

MONMOUTH COUNTY SENIOR ART SHOW 2021



Presented by:
Monmouth County Board of County Commissioners
Monmouth County Office on Aging
Monmouth Arts



The Monmouth County Board of County Commissioners, the Monmouth County Office on Aging, and Monmouth Arts are honored to produce the 2021 Monmouth County Senior Art Contest & Exhibition. Although we can't be together in person this year at the Monmouth County Library, it is our pleasure to have the incredible work of so many talented Monmouth County artists displayed online in our digital gallery.

SPECIAL THANKS

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VIRTUAL AWARDS CEREMONY & RECEPTION

AUGUST 11, 2021 | 12 pm

Streaming Live on the Monmouth Arts Facebook Page

www.facebook.com/MonmouthArtsCouncil

All artwork can be viewed on the Monmouth Arts website

www.monmoutharts.org/seniorartshow

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

Vinny Martini, Arts Education & Events Manager, Monmouth Arts

Teresa Staub, Executive Director, Monmouth Arts

Judi Tolchin, Director, Monmouth County Library

County Commissioner Susan Kiley, Deputy Director,

Monmouth County Board of County Commissioners

Susan L. Moleon, Executive Director, Monmouth County Office on Aging

AWARDS PRESENTATION

Vinny Martini, Arts Education & Events Manager, Monmouth Arts

2021 AWARD RECIPIENTS

BEST IN SHOW

Professional | Michael Ferrara & Melinda Saminski

Non-Professional | Valerie Rigazio

ACRYLIC

Professional

1st Place | Ann Marie Fitzsimmons

2nd Place | Karen Martin

3rd Place | Beverly Sirianni

Non-Professional

1st Place | Theresa Trocchia

2nd Place | Janet Whritner

2nd Place | Jean Kweskin-Siegel

Honorable Mention | Mickey Jones

OIL

Professional

1st Place | Melinda Saminski

2nd Place | Joel Zimmerman

3rd Place | Lydia Watson

Non-Professional

1st Place | Marilyn Shotwell

2nd Place | Marion Dobrowski

3rd Place | Susan Markowitz

DRAWING

Professional

1st Place | Michael Ferrara

Non-Professional

1st Place | Maurice Lampell

2nd Place | German Aronov

3rd Place | Diane Del Prete

2021 AWARD RECIPIENTS

WATERCOLOR

Professional

1st Place | Jackie St. Angel

2nd Place | Michele Rath

3rd Place | Linda Hart

Non-Professional

1st Place | Susan Penn

2nd Place | Carole DeMattia

2nd Place | Cheri Pessutti

3rd Place | Melissa Raffay

MIXED MEDIA

Professional

1st Place | Beverly Hertler

2nd Place | Lois Wilkes

Non-Professional

1st Place | Judy O'Connor

2nd Place | Beth Stamp

3rd Place | Vladimir Kirson

PASTEL

Non-Professional

1st Place | Valerie Rigazio

2nd Place | Sonia Resnick

3rd Place | Linda Alston

DIGITAL ART

Professional

1st Place | Belle Koblentz

2nd Place | Grace F. Schultz

2021 AWARD RECIPIENTS

PHOTOGRAPHY

Professional

1st Place | Marilyn Baldi

2nd Place | Joan Myers

3rd Place | Judith Mugrace

3rd Place | Terry Halifko

Honorable Mention | Helen Antholis

Honorable Mention | Vince Matulewich

Non-Professional

1st Place | Barbara Withers

2nd Place | John J. Martin

3rd Place | Stuart Hoberman

Honorable Mention | Ellen Hughes

SCULPTURE

Professional

1st Place | Stephanie Novatski

2nd Place | Paul Pugliese

Non-Professional

1st Place | Steven Lewis

CRAFT

Professional

1st Place | Dana McKay

Non-Professional

1st Place | Harvey Altman

2nd Place | Natalya Aronov

2nd Place | Harry Belkowitz

3rd Place | Beth DeMartino

2021 PARTICIPATING ARTISTS

1 Linda Alberti	Non-Pro	Oil	Boy and His Dogs
2 Linda Alston	Non-Pro	Pastel	Caterina
3 Harvey Altman	Non-Pro	Craft	Stained Glass
4 Ernest Antholis	Non-Pro	Photography	Wat Prathat Doe Suthep in Chiang Mai, Thailand
5 Helen Antholis	Pro	Photography	Morning Mist
6 German Aronov	Non-Pro	Drawing	Cityscape
7 Natalya Aronov	Non-Pro	Craft	Cleopatra
8 Marilyn Baldi	Pro	Photography	Ghost Town #4
9 Harry Belkowitz	Non-Pro	Craft	Peace
10 Hillary Binder-Klein	Pro	Acrylic	The Calm Before
11 Bobbie Carey	Non-Pro	Oil	Red Shoes
12 Ronald Carr	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Trip to Lancaster
13 Joan Cichalski	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Attitude
14 Dianne Cooper	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Spring Lake Swan
15 Mary Ann Crane	Non-Pro	Watercolor	One Fine Day
16 Arthur DeGrandis	Non-Pro	Pastel	Caprice
17 Diane Del Prete	Non-Pro	Drawing	Zuni Governor
18 Beth DeMartino	Non-Pro	Craft	Colorful Flowers
19 Carole DeMattia	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Welcome to My World
20 Marion Dobrowski	Non-Pro	Oil	Fruit and Wine
21 Barbara Egypt	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Ashram
22 Johanna Ericson	Pro	Photography	Out to Pasture
23 Michael Ferrara	Pro	Drawing	Woman Seated
24 Ann Marie Fitzsimmons	Pro	Acrylic	Growing Green
25 Judi Ginsky	Non-Pro	Drawing	Father & Son Veterans
26 MaryAnn Goodwin	Pro	Acrylic	Overloaded and Overwhelmed

