



BREVARD WATERCOLOR SOCIETY presents
“FLORA & FAUNA AT THE REFUGE”

JANUARY 2, 2024- MARCH 29, 2025

Palm Bay City Hall & Viera Government Ctr.

We have three categories,

1) FLORA - trees, plants, flowers, landscapes

2) FAUNA - any animal, bird, water animals, bugs - anything that breathes

3) Landscapes - on land and water.

Please read the requirements below carefully. We are not as strict on this show as the Members' juried show. This is a juried show. Due to space availability, we will hang approx. 35 paintings.

Awards will be given for: Best of Show (\$100), Best of each category (\$75), MINWA Award that best depicts the refuge (certificate), and 6 Merit Awards (certificates).

- Paintings must not be larger than a half sheet (or close to it) and not smaller than a 1/4 sheet.
- You may frame with light colored mats and any type of framing.
- Paintings may be created on watercolor paper, oriental papers, yupo, or aquaboard, watercolors, watercolor pencils, inks or gouache are allowed.
- Paintings that have been shown before in any BWS show may not be shown. All work must have been completed within the past three years (Dec. 2022)
- Paintings accepted into the show must be framed and hung securely with wire and MUST be framed with Plexiglas. NO GLASS. NO SAWTOOTH HANGERS.
- Artist accepted into the show may submit up to 3 -11 x 14 white mats (sell for \$25), and/or 5 note cards (A-6 size) (\$5) to be sold in the gift shop. Contact Darleen or Therese for more information.

JURY:

- Only one painting will be accepted in each category. No limit on number of paintings entered.
- **Bring Artwork to the Satellite Beach Library on Monday, December 2nd between 9:30-10 a.m.**
- **Pick up artwork between 11:30-12:00 that day. (We have to be out by 12:30, so please be on time).**
- Notifications will be given at pick up.
- Fill out registration cards on next page. Attach to top right of your painting on the back.
- A release form must be signed by each artist at jury take in, (form attached).
- If you are accepted into the show, we would like a high resolution photo of your work for publicity asap. Submit to ThereseART@aol.com or drop off a photo at the Highland Art Studio, 1425 Highland Ave., Eau Gallie.
- Paintings do not have to be framed for the jury process, but must be shrink wrapped or in a plastic sleeve (some sizes are available at HIGHLAND ART STUDIO). We will not accept any paintings not properly covered.

FEES:

- Show fee is \$20 for the first painting entered into the show and \$10 extra entries. Please pay by check or cash at registration.
- The Brevard Cultural Alliance (BCA) will take care of all sales and will collect a 20% commission on all painting sales.

DELIVER ACCEPTED ARTWORK:

- South Brevard areas: **Bring to the Highland Art Studio, 1425 Highland Ave., Eau Gallie, Saturday, Dec. 28, 10:00 - 2:00.** Contact Therese Ferguson 749-6962 if you are going to be out of town and need to drop off earlier.
- Central Brevard area Artist: Contact Darleen Hunt, Merritt Island 452-8433.
- **PICK UP ARTWORK:**
- **Pick up paintings at Highland Art Studio Monday, April 1. 1:00 - 4:00 for south area artist.**
- **Contact Darleen - Central Area Artists who dropped off their work to her.**

Opening Reception - TBA

PLEASE RSVP TO DARLEEN BY **DEC.28** (321-452-8433, dhunt125@aol.com)