

Small Works,  
**Big Presents**  
 The Gift of Art

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## Application

Application deadline: Sunday, October 7th, 4:00pm. Submissions delivered after this date/time will be automatically disqualified for consideration. This is not a post-mark deadline.

Submit to:

Small Works, Big Presents  
 White River Valley Museum  
 918 H Street SE, Auburn, WA 98002-6112

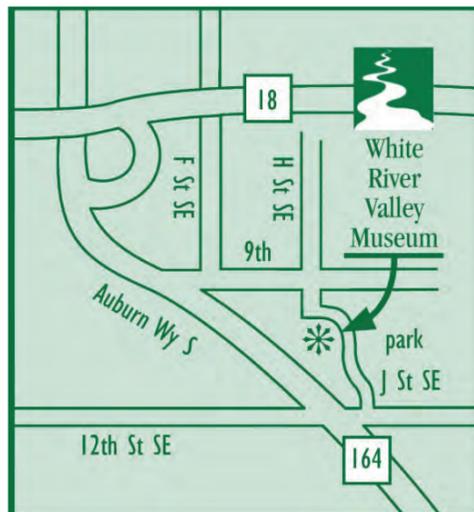
### Required Application Materials

- Digital Images
  - Up to four (4) labeled digital images, only (please, no slides).
  - Submit digital images on a CD-R or DVD disc.
  - Label the disc with artist's name and contact information.
  - Do not embed images into a PowerPoint file or similar application, or submit moving images or audio files.
  - File Format - Submit JPGs of 300 dpi or better. No GIFs, TIFFs or other formats.
  - Files must be titled with the "artists last name\_title of artwork"
  - If your disk has more than 4 images, only the first 4 will be reviewed by the selection panel.
  - Do not submit physical artwork! Printed photographs and original work cannot be accepted as a substitute for digital images in the selection process.
- Annotated Image List - a single page of information on all submitted artworks. Please include the title, medium, date, and dimensions of each piece.
  - Please, do not staple any of your materials together. Paper or binder clips are sufficient.
- Contact information (artist's name, email, phone number, and mailing address)
- \$15 Check made out to "White River Valley Museum."
- Optional: resume detailing exhibition history and/or an artist's statement.



The White River Valley Museum is located in the Auburn Community Campus at Les Gove Park, 918 H St. SE.

Prospectus & Entry Form  
[www.auburnwa.gov](http://www.auburnwa.gov) | 253-931-3043  
[www.wrvmuseum.org](http://www.wrvmuseum.org) | 253-288-7433



Scott Manthey, "House boats", Photography, Small Works 1st Place 2011



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## Important Dates

### Application Deadline

Sunday, October 7th, 4pm

### Notification of Jury Results

October 15th-16th

**Acceptance of Works** at museum, shipped or hand delivered

October 17th - November 7th, 12 - 4pm

### Opening Reception

Tuesday, November 13th

### First Day of Exhibition

Wednesday, November 14th

### Last Day of Exhibition

Sunday, December 16th

### Artwork Pickup

December 17th - December 21st

## About the Jurors

### Colleen Maloney

Kent-based Colleen Maloney describes herself as "a graphic designer", in addition to being a fine artist, who focuses on printmaking and painting. Her design work has been seen on billboards, banners, annual reports, corporate stationery and much more. She has exhibited her prints in local galleries and shows. Her commissioned murals hang in the Boise Public Library and St. Luke's Hospital. Colleen also volunteers for the Tacoma Art Museum; is on the advisory board for the Auburn High Schools' Design program, and the Auburn Visual Arts Committee. She became a new member of the Auburn Arts Commission in 2011.

### Gina Sandland

Gina Sandland has been the Fine/Visual Arts instructor in the Auburn School district for 15 years as well as the owner of Sandland Promotion, a design and screenprinting firm. An Auburnite for 25 years, Gina is involved in many volunteer activities including serving on the Visual Art Committee of the Auburn Arts Commission.

### Paul Metivier

Paul Metivier teaches Ceramics at Green River Community College and is a graduate of the University of Washington where he earned his MFA. Metivier has over 25 years of art-making experience in all media, focusing primarily on ceramic sculpture and is represented by Gallery IMA.

## Call to Artists

City of Auburn and White River Valley Museum are seeking submissions for the upcoming juried show, Small Works, Big Presents: The Gift of Art. The juried show will focus on small and mini artwork of *all* media.

### • Size Categories

#### o Small Works - Total outside dimensions under 48" total

*Flat works* should have outside dimensions of no more than 48 inches, not including frame and matting.

*Three-dimensional works* should have a circumference of no greater than 48 inches at its widest dimension, including any mounting or display device.

#### o Mini Works - Total outside dimensions under 24" total

*Flat works* should have outside dimensions of no more than 24 inches, not including frame and matting.

*Three-dimensional works* should have a circumference of no greater than 24 inches at its widest dimension, including any mounting or display device.

- The submission fee is \$15 per artist.
- Artists can submit up to four works to be considered for inclusion in the show.
- Cash prizes from \$750 to \$125 will be awarded.



