

Call for Artists to Exhibit – *Placitas Artists Series 2018-19 Season*

The Placitas Artists Series (PAS) invites all New Mexico artists and craft-persons 18 years of age and older to submit three electronic images of their work and a completed application - found below on page two - **by MARCH 31, 2018** in order to be selected by jury for a monthly exhibit during the PAS 31st season, September 2018 through May 2019. The online application contains all instructions and the fee is \$15.

The PAS presents inspiring art and music in a welcoming venue located in the Placitas foothills. An opening artists' reception is held on the day of each monthly concert; and artists selected by jury receive publicity and a year's exposure on the PAS website, <http://www.placitasartistsseries.org/visual-arts.htm> .

For additional information, contact Vicki Gottlieb, PAS Visual Arts Chair at 505-379-2846 or vicki.gottlieb@gmail.com .



PURPOSE: For over 30 years, we have been bringing excellent music and art to the foothills of Placitas. We provide a beautiful venue to display the work of two to four visual artists each month from September to May. Opening receptions are held on the day of our concerts. **2D artists have a one-month show; 3D artists choose a one-month, or concert day-only, show.** All accepted artists receive publicity and a year's exposure on the PAS website, www.placitasartistsseries.org.

ELIGIBILITY: Open to artists and craft-persons 18 years of age and older presenting their original work. First preference is given to residents of Placitas and Southern Sandoval County, and then to all other New Mexico residents.

LOCATION: Las Placitas Presbyterian Church, State Road #165, Placitas, New Mexico, 87043.

STANDARDS: All work must be original, professional quality, and ready to display, completed within the last 2 years and not previously shown at PAS. Entries copied, mass-produced, made from a kit or mold, or under the supervision of an instructor are ineligible.

CALENDAR: Applications are due by **March 31, 2018**. Artists will be notified in May.

SALES: Placitas Artists Series handles all sales and collects a 25% commission. Sales tax is the responsibility of the artist.

LIABILITY: The artists must provide their own insurance. The Placitas Artists Series and the Las Placitas Presbyterian Church assume no responsibility for loss or damage to work on display.

HOW TO ENTER: Only digital entries of art work will be considered. Please crop the image so that only the artwork is shown.

File Format: Files should be sent in .jpg format. Please size to 640x480 pixels (or the closest approximation).

You can send all the files in one email. Only three (3) images will be accepted.

Format for naming your 3 images: your last name, your first name, PAS18 a, b, or c for entry number, e.g.:
SmithJanePAS18a.jpg
SmithJanePAS18b.jpg
SmithJanePAS18c.jpg

Attach your digital entries to an e-mail sent to Vicki Gottlieb, vicki.gottlieb@gmail.com and include your **full name, address, phone #, e-mail address, file names, titles, medium and sizes** of each art example you submit to be juried. **Subject line** should read: Digital entries Smith (use your own last name).

If selected, you will need to promptly send us two short paragraphs: 1) a **BIO** written in the 3rd person, a brief statement about yourself and your work, and 2) a **personal statement** written in the first person. This could be about how you work or what inspires you. **This information will be used in the concert program, on our Website, and other publicity.**

**Also
fill out the
Visual Arts Application Form and
mail it with the \$15 application fee --
a check made out to PAS -- to:**

Vicki Gottlieb, Chair
PAS Visual Arts Committee
91 Juniper Road
Placitas, New Mexico, 87043

Visual Arts Application Form

Please print clearly or type.

Name.....

Address.....

Phone (h).....

Email.....

Website.....

Media.....

Price range.....

List last two juried or invitational exhibitions:

Most recent award:

Gallery.....

Months (Sep, Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb, Mar, or May – NOTE: not Apr) you prefer to exhibit:

1.....

2.....

Signature.....