



Lewiston Council on the Arts

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Welcome to the 2021 Lewiston Art Festival!

Plans for a scaled back Festival were made while COVID restrictions were still in full force and by the time they were lifted, it was too late to go back to normal! We're just excited to have a Festival on any terms after the last 17 months!

Setting up instructions are the same as in past years however the biggest changes for 2021 are that

- THERE WILL NOT BE JUDGING AT THE FIRE HALL. Judges will come to your booth on Saturday morning to pick the prize winners so we recommend you put your best pieces up front and in a visible location.
- THERE WILL BE ONLY ONE WINNER PER CATEGORY. Since we couldn't have a Festival last year and we lost some major sponsors we had to cut back on awards but things will be back to normal next year!
- ARTIST BREAKFAST IS CANCELED THIS YEAR. We'll deliver the prizes to your booth.
- WE STRONGLY RECOMMEND ALL VENDORS BE VACCINATED and please have hand sanitizer available in your booth.

Volunteers will be available at 6:30 AM Saturday morning on the street to answer questions. They'll give you an information packet containing NEW judging instructions, nametag, etc. This information will also be available on our website (www.artcouncil.org) prior to the event.

SETTING UP

- Please be sure to set up in correct space as you may be asked to move if you are not in your assigned location. A map is shown on page 4.
- Site numbers are painted on the curbs. The number is painted on the inside of your space next to the slash marking the boundary of your space. Site numbers correspond to cross streets. (e.g. 400 series are between 4th & 5th St., 500 series between 5th & 6th St., 600 series between 6th & 7th St., 700 series between 7th & 8th St.).
- Set up your tent on the pavement (in the parking space) **BACKING UP TO THE CURB AND FACING INTO CENTER STREET**. The back of your tent should be 2 feet away from the curb in case of rain. Be prepared to secure your tent on paved material
- Center St. will close to vehicles at 5 AM. No early set up. You can drive in to unload and then move your vehicle by 9:45. Parking areas are available on side streets, the **BACK ROW ONLY** of CVS and Ride Aid Plazas. **THERE IS NO PARKING AT RED BRICK BRICK SCHOOL**. Do not park on private property and please do not block emergency vehicle access to Center St. from the side streets.

Lewiston Art Festival Competition

A. AWARDS FOR 2021

BEST OF SHOW	\$500
Best of Category	\$250
Best Booth Display	\$100
Michael McMahon Memorial Award (for watercolor)	\$100

B. CATEGORIES OF AWARDS

Painting (watercolor, oil, acrylic, watercolor)
Mixed Media
Graphic Arts / Drawing
Photography
Sculpture
Artistic Crafts: Jewelry
Artistic Crafts: Other ceramic, wood, glass, fiber etc.

C. JUDGING INSTRUCTIONS FOR ARTISTS

1. JUDGES WILL COME TO YOUR BOOTH TO JUDGE THIS YEAR. They will begin at 10:00 am on Saturday morning of the show
2. Hang your booth number in a visible location on your tent
3. Choose up to 2 pieces for the judges to consider. Complete the judging entry form included in your welcome packet (also available online) and attach to the front of the piece(s) to be judged. Judges reserve the right to move a piece to a different category
4. Place your pieces in a prominent location in your booth
5. Judges will select 1 winner in each category this year.
6. When judging is complete someone will come by your booth with an award ribbon ASAP so clients can see you've won. A check will be delivered Sunday morning.

LEWISTON ART FESTIVAL JUDGING ENTRY • FORM #1

PLEASE PRINT

Artist Name

Booth #

Title of Work

Category (check one):

_____ Painting

_____ Mixed Media

_____ Graphic Arts/Drawing/Digital

_____ Photography

_____ Sculpture

_____ Artistic Craft: Jewelry

_____ Artistic Craft: other

(ceramic, wood, leather, glass, fiber, metal)

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LEWISTON ART FESTIVAL JUDGING ENTRY • FORM #2

PLEASE PRINT

Artist Name

Booth #

Title of Work

Category (check one):

_____ Painting

_____ Mixed Media

_____ Graphic Arts/Drawing/Digital

_____ Photography

_____ Sculpture

_____ Artistic Craft: Jewelry

_____ Artistic Craft: other

(ceramic, wood, leather, glass, fiber, metal)

2021 Lewiston Art Festival

Saturday August 14: 10am-6pm & Sunday August 15: 10am-5pm

