

ARTIST APPLICATION FORM
CREATIVE COLOR EXPRESSIONS ART SHOW
September 21, 2013 10am-4pm
Location: Welcome House Community Center
27200 Lorain Rd., North Olmsted, Ohio 44070
(Dover & Lorain Rd-by Giant Eagle)

Drop off artwork: September 20, 2013 3pm-6pm ALL ARTWORK MUST BE TAGGED AND PRICED

Day of show: September 21, 2013 10am-4pm

Pick up of unsold items: September 21, 2013 –DAY OF SHOW- 4:15PM-6PM (NO LATER) **

The facility is used during the week for other activities

Please, Original Artist present photo ID at drop off and pick-up times & initial inventory sheet.

Artwork must be in good taste and mindful of the show's intent and community's standards. Profanity, obscenity, or objectionable material will be removed.

General Information

Creative Color Expressions Art Show is an integrated art show displaying artwork from semi-professional & professional Community Artists and Welcome House Artists. Welcome House, People In Action, self- advocacy group, will host the event. Welcome House Inc. is a nonprofit agency providing homes and services for adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities in Cuyahoga County.

People In Action (PIA) is a self- advocacy group for people with disabilities. The group meets for knowledgeable discussion of disability rights and laws to enhance the quality of their lives. They are proactive in the community by asserting their rights as citizens of the United States, and volunteering in community events. A portion of the proceeds from the art show will go to fund projects that PIA participates in year round and help members to attend the annual self-advocacy conference in Washington, D.C.

Classic to gallery art shows, light food, drink and music will be incorporated into the art show to create a pleasing ambience for those attending. The fun and friendliness of this art show is a public decree of our philosophy that art is for everyone!

APPLICATION FEE: \$25.00 non-refundable for up to two artworks. A third piece is an additional \$10.00. Only a total of three pieces may be entered. First 100 applicants accepted due to limited space. If your application fee arrives after the first 100 applicants, then your check and information will be sent back to you with an official thank you letter.

Cancellations & Refunds All cancellations must be made in writing. An application is a commitment to participate. No refunds will be given within 30 days of the show (AUGUST 20, 2013). A 50% refund will be given prior to that date. A phone call to Margie Ridenour 440-356-2330 ext 241 is required if you email a cancellation. Email cancellation address: mridenour@welcomehouseinc.org

SALES AND COMMISSIONS: The only commission will be People In Action's proceeds of 20% (Artist receives 80% for sold artwork). Artists are responsible for state of Ohio taxes. Please factor commission and sales tax into your selling price. Artist will receive checks for sold artwork within two weeks after the art show.

ORIGINAL WORK ONLY- NO REPRODUCTIONS

Artwork size Limitations: Hanging art no larger than _____.

Other classification (sculptures-wood etc.) no larger than _____.

DESCRIPTION OF ARTWORK ACCEPTED

Clay - Art objects, either functional or decorative of earthenware, porcelain, or tile, made by shaping and then firing. No machine-made or mass produced work is permitted.

Drawing/Printmaking (Graphics) - Drawings are works on paper using pencil, crayon, ink, charcoal, pastels and a variety of other marking media. Printmaking is a transfer process of producing original art, usually in multiples. It involves creating a drawing or other composition on a surface other than paper, from transfer to paper through the use of a press or through impressions made by hand.

Jewelry - Creating artwork through the forging, twisting and fabricating of various metals. All jewelry, produced from metal, glass, clay, fiber, paper, plastic or other materials should apply in this category. No commercial casts, molds or production studio work is permitted..

Mixed Media - Works that incorporate more than one type of physical material in their production. Works should include more than one of the following: Paint, pencil, watercolor, photography, printmaking, drawing, clay work, fiber, glass, metal, or wood.

Oil/Acrylic - Creation of a still life, portrait, landscape, abstract or other image on a flat surface, with oil and/or acrylic paint or sticks. Only gallery wrapped canvases may be hung unframed with proper wiring for hanging. Stretched canvases that are not gallery wrapped, unfinished and/or stapled on the sides instead of on the back must be framed to hang (no saw toothed hangers).

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Watercolor - Creation of a still life, portrait, landscape, abstract or other image on a flat surface with watercolors. These works must be properly matted and framed.

Photography - Process of capturing images of objects by the action of light, then printing the images, by chemical or digital means, onto a flat surface. Negatives must be the artist's original and processed either by the artist or under their direct supervision. No heavy Photoshopping: images created digitally or drastically changed.

Sculpture - three dimensional works done in any medium. Must be moderate size due to space capacity at show. Send picture of sampled size with application.

Wood - Original works in any wood, either functional or decorative hand tooled or machine worked, turned or carved. Wood can be stained or painted to complete design of project. Must be moderate size due to space capacity at show. Send picture of sampled size with application.

Fine Craft - any material or construction may be used. Generally, any art form that does not fit into one of the other categories; to include fiber, hand weaving, Wearable Art completely made by the hand of the artist, made from cloth, leather, fur, hide, yarn, synthetic or any combination thereof, to be to: Hats; belts; shoes; sox; boots; shoelaces; coats jackets; aprons; purses and bags.

Fill out below & send to: Welcome House Inc.-People in Action Art Show

802 Sharon Dr. Suite A
 Westlake, Ohio 44145

Att: Margie Ridenour, LSW

PHONE: 440-356-2330ext. 241

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People In Action/Welcome House Inc. Disclaimer

TITLE	MEDIA	SIZE	PRICE
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OPTIONAL: INCLUDE AN ARTIST STATEMENT WITH APPLICATION

I release and hold harmless the property owners, merchants, employees, volunteers, directors, and associates of the People In Action, Welcome House Inc. from any and all liability (injury), loss, damage, or legal action to my goods and property, that may occur during selection, preparation, display, and release of the exhibit.

Welcome House Inc., People in Action assume no liability for loss, damage, or theft of works for the exhibit Creative Color Expression Art Show, drop off and pick up time from September.....

 ARTIST SIGNATURE

 DATE

 ARTIST ADDRESS

 PHONE & EMAIL