



**ANNOUNCING:  
The 52nd Kentuck Festival of the Arts  
Award Winners**



*Featured artwork by Joachim Knill*

**#Kentuck52 Award Winners**

**Best of Show:**

Joachim Knill, Two-Dimensional, F-02

**Award of Distinction:**

Nicario Jimenez, Mixed Media, A-04

Dustin Headrick, Mixed Media, E-35

**Merit Award:**

Kent Ambler, Printmaking, A-22

Kate Beck, Fiber, C-02

Ricky Boscarino, Clay, C-19

Micheal Paul Cole, Photography, A-17

Paul Devoti, Clay, E-05  
 Cym Doggett, Metal, E-07  
 Amanda Hamrick, Fiber, F-08  
 Elizabeth Collins Hanes, Clay, E-23  
 Ingrid Humphrey, Fiber, H-17  
 Carol McCrady, Fiber, A-23  
 Roger and Renae Poer, Jewelry, E-39  
 Dennis Thompson, Clay, C-27

Judges award a total of \$12,200 to exhibiting artists at the Kentuck Festival of the Arts. On Saturday, October 14, Judges numerically score exhibiting artists based on quality, originality, design, composition, technique, and overall presentation.

Kentuck Art Center is excited to welcome Rebecca Hoffberger and The Honorable Glenda E. Hood as judges for the 52nd Kentuck Festival of the Arts on October 14-15, 2023 at Kentuck Park in Northport, Alabama. [Read more about the judges here.](#)

## See you tomorrow for Day 2 of #Kentuck52!



### Live Music

including Gary Nichols, Kaydee Mulvehill, and Patrick O'Sullivan

### 270+ Artists

Folk and Contemporary arts, traditional craft, and art demonstrations

### Spoken Word

Including Alabama Poet Laureate Ashley M. Jones and Trudier Harris, Alabama Writers Hall of Fame Inductee



### Activities for Children

Children (and adults!) can participate in these activities at no extra cost: tie dye (bandanas), paper marbling, Chinese calligraphy, clay, face painting, book arts, and a Tuscaloosa Symphony Orchestra Instrument Petting Zoo. If you would like to tie dye a t-shirt instead of a bandana, there is a \$5 charge.

### Food & Drink

A variety of food options including crawfish, tacos, kettlecorn, and local craft beer

### More info

Kentuck Art Center and Festival was established in 1971 and its mission is to *perpetuate the arts, engage the community, and empower the artist*. The Kentuck Festival of the Arts is nationally recognized for its quality, diversity, and celebration of artistic style ranging from folk to contemporary arts and traditional crafts.

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