

MTRP Art Program:

The Mission Trails Regional Park Foundation offers opportunities for visual artists to display their work. Currently, these displays are limited to two-dimensional and hanging three-dimensional work by small or large groups and solo artists. Each year the MTRP sets aside two exhibitions for artists wishing to exhibit, but who are not part of a group and who do not wish a solo exhibition.

Displays of artwork are rotated every four weeks throughout the year. Regardless of the media, certain criteria must be followed as outlined by the Mission Trails Regional Park Foundation. All funds raised by the MTRP Art in the Park Program stay in the park to support the art program and other park improvements.

Artist who have Previously Exhibited in MTRP:

Artists, who exhibited in 2013, may apply in 2014 only for an exhibition different from their previous year's show. For example, a Solo Artist in 2013, may apply for a Group Show in 2014, and a Member of a Group Exhibition in 2013 may apply for a Solo Show in 2014. Artists, who skip a year, may apply for either a solo or group show regardless of his/her previous exhibition. **Exception: Artists may apply in the Group Show category every year.**

The Application Process

Applications for exhibitions in the MTRP Center Gallery are only available and accepted from May 1st — June 30th for the next exhibition year. Entry deadline is June 30, 2013.

All applicants must be juried by the MTRP Art Committee. The MTRP Art Committee is comprised of professional artists and photographers as well as individuals representing the MTRP Foundation. Artists are notified of either acceptance or non-acceptance by email.

Artists applying for an exhibition in MTRP **MUST** have a valid email address in order to be juried.

During the Application Period:

Mail: Mail your CD with images along with the MTRP *Art Exhibition Application Form* and a \$15.00 check payable to "MTRP Foundation" to the address below. If you provide a SASE your, CD will be returned to you.

Email: Email your application and jpeg images to the email address below. Your application will not be processed until your Jurying Fee is received.



Questions? Contact:

Vicky DeLong: Art Coordinator
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Cover Art 2012 Exhibiting Artists ~
Left to Right Top: Terry Kvitzky and Kris DeYoung
Left to Right Bottom: Joan Creech Kraft and Janice Pennington

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2014 CALL FOR ARTISTS



**Mission Trails Regional Park
One Father Junipero
Serra Trail
San Diego, CA 92119-1008
619. 668.3280**

Art Application Form:

*NAME: _____
*PHONE #: _____
*CELL #: _____
*ADDRESS: _____
*CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____
*EMAIL: _____
*MEDIUM: ___ OIL ___ ACRYLIC ___ W/C
___ Mixed Media ___ PASTEL ___ PHOTO
___ OTHER ~ Specify _____

* Required Fields

Have you previously shown in MTRP?
___ YES ___ NO If Yes, Year? _____

Select only one!

✓ Exhibit request type:

- Solo Exhibition **or**
 Solo Artist wishing to be placed in the
annual Group Exhibition (Group Show)

Small Group Exhibition (2 - 10)

Number of Members _____

Large Group Exhibition (11 +)

Group/Organization Name:

✓ Enclosed with application:

- Application Form
 Jurying Fee of \$15.00: Payable to the
"MTRP Foundation"
 Three (3) artwork images
(emailed or CD)
 SASE for return of CD

✂ **Cut along line at right and return this form**

Art Guidelines:

Subject Matter: Only the following subject matter is acceptable for display in the MTRP Gallery. Questions should be directed to the Art Coordinator. ***Please note exceptions!***

- a. Landscapes/Seascapes
- b. Wildlife, Marine-life or Domestic Animals including cows, horses, dogs, cats, etc.
- c. Figurative paintings (*exception: traditional portraits*)
- d. All Missions, Balboa Park, and the Cabrillo Lighthouse etc. (*exception: San Diego Zoo, Sea World or the SD County Fairgrounds*)
- e. Nature related Still-life (*exception: traditional still-life may only account for 10% of the total displayed artwork*)
- f. Plants, Flowers, vegetation

Sale of Art: All artwork exhibited must be for sale.

Originality: All artwork must be the original work of the exhibiting artist. No copies of other works will be accepted. No student work will be accepted. *Photographic Prints and L. E. Giclee Prints are exempted.*

Artwork Style: Artwork displayed must be similar in style/theme to the images used for jurying. It must fit into the subject matter listed above.

Framing: All artwork must be framed and must have eye screws or straps and picture wire attached to the back of the frame. Picture wire should be taped or crimped on the ends to avoid scratching walls. No tubing on wires will be accepted or coated wire larger than No. 5 gauge. Oil paintings on stretched canvas MUST have edges painted. Artists are requested to use Plexiglas whenever possible.

Size/Weight: Paintings may not be larger than **42 inches framed** in any one direction or weigh more than 25 pounds.

Number of Paintings/Photos: No more than 50 pieces or fewer than 30 pieces total will be displayed in the gallery space. Solo Artists will be asked to sign an agreement indicating that they will have no fewer than 30 pieces to display. No Exceptions!

Exhibition Requirements:

Artwork: Each artist or artist/group member must be individually juried every year and may **ONLY** submit three (3) digital images of their work. ***See specifics below:***

Submit Images: Three (3) jpeg images (digital) with 1024 pixels on the longest side at 72 dpi (sent as email attachments or on a CD) **Please name your jpegs the name of the artwork.** AND include a list with your name, title and medium for each image submitted.

Jurying Fee: An annual \$15.00 non-refundable jurying fee **per artist** is required with your application. Applications will not be processed until fee is received.

Exhibition Fee: In 2014, the non-refundable fee to exhibit will be **\$100.00** per **four week** exhibition in MTRP.

Reception Cleaning Deposit: Artists are **required** to hold a reception during their exhibition. A \$100.00 refundable cleaning deposit is required in case of damage to the Visitor Center during the extent of the exhibit.

Email Address: Applicants must have a valid email address in order to exhibit in MTRP. All communications will be through email or by phone.

Commission: A commission of 25% on all artwork sold in the Visitor Center is required. Exhibiting artists must pay State sales tax.

Disclaimer: All applicants agree to abide by the decision of the MTRP Art committee regarding selection for an exhibition in the MTRP Gallery.