

Call for Entries

Traditions: Culture, Family and Holidays

October 25, 2019 – January 18, 2020

The Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County is currently accepting submissions for our upcoming juried exhibition, Traditions: Culture, Family and Holidays. This exhibition will include works of art centered on interpretations of the theme of traditions.

This exhibition will be held at the Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County at 301 Hay Street in downtown Fayetteville, NC from October 25, 2019 – January 18, 2020.

ENTRY: Entries are due by midnight on **Thursday, September 19th**. Only digital entries will be accepted and must be submitted through our online portal which can be accessed at: www.theartscouncil.com/Traditions. Artists may submit up to 3 works, and each work should be accompanied by a description (75 words or less) of how this work connects to the theme of traditions. Work should be recent (completed within the last 5 years). Submissions should not include any works that have been shown or previously entered into ANY Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County exhibition.

ENTRY FEE: \$20 for up to 3 works

AWARDS: \$1,000 in total awards.

JUROR: Work will be juried for inclusion by the Arts Council's Exhibitions Committee.

CATEGORIES/MEDIUMS: All 2D and 3D mediums are open for submission. Submissions must be original artwork and centered on the theme of traditions. Subject matter may include (but is not limited to): traditions related to culture, family and holidays. Work must be able to fit within the entryway of our building, which is would fit a work no larger than 82" x 32".

ELIBIGILITY: Open to any artist at least 18 years or age residing in North Carolina.

NOTIFICATION : Artists will be notified of acceptance or non-acceptance no later than **Tuesday, October 1, 2019**. Notifications will be made via email using the email you provided for your entry through our online portal.

SPECIFICATIONS & PREPARING OF WORK: Submissions must be made digitally through our portal, accessed at www.theartscouncil.com/Traditions. Each submitted work must be accompanied with the title of the work, medium, size and sales price. If a work is not for sale, please provide insurance value and note that the work is "NFS" (Not For Sale). The Arts Council utilizes a Walker hanging system for 2-D work and if selected, the works should be appropriately framed to use this system. No plastic box frames, uni-frames or sawtooth hangers.

SHIPPING Or DROPPING OFF OF WORK: If accepted, all works must be received by **Monday, October 14, 2019**. Each work must be accompanied with the work's title, medium, size and sales price. **SHIPPED WORKS** should be packed in reusable containers. **DO NOT** use Styrofoam peanuts when packing artwork. Shipping costs are the responsibility of the artist. Artwork should be shipped prepaid via UPS, USPS, DHL or Fed Ex, and must be accompanied with a **prepaid return-shipping label**. COD deliveries will not be accepted. Works to be

DROPPED OFF must be received by **Monday, October 14** at the Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County during our regular business hours (Monday-Thursday, 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM, Friday, 9:00 AM – noon). Special arrangements may be made for after-hours access with Exhibit Coordinator.

SALES ARE ENCOURAGED: The Arts Council will retain 30% commission from the sales price listed on your entry form. Items not for sale must be marked NFS (Not For Sale); however, an insurance value will be required on the entry form.

INSURANCE: All work is insured while at the Arts Council. Each artist is to determine insurance value, and this value must be within range of previously sold work.

About the Arts Council's Exhibitions:

As part of the vibrant and thriving cultural arts scene in Downtown Fayetteville, exhibitions at the Arts Council's galleries range from work by world-renowned artists to amazing discoveries of local talent. The Arts Council has decades of experience producing exhibitions that range from juried shows, curation from private collections and leased exhibitions from institutions such as the Smithsonian, the Anne Frank Center in New York, and the Harvey B. Gantt Center for African American Arts + Culture.

For information or assistance with your entry, please contact:

Nancy Silver, Arts Council of Fayetteville/Cumberland County at 910-323-1776 or nancys@theartscouncil.com .