

# "Let Them Eat Cake!"

## Gualala Arts Exhibit

### Registration Form

Friday, December 4, 2015

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#### Dates to Remember

- TURN IN ENTRY FORM BY: 11/20/2015
- DELIVER ARTWORK: 12/4/2015 4:30PM
- OPENING RECEPTION: 12/4/2015 5 p.m. – 7 p.m.  
PICK-UP ARTWORK: 12/4/2015 7:30 p.m. (if there is any left!)

Exhibit Curator: Jane Head

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**"Let them eat cake!":** It's one of the most famous quotes in history. At some point around 1789, when being told that her French subjects had no bread, Marie-Antoinette (bride of France's King Louis XVI) supposedly sniffed, "Qu'ils mangent de la brioche" - "Let them eat cake." With that callous remark, the queen became a hated symbol of the decadent monarchy and fueled the revolution that would cause her to (literally) lose her head several years later. But did Marie-Antoinette really say those infuriating words? Probably not. But we don't really care, because for this year's Gualala Salon, there will be no hors d'oeuvres! We will all eat cake and drink champagne!

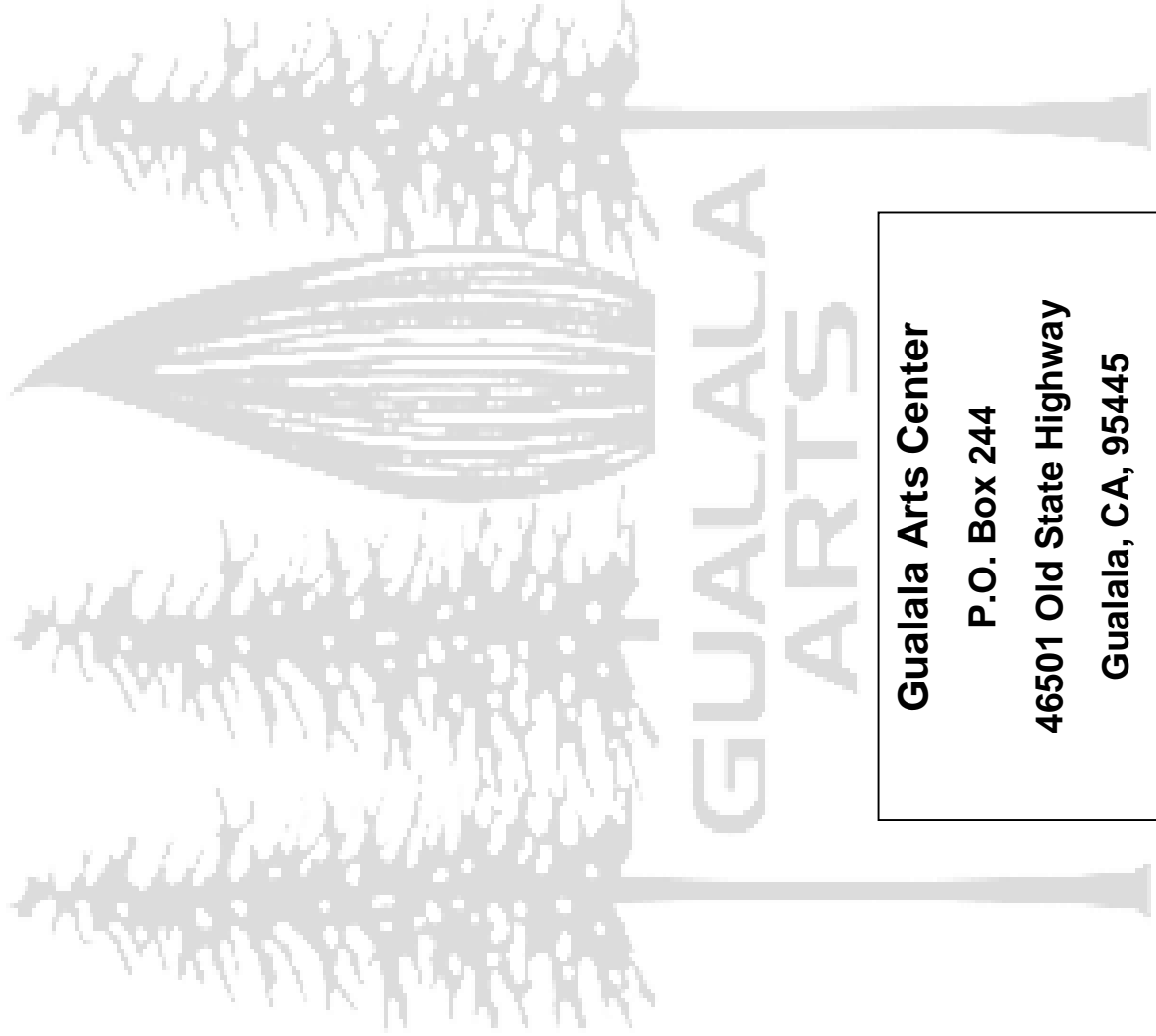
"How can this be?" you ask. And here's the answer: This year, in addition to the Fine Art Competition of the Gualala Salon, there will be a separate Fine Art Cake Contest. Artists will be encouraged to create Fine Art Cakes that will be judged on their artistic merit, not on their taste

1. Registration fee is \$10 per entry, two entries for \$15. Up to two entries are allowed per person.
2. This show will NOT be juried, but it will be judged. First Prize will be \$250, Second Prize \$175 and Third Prize \$100
3. Please fill out an Entry Form for EACH piece. Turn in the top portion to Gualala Arts, with entry fee by the deadline. When delivering the art, attach the Entry Label portion securely to each piece. Keep the Artist Receipt for your personal record of what you are exhibiting
4. The Entry Form provides basic information for the exhibit "Title Card" which is created by Gualala Arts. A "Title Card" will be displayed beside each piece. The information will include the unique Tracking Number, Artist's name, Title, and Media. It is essential that this information is correct, since this information is used to send awards checks to artists
5. For this exhibit, artists are encouraged to use any ingredients for their cakes, remembering that they will be

judged on artistic merit and not taste – although taste could be a tie breaker! All entries must be edible.

6. Attendees at the Opening Reception for the Gualala Salon will get to eat the cakes and wash their cake down with free champagne
7. The curator will provide a binder to display an "Artist Statement" and photograph (optional) for each artist. Please submit with your Entry Forms
8. Please ensure all cake artwork is professionally prepared for eating. Gualala Arts is not liable for any art work or installation, at any point in the process.
9. Make checks payable to Gualala Arts and send to Gualala Arts Center, C/O Let Them Eat Cake!, P.O. Box 244, Gualala, CA, 95445.
10. The Exhibit Opening Reception will be 12/4/2015 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Please try to attend. Do not bring any other food, attendees will only eat cake and drink free champagne!





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**9 a.m. – 4 p.m. Weekdays**  
**12 – 4 p.m. Weekends**  
**Special Hours on Some**  
**Holidays**