# Reflections

### "The secret is not running behind the butterflies, it is taking care of the garden so that they come to you." Ruben Alves

#### CONCEPT

A juried art show presenting artists from nearby communities as well as other states. Artists are identified by their work, because there is a part of them within it. It becomes a reflection of who they are, potentially exposing a part of their soul.

#### THE ART SHOW

The goal of this show is to enhance artistic expression as part of the annual Brooten Bonanza Valley Days celebration. We desire to integrate the cultural aspect of the arts with the other elements and activities of the celebration.

The Red Hen House will host the event and will also provide a beautiful catalog of all participating artists and their artwork, advertisement through social media, flyers and local media. A reception will also be held giving our guests an opportunity to meet and speak with the artists.



#### **OUR JUROR**

Tracy Anderson has lived her passion for art throughout her life. Her exquisite talent for oil painting emerged professionally in the past decade propelling her to the top of the art scene with numerous prestigious awards.

Tracy has studied under accomplished artists and has been a teacher in many arenas. She enjoys passing on her love of art through workshops, mentoring art students and teaches in her home studio. She absorbs inspiration from everything around her and can capture a particular moment with intensity and contrast that come to life in the representational style and unforgettable quality,

Tracy is based in Alexandria, MN.

#### JURORS CHOICE AWARD

Juror's Choice Award will be presented during the opening night Artist Reception.

A People's Choice vote will be taken during show hours and announced at the end of the Show.

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#### **VENUE AND SHOW HOURS**

**The Red Hen House Retreat Center**, Brooten, MN The show will take place in the upstairs hall of the Red Hen House, a 127 year old renovated church just off the 'downtown' area in a cozy neighborhood of Brooten.

#### Address

241 Central Avenue South, Brooten, MN

#### Show Hours

Opening Friday, July 13, 4-9pm Artist Reception, Friday, July 13, 6-8pm Saturday, July 14, 10am-5pm

# **Call for Artists**

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## The Red Hen House Retreat Center an art show in Brooten

#### DATES

Submission Deadline May 21, 2018

Artists Notified of Juror's Seletion May 28, 2018

Artists Drop Of Accepted Works No Later Than July 7, 2018

Exhibition Dates July 13-14, 2018

Artist Reception July 13, 6-8pm

#### **Artists Pick Up Works**

For local artists, July 16, 12-4pm at The Red Hen House Retreat Center unless other arrangements have been made in advance.

All other artwork will be shipped back to the artists at the artist's expense. Arrangements must be made in advance.

#### **CONDITIONS OF ENTRY**

The Exhibition is open to artists 18 years and older. Original 2-dimentional works including drawing, painting, photography, printmaking, ceramics, wood, paper, textile, fiber glass, metal smithing, collage, encaustic and mixed media. Crafts, video, kit-work and reproductions are not accepted.

#### **ARTWORK SIZE**

Artwork maximum width can be up to 24". If framed, dimensions include the frame.

#### ENTRY FEE (for up to 3 works)

First piece \$10.00 Any additional piece: \$5.00

#### IMAGES

Provide images of artwork via email. Images must be PC compatible, JPEG format. Guidelines for image: 300 dpi, maximum 7"x9". Each file must be identified by the artist's name and work's title.

#### DISPLAY

All selected works must be ready for presentation. Two-dimentional work must be ready to hang with appropriate hardware and **wire installed**.

#### INSURANCE

The Red Hen House will not assume liability for loss or damage of artwork during transit or while on premises. Artists may secure their own insurance if they choose.

#### SHIPPING

Artists are responsible for transit (shipment or delivery) of accepted artwork to The Red Hen House. If it is shipped, it must be in reusable cartons, no loose packing or peanuts.

#### SALES

The Red Hen House retains a 10% commission on all sales. Works are not required to be for sale.

#### **EXHIBITION AGREEMENT**

By entering the jurying process, the artist agrees to have their work available July 7-15, 2018 for the duration of the show. The artist grants the organizers permission to photograph works for publicity, educational and reference purposes.

#### SELECTED WORK

Entries will be judged on technical merit, aesthetic quality and creativity. All decisions of the jury are final. The juror reserves the right to disqualify any artwork misrepresented by digital files or work that is not supported by adequate installation mounting and hardware.

Fees will not be refunded including those whose art is found unsuitable to be used due to the above reasons, or any other reason.

#### ART NOT SOLD

All art not sold will be returned at the artist's expense. Artists can pickup their artwork at The Red Hen House Retreat Center on July 16, 2018 between 12-4pm unless other arrangements have been made.

Artists who wish their artwork be shipped to them must make prior arrangements and are responsible for shipping costs. Payment must be received prior to shipment.

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#### SUBMISSION CHECKLIST

one image per artwork in JPEG format; 300dpi, max. 7"x9". Original artwork maximum width up to

24". If artwork is framed, frame included.) a signed and completed Entry Form

check for the Entry Fees payable to The Red Hen House. Fee must accompany all images submitted.

artistic statement: creative vision for each work. maximum 100 words (Word document)

artist short bio: maximum 100 words (Word document)

#### MAIL ENTRY FORM AND CHECK TO:

The Red Hen House Retreat Center 241 Central Ave S P.O. Box 6 Brooten, MN 56316

**SUBMIT ELECTRONIC IMAGES & DOCUMENTS** TO:

thelentlady@theredhenhouse.com

#### **QUESTIONS?**

Call Barbara at 320,424,0232 Or email to address above.

#### **ENTRY FORM**

Please print clearly. All sections must be completed.

Name		-
Address		-
City	State	_Zip
Phone		

Email

Title of Work	Medium	Dimensions (Include frame if applicable)	Date Work Completed	Sale Price (or NFS if Not For Sale)

I have read the Conditions of Entry and all other specifications accompanying this Entry Form and will submit my work(s) under the rules.

Date \_\_\_\_\_\_ Artist's Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_

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