

Grundy County Corn Festival Art Show

Held at the The EXhibit Corn Festival Week

315 Bedford Road, 815-258-5191

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- Entry Fee is a Corn Festival Button
- Entries accepted during gallery hours. Saturday, September 23, 2023 11:00 am – 3:00 pm or call 815.258.5191.
- Judging Tuesday, September 26, 2023 (Not open to the public)
- Open to the public during the following hours:
 - Wednesday & Thursday: 4:00 pm-7:00 pm
 - Friday: 2:00 pm-6:00 pm
 - Saturday & Sunday Noon – 5:00 pm
- Entries can be picked up on Sunday October 1, 2023 from noon-5:00 pm, during gallery hours or call 815.258.5191.

DIVISIONS: Adults, High School, Youth

SECTIONS

MEDIA

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| 1. Drawing | pencil, ink, colored pencil, charcoal, pastel, mixed media, other |
| 2. Painting | acrylic, oil, watercolor, mixed media, 3-D figures, other |
| 3. Sculpture | clay, wood, metal, stone plaster paper, glass, found object, other
(this includes pottery—hand-built, wheel thrown or combination) |
| 4. Mixed Media | assemblage, collage, mosaic |
| 5. Other | computer & printmaking (list programs used) all images must conform to Rule #1. |

RULES

1. All entries must be **ORIGINAL** (NO licensed characters, copyrighted works or images, kits, preformed ceramics, etc.). Please do NOT enter a piece that has won a previous Cornfest Art Show Best in Show.
2. Entries are limited to no more than **four 2-D** and **four 3-D** per person.
3. **All Adult & High School** Division pieces must be hangable with wire or hooks. NO EXCEPTIONS.
4. **Youth** Division 2-D pieces mounted on construction paper or cardboard is sufficient. Clips will be used to hang youth art.
5. No nudes, suggestive or violent matter.
6. All entries can be picked up on Sunday October 1, 2023 from noon-5:00 pm, during gallery hours or call 815.258.5191 for appointment.

Any piece NOT picked up will be taken to the Corn Festival Office. You must call the office to make arrangements to pick up your work after Corn Festival as the office will be closing for the season on October 6, 2023. Any works not picked up will be forfeited. The Corn Festival office cannot store your works.

7. Any artwork that does not meet the requirements will not be hung.
8. Grundy County residency is not required.
9. Reasonable care will be taken with the art work, but we cannot accept responsibility for damaged or lost work.
10. The EXhibit has the right to reject any work of art for exhibition for any reason and will not be hung.

AWARDS

- Ribbons will be awarded 1st, 2nd, 3rd in each of the 5 Divisions for Adult, High School & Youth.
- Best of Show ribbons will be awarded to one Adult and one high School in both 2-D and 3-D and one Youth.
- People's Choice for one Adult, one High School, one Youth. Voting ends on Saturday, September 30, 2023.

Grundy County Corn Festival Photography Show

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DIVISIONS:

Adults only 1 entry per Class (Ages 16 and above)

Youth only 1 entry per Class (Ages 15 and below)

No entering same photo in multiple classes.

CLASSES:

1. Landscapes & Waterscapes
2. Rural Scenes
3. City Scenes/Architecture
4. Plants and Flowers
5. Animals
6. Birds
7. Insects
8. People
9. Planes, Trains, Automobiles, etc
10. Corn Festival
11. Sunrise/Sunset

RULES:

The photographer making the entry must have taken the photo. Entries will be limited to one photo per class for Adults. The same photo cannot be entered in multiple classes.

- If space is limited due to number of entries, the committee reserves the right to select the prints for exhibition.
- No Nude or suggestive photos accepted.
- There are no restrictions to the age of the photo.
- Prints entered in previous Corn Festival Shows are discouraged.

- The committee has the right to reclassify or eliminate any photo deemed questionable or inappropriate.
- Prints may range in size from 5"x7" to 11"x 14" maybe be matted and/or framed, but not necessary. All must be hangable.
- The mount shall not be more than three mat boards thick. Photos mounted on poster and foam board will be accepted. NO LIGHTWEIGHT POSTER BOARD please. Any prints not prepared for exhibit at the time of drop off will not be accepted.
- All entries can be picked up on Sunday from 12-5 pm, during gallery hours or call 815.258.5191 for appointment.
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