

2018 Plein Air KC Rules & Regulations

1. Artist Registration & Sign-In

- a. All artists MUST sign in and register on site prior to painting. At registration, artists MUST acknowledge the liability waiver; terms of the event use agreement and have supports stamped before beginning painting. Artists are required to sign in only once.
- b. All artists will be issued an artist nametag and lanyard at sign-in. Artists must have your nametag AT ALL TIMES when painting in Penn Valley Park.
- c. Artist registration, sign-in, and support stamping will be:
 - i. Friday, May 4, 2018 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at One Park Place, 700 W. 31st Street, Kansas City, MO 64108
 - ii. Friday 5:30-8:00 p.m. at the Artists' Reception at Union Station (East Patio) 30 W Pershing Rd, Kansas City, MO 64108
 - iii. If you are unable to register on Friday, May 4, 2018, you may make arrangements to register or stamp additional supports the week of May 7 at Buttonwood Art Space, 3013 Main Street, Kansas City, MO.
 - iv. PVPC volunteers will also be able to stamp additional supports at the Quick Paint events on Sunday, May 6th, Tuesday, May 8th, and Thursday May 10th.
- d. Artists shall be provided three (3) submission forms at registration and sign-in for use in submitting paintings for competition. Each artist may submit up to three paintings for judging at the conclusion of the event.

2. Only Stamped Supports Can Be Used in the Event

- a. Each Artist registration fee entitles the artist to have an unlimited number of stamped supports.
- b. Artists may only use stamped supports while painting in Plein Air KC, including the Quick Paint competitions, and paintings submitted for judging and awards.

3. \$500 Quick Paint Events:

- a. Participation in all Quick Paint events is included with the event registration.
- b. Four individual Quick Paint events will be held, weather permitting:
 - i. Friday, May 4, 7:30-9:30 p.m. – Union Station/Memorial North Lawn;
 - ii. Sunday, May 6, 5:00-7:00 p.m., Roanoke Park, Roanoke Road, KCMO 64116;
 - iii. Tuesday May 8, 6:00-8:00 p.m., Penn Valley Park Lake
 - iv. Thursday May 13, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Union Cemetery.
- c. Artists participating in the Quick Paint events **MUST** submit their painting for judging immediately after the completion of time for that Quick Paint event.
- d. The winning artist agrees to frame their Quick Paint painting and deliver it to Buttonwood for auction at the Gala in return for the \$500 purchase award.

4. \$1,500 One Park Place Paint Off

- a. The Paint Off is a Purchase Award Sponsored by One Park Place. Winning artist will receive \$1,500 purchase award and the art will be displayed at One Park Place's Main Gallery Hall.
- b. Competition is May 4 through May 12, 2018. All canvasses must have Plein Air Stamp and be painted from within Penn Valley Park.
- c. **Submissions must be turned in at Buttonwood Art Space by 3:00 p.m. Friday May 11, 2018 to be considered.**
- d. Winner will be announced Saturday night, May 12 at the Awards Ceremony and Art Auction.
- e. Further details on OPP Paint Off rules and art dimensions are found in a separate rule sheet.

5. Plein Air Competition Submissions:

- a. All paintings submitted for judging for this event must be created **ENTIRELY** and **WHOLLY** on site at Penn Valley Park during the period of the event, May 4, 2018 through May 12, 2018.

- b. No studio work is allowed on any paintings submitted for judging. Any paintings deemed to be constructed entirely or in part off-site will NOT be eligible for judging or any awards.
- c. All Paintings submitted for judging **must be delivered on May 12, 2018 between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.** to: **Buttonwood Art Space**, 3013 Main Street, Kansas City, Missouri 64108
- d. Each artist may submit up to three (3) paintings for consideration. Each painting submitted must be stamped and have a completed artist submission form securely attached to the back of each painting. Submission forms will be provided to the artist at sign-in with their registration material.
- e. Artists must deliver all paintings for judging **ready to hang**, as set forth on the Proper Hanging instructions provided by Buttonwood and included by reference in these Rules. The registration stamp on the painting support must be visible when the painting is submitted for judging. If necessary, please cut a small window so that the stamp on the support is visible. Artists submitting pieces for judging should consider the quality of the framing and finishing because selected works will be displayed for sale to the public.
- f. Artists will be issued submission receipts, identifying their paintings. Artist **must retain these receipts** for collection of their work at the conclusion of the event.
- g. Patrick Saunders will be the juror of the entire event, including the Quick Paints. Event awards will be announced at the Plein Air Awards and Auction, which will be held at Buttonwood Art Space on May 12, 2018 from 6:00-9:00 p.m. The following awards will be given:
 - i. Best of Show: \$1,000.00
 - ii. First Place: \$750.00
 - iii. Second Place: \$500.00
 - iv. Third Place: \$250.00

6. Display and Sale of Paintings at Buttonwood Art Space

- a. All art submitted for judging is eligible for consideration to be displayed and sold at Buttonwood Art Space.
- b. Plein Air Art chosen for display at Buttonwood Art Space shall be selected at the sole discretion of the Plein Air Selection Committee and Juror.
- c. If selected for display and sale, the Artist must leave paintings for display and sale until the conclusion of the Plein Air KC Exhibit on June 28, 2018.

- d. Because the Plein Air Fest is, in part, a fundraiser for the Penn Valley Park Conservancy, artists are encouraged to price their paintings to sell.
 - e. For every painting sold, artists will receive 60% of the retail price with 40% of the retail price going to Penn Valley Park Conservancy. All sale proceeds will be delivered by check, mailed to the artist's contact address given at registration. Checks will be mailed within two weeks of the conclusion of the Plein Air Fest Exhibit.
 - f. Buttonwood Art Space will collect and pay all sales taxes due. You must complete a W-9 form in order to receive payment for sold works totaling over \$600.00. Notification of payments over \$600.00 to artist for sold art will be reported to IRS as 1099 income.
7. **Artist's Responsibility to Pick-Up Paintings Not Displayed or Purchased.**
- a. If a submitted painting is not selected as a prizewinner or not selected for display at Buttonwood Art Space, it will need to be collected by the artist from Buttonwood Art Space between the hours of 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday, May 15, 2018. Artists needing to pick up their painting during this period will be notified by email.
 - b. If an artist's painting is a prizewinner or selected for display, the artist agrees to leave the painting at Buttonwood Art Space for the duration of the Plein Air KC Exhibit. If any painting has not been sold during the exhibit, the artist will be notified by email to collect the painting between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., June 28-29, 2018.
 - c. To collect paintings, the artist must tender a photo ID and the submission receipt issued to the artist when the painting was submitted for judging.
 - d. If other arrangements need to be made to collect paintings, please contact Dona Boley at pvpc@georgekessler.org