

Guidelines for 2022 Central California Art Association Shows

1. Title cards will be produced by the gallery, but each submitted work must be identified by a tag listing the Title, Name, Media, Price and Show Number.

PICTURE TITLE
MEDIA
ARTIST NAME
SHOW #
PRICE

2. The ID tag should be securely affixed to the back of each work in the upper left-hand corner when viewed from the back. For 3-D art place the tag on the underside.
3. Artwork placement location within the Gallery is at the discretion of the Exhibition Committee.
4. All applications are due according to prospectus instructions or at the discretion of the show host. Many shows are now being entered and juried through **Smarter Entry** online, check the Call to Artist.
5. Any artwork that is not professionally presented may not be exhibited. Hanging wires must be mounted 3 to 5" below the top of the frame to allow for our hanging system. This deviates from the standard 1/3 from the top of frame. **Also ensure that when the wire is pulled to the top for hanging it is at least 1 ½ inches from the top edge so our hanging hooks are hidden behind the artwork once it is hung.** Please try to make changes before submitting artwork. Plastic ties are no longer necessary. Hooks are theft resistant.
6. To frame or not to frame: Canvas paintings that are more than 1 inch thick and gallery wrapped with the sides painted do not require a frame. **Any canvas thinner than that must be framed.** Wood panels must also be framed unless it's part of the artistic presentation. Cradled wood panels do **not** require framing. ****Helpful videos for framing and hanging:** <https://youtu.be/hozBSxNvicg> , <https://youtu.be/mdUOB8ov2Z0> , <https://youtu.be/yUYMjsv7GYs> , https://youtu.be/Z1UZL1_cvYc
7. Size limit: There are no size limits for two-dimensional work other than the discretion of the show host. Three-dimensional work must be less than 50 lbs. Exceptions will be made at the discretion of the show host. Extra fees may apply.
8. For member's shows, there are no restrictions for media.
9. First time participants must have their work juried. Please check the show prospectus for date and time of jurying or call the gallery for more information.
10. Also remember that for certain shows, art that has been shown at the gallery in the last **two years**, may not qualify for acceptance. In some instances, art must have been **created** in the last **three years** to be entered. This criterion is dependent on the show host and/or the show being entered. Be sure to check with the **Call to Artist/prospectus/guidelines** for a particular show before entering. You can find this information on the gallery website or request a copy at the gallery.

Note: Any deviation from these guidelines is the decision of the host of any specific show. Check each shows prospectus for the particulars concerning that show or contact the host.