

2009 OIL HERITAGE CHILDREN'S ART SHOW

Elementary Grades K-5 &
Middle School Grades 6-8

Monday, July 20th - Sunday, July 26th

Dear Artist,

*You are cordially invited to participate in the **Oil Heritage Children's & Young Adult Art Show** sponsored by the Oil City Arts Council. This year's exhibit will be held from Monday, July 20th through Sunday, July 26th in conjunction with the annual Oil Heritage Festival which runs from Thursday, July 23rd through Sunday July 26th. The site of the show will be The National Transit Building Annex/ Floor 3, located at 2 Center Street, in Oil City, Pennsylvania.*

*An **Artist Reception** for the Oil Heritage Art Show will be held on Monday, July 20th from 7-9pm. This event, as well as the exhibition, will be open and free to the public.*

ENTRY INFORMATION: NEW CATEGORY FOR 2009!!! PLEASE READ CAREFULLY...TWO FEE OPTIONS!!!

- 1. Early Bird Registration:** \$5.00 for one or two entries; \$7.50 for maximum of three entries. **These entries (paperwork only with completed art work, labels, application and fees must be postmarked or hand-delivered to Art Show Chairperson on or before June 30th, 2009.)**
PLEASE NOTE: A fourth entry will be allowed without additional fees, by submitting 1 piece of the 4 in the Oil 150 Category. (See sheet 2 of 4)
- 2. Regular Registration:** \$7.50 for one or two entries; \$10.00 for a maximum of three entries. **These entries (paperwork only with completed application and fees) will be postmarked after June 30, 2009 -or- Forms/Fees/Work can also be submitted during specified drop off dates. (See Delivery & Pickup of Artwork – page 3).**

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Inquiries regarding application/fee information can be made by calling 814-673-6392, or emailing oilcitywheelers@verizon.net. All applications and fees should be mailed or delivered to Evelyn Wheeler c/o Oil Heritage Art Show 2008; 706 West First Street, Oil City, PA 16301. (Checks should be made out to Oil City Arts Council).

DIVISIONS:

1. ELEMENTARY (Grades K-5)
2. MIDDLE SCHOOL (Grades 6-8)

CATEGORIES:

1. PAINTING: To include acrylic, watercolor, oils, etc., any painting using a single (one) medium.
2. DRAWING & GRAPHICS/MIXED MEDIA: To include pastels, pencil, charcoal, block printing, screen printing as well as mixed media works. (Mixed media is considered 2 or more mediums used per work.)
3. THREE-DIMENSIONS ARTS - Any medium which projects from its base, ground or support project more than two inches. To include pottery, sculpture, woodcarving, fiber arts, stained glass, mosaic, etc.
4. PHOTOGRAPHY ***MIDDLE SCHOOL ONLY*** Any two dimensional work wherein the entire work is created by the photographic process. ***No** computer enhancements.
5. *****NEW CATEGORY*** OIL 150 *****
To Celebrate our region's Oil 150 year through art expression at this show, all artists are invited to submit a fourth entry for this separate category. All entries will be judged on the work based on the following title, "IT'S AN OIL LIFE". There are no medium specifications or size restrictions. (Only that the work remains family friendly.)

AWARDS:

1. The exhibit will be professionally judged with **Cash prizes and Ribbons awarded for First, Second and Third** places in each category. First: \$15.00; Second \$10.00; Third \$5.00 (**INCLUDING THE OIL 150 CATEGORY**)
2. One \$20.00 **Cash prize and Ribbon** will be awarded for "Best of Show" (judge's choice). For all Children's work K-8, combined.
3. **Honorable Mention Ribbon(s)** awarded to work(s) as per judge's selection.

GENERAL RULES:

1. Artwork must be original (no kits). The show chairperson reserves the right to refuse any entry that is inappropriate for family viewing.
2. Previous prize-winning entries in the Oil Heritage Art Show cannot be entered.
3. Please label your work on the back of each piece with ID cards enclosed (or base of 3D pieces). Two-dimensional artwork **must be framed and wired and ready for installation upon delivery.** Improperly prepared art (not completed/framed and wired) will not be accepted.
4. Artists must sign the enclosed release form when the artwork is delivered to the show.
5. Artwork will not be accepted after 8pm on Friday, July 17th
6. The submission of artwork to this show constitutes the artist's permission for general publicity.
7. Artwork submitted cannot be sold in the Children's Division of the Oil Heritage Art Show.

