



Exhibitions Manual & Calendar 2020

CAPE COD ART CENTER
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Cape Cod Art Center

The Cape Cod Art Center is a 501 (c) 3 non-profit membership group continuously operating since its inception in 1948. It serves its members and community with a variety of fine art programs and events.

HOURS

Monday-Friday ~ 9:00-4:00PM

Closed Saturday and Sunday

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AWARDS

- Award categories include Oil/Acrylic, Water Media, Photography, Pastel, Drawing, Other Media, Mixed Media, Printmaking, Digital Art and Sculpture.
- Each category awarded a First Place, Second Place, and Honorable Mention.
- There must be five or more entries in a category for an award to be given.
- An artist may not be awarded more than one award in any given medium.

EXHIBITION GUIDELINES

- Exhibitions are categorized as Juried Artist Member or Open Juried—they are listed in the Exhibit Schedule Booklet and on our website at www.capecodartcenter.org (see [Exhibition Schedule](#) in main menu).
- Juried Artist Members may submit work to any show throughout the year unless an exhibit is specified as being limited (In 2020 they are Master Artists, High School, and Poster Contest).
- Submissions must be from living artists. Artwork cannot be a copy or done under guidance of an instructor.
- Juried Artist Members may submit two pieces of art to juried artist members exhibits unless otherwise indicated.
- No piece of art will be exhibited more than once at the Cape Cod Art Center.
- **All entries in all exhibits must be for sale and at a fair market value. The only exhibit excluded from this requirement is “A Class Act.”**
- Artwork cannot exceed 48 x45 inches.
- **All artwork to be hung must be properly framed, fully dry, and securely wired for hanging. Gallery wraps with finished edges of 1-1/2 inches required for unframed art. No saw tooth hangers, no holes in back of piece for hanging. Poorly presented work will neither be judged nor displayed.**
- **Sculptures must have a stable base to be exhibited.**
- CCAC retains a commission of 30% from members and 40% from non-members for all works sold.

EXHIBITION GUIDELINES *continued*

- Submission fees are:
Juried Artist Member Exhibits—\$15 per entry
Open Juried Exhibits — Varies depending on exhibit. See [Exhibition prospectus](#) on website or ask to have one be mailed to you.
- CCAC has limited storage space. Please pick up artwork on the specified date after an exhibit. After six months, artwork will be considered **donated** to Cape Cod Art Center.
- **CCAC is not responsible for the loss or damage of works. Artists should provide their own insurance coverage.**
- **CCAC reserves the right to reproduce accepted works on our website, and for any advertising or promotional purposes. Submission into our exhibitions indicates acceptance of these conditions.**

Please Note:

While we do our best to have sold work remain for the entire exhibit, upon occasion we may allow a patron to take the painting, rather than lose the sale.

SMARTER ENTRY

For our Open Juried Shows and online competitions entry is by website upload only. Visit <https://client.smarterentry.com/capecodart> to enter online. If you have used Smarter Entry in the past you must log in as a *returning user* at the bottom of the page. If you are new to Smarter Entry you must first register as a *first time user*. After log in, choose the show you intend to enter then follow the steps for payment and upload.

JPEG SIZING

If your image is greater than 800 pixels on the longest side, you can submit as is. Your images will appear large enough to be fairly juried. Your image must be in JPEG format, at 72 dpi and less than 4MB.

<u>EXHIBIT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>DUE BY</u>
Through Your Eyes	Open Juried Exhibit & Sale (All media - no crafts)	January 19 by midnight
Color is Key	Online Open Juried Exhibit (Photography)	January 26 by midnight
Spring Open 2020	Open Juried Exhibit & Sale (All media - no crafts)	April 19 by midnight
Sense of Space	Online Digital Art Exhibit	April 26 by midnight
The National 2020	Open Juried Exhibit & Sale (All media - no crafts)	June 14 by midnight
Patterns	Online Open Juried Exhibit (Photography)	July 19 by midnight
Abstract	Online Open Juried Exhibit (All media - no crafts)	August 23 by midnight
All New England 2020	Open Juried Exhibit & Sale (All media - no crafts)	September 20 by midnight
In the Moment	Online Digital Art Exhibit	October 25 by midnight

