

2026 MEMBERS JURIED SHOW

JUNE 5 – JULY 31, 2026

This exhibition showcases various work from the members of Kentuck Art Center & Festival and will be on view at Kentuck at Queen City. **Submissions are encouraged to explore universal themes of freedom and liberty, including concepts like creative freedom, liberation, enlightenment, and opportunity.**

Kentuck would like to encourage all members to enter their artwork. Interested in exhibiting, but need to become a member? Visit www.kentuck.org/become-a-member

Eligibility: This show is open to all members of Kentuck Art Center & Festival.

Artworks:

- Members may submit up to four original works done in any media.
- All submissions are suggested to connect to the theme of *freedom and liberty*, open to interpretation by each artist.
- If submitting 2-3 works, no piece may exceed 36 inches in any direction, including frame.
- Alternately, one large work may be submitted not to exceed a maximum width of 60 inches.
- Artwork must have been created within the last 12 months. Must be original work.
- Works CANNOT have been exhibited at Kentuck previously.
- Entries must be properly framed or gallery-wrapped; **wired and suitable for hanging.**
- Works on paper must be under plexiglass or glass.
- Three-dimensional pieces must not weigh more than can be handled by two people.
- Each entry must be accompanied by a registration tag that has been completely filled out and signed. This tag must be attached securely to the back of each entry.
- Entry forms will be available in Kentuck's Gallery Shop and online at www.kentuck.org until registration closes at 5 PM on Monday, May 11, 2026.

Entry Date: Entries will be received Friday May 8, 2026, until Monday, May 11, 2026. On Friday and Saturday, entries can be received from 10:00 AM-11:30 AM and 12:30 PM-4:00 PM at Kentuck at Queen City, and on Monday from 9:30 AM - 12:30 PM. Please note that Kentuck at Queen City will be **CLOSED, Sunday, May 10th for Mother's Day.** Please note that works cannot be accepted before this date. Online entries are not available. Entry fees are as follows:

- One piece: \$30
- Second piece: \$15
- Third piece: \$10

Notification of acceptance into the show will be done via email by end of day, Friday, May 15, 2026. All works not accepted into the show can be picked up on Thursday, May 21, 2026 and Friday, May 22, 2026 from 10:00 AM-11:30 AM and 12:30 PM-4:00 PM.

Awards/Reception: Awards will be given during June's First Friday event, June 5, 2026 from 5-8 PM. Awards ceremony will be held at 6:00 PM.

Best in Show: \$250 *First Place:* \$150 *Second Place:* \$100 *Award of Distinction:* \$75

Removal: The exhibit closes on Friday, July 31, 2026, and no work may be removed from the show until then without permission of the artist and Kentuck staff. Works must be picked up no later than 5 PM on Monday, August 3, 2026.

Sales: Kentuck Art Center & Festival will receive a 40% commission on the sale of works initiated during the show.

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PLEASE SUBMIT THIS FORM ALONG WITH YOUR ARTWORK

NAME OF ARTIST: _____

ADDRESS: _____ SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

CELL PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

I AGREE TO ALL OF THE RULES GOVERNING THE 2026 MEMBERS' JURIED SHOW.

1. TITLE OF WORK: _____

MEDIUM: _____ SIZE: _____

SALES PRICE OR NFS: _____ INSURANCE VALUE IF NOT FOR SALE: _____

2. TITLE OF WORK: _____

MEDIUM: _____ SIZE: _____

SALES PRICE OR NFS: _____ INSURANCE VALUE IF NOT FOR SALE: _____

3. TITLE OF WORK: _____

MEDIUM: _____ SIZE: _____

SALES PRICE OR NFS: _____ INSURANCE VALUE IF NOT FOR SALE: _____

TAGS TO LABEL ARTWORK

ARTIST
TITLE
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