all accepted works.

Works may not be removed from the exhibit until the end of the show. Artists must pick up work at the designated calendar take-down date. A \$10 per day fine will be imposed on all work not picked up on the take-down date. If work is not claimed within two weeks of that date, it will become the property of Gallery Main Street. Gallery will not store covering/boxes for exhibited artwork.

ENTRY #1

Title of Work _____

Medium _____

Size (with frame if applicable) _____

Price _____ Declared Value _____

ENTRY #2

Title of Work _____

Medium _____

Size (with frame if applicable) _____

Price _____ Declared Value _____

ENTRY #3

Title of Work _____

Medium _____

Size (with frame if applicable) _____

Price _____ Declared Value _____

PLEASE
FILL ALL
BLANKS

PRINT
CLEARLY

(to be returned with submission)

Entry Form

ARTISTS DATA CARD

Name for Credit of Work _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

Artists Signature _____