POP ART

Pop Revolution Gallery

DESCRIPTION: Pop art in its infancy began as a backlash to the high ideals of the Abstract Expressionist movement. By using the symbolism of popular culture, Pop Art is accessible to anyone. It challenged the elite world of fine art by including imagery from advertising, news, comic art, and everyday objects.

Some of the most well-known artists of the movement are: Andy Warhol, Claes Oldenburg, Robert Rauschenberg, Roy Lichtenstein, Jasper Johns, Tom Wesselman, and Robert Indiana. These artists are a great place to look for inspiration in creating your own Pop Art, but please refrain from art of replication.

Mass media and pop culture imagery has never been more accessible. Whether condemning or celebrating pop culture, have fun!

INFORMATION: This is our 8th Annual Juried Art Exhibition. This years' exhibit theme is "Pop Art." Please include an artist's statement about your piece.

Opening Reception: Thursday, February 16, 2017 from 5:30-8:30 pm.

Awards Ceremony: Thursday, February 16, 2017 at 7:30 pm.

Exhibition Dates: The exhibition and sale will be open and free to the public from Thursday, February 16, 2017 through Saturday, March 11, 2017.

Gallery Hours: Tuesday through Friday, 10-6 pm, Saturday, 11-3 pm.

Eligibility: The exhibition is open to artists 18 years or older. All work must be original work. Students must not present work for consideration if assisted in any way in arrangement or execution. Artists accepted for the exhibition will be asked for an artist bio for display purposes.

AWARDS: Best of Show: \$650 2nd Place: \$125 People's Choice Award: \$75 2- Juror's Awards: \$25 each.

JURORS: For more information, visit <u>www.poprevolutiongallery.com</u>.

PREPARATION OF ARTWORK: Size and weight of work is limited to that which can be moved by one person. Two-dimensional work is limited to 30" in width and should be finished for display; meaning framed or museum wrapped canvas (please, no staples or nails showing on the edges). Any work that is to be hung, including three-dimensional works, must be appropriately wired, and strong enough to support the piece. The label provided in the entry form must be filled out and affixed to the back of the hanging piece or the bottom of a standing piece.

ENTRIES: An entry fee of \$25 for the first entry, \$12 for each additional entry. Up to 4 pieces may be entered in to the show. Payment can be made by check or through PayPal (available at www.poprevolutiongallery.com). Digital files submitted by email will be reviewed when payment is received.

SCHEDULE:

- Deadline for delivery of artwork for judging: Saturday, January 27, 2017.
- Notice of Acceptance: by Saturday, February 4, 2017.
- Drop off of Accepted Artwork: by Saturday, February 11, 2017.
- Pick up of Artwork not accepted: by Friday, February 10, 2017.
- Pick up of Accepted Artwork after the show: Should be picked up by Tuesday, March 14, 2017. Work shipped in will be shipped out March 14-18.

SUBMISSION OF ARTWORK:

1) Images of artwork can be sent via email to poprevolutiongallery@gmail.com, jpeg format, 180dpi, longest dimension sized at 10". Entry fees should be mailed to address below. Images should be titled as such: 'artist-lastname. title-of-work.jpg'.

2) Images of artwork can be burned onto CD and mailed along with entry fees to address below, jpeg format, 180dpi, longest dimension sized at 10". CD should be labeled with artist name, images should be titled as such: 'artistlast- name.title-of-work.jpg'. All digital files will be destroyed after opening reception. 3) Artwork can be delivered in person to Pop Revolution Gallery along with entry fee.

4) Artwork can be shipped. **No packing peanuts please**. All shipping, insurance and transit costs are the responsibility of the artist. Work may be sent by the artist's desired carrier. A carrier of the gallery's choice will return shipped artwork to the artist, C.O.D. Artists with shipping accounts (i.e. UPS, FedEx) may send us a return slip. If your shipping address is different from your mailing address, please include alternate street address on the form. We do not ship to P.O. Boxes.

ENTRY PROCEDURE REGISTRATION AND FEES: The non-refundable entry fee is required. Fill out completely and mail to be received by January 27, 2017 the Registration Form below with payment for each entry. Entries submitted without payment or received after January 27 will not be eligible. Deliver your work, with labels attached, to Pop Revolution Gallery, 105 E. Main Street, Mason, OH 45040 according to the schedule above.

Any questions, please call Francis Michaels 513-492-7474.

Make checks payable to: Pop Revolution Gallery.

Mail checks to: Pop Revolution Gallery, 105 E. Main Street, Mason, OH 45040. Liability and Sales: Pop Revolution Gallery assumes no responsibility for damage or theft during the exhibit. Artists are encouraged to offer their work for sale. Any work not priced will be marked "Not for Sale" or "NFS". Pop Revolution Gallery will retain a 40% commission of the sale price.

ARTWORK LABELS. Please print. Labels must be attached to the back, upper right-hand corner of painting.

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