



Lucky Thirteen

National Small Works Competition and Exhibition

November 2, 2020 to January 2, 2021

\$1,300 IN CASH AWARDS

Best of Show = \$613 First Place = \$313 Second Place = \$213 Third Place = \$113 Honorable Mentions = \$13 each

Eligibility: Open to all artists residing in the United States, 18 years or older, **Wall art only**. No non-hanging art.

Maximum size 13 inches by 13 inches deep, including frame. No exceptions. All Artwork must be original work, no reproductions or copies and cannot have won an award in a previous exhibition at the Mesquite Fine Arts Gallery. Artwork must be priced for sale.

DEADLINE FOR PAYMENT AND APPLICATION: Wednesday, September 30, 2020

Entry Procedure: Entries will be juried into the competition from photos or jpeg digital images. One image per work. Label each with name of artist, title of work, medium, size (including frame), on back of photo, or, for jpeg image, in body of email (vvarts@gmail.com). Email is preferred. Photos will not be returned. **Entry fee is \$13 per piece of artwork and is nonrefundable. Make check/money order payable to VVAA. Mail printed PAPER entry forms, photos and check/money order for entry fees to:**

Mesquite Fine Arts Center, "Lucky 13"
15 W. Mesquite Blvd
Mesquite, NV 89027

Notification of juried acceptance of artwork will be emailed to artists by October 5, 2020.

Accepted work: Work can be shipped or delivered to Mesquite Fine Arts Center at the above address. Please enclose your one-page artist statement/bio. Enclose return prepaid postage/shipping label. Artist is responsible for all shipping costs. **Artwork will be received from Oct. 19 through Oct. 31, 2020.** All work must be suitably framed and presented **with a wire hanger, no saw tooth hangers accepted.** Any work deviating significantly from the original juried photo may be rejected. Artwork must be labeled on back of each piece with name, title, medium and price. The Virgin Valley Artists' Association and Mesquite Fine Arts Center volunteers and City of Mesquite will not be liable for any damage or loss of artwork. Submission of an entry to this competition constitutes acceptance of all conditions.

Hand-delivered artwork must be picked up January 2, 2021 through January 7, 2021 during gallery business hours (Monday through Saturday 10am to 4pm).

Sales: The VVAA will retain a 30% commission on all sales. The price listed on the entry form will be considered the retail price. An IRS W-9 form is required for sales/awards paid to the artist.

Artists Awards Ceremony will be held Thursday, Nov 19, 2020, 4PM in the Gallery

The Facebook page is: <https://facebook.com/mesquitefineartscenter>



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Work accepted October 19th to October 31st

Entry Form

Artist Name: _____

Address (Street, City, State and Zip): _____

Email: _____ Phone _____

Entry Title(s) (No Limit on # of Entries)	Medium	Price
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I agree to indemnify and defend the City of Mesquite, Virgin Valley Artists Association and their officials, employees and volunteers against, and hold them harmless from, any and all claims, losses, damages, and liability for damages arising out of or resulting from the artist's participation in this event. My artwork entered in this exhibit is original and does not violate any U.S. copyright laws. I agree to allow VVAA to use photos of my work for publicity purposes.

Signature _____ Date _____

Publicity: Photos of artwork are often used for publicity. If you **do not** wish to allow VVAA to use your artwork for this purpose, initial here: _____.

For office use only Total entry payment verified \$ _____ Vendor # _____
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