

CALL TO ARTISTS

Get all the details and entry forms online at GualalaArts.org or at the Gualala Arts office.



Summer Art Program for Youth

Registration begins immediately and closes June 25, 2007 (or when full) for Gualala Arts' Summer Art Program for Youth ages 3 through 13. The dates will be Monday through Thursday, July 9 through 12 and 16 through 19 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The cost is \$150 per child.

This program has been extremely popular in the past 16 years. Preschoolers will receive a three-hour Art and Physical Education program. Students in grades 1 through 6 are offered a choice of two consecutive classes of 1 1/2 hours each. Classes will be given in Ceramics, Drama, Creative Arts and Crafts, Irish Dance, Culinary Art, and Drawing, Painting, & Sculpture.

Gualala Arts Center is located at 46501 Gualala Road in Gualala. You can call (707) 884-1138 for more information. Registration forms can be downloaded from <http://www.gualalaarts.org>. Please mail registration with check enclosed to Gualala Arts, P.O. Box 244, Gualala, CA 95445.

Art in the Redwoods Artist Vendor Booths or Summer Saturday Art Fests for 07

If you are an artist interested in selling your work in a booth during the Art in the Redwoods Festival, August 17 – 19, or on the Saturdays May 26, July 7, and October 6, downtown by the Gualala Hotel, be sure to get your application in as early as possible. Here is your chance to sell your art in a friendly, fair-like atmosphere.

Fine Art Exhibit at Art in the Redwoods 07

A new idea and incentive for entering the Fine Art Exhibit at Art in the Redwoods is that Gualala Arts will publish and market a 2008 wall calendar. The First Place winners in each category will have their work featured on a monthly page. The Best of Show winner will be on the cover. Applications to be in this show of shows on the coast are now available online at GualalaArts.org or at the office. Remember only the first 420 applications will be accepted, so fill out yours today. Only two entries per artist are permitted. Read all the rules because there have been some changes.

Artists Using Experimental Or Alternative Photographic Methods

The curators of the upcoming exhibit in Burnett Gallery entitled "Alternatives," invite photographers who can think outside the box to use photographic images in new and creative ways. Artists are asked to submit their proposals as soon as possible but no later than Thursday, May 31. The exhibit challenges photographers to explore experimental, non-traditional techniques such as alternatives to the straight black and white or color process, use of mixed media, application of photographs to non-traditional surfaces, or inclusion of images in three dimensional sculpture or collages. This will NOT be your ordinary photo show! This show is open to professional and amateur artists who wish to create art using experimental or alternative **photographic** methods. This exhibit is open to all subject matter, including adult subjects. Sharon Nickodem and Marion Patterson will curate this exhibit.

The entry fee for proposals is \$10.00 for Gualala Arts members and \$20.00 for non-members. Artists will be notified on Friday, June 15 if they have been selected for inclusion in "Alternatives," which runs from December 8, 2007 through January 6, 2008.

An application form may be downloaded from the Art center website – www.GualalaArts.org or can be picked up at the Gualala Arts office between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. weekdays. Inquiries should be made directly to the curators by calling 707-884-9611 or emailing them at sharonnickodem@aol.com.

Important Dates:

- Proposals must be turned into GAC office no later than Thursday, May 31.
- Artists will be notified no later than 5 p.m. Friday, June 15, whether or not their proposal has been accepted.
- Deliver pieces (with \$10 registration fee for members; \$20 fee for non-members) to GAC on Wednesday, December 5 between 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
- Pieces that are not accepted for the show should be picked up December 6 & 7 during GAC normal office hours.
- Exhibit Opening and Reception is Saturday, December 8, 5 – 7 pm.
- Pick up unsold pieces Monday, January 7, 2008, between 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