A CLASS ACT

Both Galleries

Exhibit and Sale of

CCAC Students-Teachers

January 2 - January 17

Entry Day: Thursday, January 2

Entry Fee: \$15 per piece

Reception: Thursday, January 9 from 5-7pm

Awards presented at 6pm

(An award will be given to one student in each class)

Pick up: Monday, January 20

If you took a class or workshop in 2019 you are invited to put in one piece from each class and/or workshop. CCAC proudly offers more than 100 classes and workshops throughout the year for all skill levels of aspiring and accomplished artists. We would like to celebrate our artistic community by welcoming all students who took a class or workshop in 2019 to participate in **A Class Act**. We invite our instructors to participate as well. All work must be framed and wired and no larger than 45" x 48".

WHITE

Both Galleries

Exhibit and Sale of

For Juried Artist Members

January 20 - February 14

Entry Day: Monday, January 20

Entry Fee: \$15 per piece

Reception: Thursday, January 23 from 5-7pm

Awards presented at 6pm

Pick up: Monday, February 17

The color white is in everything. White helps create dramatic lighting or subtle ripples in the water. Bouquets are more vibrant with a splash of white. Whether you prefer still lifes, portraits, or landscapes ... as long as it has white predominantly in it, we will be accept it.

Juried artists may enter up to two works. Any subject will be accepted.

THROUGH YOUR EYES

Both Galleries

Open Juried Exhibit and Sale

February 17 - March 13

JPEG's Due By: Midnight on Sunday, January 19

Entry Fee: \$15 mem./\$20 non-mem. per piece

Artist Notification: Friday, January 31

Receiving Day: Monday, February 17

Reception: Thursday, February 20 from 5-7PM

Awards presented at 6pm

(Cash awards best Portrait, Landscape,
Streetscape and Nature)

Pick up: Monday, March 16

This exhibit will be split into four groups: Portraits, Landscapes, Streetscapes and Nature. Cash awards will be given in those four categories. Any interpretation of those themes is accepted.

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\$15 members / \$20 non-members entry fee.

COLOR IS KEY

Online Open Juried Photography Exhibition

February 2020

JPEG's Due By: Midnight on Sunday, January 26

Entry Fee: \$15 per piece

Artist Notification: Friday, February 7

Website live on: Friday, February 7

(Cash awards will be given for Best of Show,
Second Place and two Honorable Mentions)

The Photography Program of the Cape Cod Art Center seeks entries for their **COLOR IS KEY** Online Exhibition.

All levels of photographers are invited to submit to this open juried online exhibit.

Any interpretation of theme will be considered.

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Top works will be chosen and exhibited on our website,
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BEGINNINGS

Both Galleries

Cape Wide High School Student Exhibit

March 16 - March 20

Entry Day for H.S. students: Monday, March 16

Reception: Friday, March 20, from 6-8 PM

Awards presented at 7pm

(First, second and honorable mention awards given to each school. Several scholarships given)

Pick up: Monday, March 23

Join Cape Cod Art Center in celebrating the importance of visual arts for youth in this annual Cape-Wide High School Student Exhibition. Ten students from each of the Cape's High Schools are selected by their art department to partake in this invitational exhibit. CCAC is honored to provide a professional gallery setting for students to showcase their art outside of their schools to gain exposure in the local community.

TREES, FLOWERS AND
ALL THAT GROWS

Both Galleries

Exhibit and Sale of

Juried Artist Member Works

March 23 - April 17

Entry Day: Monday, March 23

Entry Fee: \$15 per piece

Reception: Thursday, March 26 from 5-7pm

Awards presented at 6pm

Pick up: Monday, April 20

We are surrounded by trees, flowers and all that grows. Whether outside taking in the beautiful scenery or clipping flowers and bringing them inside, Mother Nature inspires us all.

Any interpretation of the theme will be considered.

Up to two works by Juried Artist Members may be submitted.

MASTER ARTIST EXHIBIT

Both Galleries

Exhibit and Sale of

Juried Master Artist Member Work

April 20 - May 15

Entry Day: Monday, April 20

Reception: Thursday, April 23 from 5-7pm

Pick up: Monday, May 18

Cape Cod Art Center is proud to present the seventh Annual Master Artist Invitational Exhibit. This show honors the creative talent of our Master Artist Members. These artists have obtained the highest level of membership within our organization through a rigorous portfolio review process and all have exhibited and won awards in nationally advertised shows.

*Must have passed Master Artist Portfolio Review to participate.

SPRING OPEN

(Formerly “All Cape Cod”)

Both Galleries

Nationally Advertised

Open Juried Exhibit and Sale

May 18 - June 12

JPEG's Due by: Midnight on Sunday, April 19

Entry Fee: \$20 member/\$25 non-member per piece

Artist Notification: Friday, May 1

Receiving Day: Monday, May 18

Reception: Thursday, May 21 from 5-7pm

Awards presented at 6pm

Pick up: Monday, June 15

Jurying: Cash awards will be given for First and Second Place Works, Best Cape Cod Landscape and Best of Show.

Cape Cod Art Center seeks submissions for Spring Open 2020. This open juried exhibit embraces talent from across the United States. Any subject matter will be considered. There is a special award for the best Cape Cod Landscape.

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\$20 members / \$25 non-members entry fee. Prospectus will be available on our website www.CapeCodArtCenter.org

SENSE OF SPACE

Online Open Juried Digital Art Exhibition
May 2020

JPEG's Due By: Midnight on Sunday, April 26

Entry Fee: \$15 per piece

Artist Notification: Friday, May 8

Website live on: Friday, May 8

Awards: Cash awards will be given for Best of Show,
Second Place and two Honorable Mentions

How do we define space? Is it atmosphere, a favorite room, the distance or closeness between two people? Any interpretation of the them will be considered.

Digital art is an artistic work or practice that uses digital technology, as an **essential part** of the creative or presentation process. This includes the use of computers, mobile or portable handheld devices.

Photography may or may not be included in this creative work of art.

Any interpretation of theme will be considered.

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INSIDE / OUTSIDE

Both Galleries
Exhibit and Sale of
Juried Artist Member Works
June 15 - July 10

Entry Day: Monday, June 15

Entry Fee: \$15 per piece

Reception: **Thursday, June 18 from 5-7 pm**

Awards presented at 6pm

Pick up: Monday, July 13

This theme is wide open, whatever strikes your fancy. You can bring in a still life of a tea kettle, a seascape with piping plovers, or a figure sitting in a chair ... any interpretation of this theme will be considered.

Up to two works by Juried Artist Members may be submitted.

THE NATIONAL

Both Galleries

July 13 - August 14

Nationally Advertised Open Juried
Exhibit and Sale

JPEG's Due: By midnight on Sunday, June 14

Entry Fee: \$25 mem./\$30 non-mem. per piece

Artist Notification: Friday, June 26

Receiving Day: **Monday, July 13**

Reception: Thursday, July 16 from 5-7pm

Awards presented at 6pm

Pick up: Monday, August 17

Jurying: Over \$3,000 in prizes including

Best American Landscape.

Cape Cod Art Center seeks submissions for The National 2020. This annual open juried exhibit embraces talent from across the United States and is always one of CCAC's biggest and most prestigious exhibits of the year. Any subject matter will be considered. Jurors take special consideration of the pieces that fit the theme for Best American Landscape. Visit <https://client.smarterentry.com/capecodart> to enter online. \$25 members /\$30 non members entry fees...Prospectus will be available on our website www.CapeCodArtCenter.org

PATTERNS

Online Open Juried Photography Exhibition

August 2020

JPEG's Due By: Midnight on Sunday, July 19

Entry Fee: \$15 per piece

Artist Notification: Friday, July 31

Website live on: Friday, July 31

Awards: Cash awards will be given for Best of Show,
Second Place and two Honorable Mentions

The Photography Program of the Cape Cod Art Center seeks entries for their **PATTERNS** Online Exhibition.

All levels of photographers are invited to submit to this open juried online exhibit.

When viewing patterns either up close or over a vast distance, they are captivating. Nature notably creates patterns. Picture the trail left behind from creatures large and small, the pattern on sandbars when the tide rolls out, or rock formations in Arizona. City lights to country sites, patterns are everywhere we look. Any interpretation of the theme will be considered.