DELIVERY & PICK-UP OF ARTWORK:

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1. Artwork must be delivered to the Oil Valley Center for the Arts in the National Transit Building Annex in Oil City on Thursday, July 16th between 3-8pm or on Friday, July 17th between 3-8pm. **Art will not be accepted after 8pm on Friday, July 17, 2009, and no refunds will be made.**
2. Artwork must be removed after the show closes on Sunday, July 26th. Pick-up times are 4-6pm Sunday July 26th or Monday, July 27th between 4 – 8pm. If an artist wishes to send a delegate to pick up their work, they must notify us in advance or send a signed permission note with the delegate at time of artwork drop-off. All items must be signed out for release.
3. The Oil City Arts Council, OVCA or chairpersons will not be responsible for any art remaining from this show after 8pm of Monday, July 27th.

YOU ARE INVITED!

As an artist, you and your parent or guardian together, are invited to help participate in the art show by volunteering as a show guide or a “show-host”. If you and your parent or guardian(s) are willing to contribute a couple hours of time, we do welcome your help.

Please check “yes” in the box on your application form. Thank you!

Sincerely,

Evelyn A. Wheeler / Oil Heritage Art Show Chairperson 2009

Please note: All entry fees directly benefit this event.

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I want to exhibit my work in the 2009 Oil Heritage ART SHOW.

Name: _____ Email Address: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Age: _____ Grade: _____ School: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Number of Entries: _____ Fee Enclosed: _____

(Maximum of 4 Entries 3-regular and 1 Oil 150 entry)

Check payable to Oil City Arts Council

Children's Entry Fee:

A. Early Bird: \$5.00 for one or two entries; \$7.50 for 3 postmarked or delivered on or before June 30th. PLEASE NOTE: There is no additional fee for a fourth entry into the Oil 150 Category.

B. Regular Registration: \$7.50 for one or two entries; \$10.00 for 3; after June 30th. (See Delivery of Artwork Information) PLEASE NOTE: There is no additional fee for a fourth entry into the Oil 150 Category.

DIVISION OF ENTRY (Please check one)

Elementary: Grade K-5

Middle School: Grades 6 -8

CATEGORIES

(Please check as appropriate)

Painting Drawing & Graphics/Mixed Media Three-Dimensional Arts

Oil 150/**It's An Oil Life** Photography * Middle School only

TITLE(S) OF WORK (Please list Title of Piece and Category.)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

Return this entry form and your check (payable to Oil City Arts Council) to: **Evelyn Wheeler at 706 West First St., Oil City, PA 16301** **Yes, I would like to be a "show-host". Please contact me to schedule a time.**

CHILDREN'S/YOUNG ADULT

ARTWORK LABEL

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _(____)_____

Title: _____

Category: _____

- Elementary- (Grades K - 5)
- Middle School - (Grades 6-8)
- Young Adult (Grades 9-12)

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Exhibit Release Agreement 2009

It is hereby understood that I, _____
am completely responsible for all materials on exhibit and display. It is further agreed
that this material will be exhibited from Monday, July 20th through Sunday, July 26th.

Every attempt will be made to protect and preserve the artwork submitted for display.
But, it is agreed that the Oil City Arts Council, the Oil Valley Center for the Arts, the
City of Oil City, the Oil City Civic Center, Inc., and all volunteers are relieved of any or
all liability for mutilation or damage or loss of exhibit or display from any cause
whatsoever.

Your generous loan of this material is greatly appreciated by the Oil City Arts Council.
We thank you for helping to enrich the community's appreciation and understanding of
the Arts.

**All artwork may be picked up at the close of the show on Sunday, July 26th between
4 and 6pm or on Monday, July 27th between the hours of 4 - 8pm.**

Exhibitor's Signature _____
Telephone # _____
Email _____

Title of Pieces	Division/Category
1. _____	_____
2. _____	_____
3. _____	_____
4. _____	Oil 150/"It's An Oil Life"

Received by: _____ Date: _____