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CALL FOR ARTISTS

DEADLINE – Apr 17, 2026

midnight, for receipt of entry and payment.

AWARDS \$750, \$450, \$300, and more...



ENTRIES JUROR
Joseph Sweeney

Joseph Sweeney is an award winning landscape painter and printmaker based in Ardmore, PA, with degrees from the Phila College of Art and Penn State University. He is a PAFA Fellow, and has served as artist-in-residence at the Undine Barge Club for over forty years.



AWARDS JUROR
Michele Colonna

Michele Colonna is a curator and cultural strategist exploring the fault line between tradition and technology. As founder of Colonna Contemporary, his curatorial approach is rooted in conviction, favoring artists deeply committed to their practice over trend-driven cycles.



Full juror's bio
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ELIGIBLE ARTISTS

ALL 2D and 3D Artists
18 years of age or older

SHOW DATES

Sat, May 30 through Sun, June 28

RECEPTION DATE and TIMES

Sat, May 30, 2 to 5
DONOR PREVIEW – 2 to 2:30
PUBLIC – 2:30 to 5

SHOW LOCATION

Schwenkfelder Putera Gallery
105 Seminary St. Pennsburg PA
PARKING is Free at the location.

GALLERY HOURS

- Tue - Sat 10 to 4 PM
- Sun 1 to 4 PM

LIABILITY

The GUILD and VENUE are not liable for theft or damage to artwork.

ENTRY FEES - Non-Refundable

SAVE \$5 if you apply between

Mar 16 to Apr 3 up to 2 entries

• MEMBERS \$25

• NON Members \$35

Apr 4 to Apr 17 up to 2 entries

• MEMBERS \$30

• NON Members \$40

Want to Join the Pottstown Guild?



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ENTRY Online Form

QR and address is on top of the page.

If you need help with the form,


paagjuriedshow@gmail.com

Subject: ATTN Jeanne

ACCEPTABLE ARTWORK

- ORIGINALS ONLY in Painting, Drawing, Mixed Media, Sculpture, Collage, Printmaking, Photography, Assemblages.
- 2 ENTRY MAX, not previously shown in the Juried Fine Art Show.
- One entry can be Not for Sale. But not necessary
- Artwork consisting of more than one piece is considered one entry.
- Collaborative art is accepted.

NOT ACCEPTABLE ARTWORK

- NO Generative AI Art. See website for details 
- Schwenkfelder, the host, prohibits:
 - nudity in art
 - politically charged art

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2D ART SPECS

UNFRAMED: 40" MAX

- Gallery wrapped with finished edges.
No visible staples.

2D ART SPECS

FRAMED: 40" MAX with frame included

- **All work must be READY TO HANG.**
- WIRED with hooks screwed securely into the wood.
- NO Sawtooth Hangers.
- NO Exposed glass edge clip framing.

3D ART SPECS

- Freestanding or securely attached to a base.
- Pedestals will be provided.
- Have a size limit question? Contact paagjuriedshow@gmail.com
Subject: ATTN Nicole

ARTWORK IMAGES

JPG, JPEG, PNG

The following images will be requested:

- **2D UNFRAMED** - supply 1 image
- **2D FRAMED** - supply 1 image
- **3D** - supply 2 images:
 1. Front View
 2. Another perspective optional
(ie. side, back, detail)

IMAGES FILE SPECS

• FILE NAME

Last Name_First Name_Title
(ie. Williams_Joan_Calm)

- **300 dpi** we will be using them for printing
- 1200 pixels longest side

ARTIST TALKS

You'll be asked whether you want to participate. 3 artists from different media will each speak for 3 minutes strict time limits.


ARTIST STATEMENT

30 word MAX narrative on each piece of art describing your inspiration, techniques, etc.

ARTIST WORKING IMAGE

For promo on our Social Media, Website, and Eblast.
Folks love to see an artist at work.

DROP-OFF

- In person at show location.
No shipments.
- Each piece of art must have a **drop-off label, attached on back.** 
drop-off label PDF
- **Sending someone in your place?**
Please provide their name.
contact paagjuriedshow@gmail.com
Subject: ATTN Nicole and provide their name.
- Can you bring a dessert to share at the reception? If yes, please let us know at drop-off (ie. cookies, candy)

PICK-UP

- At show location.
- No Shipping back to artist.
- \$10/day fee for any art not collected.
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SALES

- **Commission 30%**
15% Schwenkfelder Center
15% Pottstown Area Artists Guild
- Artwork remains up until end of show unless approved by the Show Chair.
- Artist is responsible to coordinate receipt or delivery of art with the buyer. Pick up day is a great option.
- The guild will collect 6% PA Sales Tax and remit to the PA Dept of Revenue.
- A W-9 is required for sales totaling \$600 or more.
- Artist will receive a check shortly after the show ends.

CALENDAR

Mon, Mar 16 Applications open

Fri, April 10 DEADLINE

midnight for ENTRY & RECEIPT of payment.
NO SUBSTITUTIONS or CHANGES will be accepted after the deadline.

Fri, May 1 ACCEPTANCE NOTICE

Acceptance into this show allows Pottstown Area Artists Guild to use your artwork images for promotion and education. The accepted entry is what's required to be in the show. Please set it aside. NO SUBSTITUTIONS.

Tue, May 26 DROP-OFF

2 to 6 pm

Sat, May 30

RECEPTION / AWARDS

2 to 2:30pm **Donor Preview**

2:30 to 5pm **Open to the Public**

original art, art installation by sculptor Val Bertoia,
artist talks, live music, cash raffle

Sun, Jun 28 SHOW CLOSES

4pm

Tue, Jun 30 PICK-UP

2 to 6 PM

Tue, Jun 30 PEOPLE'S CHOICE

Award presented at pick-up. Winner announced on our E-blast, Instagram, Facebook, and Website.

Questions? contact
Show Chair Nicole McGonigal
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