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SAILBOATS & SUNSETS

Both Galleries

Exhibit and Sale of

Juried Artist Member Works

August 17 - September 18

Entry Day: Monday, August 17

Entry Fee: \$15

Reception: Thursday, August 20 from 5-7pm

Awards presented at 6pm

Pick up: Monday, September 21

Two things that are sought after on Cape Cod ... sailboats and sunsets. You have plenty of inspiration surrounding you no matter what the season. Any interpretation of this theme will be accepted.

An open invitation to all juried artists. Up to two works by Juried Artist Members may be submitted.

ABSTRACT

Open Juried Online Exhibition

For All Medias

September 2020

JPEG's Due By: Midnight on Sunday, August 23

Entry Fee: \$15 per piece

Artist Notification: Friday, September 4

Website live on: Friday, September 4

(Cash awards will be given for Best of Show,
Second Place and two Honorable Mentions)

Abstracts create a sense of reality through shapes, forms, colors and textures. All medias are allowed and any interpretation of this theme will be considered for this online exhibit.

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ILLUMINATION

Both Galleries

September 21 - October 16

Exhibit and Sale of

Juried Artist Member Works

Entry Day: Monday, September 21

Entry Fee: \$15

Reception: Thursday, September 24

from 5-7pm

Awards presented at 6pm

Pick up: Monday, October 19

Illumination ... Lighting makes the most ordinary scene, extraordinary.
Any interpretation of theme will be considered.

Up to two works by Juried Artist Members may be submitted.

ALL NEW ENGLAND

Both Galleries

October 19 - November 13

Nationally Advertised

Open Juried Exhibit and Sale

JPEG's Due: By midnight, Sunday, September 20

Entry Fee: \$25 mem./\$30 non-mem. per piece

Artist Notification: Friday, October 2

Receiving Day: **Monday, October 19**

Reception: Thursday, October 22

from 5-7pm

Awards presented at 6pm

Pick up: Monday, November 16

Jurying: Over \$2,000 in prizes including Best New England Landscape.

This annual open juried exhibit aims to honor the wonderful and vast region of New England from the shores of Cape Cod to the shores of Maine. This exhibit is open to all artists and any subject matter will be considered. There is a special award for Best New England Landscape. Visit <https://client.smarterentry.com/capecodart> to enter online. An open juried New England themed exhibit where all artists far and wide may enter. \$25 members /\$30 non members entry fees...Prospectus will be available on our website www.CapeCodArtCenter.org

IN THE MOMENT

Online Open Juried Digital Art Exhibition

November 2020

JPEG's Due By: Midnight, Sunday, October 25

Entry Fee: \$15 per piece

Artist Notification: Friday, November 6

Website live on: Friday, November 6

Awards: Cash awards will be given for Best of Show,
Second Place and two Honorable Mentions

If you live in the moment, you'll notice the sights, sounds, smells, emotions, triumphs and sorrows. Take them in ... and show us what you see. Any interpretation of this theme will be considered.

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Photography may or may not be included in this creative work of art.

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GIFT SHOW

November 16 - December 23

Exhibit and Sale of Artist Member Small Works

Entry Day: Monday, November 16

Pick up: Monday, January 4, 2021

We will be urging buyers to resist shopping online and instead to shop local this holiday season. Shopping local helps keep Cape Cod a vibrant artistic community and the hub of creative talent. Members are welcome to enter jewelry, photographs, prints, and other fine art crafts as well as small works. We will encourage buyers to purchase a locally made original piece of artwork for the holidays. Juried Artist Members can submit up to five pieces. Framed piece must be no larger than 72 square inches. List your artwork at any price point.

*In lieu of an entry fee, artists are encouraged to bring a new **UNWRAPPED toy to TOYS for TOTS.**

(If no donation brought in entry fee will be \$10.00 per piece)

The mission of the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve TOYS for TOTS Program is to collect new, unwrapped toys during November and December each year, and distribute those toys as Christmas gifts to needy children in the community in which the campaign is conducted. A toy for Tots assists children up to age 14.

- * List artwork at any price point
- * Work previously shown at a CCAC Gift Show **may not** be submitted to this exhibit.
- * Members 10% discount now applies to Gallery items as well as in the Gift Shop
- * Artwork should remain in Gallery through December 23rd; pick up date will be Monday, January 4, 2021 when CCAC reopens.