

## Bonus Category...

### *"Images of Cheshire"*

We are encouraging more art entries featuring images and subject matter that are specifically unique to the Cheshire life and landscape.

Your *"Image of Cheshire"* may be one or both of your entries, or you may take advantage of the "Additional Bonus Entry" opportunity to submit a 3rd piece. If you enter 3 pieces, one of them MUST be an *"Image of Cheshire"*.

There is an additional fee for this third entry.

When filling out the Bonus Entry Form, please identify the Cheshire location/subject of your piece in addition to the title.

These category pieces will be displayed together.



### PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

#### Eligibility

Cheshire Art League members and other artists may exhibit all media excluding sculpture and installation work.

All art must be original in concept and execution and must be completed solely by the submitting artist – not copied from a published photograph, magazine, calendar, illustration, web site or another person.

Work must have been completed within the last two years and not previously exhibited with the Cheshire Art League.

Giclée prints or other types of reproductions of the original are not acceptable.

Due to limited space and hanging equipment, entries will be limited to 75 pieces. Please get your entry form(s) and fees in early.

The Cheshire Art League officers and Art Show Committee reserve the right to exclude any piece submitted for entry.

#### Please Note

Paintings may not be removed from the show until the specified time of pick-up, which is 1:00–4:00 PM on Saturday, April 17 ~ **no exceptions**.

Art must be framed with **HANGING WIRE** firmly affixed to back of the frame. **NO SAW-TOOTH HANGERS, EASEL BACKS OR OTHER HANGERS.**

No wet paint.

Hanging location of each piece of art is at the sole discretion of the art show hanging committee & chairperson.

**Dimensions should not exceed 30"x36", including frame – no exceptions.**

## Entry Fees

Maximum of two entries per artist. 1 Additional Entry allowed for *"Images of Cheshire"* Category.

#### MEMBER:\*

One Entry: \$12

Two Entries: \$17

*"Images of Cheshire"* as 3rd Entry: Add \$6

#### NON-MEMBER:\*

One Entry: \$17

Two Entries: \$22

*"Images of Cheshire"* as 3rd Entry: Add \$8

**\*NOTE: Membership runs from September through August. If you have not paid your dues since last spring, your membership has expired. You will need to renew again to qualify for the reduced entry fee.**

## IMPORTANT

By town policy, no money can be exchanged at the library, so pre-payment is necessary.

***You must pre-pay by Wednesday, March 17*** for your work to be accepted into the show. Send a check and the bottom half of the entry form(s) to: **Cheshire Art League, c/o Joan Shackford 260 Robin Lane, Cheshire, CT 06410.**

## Bio

Exhibitors may submit a bio/artist's statement with their contact information (8.5"x11") to be included in a binder that will remain with the artwork.

## Sales

Sales from the exhibit will be encouraged. A commission of 20% will be charged on artwork sold during the exhibit.

## Receiving

Hand-deliver your artwork during the specified time to the Cheshire Public Library.

## Pick Up

Please be prompt in picking up your artwork—the earlier, the better. ***All work not picked up by the specified time will be charged \$10 per day storage fee.***

## LIABILITY

**THE CHESHIRE ART LEAGUE WILL USE THE UTMOST CARE IN HANDLING ARTWORK. NEITHER THE CHESHIRE ART LEAGUE NOR ITS AGENTS (INCLUDING THE CHESHIRE PUBLIC LIBRARY AND THE TOWN OF CHESHIRE) MAY BE HELD LIABLE FOR LOSS OR DAMAGE OF ANY KIND. ALL ARTISTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR INSURING THEIR OWN WORK.**

## Contact

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