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Midsummer Arts Faire

c/o Historic Quincy Business District
510 Maine Street, Suite 300
Quincy, Illinois 62301
A service of the Quincy Society of Fine Arts

ARTIST APPLICATION

The Quincy Artists Guild presents
The Third Annual
National Invitational

Midsummer Arts Faire



Quincy, Illinois

Home of America's First Community Arts Council
Est. 1947

June 23-25, 2006

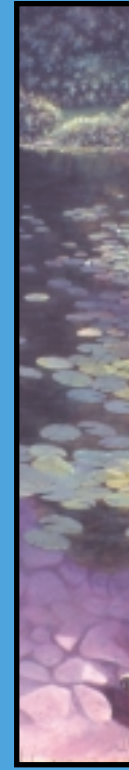
Washington Park

5th and Maine Streets

Historic Quincy Business District

A celebration of visual, performing,
literary and culinary arts and artists
in a community that values creativity!

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Bruce Peeso,
Winner of the
2005 Midsummer
Arts Faire
City of Quincy
Purchase Award

Hours

Friday, June 23, 2006
5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
(optional)

Saturday, June 24, 2006
10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, June 25, 2006
11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Application Deadline
Postmark March 15, 2006

Questions? Contact:
Midsummer Arts Faire
c/o Historic Quincy Business District
510 Maine St., Suite 300
Quincy, IL 62301
Ruth Cuthbertson, Coordinator
217-779-3729 or
mafcoordinator@yahoo.com

Eligibility

All artwork must be of the presenting artist's original concept, design and execution.

Eligible visual art categories:

- 2-D (Examples: Drawing and Pastel, Photography and Digital Photography, Printmaking, Mixed Media, Painting, Fiber Arts)
- 3-D (Examples: Clay, Jewelry, Sculpture, Wood, Glass)

Fine Art Prints of artist's original work are acceptable when accompanied by original works.

Reproductions must be clearly marked and cannot be more than 25% of the display.

Commercially produced, machine made, kit items, class works, or buy/sell items are not acceptable.

Artist must be present, admitted with photo ID.

Booths may not be shared unless work is collaborative.

Work must be as defined by slides/application or may be rejected from exhibit.

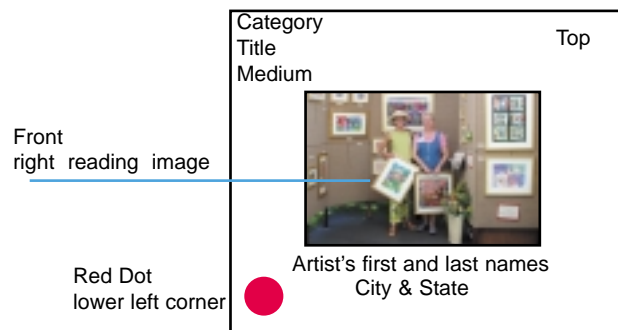
Artists interested in demonstrating should make arrangements by contacting Ruth Cuthbertson, Event Coordinator, at mafcoordinator@yahoo.com or 217-779-3729.

Application Process:

1. Please submit 4 top quality slides of current work to be exhibited. One may be a slide of a previous booth.
2. Mark a "Red Dot" on the lower left hand corner of each slide.
3. Slides will be returned only if a self-addressed, stamped envelope is provided.
4. Include two separate checks (payable to Midsummer Arts Faire): one for \$10 for the application fee (non-refundable) and one for \$100 for the booth fee (refunded if not accepted into Arts Faire).
5. Label slides as shown:

Slide Instruction:

- 2" x 2" slides; cardboard or plastic mount
- Booth slide should show overview of your art, give your work scale, and give jury a sense of what you plan to sell at the Faire.
- Label slides as shown:



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Ilya Faden 'Night Lily' Photograph

Jurying and Awards

Entrants will be selected by a panel of fine art professionals.

Purchase Awards and Cash Awards will be presented. Total Cash Awards in 2005 exceeded \$5,000.

Spaces:

- Booth spaces are 10' x 10' and are \$100 each.
- Booths will be set up in the park on the grass.
- Limited spaces available on concrete; first come/first served.
- Overnight security will be provided.

Set-up Times:

- Friday, June 23, 2006: Noon-3 p.m.
- Saturday, June 24, 2006: 6-9 a.m.
- *Optional festival hours on Friday will be 5-9 p.m. The Faire opens Friday evening with Quincy's "Blues in the District" concert series, drawing an audience of 1200+ people.*



Additional Festival Details:

Artists Reception and Awards:

Saturday evening, June 24, 7:30 p.m.
Hosted by the Hospitality Committee.

Children-only Gallery:

Donations accepted from artists who would like to contribute small pieces of work to be sold for under \$20. 2-D work should be matted and shrink-wrapped. Art juried for awards.



National Invitational Midsummer Arts Faire

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone _____ Email _____
Web Address _____

Media

If more than one, include separate slides of works in different media. Work other than that represented by this application will not be accepted for exhibition.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Clay | <input type="checkbox"/> Printmaking | <input type="checkbox"/> Drawing/Pastel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Wood | <input type="checkbox"/> Jewelry | <input type="checkbox"/> Fiber Arts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Glass | <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed Media | <input type="checkbox"/> Sculpture |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Painting | <input type="checkbox"/> Photography | <input type="checkbox"/> Digital Photography |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | | |

Slide Description (Material, Dimensions)

Slide 1 _____
Slide 2 _____
Slide 3 _____
Slide 4 _____
Artist's statement concerning description of work may be sent on an additional page.

Disclaimer: I have read this brochure and agree to accept all rules and instructions contained in it. I also certify that all materials exhibited by me are completely of my own design and execution. If the committee determines that a violation has occurred, I agree to withdraw my exhibit immediately. I will not hold the festival planners responsible for damage, loss or theft of any kind. I understand that booth spaces are assigned at the discretion of the festival planners. I give permission for my slides/photos to be used for publicity releases. (Signature indicates agreement.)

Signature _____

Application Checklist:

- Completed application
- Check for \$10 application fee made payable to Midsummer Arts Faire
- Check for \$100 booth fee made payable to Midsummer Arts Faire
- 4 quality slides of work, one may be a slide of booth
- Self-addressed, stamped envelope if you wish your slides returned

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