



Cultural Corner Art Guild and Gallery and The Best of Missouri Hands presents "**Hands Across Missouri**", an exhibition of handmade fine arts and crafts created by Midwest artists and artisans

CALL FOR ARTISTS

Midwest artists and artisans, you are invited to submit an application for our upcoming juried exhibition entitled "**Hands Across Missouri**" at the Cultural Corner Art Guild and Gallery in Chillicothe, Missouri from June 2nd to July 7th, 2017. This exhibition is part of the **BOMH On The Road** series.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

"**Hands Across Missouri**" was developed by The Missouri Artisans Association, d.b.a. The Best of Missouri Hands, and the Cultural Corner Art Guild to provide a forum to demonstrate the creativity and diversity of the artists and artisans of Missouri and the Midwest region. We encourage artists to submit works that exemplify Missouri's traditions of handmade arts and crafts.

ELIGIBILITY

"**Hands Across Missouri**" is open to anyone aged 18 and older living in Missouri or any of the surrounding states. Entries must be original and not previously exhibited at the Cultural Corner Art Guild. Maximum size 48" x 72", including frame. Maximum weight: 75 lbs. Hanging works must be wired for installation, no sawtooth hangers are allowed. Three-dimensional pieces must fit through doorway, including frame or stand. The juror reserves the right to disqualify any work not suitably presented, or that varies from the submitted image. There is a 25% donation fee to the Cultural Corner Art Guild on any sales of your work during this event. Artists are welcome to handle their own transactions during the artists' reception. Works not for sale may be designated NFS.

ENTRY FEE SUBMITTAL

- Entry fee is non-refundable
- Artist may submit up to 3 artworks for the one fee
- \$20 for current Best of Missouri Hands or Cultural Corner Art Guild members - OR
- \$30 for non-members
- Fee may be paid through PayPal at the Best of Missouri Hands website:
<https://bestofmissourihands.org/portfolio/hands-across-missouri-call-for-artists/>
- If paying fee by check, checks should be made out to BOMH and mailed to:
The Best of Missouri Hands
2101 West Broadway, #322
Columbia, MO 65203

ENTRY SUBMITTAL – Deadline April 20, 2017

Entries will be accepted in the form of a JPEG image on a CD, or via email

- Artists are invited to submit up to three works in any medium
- High resolution images are preferred
- Required: 1 image per each entry
- We suggest 300 dpi at 4" x 6". Also include name, title, medium, size (indicated as height first, width second) on the attached form
- Please label digital images as: smith01_title_medium_10x10
- Include completed Entry Form (below)

Emailed entries may be sent to doncrozier@gmail.com

Mailed entries should be sent to:
The Best of Missouri Hands
1503 Belleau Lake Dr
O'Fallon, MO 63366

Artists will be notified by April 28 as to acceptance into the show.

If an artist wishes to include an artist statement, they should be displayed in a frame and hung near their own work. Pedestals may be available upon request but participants are encouraged to make advanced arrangements.

SHIPMENT, RETURN OF WORK, AND LIABILITY

Shipping artwork to and from the exhibit is the responsibility of the artist. Works must be labeled with artist's name, title of work, media, and price. Shipping cartons must be reusable and within shipping guidelines. It is the responsibility of the artist to provide postage and insurance to and from the exhibit and to schedule delivery and pick-up of the work. All reasonable care will be taken with your works, but neither the Cultural Corner Gallery nor Best of Missouri Hands will be responsible for theft or damage incurred at the location. Receipt of the completed form constitutes your agreement with all conditions established in the prospectus. Artist's consent to use images for publicity purposes is implied upon completion of application.

CALENDAR

April 20 th	Deadline for Entries
April 28 th	Artists Notified
May 26 th	Deadline to Drop Off Accepted Entries at Cultural Corner Gallery, 10 am – 4 pm
June 2 nd	Exhibit Opens, 10 am – 4 pm at the Cultural Corner Gallery Opening Reception at the Cultural Corner Gallery, 6 pm – 9 pm. Reception free and open to the public
July 7 th	Exhibit Closes
July 8 th	Artists may begin picking up artwork during regular Art Gallery House (see below)

Participating artists are strongly encouraged to advertise this event. If each artist brings a few guests; the show will be a success for all. Artist will receive several JPEG graphics that can be printed and distributed or posted on their websites and social media. Feel welcome to post this call for artists, or forward it to other artists that may be interested.

Cultural Corner Art Gallery Hours:

Tuesday through Friday: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Saturday: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Closed Sunday and Monday

Cultural Corner Art Guild & Gallery is located at

424 Locust Street

Chillicothe, MO 64601

Email: arts@culturalcornerartguild.org

Phone: 660-620-8828

<http://culturalcornerartguild.org/>



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Hands Across Missouri

Entry Form

Name: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Website: _____

Payment method: _____ paying by paypal _____ paying by check - check no: _____

Entry # 1

Title _____ Price _____ Size _____

Media _____ Insurance Value (required) _____

Entry # 2

Title _____ Price _____ Size _____

Media _____ Insurance Value (required) _____

Entry # 3

Title _____ Price _____ Size _____

Media _____ Insurance Value (required) _____

Artist Signature _____ Date _____