Faringdon Art Society

 **53rd Annual Exhibition 2017**

 **Corn Exchange, Faringdon Oxfordshire**

 Private View: Thursday 26th October 7pm to 9pm

Open to the public: Friday 27th and Saturday 28th October 10am to 6pm

 Sunday 29th October 10am to 4pm

This year the exhibition will be opened and judged by **Arran Miles** and you are invited to show your work. **Entry Forms must be submitted by Saturday 1st October.**

If you have any queries please contact Jo Webster jo@websterstudio.co.uk 01376 240101 or Karen Spence karenannettespence@gmail.com 01367 240679

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| **Requirements** | **Conditions of Entry** | **Deadline**  |
| Exhibits, Cards & Fees | A total of 5 framed and/or box canvases and 3D works at £2.50 per entry, plus 5 unframed paintings or prints for the browsers at £1.50 each. A total of **30** cards may be sold at £1.50, £2 or £2.50. **Please mark every card with your name and price on the back.** A 10% charge will be made on all sales. |  |
| Not for Sale artwork | A maximum of one Not for Sale piece per person may be exhibited. |  |
| Original Work | All work must be original and signed by the artist, and work exhibited in either of the previous two Annual Exhibitions cannot be re-shown this year. |  |
| Presentation of Framed Paintings, Box Canvases & Unframed Paintings & Prints | Frames must be of good quality with backing fittings ready for hanging with wire, string or cord and box canvases should be painted on all sides. Each piece should be labelled on the back with your name, title of work, medium and sale price. Unframed paintings and prints must be mounted and wrapped in strong film and labelled on the front top right hand corner with your name, title of work, medium and sale price. |  |
| Prioritise your artwork | Please place your entries on the Entry Form in order of priority in the event of shortage of hanging space. |  |
| Awards | Arran Miles will judge the entries and present the awards. There will be a winner and a highly commended for each category and the overall winner will receive the FAS cup.  | **Thursday 26th October 7.00 – 9.00pm** |
| Award Categories | O/A = Oils/Acrylics; W/G = Watercolour/Gouache; P/D = Pastel/Drawing; MM = Mixed Media and Printmaking (includes digital art, collage and any mixture of media from the other categories); 3D = Sculpture, Mosaics, Ceramics, Wood & Painted China. **Please indicate on your Entry Form in which category you wish your artwork to be entered.** |  |

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| Entry Forms and Payment  | Entry Forms (attached) must be submitted within the deadline and either sent by mail with a cheque made payable to Faringdon Arts Society to Jo Webster, Membership Secretary, 16 Westland Road, Faringdon SN7 7EY or by email to jo@websterstudio.co.uk and a bank credit transfer made to Faringdon Arts Society, Account No: 00453769, Sort Code: 30-93-18 plus your name as the reference so we know who the payment is from. | **Saturday 1st October** |
| Labelling artwork at the Exhibition | FAS will provide labels for all hung work and 3D exhibits. |  |
| Commission | The Society charges a 10% commission on the sale price of all work sold including cards. |  |
| Submission of work | All exhibits including cards must be brought to the Corn Exchange and **checked in by a committee member.** Please unpack your own work and take your packaging away with you. | **Thursday 26th October 10.00 – 11.00am** |
| Collection of Sales  | Unframed paintings, prints and cards may be taken away on full payment by a purchaser. Other work sold should remain in the Exhibition and collected by the buyer from a committee member at the cash desk between 4.00 and 4.30pm on Sunday 29th October.  | **Sunday 29th October 4.00 – 4.30pm** |
| Collection of unsold artwork | Unsold exhibits should not be taken until **after 4.30pm** on Sunday when the exhibition has finished. Please take your unsold artwork to be checked off by a committee member before you leave. | **Sunday 29th October after 4.30pm** |
| Insurance  | Exhibitors are responsible for organising their own insurance cover for loss or damage to art work. FAS Committee and the proprietors of the Corn Exchange cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage. |  |
| Copyright | Any infringement of copyright will be the responsibility of the artist and not of Faringdon Art Society, its members or the committee. Any paintings which are identified as such after having been hung will be removed. |  |
| Payment to exhibitors | You will be paid by cheque from the Treasurer when all sales for the exhibition have been tallied. Usually this is within a month of the exhibition closure. |  |
| Stewarding | In order to ensure the smooth running of the exhibition all exhibitors or their representative are expected to be available for stewarding duty. |  |

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