

Taos Invitational Exhibition: Small Works by Signature and Master Artists of Plein Air Painters of New Mexico

Taos Art Museum at Fechin House this Spring for the Taos Invitational Exhibition: Small Works by Signature and Master Artists of Plein Air Painters of New Mexico.

You may submit two studio or plein air paintings, your medium of choice, unframed size up to 12"x16".

Please be sure that your membership is up to date and your dues are paid. Only members in good standing will be able to participate in the show.

The show will hang from June 13, 2023- July 23, 2023

Opening Reception: Saturday June 17, 1-3pm

Hand Deliver date: June 7, 2023

Pick up date: July 25, 2023

All shipped work must arrive at the museum no later than June 7, 2023.

The commission split for this show is: 50% Artist, 40% Taos Art Museum, 10% PAPNM. Those of you who are not able to hand-deliver your painting will be required to cover the cost of shipping to and from the Museum. Upon delivery, artwork should be exhibition-ready for installation.

Please send a digital image (1200 pixels on longest side, 300 dpi) for promotional purposes to me at <u>barbaracolemanartist@gmail.com</u> by May 20, 2023. Please put your name, title of piece, size, medium and price in the title of your image.

Artwork Shipping labels, and Back of Artwork labels, and Artist Participant sheet are included in this letter and will be available for download on the Events page dedicated to the 2023 Taos Art Museum at Fechin House: Artist Participant Information on the PAPNM website.

Ship to:

Taos Art Museum at Fechin House 227 Paseo del Pueblo Norte Taos, New Mexico 87571 (575) 758-2690 <u>frontdesk@taosartmuseum.org</u>

QUESTIONS?

Barbara Coleman, Show Chair, 505-249-9138 or email at barbaracolemanartist@gmail.com

REMINDERS:

NO wooden crates or boxes. No packing peanuts. You must include the shipping forms provided here. Your work must be framed in a quality frame and wired.

Shipping of your painting:

June 1- June 7. Work MUST ARRIVE by June 7.

> Hand Delivered: June 7

YOU MUST INCLUDE (OR HAND DELIVER) THE FOLLOWING ITEMS WITH YOUR PAINTING, IN THE SAME BOX.

- Your prepaid return shipping label.
- Gallery Information Sheet
- Label for back of painting (secured to back of painting)
- Check for \$35 if not using approved boxes.

Masterpak or Airfloat boxes (or equivalents such as U-Line) are highly recommended.

Your paintings will be returned in the same box you send them in.

For artists not using these boxes and you must send a check for \$35 payable to Plein Air Painters of New Mexico with your painting if you do not use Masterpak, Airfloat or U-Line.

(If you use a shipping service and have them box it, they may use peanuts or other nonstandard methods. Please ask them to not use peanuts.)

You must include the following items in a separate envelope in your box with your paintings.

□ A check made payable to Plein Air Painters of New Mexico for \$35 *if you do not use* Airfloat or Masterpak boxes or equivalent (such as U-Line). FedEx boxes with plastic sleeves are NOT considered equivalent.

□ A PREPAID RETURN SHIPPING LABEL DO NOT send cash or postage stamps. Do not use the US Postal Service for this exhibition.

□ Painting Identification Label (see page 2) **ATTACH THIS TO THE BACK OF YOUR PAINTING** □ Gallery Information Sheet (see page 3)

Please print your name and address prominently on the outside (preferably in the upper left corner) and inside of each box or packing layer. A photo of the painting attached to the inside of the box is helpful. Mark the outside of your box with "TOP" or "OPEN HERE".

Your work must be framed in a fine art gallery quality wood frame, wired and ready for hanging.

ATTACH THIS IDENTIFICATION LABEL TO BACK OF YOUR PAINTING

Artist			
Name			
Signature Member	Master Member		
Painting			
Title			
 Medium		Price	
Unframed Size		Framed Size	
	Check one:		

_____ If my painting sells, please use my box to ship the painting to the buyer. Shipping cost is the buyer's responsibility.

_____I am hand delivering my painting and will pick up if unsold.

GALLERY INFORMATION SHEET

Include this form with crate fee \$35 (if needed) and return shipping label in a separate envelope inside your shipping box. Artwork will not be hung until all required paperwork is received

Artist Name		
Address:		
_ City/State/Zip:		
Phone:	Email:	
Check one:		
Signature Member	_Master Member	

Medium	Price	
	Unframed	
Size	Framed Size	

Check one:

_____ If painting sells, please use my shipping box to ship the painting to the buyer. Shipping cost is the buyer's responsibility.

_____I am hand delivering my work and will pick up if unsold. Any information/details about the painting that a collector would like to know?

For Gallery Use:

_____ Return Shipping Label received _____ Hand delivered/Picking up (no shipping label needed) _____ Crate fee received _____ Crate fee waived (Airfloat or Masterpak boxes used) NOTES: