



CALL FOR ENTRIES

The Vienna Arts Society's Winter Art Show at Green Spring Gardens

“ART IN THE GARDEN”

December 16, 2019 – February 3, 2020

Made possible through the cooperation of The Friends of Green Spring Gardens and Vienna Arts Society
Green Spring Gardens, 4603 Green Spring Rd, Alexandria Va. 22312 (703) 642-5173

1st, 2nd, 3rd & Honorable Mention Ribbons will be awarded

Artists must register AND volunteer by Friday, Dec. 6, 2019

THIS SHOW IS OPEN TO VAS MEMBERS ONLY; set fee of \$30 for 1-3 art submissions

The first 115 paintings registered will be accepted. This is NOT a Juried Entry Show

AWARDS JUDGE: Alice Kale Alice Kale is a signature member of the Virginia Watercolor Society, the Baltimore Watercolor Society, and Potomac Valley Watercolorists. She currently teaches at The Art League School in Alexandria, VA. Alice's rich watercolors and oils show her love for recording natural beauty in portraits, still life, and landscapes. She and her husband love travel, and she records their trips in sketchbook diaries. Her work has been featured in the Washington Post, and two national magazines, Watercolor Magic and Artist's Sketchbook. She exhibits extensively in the mid-Atlantic region and has won numerous awards. To see her work, visit www.alicekale.com.

SCHEDULE:

Friday Dec 6, 2019: Registration & payment must be postmarked by this date.

Monday December 16, 2019: Receiving: 12:45 to 1:45 pm
Hanging: 1:30 - 4 pm

Sunday January 5, 2020: Reception & Awards 1 pm to 3 pm

Monday February 3, 2020*: Exhibit ends -- PICK UP ARTWORK* 11 am – Noon

*ALL artwork must be picked up on these dates; sorry there is NO STORAGE at the venue.

SUBMISSIONS CRITERIA

This is the 7th year for the Vienna Arts Society to exhibit and partner with the Friends of Green Spring Gardens to create a public exhibition and sale. Reminder, this is NOT a juried entry show. **The first 115 entries will be accepted.** You will be notified if you have been waitlisted.

Submissions must be original artwork (including photography) and **must portray themes of:**

- Horticulture, OR
- Nature (Flora and Fauna) OR
- Local or Historical Nature Landscapes (meaning please no ocean/urban landscapes).
- Only hand painted, hand drawn or other “original 2-D” art will be considered. Traditional photographs and digitally enhanced photographs and single copy, hand pulled lithographs are welcome however drafts, photocopy, offset prints, or copies of already published art will not be accepted.
- Artwork previously shown at a VAS sponsored Green Spring Gardens Shows will be not be accepted.

SIZE RESTRICTIONS: VAS members may submit up to 3 pieces of artwork- each no larger than 40”x 40” framed.

FRAMING: All artwork must be CLEAN and suitably framed.

Entries must be ready to hang with hooks and wire (hooks attached to the frame approximately 1/3 distance from the top of the frame) AND protected by glass/Plexiglass if a watercolor or pastel or when otherwise necessary to protect the artwork. Saw tooth hangers, clips, wet canvasses, soiled or poorly matted works, frames in poor condition will not be accepted.

ALL ARTWORK MUST BE FOR SALE

A 30% commission is to be paid to Green Spring Gardens by all artists who sell their work at the show plus a 5 % commission is to be paid to VAS to cover credit card sale processing fees.

Submissions must comply with all aspects of the Prospectus.

IF THESE FRAMING and SUBMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS ARE NOT MET, your entry will be disqualified. Disqualified works are not eligible for a fee refund.

VAS will be displaying our art in all areas of the Main Building.

VAS Green Spring Gardens Registration & Volunteer Form 2019

Registration and payment must be postmarked no later than Friday, Dec 6, 2019.
Please make your \$30 check payable to VAS (NO CASH) and send with this completed registration/volunteer form to: **Jodi Condes, 10018 Garrett St, Vienna, Va 22181**
Questions: please email Jodi Condes at jodicondes@gmail.com with any questions.

Please read and complete this form carefully as NO CHANGES can be made after submission. Your information is used to create labels for the show in advance. **MAXIMUM** framed size is 40" x 40".

Please initial here to indicate you have read the Prospectus and understand the terms for participating in the show. _____.

Artist's Name _____

Address _____.

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____.

Cell phone _____ Email _____

Title 1 _____ Size _____ Medium _____ Price \$ _____

Title 2 _____ Size _____ Medium _____ Price \$ _____

Title 3 _____ Size _____ Medium _____ Price \$ _____

VOLUNTEER FORM: ALL ARTISTS MUST VOLUNTEER FOR 1 OF THE POSITIONS BELOW in order to participate in the show and as part of your registration (please indicate 1st/2nd choice):

_____ Yes **LABELS:** I can make LABELS for all of the art work in this show. (1 volunteer needed)

_____ Yes **PROGRAM** I can make the PROGRAM for this show (1 volunteer needed)

RECEIVING//HANGING on **Mon, 12/16/19** times by job below

_____ Yes I CAN: **RECEIVING** (5 volunteers) on Mon, 12/16/19 from 12:45 – 1:45 PM

_____ Yes I CAN: **HANGING** (15 volunteers) on MON, 12/16/19 from 1:30 PM - 4 PM

RECEPTION/AWARDS (15 volunteers needed) on **Sunday Jan 5, 2020 from 1pm - 3 pm**

_____ Yes I CAN: **RECEPTION:** (15 volunteers) bring a dessert or appetizer on Sunday Jan 5 from 1 – 3 pm

_____ Yes I CAN **RECEPTION** (6/8 volunteers) : **SET UP** **SERVE** **CLEAN UP**
12:30 to 4 PM

TAKE DOWN SHOW (4) VOLUNTEERS on Monday **February 3, 2020 from 11 am to Noon**

_____ Yes I CAN help take down the show on Monday on 2/3/2020 from 11 am - Noon