



Lander Art Center

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2024 Expressions Unlimited: Members' Show Application

“Expressions Unlimited” Exhibition: June 6th - July 12th, 2024

Opening Reception: Thursday, June 6th, 6-8pm at LAC

The Lander Art Center Members Show is an opportunity for LAC members to exhibit their current artwork and share it with our community.

This year, LAC’s Members Show is called “Expressions Unlimited”. You are encouraged to show work in any medium you choose that helps you fulfill your goals in art and creativity.

This show is self-juried so please submit artwork that best displays your current style and interests. If you work in a medium outside of the visual arts, please let us know: we would love to work with you to have your art present in this exhibition.

Work that has previously been exhibited in an LAC show should not be submitted.

***DEADLINE for forms, fees, and artwork is Friday, May 24th, 2024
to exhibition@landerartcenter.com or LAC front desk***

Entry Fee: \$20 (or free for Sinks level members and above)

Become a member today at www.landerartcenter.com

Artist name: _____

Business name, if different: _____

Social Media/Website: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

LAC Member's Show Application Guidelines

- \$20 fee for LAC Trout level members. The Members Show is **free for LAC Sinks and above level members**. To avoid the application fee, become an LAC Sinks member, or higher, today.
- **All types of media** are accepted. No printed copies of original artwork will be accepted. If you work in a medium outside of the visual arts, please let us know. We would love to work with you to have your art present in this exhibition.
- Work that has previously been exhibited in an LAC show should not be submitted.
- Please **electronically** provide an artist statement or process/technique statement with your entry to exhibition@landerartcenter.com. (More information on artist statements at www.landerartcenter.com/artiststatement)
- Artists may submit up to three pieces.
- Artwork **MUST** be clearly labeled with the artist's name and title of work.
- Framed artwork hanging system should consist of eye hooks with wire and plexiglass (if appropriate)
- Artwork should be sufficiently packaged in a reusable container (box) upon drop-off. Packaging should be labeled with the artist's name and number of pieces.
- We encourage artists to submit artwork that is for sale. A special commission of 20% will be charged for the members' show (typically 30% for all other shows)
- *The Lander Art Center reserves the right to final curatorial and installation decisions.*

LAC Member Show Exhibition Submissions

Artist Name: _____

Title of work: _____

Medium: _____ Year created: _____ Price: _____

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Lander Art Center Exhibitor Information

Advertising

- Lander Art Center targets three (3) weekly social media posts pertaining *specifically* to the current exhibition, at the discretion of Lander Art Center staff, posted on Facebook and Instagram for the duration of the exhibition.
- Lander Art Center guarantees promotional posters and postcards released in advance of the opening reception.
- If an artist provides professional media content for their gallery artwork, Lander Art Center may incorporate these media materials into the promotional posts mentioned above.
- Lander Art Center *cannot* guarantee specific advertising initiatives with local news outlets such as Lander Journal, Lander Radio, County 10, etc.

Show Set-Up and Take-Down

- Lander Art Center and its affiliated curators will be responsible for the setup of each show. Each exhibitor must clearly communicate any specific needs and expectations in artistic set-up i.e. order or grouping of pieces. Lander Art Center must be informed of any unusual set-up requests for approval and clearance. If an exhibitor wants to physically set up their own artwork, arrangements must be made in advance, and the exhibitor will not receive any compensation for the extra time commitment. Lander Art Center staff will be present.
- Each show must be taken down on the last day of the exhibition, the date of which will be thoroughly and consistently advertised.
- Take down will be the responsibility of exhibitors with the help of Lander Art Center staff. All exhibited artwork that has been purchased and not picked up will be held in the secure storage unit of Lander Art Center until each purchaser is able to retrieve them. All entries must remain on exhibit until the show closes. Artwork that is sold will remain until the show closes and at that time can be picked up. Artists who desire to insure their work must make their own arrangements. Lander Art Center will not be responsible in case of loss or damage. All reasonable care will be taken with entries.

Sales and Commission

- Lander Art Center encourages the sales of artwork. Selling exhibited works is not required. Lander Art Center charges a 20% commission on exhibited works for the LAC Members Show. Lander Art Center will not release art to a buyer without receiving payment and will pay the exhibitor following the closing of the exhibition. It is the responsibility of the exhibitor to price their work accordingly.

Deadlines:

- Exhibition deadlines are set to help our small staff manage a heavy and busy workload. It is very important that we receive your entry in the time frame we have indicated. **Artist Statements and Stories**
- Exhibitors may provide information or stories about their show or particular pieces in the show. This information must be presented when the exhibitor brings their art to the gallery. This allows Lander Art Center staff to familiarize themselves with relevant information to share with customers and community partners. The information must be shared with exhibition@landerartcenter.com.

