

MidAmerica Pastel Society

Prospectus
2010

2010 NATIONAL PASTEL EXHIBITION

Irene B. French Gallery of Art

5701 Merriam Drive
Merriam, KS 66203
913-322-5550

Artist Reception

Thursday, August 26, 2010 7 - 9 PM
Awards Presentation at 7:30 PM

Irene B. French Gallery of Art Gallery Hours

Monday thru Thursday, 9:00am-8:00pm
Friday, 9:00am-4:00pm
Saturday, 9:00am-3:00pm
Sunday, 2:00pm-4:00pm
Exhibition on View
August 24-September 25, 2010

Juror and Judge

Lorenzo Chavez, well known artist and teacher, will jury both entries and awards. Mr. Chavez will conduct two plein air workshops. A three day workshop: August 23 - 25, 2010 and a two day workshop: August 27-28 2010.

Eligibility for Entry

Open to all artists working in the soft pastel medium. Work may be traditional or non-objective. ALL work must be predominately (80%) executed in soft pastels. Entries must be original. Painting must be identical to accepted CD image. NO paintings over 3 years old. Neutral mats please.

Work to be hung must not exceed 36" wide by 48" high, (image size). Work must be firmly framed, under glass or plexi glass with sturdy fasteners and strong wire, ready to hang. NO saw-tooth hangers. Neither the Irene B. French Gallery nor MAPS will be responsible for loss or damage of entries using glass.

Submission of Entries Digital Requirements

Artist may submit up to three digital images on a CD. (No E-mail entries). File format must be JPG. CD must contain only the images intended for submission (do not include frame). Individual file should be between 300KB and 5MB and a resolution of 300 ppi (dpi).

Save each of your jpg images using this convention: "yourlastname_title of painting.jpg" (Abbreviate title if lengthy)

Example: Feedback_PrairieTreeAtDa.jpg

Burn your images to a CD and neatly print on the CD with a permanent marker; your name and e-mail address and send it via regular mail to: Loreta Feedback, P.O.Box 8009, Shawnee Mission, KS 66208-0009. All entries must be postmarked by **Monday, May 3rd, 2010**

For the juried exhibition the juror has complete discretion over the selection of works featured and awards given.

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Loreta Feedback, Show Chairperson 913-648-7925 email: artistfeedback@sbcglobal.net

Awards

Cash and Merchandise Awards over \$8,000.
\$1,500 Best of Show.

Donors to be listed in Show Catalog.

Fee Structure

MAPS members \$25 for 1 or 2 images, \$30 for 3 images.
 Nonmembers \$35 for 1 image, \$40 for 2 images and
 \$45 for 3 images. Entry fee will not be refunded.
 Make check out to "MAPS"

Sales

ALL WORK MUST BE FOR SALE. A 35% contribution
 will be taken on all work sold. Prices of art are not
 subject to change once registration is submitted.
 Please price accordingly.

Accepted Work

Notification of acceptance will be mailed by July 1st.
 No CD will be returned.
 MAPS reserves the right to use accepted images in
 promotional advertising.

Delivery of Accepted Work/ Shipping Instructions-Fees

You will receive all the necessary information with
 your acceptance letter. Works may be hand delivered
 to the Irene B. French Gallery of Art. Shipped work
 must arrive at handler by August 20, 2010. There will
 be a \$45.00 handling fee on all shipped works.

Dates to Remember:

May 3 CD Postmarked
 July 1 Notification mailed to entrants
 Aug. 20 Shipped work must arrive at shipper
 Aug. 21 Hand delivery
 Aug. 26 Award Judging
 Aug. 26 Artist reception 7-9pm
 Aug. 26 Awards ceremony 7:30pm
 Sept. 25 MAPS National Pastel Exhibit closes
 Sept. 26 - 30 Pick up dates
 Sept. 29 Shipped work mailed

Hold Harmless Agreement

All work will receive careful handling by competent
 staff; however, neither the Irene B. French Gallery
 of Art nor the MidAmerica Pastel Society, nor
 anyone connected with this exhibition can be held
 responsible for the loss or damage to any work of
 art submitted for exhibition consideration. All work
 submitted is subject to this condition, which must
 be accepted by all participants. Signature on this
 form constitutes acceptance of this Hold Harmless
 Agreement. We recommend artists carry their own

Lorenzo Chavez Plein Air Workshops:

Lorenzo Chavez - www.lorenzochavez.com - 303-690-3548
 Geared toward the serious student of the landscape who has experience
 working in pastels, oils or water media. Students of all levels are welcome.
 There will be demos, critiques and on location painting in the area.

3 day - August 23-25 cost \$350.00

2 day - August 27-28 cost \$275.00

All 5 days cost \$575.00

Supply list with registration - Spaces are limited

A non-refundable registration fee of \$100.00 required

Due by August 1st

Make check out to MAPS

And send to MidAmerica Pastel Society

c/o Donna Aldridge

P.O.Box 8009, Shawnee Mission KS 66208-0009

Any Questions regarding the workshops

Contact MAPS Workshop Coordinator:

Donna Aldridge at: artistaldridge@sbcglobal.net

913-831-3990

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Check one: MAPS Member Non-member

Please print all information legibly. Make check payable to "MAPS" according to fee structure and send FIRST CLASS mail. Enclose your CD, entry form and a

#10 SASE to: MidAmerica Pastel Society

P. O. Box 8009

Shawnee Mission, KS 66208-0009

Artist _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email _____

PRINT TITLE OF EACH ENTRY:

Entry 1 _____

Size (image size) _____ Price _____

Accepted Declined

Entry 2 _____

Size (image size) _____ Price _____

Accepted Declined

Entry 3 _____

Size (image size) _____ Price _____

Accepted Declined

"I have read and agree to all procedures in this prospectus." Signature is mandatory below.

Sign and date

MAPS 2010 (Please complete. This section to be returned to artist)

Artist _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Email _____

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