



All Media Themed Art Exhibition & Competition

"ART BY POETRY"

May 31 to June 26, 2021

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Awards: The awards, with ribbons for each, are as follows:

Best of Show= \$100 First Place=\$50 Second Place=\$30 Third Place=\$20

In addition, there are ribbons for all **Honorable Mentions**, the **Sponsor's Choice**, **Mayor's Choice** and **People's Choice**. All awards will be presented to the winners at the reception.

Eligibility: Open to all artists residing in the United States, 18 years or older. Artists are fully responsible for their own insurance, if mailing. The VVAA, Mesquite Fine Arts Gallery and City of Mesquite will not be liable for any lost art.

Entry Procedure: VVAA member fee: \$15 for first piece entered/\$5 each additional piece. Non-member fee: \$40 for first piece entered/\$10 each additional piece. All entry fees are payable at time of delivery, and are non-refundable. All shipping and insurance is the responsibility of the artist. Make check/money order payable to **VVAA**.

Entry can be completed in 1 of 2 ways:

1. Mail/hand deliver printed paper entry forms and check/money order for entry fees to the Gallery either in advance of the drop-off date or bring with artwork on Saturday, May 29, 2021 to:

**Mesquite Fine Arts Gallery, "Art by Poetry"
15 W. Mesquite Blvd
Mesquite, NV 89027**

Gallery Standards: Upon entering this Exhibition/Competition, the artist certifies that the artwork conforms to all Gallery Standards, and **all Wall artwork has the appropriate picture hanging wire, secured by eye screws or D-ring hangers. A VVAA Vendor Tag must be securely attached to the back.** See Vendor Tag on separate document that is available at www.mesquitefineartscenter.com.

Oversize Wall Art: "Oversize Wall Art" is defined as wall art with dimensions of 3 ft. by 6 ft. or larger. Artists will be limited to one piece of Oversize Wall Art per Competition. Weight limit 25#.

Sales: All artwork must be for sale. The VVAA will retain a commission on all sales according to your membership status. The price on the entry tag will be considered the retail price. Any sold art may be taken away by the purchaser.

Pick Up: By entering this Exhibition/Competition, the artist confirms that, absent a sale, they commit to leaving the artwork for the entire month of the Exhibition. At the conclusion of the Exhibition, all artwork shall be removed from gallery between 2pm and 4pm on June 26, 2021, by either the artist or his/her representative ("Art Buddy").

Artists' Awards Reception will be held Thursday, June 24, 4pm to 6pm in the Gallery. Please note that receptions are subject to change or cancellation depending on COVID rules in place on that date. Please check with a VVAA Officer before planning on attending.





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Entry Form

Artist Name _____ Vendor No. _____

Address _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Entry Title(s) (No Limit on # of Entries) With the Exception of "Oversize Art" Defined Above	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. The written work that inspired the artwork, and is attached, has the author noted 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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