2021 PARTICIPATING ARTISTS

27	Guido Guazzoni	Pro	Oil	The Poppies
28	Marty Haddad	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Lighthouse, San Diego
29	Terry Halifko	Pro	Photography	The Perfect Puddle
30	Linda Hart	Pro	Watercolor	Sundown Floundering
31	Beverly Hertler	Pro	Mixed Media	Bits & Pieces
32	Stuart Hoberman	Non-Pro	Photography	Caribbean Coral
33	Ellen Hughes	Non-Pro	Photography	Fall Splendor at Huber Woods
34	Mickey Jones	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Jim
35	Sylvia Keusch	Pro	Acrylic	Evening Sunset
36	Vladimir Kirson	Non-Pro	Mixed Media	Swan Pond
37	Belle Koblentz	Pro	Digital Art	Sturm und drang
38	Syanley Kwapniewski	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Midnight Stream
39	Jean Kweskin-Siegel	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Shore Gull
40	Maurice Lampell	Non-Pro	Drawing	David Baltimore
41	Steven Lewis	Non-Pro	Sculpture	Zhou
42	Susan Markowitz	Non-Pro	Oil	Camping in New Jersey
43	John Martin	Non-Pro	Photography	Sunrise from Bodman Park
44	Karen Martin	Pro	Acrylic	Dreams
45	Vince Matulewich	Pro	Photography	Cattleya Orchids
46	George McCormick	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Sunshine Through Trees
47	Eileen McGurk	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Shop Till We Drop
48	Dana McKay	Pro	Craft	Home "Tweet" Home
49	Rosa Lee McNair	Non-Pro	Oil	Giving Thanks
50	PJ Meara	Non-Pro	Watercolor	24th Street Osprey, Barnegat Light

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51 Patricia Meko	Pro	Oil	Sharing Secrets
52 Michael Menendez	Pro	Photography	Peggy's Cove Lighthouse
53 Judith Mugrace	Pro	Photography	Bashfull Orangutan
54 Joan Myers	Pro	Photography	Ocean Grove
55 James Newman	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Fields
56 Stephanie Novatski	Pro	Sculpture	The Game's Afoot!
57 Judy O'Connor	Non-Pro	Mixed Media	Madame Zoltana "Fortune Teller"
58 Susan Penn	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Rocky Mountain Local
59 Cheri Pessutti	Non-Pro	Watercolor	US OPEN BOUND
60 Freddie Powell	Non-Pro	Acrylic	T LADY
61 Paul Pugliese	Pro	Sculpture	Jazz Trio
62 Melissa Raffay	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Holmdel Park Lazy Day
63 Michele Rath	Pro	Watercolor	Fruit, Vegetables, Art - Moroccan Street Vendor
64 Sonia Resnick	Non-Pro	Pastel	Produce Paradise
65 Jeff Ricci	Pro	Photography	Carnival Fun
66 Valerie Rigazio	Non-Pro	Pastel	Customer with White Hat
67 Ellen Rubinstein	Pro	Photography	Shining Morning
68 Leonardo Ruggieri	Pro	Oil	Atlantic City
69 Patty Ryan	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Thinking About Tomorrow
70 Melinda Saminski	Pro	Oil	The Irish Captain
71 Pamela Schott	Non-Pro	Pastel	Summer Beauty
72 Grace Schultz	Pro	Digital Art	Impending Storm
73 Marilyn Shotwell	Non-Pro	Oil	Sunny Marshes
74 Beverly Sirianni	Pro	Acrylic	Copper Tinged Trees

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75 Carolyn Slade	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Fishing Shack
76 Mary Ann Smorra	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Daisy's Raincoat
77 Jackie St. Angel	Pro	Watercolor	Steelers Nation
78 Beth Stamp	Non-Pro	Mixed Media	I Am Woman
79 Joel Stern	Pro	Oil	Marsh At North Andover
80 Patricia Supplee	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Socially Distanced
81 Richard Talbot	Pro	Oil	Mountain Meadow
82 Al Terry	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Magnolia Path
83 Norma Tolliver	Pro	Acrylic	Into The Light
84 Theresa Trocchia	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Chimp Munching on Twig
85 Joe Valencia	Non-Pro	Photography	Chrysanthemums and Pumpkin
86 Susan VanVolkenburgh	Non-Pro	Pastel	Cat Napping
87 Mary Varno Jergens	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Just Thinking
88 Steven Vieser	Non-Pro	Watercolor	Indian Corn
89 Lydia Watson	Pro	Oil	Coffee and Donuts
90 Janet Whritner	Non-Pro	Acrylic	Ruth and Otis
91 Lois Wilkes	Pro	Mixed Media	Aging Gracefully
92 Barbara Withers	Non-Pro	Photography	QUEEN MARY 2
93 Cynthia Zimmerman	Pro	Oil	Night at Sea
94 Joel Zimmerman	Pro	Oil	Rider on the Rain

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The Monmouth County Office on Aging is part of the Department of Human Services. The focus of the Office on Aging is to identify the critical needs of our seniors and to provide information and vital services to assist them in maintaining their independence in the community. For more information: 732-308-3770, ext. 7116 or www.visitmonmouth.com



For more information, visit: www.MonmouthCountyLib.org and check out @MonCoLibrary on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, YouTube and Pinterest.

VIEW THE 2021 ART ENTRIES

All entries can be viewed on the Monmouth County website: www.visitmonmouth.com/aging

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