

MCAC/Medina Hardware Store Window Art Gallery Submission Guidelines

Thank you for your interest in submitting your artwork to the Medina Hardware Store Window Art Gallery on Court Street in Medina. We appreciate your contribution to our local art community. To ensure a smooth submission process and a successful display of your artwork, please adhere to the following guidelines:

1. Submission Deadline:

Submission deadlines are firm. Please make sure to submit your artwork by the specified date for each exhibition theme. Submission deadlines for upcoming exhibitions will be posted on our website and announced through our social media channels and are listed below.

2. Artwork Eligibility:

- We welcome various forms of artwork, including paintings, photography, sculptures, and other visual art forms.
- Artworks must be original creations and should not infringe upon any copyrights.
- Artworks should be suitable for public display and adhere to community standards.

3. Themes and Selection:

- Artworks will be selected by the Medina County Arts Council board to best support the monthly theme of the exhibition.
- Artists are encouraged to visit our website or contact us for information on upcoming exhibition themes.

4. Submission Process:

- Artists must use the provided online submission link to submit their work.
- Please provide high-quality images or documentation of your artwork, along with a brief artist statement or description.
- Make sure all submission details, including your contact information, are accurate.

5. Display Duration:

- Artworks will be displayed in the Medina Hardware Store Window Art Gallery for one month.
- Artists are responsible for delivering and picking up their artwork on the specified dates.
- Specific dates for artwork drop-off and pick-up are listed below.

6. Space Limitation:

- Please be aware that space is limited, and not all submitted artworks may be selected for display.
- The Arts Council board will make the final selection based on artistic merit and relevance to the theme.

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7. Care and Liability:

- While we take every precaution to ensure the safety of displayed artworks, artists are responsible for any necessary insurance coverage.
- The Arts Council and Medina Hardware Store will not be held responsible for any damage or loss of artwork during the exhibition.

8. Promotion:

- Selected artists will be credited and promoted in the Gallery and through our social media, website, and local media outlets.
- We encourage artists to actively promote their participation in the exhibition to their own networks.

9. Contact Information:

- Medina County Arts Council – MedinaCoArtCouncil@gmail.com
- Website – www.MedinaCountyArtsCouncil.org

Thank you for considering the Medina Hardware Store Window Art Gallery as a platform to showcase your artwork. We look forward to receiving your submissions and supporting the vibrant art community in Medina.

Submission Deadline:

Applications are due by the 10th of the each month. Submission approval will be by the 20th of the month, and artwork will need to be delivered for display by the following dates.

November 12 for current display – Hometown Holidays

December 28, 223 – For January display – Chillscapes

January 27, 2024 – For February – For the Love of Art

February 26, 2024 – for March – Harmonious Expressions

March 27, 2024 - for April The Art of Motion

April 27, 2024 – for May – Women in Art: Past and Present

May 29, 2024 – for June – Nature and Art

June 27, 2024 – for July – Stars and Stripes Forever

July 27, 2024 – for August – Pallets and Pastures: Celebration of Farming and Fairs

August 28, 2024 – for September – History of Medina County

September 28, 2024 - for October – Cultural Expressions: Art Around the World.

Work will be available for pick up during the first 5 Days of the month following the exhibit.

Work can be delivered to and picked up from:

Medina Centre for Dance Art, 129 North Court Street, Medina, Ohio 44256

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Medina County Arts Council
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I hereby submit my artwork for display in the Medina Hardware Store Window Art Gallery, organized by the Medina County Arts Council. In consideration of the opportunity to display my artwork in the gallery, I, the undersigned artist, agree to release and discharge the Medina County Arts Council, its board members, volunteers, and the Stephenson Family (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Released Parties") from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions, or causes of action, which may arise from or be related to the display of my artwork in the Medina Hardware Store Window Art Gallery.

I understand and acknowledge that while every reasonable effort will be made to ensure the safety and security of my artwork during its display in the gallery, accidents, damage, theft, or loss may occur. By submitting my artwork for display, I assume all risk and responsibility for my artwork and hereby release the Released Parties from any liability for such occurrences.

I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties from any claims, liabilities, costs, or expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, arising out of or in connection with any third-party claims related to my artwork's display in the gallery.

I certify that I am the legal owner of the submitted artwork and have the authority to enter into this release of liability. I understand that this release shall be binding upon me and my heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns.

This release of liability is governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the state of Ohio, and any legal action or proceeding related to this release shall be brought exclusively in the state or federal courts located within the state of Ohio.

By submitting my artwork to the Medina Hardware Store Window Art Gallery, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the terms of this release of liability, and I voluntarily agree to its provisions.

Digital Signature: By entering my name below I acknowledge and agree to the statement above.

Artist Signature

Date