



March 16 – March 20, 2023

Prallsville Mill, Stockton, NJ

Prospectus

Artsbridge and **New Hope Arts** are pleased to announce **Art Across the River**, a collaborative exhibition featuring member artists of both organizations held at Prallsville Mill in Stockton, NJ. This exhibition is open to Artsbridge and New Hope Arts members only and will feature original paintings, drawings, photography, sculpture and works in other media.

Artists must be a member of either Artsbridge or New Hope Arts to submit work. New members welcome! Membership information is available at artsbridgeonline.com or newhopearts.org.

Each member may submit three works of art: a) one framed 2-D or 3-D work to be displayed in the gallery, and b) two portfolio pieces (specifications below). The artwork may be for sale or not-for-sale (NFS). Artists set their own prices. There is no commission fee.

Artists must submit an entry form by email. The entry fee is \$30; paid by cash or check at drop-off.

The opening reception for artists and their guests will take place March 16, 4-7 pm, at Prallsville Mill. Jurist James Dupree, renowned artist, educator, gallery owner and public activist, will select seven awards and winners will be announced at the opening reception.

Important Dates

- APPLICATION DUE: March 6 by email to newhopeartsorg@gmail.com
- DROP-OFF: Monday, March 13, 4-7 pm OR Tuesday, March 14, 10 am – 12 pm
- OPENING RECEPTION: Thursday, March 16; 4-7 pm. **Awards announced at 5:30 pm**
- EXHIBITION DATES: March 17, 18, 19 & 20 from 12-6 pm daily
- PICK-UP: Tuesday, March 21; 10 am-12 pm and 5-7 pm

HOW TO ENTER

1. **Download and complete the online entry form** found at newhopearts.org. Email form and jpeg images of work to newhopeartsorg@gmail.com by Monday, March 6.

2. **DROP-OFF:** Bring your work to the Prallsville Mill at 33 Risler St., Stockton, NJ for drop-off on Monday, March 13; between 4-7 pm OR Tuesday, March 14; 10 am-12 pm. The entry fee of \$30 must be paid in-person at DROP-OFF by cash or check to Artsbridge. No credit card payments.
3. **PICK-UP:** Pick-up is Tuesday, March 21, 10 am-12 pm and 5-7 pm. Please make every effort to pick up your artwork on time. If you are unable to do so, have someone else pick up for you. Artwork not picked up will be stored in the Mill until Wednesday, March 22. You will then need to contact artsbridgevp@gmail.com or 609-575-3260 to schedule a time to pick up your work.

ARTWORK ELIGIBILITY

Artwork must NOT have been shown previously with Artsbridge or New Hope Arts. It must be current art created within the past 3 years. Artwork may be for sale or not-for-sale (NFS).

FRAMED WORK & 3-D WORK: Art on canvas must be framed or must have finished edges; works on paper must be framed. **Original pieces only please, no copies or giclée prints accepted.**

3-D works are eligible, including but not limited to jewelry, glass, ceramic, pottery, wood, wire, sculpture. No video or performance art.

Framed

- o **One submission**, framed or with finished edges.
- o Drawing, watercolor, oil, acrylic, collage, photograph, digital art, fabric art, mixed media, woodcut, etching.
- o Maximum size is 50" on the longest side **including frame**.
- o Minimum size is 4" x 6" **including frame**.
- o Must be wired and ready to hang; no sawtooth hangers.

Sculpture

- o One freestanding submission.
- o Must not require electrical support or wall-hanging.
- o Weight limit: 150 lbs.

PORTFOLIO

- o **Two unframed works.**
- o Drawing, watercolor, oil, acrylic, collage, mixed media, woodcut, etching, photograph, digital art or other media.
- o Works on a rigid substrate such as canvas board or panels need not be matted and must not be more than 1/4" thick.
- o Must be protected with acetate.
- o No stretched canvases will be accepted.

- o Maximum size: 24" x 30" **including mat.**
- o Minimum size 4" x 6" **including mat.**
- o No copies or giclee print reproductions.

Purchases: Artists must price their work to include N.J. sales tax (current rate is 6.625%). Collection, reporting, and payment of sales tax to the State is the responsibility of the artist. Artists will be notified of purchases by New Hope Arts. Purchases can be made by cash, check or by credit card using Square. Credit card purchases will reduce the payment to an artist by 3% processing fee. Please price your work accordingly. Sales payments will be sent to artists approximately 2 to 4 weeks after close of exhibition.

Marketing: Online (Artsbridge and New Hope Arts websites, Artsbridge and New Hope Arts Facebook, Instagram, members personal social media sites), news releases, flyers, roadside signs.

WAIVER OF LIABILITY

By submitting work, the artist understands and agrees that Artsbridge and New Hope Arts and their members, directors and officers are not liable for loss or any damage to artwork. All artwork will be handled with the utmost care and professionalism.

PUBLICITY

Submission to the *Art Across the River* exhibition constitutes permission for Artsbridge and New Hope Arts to use images of the artist's work for advertising and publicity purposes, including but not limited to traditional and social media, without further consideration.

VOLUNTEERING

We need many volunteers to make the show happen! Volunteer opportunities are:

Gallery sitting: Gallery sitting hours are in 3-hr time slots, March 17, 18, 19 & 20 12-3 pm or 3-6 pm. *Please arrive 15 minutes before gallery opens.*

Intake of Artwork and Hanging Show: Monday, March 13; 4-7 pm and Tuesday, March 14; 10 am-12 pm and Wednesday, March 15 as needed.

Opening Reception: Thursday, March 16; 3:30 pm-7:15 pm

Taking down show and Pickup of Artwork: Tuesday, March 21; 9:45 am-12 pm and 4:45-7 pm

If you are able to help, please send your name, phone number, email address and availability to artsbridgemembers@gmail.com with "Volunteer" in the subject line. *Thank you!!*