

Call for Artists ~ Invitation to Show

The Waimea Arts Council invites island artists enter the
**31st ANNUAL HELEN M. CASSIDY MEMORIAL
JURIED ART SHOW**
Firehouse Gallery • October 2015

~ PROSPECTUS ~

WHO: This juried art show is open to current and new members of the Waimea Arts Council. Membership is open to all adults 18 and older. All media will be accepted: oil, watercolor, acrylic, pastel, drawing, photography, ceramic, glass, fiber, wood, sculpture, mixed media, etc. Cash awards will be announced at the reception on Oct. 10, 2015.

ENTRIES: Entry fee is \$20 per entry. You may enter as many pieces as you want. Entry fees are non-refundable. All entered pieces must be original (no prints or reproductions will be accepted, with the exception of photographs) and have not been exhibited in past Cassidy Shows or have won previous awards in any contest.

The maximum size for any entry, including frame is 36" x 36" (or an equivalent of 1296 square inches). Due to gallery policy no nudes will be accepted. Artwork must be ready for installation - including wires (no saw tooth hangers or shrink wrap), bases and/or mounts as required. A 25% donation/commission for the Waimea Arts Council should be factored into your sale price.

JUDGING: This is a juried show, and the juror has discretion to choose which entries will be included in the exhibit. Entries will be judged using five criteria: originality, visual balance, visual clarity, personal expression and execution of the medium. Cash award amounts will depend on the number of entries. Not for sale (NFS) pieces will not be eligible for prizes.

The judge for this year's show is Mary Spears, a Hawaii fine artist who works in oils and watercolors along with a variety of printmaking techniques. She is also an art teacher and recognized in the state for her bold and enthusiastic treatment of the subjects she portrays. Currently she serves on the Art In Sight Board where her interest in education, art and health come together.

ENTRY DATE: Works must be submitted at the Firehouse Gallery, 67-1201 Mamalahoa Hwy. between the hours of 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 2 and 3. Exhibiting artists are asked to volunteer to keep the gallery open for four hours during galley hours. (Gallery hours: 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Wednesday through Sunday).

RECEPTION: The reception and awards presentation will be held on Saturday, October 10, from 3 to 5 p.m.

PICK UP DATE: Those works selected will be hung in the Firehouse Gallery October 7 - 31. The show will close on October 31. Artists are asked to pick up pieces on Saturday, October 31 between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., or call to arrange a later pick-up date. Pieces left after October 31 may be assessed a \$5.00 per day storage fee.

The Waimea Arts Council will handle all work with the utmost of care; however artists will be responsible for liability of individual art and will hold the Waimea Arts Council and the County of Hawaii harmless.

Individuals are encouraged to join Waimea Arts Council and enter the show.

A membership form can be downloaded at www.waimeeartscouncil.org or picked up at the Firehouse Gallery

For more information contact Waimea Arts Council 808-887-1057, or exhibition chair:

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