

# DEPARTMENT 13 DOMESTICS DEPARTMENT ART EXHIBITION & SHOW

*Saturday, August 8th, 2026– 8:00 AM*

*Amount Offered - \$3,016.00*

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

DEPARTMENT 12 DOMESTICS RULES APPLY ALONG WITH DEPARTMENT 13\*

The Wayne County Fair Domestic Department Exhibition & Show will feature an Art Exhibition throughout the week of the Wayne County Fair in Floral Hall in a separate area from the Domestic Department. The Exhibition is calling for Artwork in categories found within the Domestic Department under their rightful Division and Section. We are seeking media portraying the following subjects listed below for the 2026 Fair week. This will be an exhibition to promote that subject and is open to all ages. The fees paid and proceeds developed from the sales of the artwork will go towards the department premiums as well as 30% into the restoration of Floral Hall with the goal to have an upstairs Artist Exhibition area. For artists selling their pieces please review the rules.

**PLEASE NOTE THE SUBJECT OF THE SHOW : NO OTHER SUBJECT AREAS WILL BE ACCEPTED:  
*AGRICULTURE OF THE FINGER LAKES, A SALUTE TO OUR FARMERS  
AND ALL THEY DO.***

## ENTRY RULES:

1. **SHOW ITEMS ARE ACCEPTED Saturday, August 8th, 2026 9AM-5PM.**
2. Entries will be released between 6:00 PM and 8:00 PM, Sunday, August 16th, 2026
3. If the exhibitor would like their work up for sale you must supply a price on the work, the department will add the labeled tags.
4. All works must have a title, and artists name placed on supplied gallery labels upon arrival.
5. This Exhibition is open to all artists beginners to professionals.
6. All ages are welcome to enter and join.
7. Only one entry per exhibitor. No person may enter their piece of work under another person's name.
8. All art work must be original and created by the artist.
9. Exhibitors are expected to be prepared to talk about their art work piece to the judges if needed to split a tie.
10. No names shall be shown on the piece. If there is a name, please cover it with a small piece of paper or tape that will not hurt or destroy the piece of work until the judging process is complete.

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** *Saturday, August 8, 2026– 5:00 PM*

**ENTRY FEE:** *\$10.00, Ages 16yrs & under are Free, Veterans are Free (Military ID must be shown at time of Drop off)*

## AWARDS FOR SHOW:

ONE OF EACH PLACE GIVEN FOR WHOLE DEPARTMENT 3

1ST	ROSETTE & \$100.00
2ND	ROSETTE & \$75.00
3RD	ROSETTE & \$50.00

PLACEMENTS WITHIN EACH CLASS WILL BE GIVEN WITH A RIBBON AND PRIZE AS WELL

# DIVISION 01- ART SHOW

## RULES:

SEE DOMESTICS RULES AS WELL AS THE ART SHOW RULES THAT APPLY.

## SUBJECT AREA OF THE SHOW :

*AGRICULTURE OF THE FINGER LAKES, A SALUTE TO OUR  
FARMERS AND ALL THEY DO*

**NO OTHER SUBJECT AREAS WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

### BEST OF FAIR – ART SHOW - ROSETTE

#### SECTION 1 – BARNES OF THE FINGER LAKES

<b>CLASS:</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>3rd</b>
1. TRADITIONAL BARN EXTERIOR	6.00	4.00	2.00
2. INTERIOR OF A BARN	6.00	4.00	2.00
3. OTHER (STILL MUST BE AG RELATED)	6.00	4.00	2.00

#### SECTION 2 – AGRICULTURE OF THE FINGER LAKES

<b>CLASS:</b>	<b>1st</b>	<b>2nd</b>	<b>3rd</b>
1. PORTRAIT OF A PERSON IN AGRICULTURE	6.00	4.00	2.00
2. LANDSCAPE OF AGRICULTURE	6.00	4.00	2.00
3. STILL LIFE OF AGRICULTURE	6.00	4.00	2.00
4. OTHER (STILL MUST BE AG RELATED)	6.00	4.00	2.00

## **Exhibit Rules and Regulations**

In an effort to maintain professional gallery practices, Wayne County Fair implements the following rules and regulations for its juried exhibits.

We ask that Artists and Art makers read and adhere to the rules and regulations. The Wayne County Fair Domestic Department reserves the right to refuse submission to any Exhibit and will not accept artworks that do not comply with the stated rules and regulations.

Observing the following points ensures that your artwork will be exhibited in the best possible way.

We appreciate your support. ~ The Wayne County Fair Domestic Department 13

### **Originality and Prints**

All entries must be original works and not previously shown in a Wayne County Fair Department.

Please be mindful of copyright infringements.

Copies and reproductions of original works of art, whether embellished or not, are not eligible for submission to exhibits. However, fine art prints such as photographs, lithographs, woodcuts, engravings, etchings, screen prints and digital works are acceptable as long as they are labeled as such and numbered as an edition.

