



Los Gatos Plein Air 2013

Application Information

Event

Los Gatos Plein Air 2013 is the fifth annual presentation of artists' interpretation of the beauty of Los Gatos, California, and the surrounding areas. The event is sponsored by the **Los Gatos Morning Rotary Club**, which supports the arts, music and youth in Los Gatos, and the humanities programs of Rotary International. This year's event will take place from **June 18th through 22nd, 2013**, in the Town of Los Gatos.

Eligibility

Open to all artists 18 years and older.

Entry Form and Fee

The application for **Los Gatos Plein Air 2013** will be available online from October 1, 2012 through January 30, 2013. A completed **online application form** should be submitted via www.OnlineJuriedShows.com. Please print your application receipt for your records. The Los Gatos Plein Air 2013 Application fee is \$45.00. The fee is payable when you apply online via credit card or a check to be mailed immediately following the online submission to:

Carol Waitte, 19 Glenridge Avenue, Los Gatos, CA 95030

Applicants who fail to submit payment will be dropped from the application pool prior to the selection process.

Image Format

Each artist must submit three (3) professional quality images of artwork in JPEG format with an Image Size of 72dpi @ 1920x1920 pixels. Image helpers, guidelines, tips for photographing your work and an Image Resizing Tool can be found at www.OnlineJuriedShows.com/help.aspx. If you have format questions or trouble uploading your images, please contact website manager, Erich Neubert, via email at: info@onlinejuriedshows.com or by calling 949-287-8645.

Entry Process

Los Gatos Plein Air is a juried exhibition, with applications reviewed by a panel of outstanding jurors. The panel will review all submitted applications and select approximately 40 artists for a total of 45 artists to participate in the 2013 event (Award winners and top revenue-generating artists of 2012 will be invited back to join the 2013 event.) Notification of selected artists will be sent to each applicant via email no later than January 30, 2013. Artist agreement forms will be physically mailed to those who have been accepted following the announcement.

Exhibition Details

All artwork must be completed in Los Gatos or the surrounding South Bay Area between June 18th and June 22nd, 2013. Only artwork on canvas stamped with the approved insignia will be accepted into the event. Artists are permitted to arrive in Los Gatos as early as June 17th; however, registration will not begin, and artists will NOT be provided host lodging, until June 18th.

Registration

Registration will take place, and canvases will be stamped with an approved insignia, beginning on Tuesday, June 18th at 8:00 a.m. **Artists are permitted to bring in WET canvases that have been painted the day before or early the morning of the 18th.** Only artwork with this stamp will be permitted in the Exhibition & Sale. In addition, all works must be suitably framed with proper backing. Wire hangers or a suitable hanging device must be attached and ready to hang.

Sales

This event is a fundraiser for the Los Gatos Morning Rotary Charitable Foundation, a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization. The Los Gatos Morning Rotary Charitable Foundation will retain 40% of all sales revenue generated throughout the sale. Commissioned pieces during the course of the event will also be permitted at the previously mentioned rate. Payments for all work sold will be mailed shortly after the exhibit closes.

Lodging/Transportation

Los Gatos Morning Rotary will make every effort to provide complimentary accommodations to each participating artist for four nights, June 18th through the 21st, 2013. Artists are responsible for accommodations for spouses or companions, and also for providing their own transportation to and from Los Gatos, California. Discounted lodging will be made available at a local hotel.

Calendar

- January 30, 2013 Artist Entry Online Application Cut Off
(Please mail your application receipt and check immediately following the online submission. As long as the online submission is on time your application will be reviewed).
- February 15th, 2013 Artist Notification emailed, Artist Agreement Mailed
- March 1st, 2013 Artist Agreement signed and returned
- June 18th, 2013 Artists Arrive in Los Gatos
- June 21st, 2013 *VIP Artist Reception* and Auction
- June 22nd, 2013 Fine Art Exhibition and Sale

For more information or concerns please visit www.lgpleinair.org or contact Bob Long at 408-205-3108

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