

GENERAL INFORMATION

We would like to invite you to show your artwork at the 12th Annual **Art at the Crossroads** which is a regional art exhibit and a chance to show your best work. Artwork will be accepted August 30th and 31st and the show will open on Friday, September 3, 2010. Tickets for the opening night reception are \$5; participating artists will receive one complimentary ticket.

Cash awards and ribbons will be awarded at the judge's discretion. A People's Choice cash award will be selected by those attending the opening reception.

ENTRY CRITERIA

Art at the Crossroads is open to professional and amateur artists aged 18 and older. Each artist may submit a total of (3) three pieces completed in the past (2) two years and not previously shown at an **Art at the Crossroads** regional art exhibit.

All work must be original. All paintings must be dry and appropriately presented, mounted or framed, ready to hang with screw eyes and wire attached. *NO SAWTOOTH HANGERS* will be accepted.

Reproductions, works made from kits or under the supervision of an instructor are not eligible. The **Art at the Crossroads** committee reserves the right to refuse any artwork which is inconsistent with the general quality of the exhibit.

If there are more entries than space allows, it may be necessary to limit the number of works per artist shown. All reasonable care will be taken when handling artwork received.

The entry fee is \$20 for up to (3) three works of art. Artists are encouraged to have their work for sale. 70% of the sale price goes to the artist and 30% to Crossroads.

MEDIA CATEGORIES (Artist must declare at time of submission)

1. **Two dimensional:** Oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel, charcoal, ink, print making, mixed media, etc.
2. **Sculpture:** Bas relief, bronze, carving, forged, mobile/stabile.
3. **Photography:** Includes digitally altered photography.
4. **Fine Crafts:** Ceramics, fiber, glass, jewelry, metal, wood, book arts, etc.

Judge: Barbara Robinson

Barbara Robinson, Director of the Artist Services Program at the Idaho Commission on the Arts, received her degree in art from Boise State University where her emphasis was Art History. An Idaho native, Barbara has had a life-long interest in the arts, and since 1993 she has assisted and served individual artists in all disciplines--visual, performing, film, media, and public art.

Barbara manages the individual artist grants and awards programs, assists artists with professional development, and arranges for exhibition opportunities and visibility for artists. She has served as a panelist and consultant for arts agencies in Oregon, Kentucky, Utah, Nevada, Washington state, and West Virginia, as well as for the Boise Art Museum's Art in the Park, Sun Valley Arts and Craft Fair, Spokane's ArtFest, Idaho Paints Idaho, and scores of others throughout the state.

Recent projects include partnering with the Idaho Meth Project, a competition for high school students to create anti-drug messages using public art; serving as a member of the arts, history and culture committee; managing the *Art in Public Places Initiative*; working with the Idaho Film Office on its new grant program for filmmakers, and showcasing Idaho artists statewide on the agency website *Artist in Focus* and the public radio series, *Art & Soul*.

Art at the Crossroads calendar

- August 30 & 31st**
10 am to 5 pm Deliver Artwork to Crossroads at 2020 Auburn Ave., Baker City
Entry forms will be available, please bring fees with you. There are no provisions for late entries.
- Friday September 3rd** 5:30 - 8 pm: Artists opening reception. Refreshments served.
- Saturday September 4th** 10 am: Meet Barbara Robinson the show judge. Barbara will not critique individual work but will talk about the jury process and professionalism. All are welcome to attend.
- Monday, September 27th** 5 pm: Close of the show.
- Tuesday, September 28th** 10 am to 5 pm: Pickup unsold pieces. Please contact Crossroads at 541-523-5369 if other arrangements need to be made.