



## **CALL TO ARTISTS**

### **Salon des Refusé: An Emerging Artist Show**

### **June 13th - July 15th, 2023**

The Central California Art Association at Mistlin Gallery is excited to announce our first ever Salon des Refusé: Emerging Artist Show. This juried show is open to new and emerging artists who have never shown their work at Mistlin Gallery before. We are looking for Stanislaus County's best and brightest artists to showcase their unique perspective and artistic expression. The exhibition will run from June 13th to July 15th, 2022.

This show is open to artists working in all mediums, including painting, sculpture, printmaking, drawing, mixed media, photography, digital art, and video. The theme of the show is open-ended, allowing artists to represent their artistic expression in any way they see fit. We encourage creativity and originality, and are excited to see how each artist uses their artistic expression to interpret the theme. The Salon des Refusé is a reference to the famous Parisian Salon des Refusé, an exhibition of works rejected from the official Salon in Paris. It was created to give a voice to unknown and emerging artists in the community.

Show Host: Krystle Lisek

Judges and Jurors: Art will be juried before it is accepted into the show. Awards will not be given by category. The judges will be selected by the show host.

Awards: Monetary prizes and certificates will be awarded for Best of Show (\$150), First Place (\$100), Second Place (\$75), Third Place (\$50), and Honorable Mention (\$25). The People's Choice award will be announced at the Art Walk, taking place on June 15th from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Show and Submission: Once all smart entries are received on May 28th at 11:59pm, the jurying process will begin. The artists of accepted work will be notified by email no later than June 2nd. Receiving for all accepted works will be at the Mistlin Gallery 1015 J St. Modesto, CA on June 11th between 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. No shipped entries will be accepted. The show will close on July 15th and work should be picked up no later than July 16th from 10-3pm.

Submission Fees of Entries: Each artist may submit up to 5 entries at \$20 per entry for non-members and \$15 per entry for CCAA members (email [ccaagallery@gmail.com](mailto:ccaagallery@gmail.com) for code). Entry Fees are non-refundable. Accepted entries exceeding 160 inches including frame will be charged an additional \$10 handling fee at the time of drop-off.

How to Submit: All works must be submitted online at <https://client.smarterentry.com/ccartassn>. For assistance with using the Smart Entry webpage, contact the Mistlin Gallery Coordinator, Krystle Lisek at (209)529-3369.

Note: All artwork must be original works and in line with the theme of the show. Any work previously shown at the Mistlin Gallery will not be accepted. All works of art must be ready to be displayed, for wall art please refer to hanging guidelines provided. Artists will be required to sign a Waiver of Loss or Damage at the time of delivery. The gallery requires a 40% commission on each piece sold, please price your work accordingly.

Terms: The gallery reserves the right to not accept art that differs significantly from the submitted image and/or is not properly prepared for installation. Entering this competition indicates agreement that images may be used for promoting the show.

#### Important Dates:

Entry Deadline: May 28, 2023

Notification of acceptance: June 2, 2023

Receiving: June 11, 2023

Opening Day: June 13, 2023

Art Walk: June 15, 2023 5-8pm

Closing Day: July 15, 2023

Pick Up Date: July 16th, 2023 10-3pm

We encourage all emerging artists to submit their work for this exciting opportunity to showcase their talents at the Mistlin Gallery.