### **Size**

Maximum size for all artwork, is as follows:

Two-dimensional work, 2D, measurements are 48" in width and 48" in height .

Three dimensional work, 3D, measurements are 36" in circumference width 60" in height.

### **Two Dimensional Art and Framing**

All works on paper, including photographs, must be framed. Glass and Plexiglas must be clean inside and out, unscratched and intact.

Works on canvas must be framed or have gallery-wrapped, finished edges with no staples visible.

Frames must be in good condition, free of scratches and loose corners.

Mats must be clean and smoothly cut.

A hanging wire must be firmly attached to the back with screw-eyes or D-rings, and the wire not exceeding the top of the frame.

2-D pieces with saw tooth hangers will not be accepted.

Dust covers or other backing material must be clean and intact.

Artwork must be completely dry at time of submission.

### **Three Dimensional Art**

The Wayne County Fair is not accepting 3D art within Domestic Department Section 13 as of now. We are hoping to explore this option in the future. Please stay tuned.

### **Withdrawal**

Work accepted for an exhibition may not be substituted, nor will any artwork be withdrawn during any exhibition, in any circumstance.

### **Review and Inclusion in Exhibition**

All Entries will be reviewed at the time of submission to ensure adherence to the artwork condition rules and regulations of the exhibit.

Inclusion / Exclusion in the exhibit is at the sole discretion of the Juror (not connected with The Wayne County Fair and is non-negotiable). The Superintendent of the WCF Domestic Department and Wayne County Fair reviews artwork for adherence to the Wayne County Fair rules and regulations only and reserves the right to refuse submission based on the terms stated within.

## **Review and Inclusion in Exhibition (continued)**

The number of pieces included in the exhibit will depend upon the space available and the size of the artworks selected. On average, this will be between 10 and 20 pieces.

The Wayne County Fair reserves the right to turn away any submissions that it deems inappropriate for our younger viewers or offensive in subject matter.

Works with overtly pornographic, discriminatory or violent messages may be barred from submission per the Wayne County Fair Domestic Superintendent and/or Board of Directors.

## **Statement of Responsibility**

All entries are left at the owner's risk—The Wayne County Fair is not responsible for any loss or damage to submitted artwork by any means whatsoever.

The Wayne County Fair employees, staff, and volunteers will take all necessary precaution in handling artwork.

## **Awards**

Three cash awards are given for each show: 1st Prize is \$100, 2nd Prize is \$75 and 3rd Prize is \$50.

## **Fees**

All exhibitions require a non-refundable entry fee for each submission. \$10 per entry and artists may submit up to three images.

## **Sales**

All artwork on exhibit must be For Sale.

All artwork sold in exhibitions at The Wayne County Fair are subject to a 30 % commission fee held by The Wayne County Fair. Artists receive 70% of the listed sales price of any artwork sold through exhibitions.

In order to receive payment for sold artwork, Artists must Submit Entry Forms and entry fee to the Wayne County Fair Secretary's office by August 8th, 2026. The Artist will receive an Exhibitors number.

Payments for sold artwork are not processed until the exhibition has closed (6pm Sunday). Payments for artwork sold in any exhibition must be processed before 6 pm Sunday August 16th 2026 before the Secretary & Treasurers office is closed. This is also the time of Artwork Pickup.

The Superintendent of the WCF Domestic Department will notify Artists of the sale of art either by telephone or email.

## **Pick-Up of Artwork**

Artwork must be picked up on Sunday August 10th between 6pm -8pm. There is a one week grace period for late pick-up, last chance for pick up for ONLY SECTION 13 is Sunday August 10th. Anyone who has not picked up their work after the specified pick-up day is subject to being assessed a storage fee.

Artwork that has not been picked up after 30 days of the exhibition closure, becomes the property of The Wayne County Fair.

## **Miscellaneous**

The Wayne County Fair Domestic Superintendent must review and approve in advance, any unconventional methods of display or hanging presentation.

Once an accepted piece of artwork is installed in a show, no requests for moving any art pieces, or to change the location of any art pieces, will be considered or accepted.

Placement and position of art in any exhibit is up to the discretion of the Director and staff of The Wayne County Fair to place and to hang artwork. If there are requests and directions, in regard to any piece of art entered to an Exhibition, please supply and furnish those requests upon the art submission and delivery.

**EXAMPLE OF GALLERY CARD TO FILL OUT GIVEN  
AT SHOW ENTRY:**

TITLE OF WORK _____
MEDIA _____
ARTISTS NAME _____
PRICE OF WORK _____

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**DEPARTMENT 13 ART SHOW & EXHIBITION ENTRY  
FORM**

NAME:

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HOMETOWN:

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EMAIL ADDRESS:

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PHONE NUMBER:

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TITLE OF WORK;

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MEDIA OF WORK:

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PRICE OF WORK:

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT WORK TO SUPPORT JUDGES DECISION:

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