Label Card Information

- Exhibitors **MUST** submit their label card information at the time of art submission. Please see pages 2 and 5 in this application packet.

Opening Reception

- Lander Art Center will provide light refreshments such as hors d'oeuvres and wine/beer/non-alcoholic beverages. Exhibitors are expected to be present at the opening reception, the date and time of which will be thoroughly and consistently advertised. **Members Show Opening Reception: Thursday, June 6th, 2024, 6-8 pm at the Lander Art Center.**

Display

- **Framed works to be hung must be securely wired and ready for display.** No picture frames with a back stand will be accepted. We encourage simple, quality frames that reflect professional presentation and not home décor.

Shipping

- Lander Art Center is *NOT* able to ship artwork: the responsibility of artwork shipment and subsequent insurance purchase falls on each exhibitor. If an exhibitor would like to ship their art, the purchaser (client) will be informed that they (client) will pay for postage and wrapping. All of this must be negotiated with the artist directly, leaving Lander Art Center's only shipping responsibility to exchange contact information with each party in a timely manner near the time of purchase.

Lander Art Center Artist Waiver and Contract

_____ I, as the exhibitor, understand that Lander Art Center will take every reasonable step to ensure safe handling and exhibition of my art.

_____ I understand that Lander Art Center does not carry insurance for exhibited works of art. Therefore, I release Lander Art Center, its staff, members, employees, volunteers, and agents as free and harmless from any loss or damage or resulting cost or liability for my art during the time that my art is shipped to, from, and during the stay at Lander Art Center.

_____ I understand that Lander Art Center's hours are subject to minor changes throughout the course of this exhibition based on organizational capacity and volunteer availability. Compensation will not be provided in the case of reduced operating hours, however, artists will be contacted if drastic changes are anticipated.

_____ I understand that Lander Art Center rents out its gallery and classroom spaces and may therefore hold an event(s) during the time that my artwork is on display. In this case, the responsibility of liability falls on the renting party and any subsequent issues will be addressed by Lander Art Center and the aforementioned renting party. No compensation will be provided by Lander Art Center for damage, therefore the renting party will be responsible for compensation of damage or theft.

_____ I allow Lander Art Center to use artwork images taken in conjunction with the exhibition, preparation and take down, to promote the exhibition, during the exhibition, and in future promotions.

_____ I understand that I, the exhibitor, am not allowed to make permanent physical alterations to Lander Art Center's facilities without explicit permission from the director. I shall be responsible for any damages that may occur as a result of my artistic displays.

_____ I understand that Lander Art Center maintains the right to terminate this contract at any time with at least one (1) week's notice in writing via either email or physical mailing. Under this circumstance, I, the exhibitor, will be required to, and responsible for, the removal of my art from the gallery. Please include either your email address or physical address as your chosen form of contractual communication:

_____ I understand that I maintain the right to terminate this contract with at least one (1) week's notice given to Lander Art Center. Notice must be given in writing to either director@landerartcenter.com or 258 Main Street, Lander, WY, 82520.

_____ I allow Lander Art Center to release my name, phone number, e-mail, and website address to the public for sales and promotion purposes.

_____ I understand that my work is to arrive at Lander Art Center by the end of the day on **May 24th, 2024 at 4 pm** and will remain on exhibit through **July 12th, 2024 at 9 pm**. If I do not pick my work up by 4 pm by **July 20th, 2024**, I will not hold Lander Art Center accountable for the safekeeping of my work. All artists will be contacted with a reminder to collect work. **Work that has not been picked up by July 27th, 2024 will be dealt with at the discretion of the Lander Art Center i.e. kept in storage or used for fundraising purposes.**

_____ I understand that Lander Art Center will encourage the sales of my artwork and will charge a 20% commission. Lander Art Center will not release art to a buyer without receiving payment and will pay me, the exhibitor, following the closing of the exhibition.

_____ I have carefully read this waiver, release, and agreement. I fully understand its contents. I am aware that this is a release of liabilities and a contract between Lander Art Center, its staff, members, volunteers, and myself and agents and I sign it of my own free will. I agree that this waiver, release, and agreement are to be binding on my heirs and assigns.

Artist Signature _____ Date _____

Entry Checklist

- Completed Entry form
- Signed Waiver/Contract form
- Artist Statement (*sent electronically to exhibition@landerartcenter.com*)
- \$20 Entry Fee (if applicable - free to members at Sinks level and above)
- Labeled artwork matches entry form information
- Reusable labeled box for artwork
- Please review and adhere to exhibition guidelines***

Artist Title Card Information

Please attach a label to each piece of artwork you enter.

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Artist Name: _____

Title of work: _____

Medium: _____ Year created: _____ Price: _____

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