Janyce Sukow, "Fresh Picked", Oil,  
Mini Works 1st Place 2011



## About

The City of Auburn and the White River Valley Museum are partnering to present the 5th Annual Small Works, Big Presents: The Gift of Art. This exhibition and art sale celebrates the diversity of the Pacific Northwest visual art community by displaying the work of established and emerging artists working in small format and offering an opportunity to purchase fine artwork and craft at affordable prices during the holiday shopping season. The exhibition will be juried by three arts professionals and on display from November 14 through December 16, 2012 at the White River Valley Museum.

## Guidelines & Eligibility

This exhibition is open to any artist 18 years of age or older residing in the Pacific Northwest.

Submitted artwork must be:

- Original and for sale.
- Suitably and sturdily framed. Use picture wire for hanging.
- Saw tooth hangers can be used on artworks 6" x 6" and under.
- Finished, dry and ready to hang.
- Sculptural artwork must be freestanding and/or with base provided.
- Artwork priced between \$50 and \$200 is encouraged.

The City of Auburn and the White River Valley Museum reserve the right to not accept artwork or remove any artwork from display at any time, for any reason, and at their sole discretion.

## Fees

A non-refundable fee of \$15 for up to 4 artwork entries per artist will be accepted. Please make checks payable to the White River Valley Museum. A 25% commission will be charged on all works sold during the exhibition. Artists will be paid (minus the commission) within 45 days of the end of the exhibition. Proceeds from art sales benefit the White River Valley Museum.

## Notification

Notification of juried results will be emailed to artists by no later than October 16th, 2012. If selected, artists are asked to deliver their artwork to the White River Valley Museum at any time between October 17th and November 7th, 2012, between the hours of 12 - 4 pm.

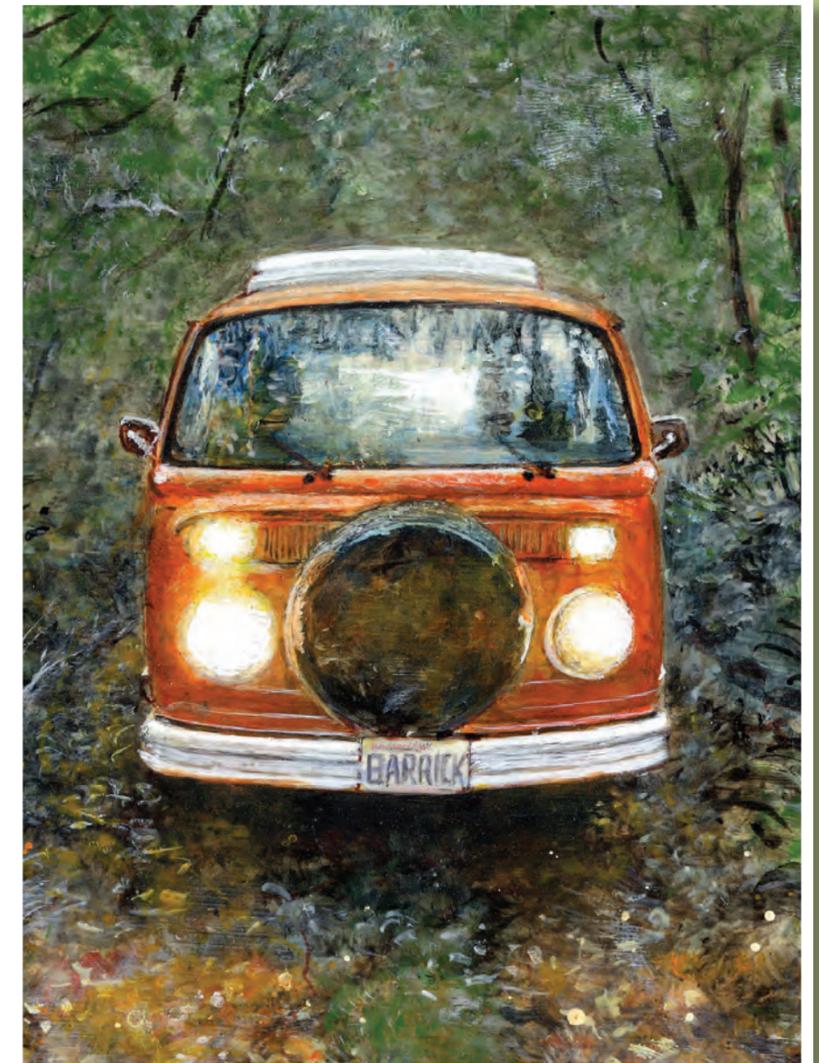
Upon notification, selected artists will be provided additional information regarding delivery and pick-up options.

## Awards

Best in Show.....	\$750
1st Place Mini.....	\$250
1st Place Small.....	\$250
2nd Place Mini.....	\$125
2nd Place Small.....	\$125

People's Choice Award: Feature article in the Auburn Reporter and a commission of \$400 for use of an artwork that will serve as part of the design for the 2013 poster for the Small Works, Big Presents exhibition.

Honorary mentions may be selected by the jury and Museum staff and have no monetary award.



Rocky Barrick, "Country Roads", Acrylic,  
Best in Show 2011