

ALABAMA ARTISTS ROOTS AND WINGS



2022 Exhibition
20th Annual April 1 – 19

ArtsRevive

PO Box 2548

Selma, AL 36702-2548

About the show

ArtsRevive is pleased to open registration for its 20th annual juried art competition. The show has grown significantly over the past several years in size, popularity and most importantly in the quality of the submissions. **Alabama Artists: Roots and Wings** is a reflection of that growth. Entry for 2022 is open to artists who are from Alabama although they may now live and work elsewhere (Wings) as well as those artists who currently live in Alabama (Roots).

The ArtsRevive show has built a reputation for its varied sampling of Alabama talent at its finest. The show will be held at ArtsRevive Cultural Arts Center located at 3 Church Street in the heart of historic downtown Selma.

Judge: Bruce Andrews

Here's my history in a nutshell!

I am currently the Executive Director of the Shelby County Arts Council (since 2013). I've always been a working artist in some way shape or form.

That said, in 1979, I was a Fine Arts major at the University of Alabama in Birmingham. That lasted about three and a half years! I got married. My wife got pregnant. I ran out of money. I went to work as a freelance artist and a musician working as many side jobs as I could tolerate.

Here's an overview:

1979-1988: Freelance Artist working by commission and working singer-songwriter. My freelance experience during this time included numerous illustration jobs including three published children's books.

1989-1994: Regional marketing Executive for Benson Music Group I managed to distribution and promotion of Gospel music under this label in four states.

1994-2012: Freelance Artist specializing in large-scale murals in dozens of commercial and residential spaces.

Working musician/songwriter, twice a finalist in the International Blues challenge in Memphis TN. Inducted into the Alabama blues Hall of Fame.

During this time frame (2005) I also begin to teach for the Shelby County Arts Council. In 2007, I was asked to design a program to bring art/music therapy into the Juvenile Detention Center, in doing so, I learned how to write grants to pay for the programs. It's fair to say, that from 2007 to 2013, I gradually changed from a working artist to a designated art administrator. That's where I am now...

Shelby County Arts Council is a 501c3 profit. We not only administer and facilitate outbound Arts outreach programs. We manage a 20,000 square foot Arts and cultural facility in Columbiana, Alabama that includes a Performing Arts space (Song Theater), the Ebsco Fine Art gallery, a Pottery studio and a metal Arts Foundry. Find out more at shelbycountyartscouncil.com

Eligibility

1. Entrants must be current or former residents of Alabama.
2. Only work not previously shown in ArtsRevive shows is allowed.
3. All work must be original and all reference material should be the work of the artist. No paintings made from other painters' or photographers' work should be submitted for competition.
4. All artworks must have been created within the past 3 years
5. Artist must be 18 years of age by April 1, 2022

Categories

The following categories will be recognized in the show. Select the category most appropriate for your work. Pieces selected for the show will be judged in the category under which they were submitted.

3D - Clay/ Ceramics/ Fiber/ Furniture/ Glass/ Jewelry/ Metal/ Mixed Media/ Sculpture/ Wood

Drawing - graphite/ pastel/ ink/

Painting - acrylic/ oil/ watercolor/ tempra

Mixed Media

Photography

Printmaking - Computer Generated/ Printmaking (all forms)

Awards

- Best in Show: \$1000
- First in each category: \$200
- Second in each category: \$100
- Third in each category: \$50
- People's choice: \$300
(awarded the night of the members/artists reception March 31)

Art must be brought to Gallery 905 by March 26 to be considered for the show.

Artists should price their submitted work for sale during the show or identify it as NFS. Prices listed on the Entry Form will be listed in the Exhibition Catalogue. If no price is listed, it will be marked NFS. **No changes will be made.** A 20% commission on sales will go to ArtsRevive.

Participants may submit up to 3 entries per category for consideration with a maximum of nine (9) entries overall.

Participants will be notified by email as to work accepted for the show, delivery dates, time and place, as well as other details pertaining to show participation. If you do not have an email address, please send a self-addressed and stamped envelope for your notice.

All works must be dry, suitable framed and ready to hang (3-D works excepted). Gallery wrapped paintings will be accepted only if completely painted on all sides. Works must hang by a secure wire. No saw-toothed or prefabricated hangers accepted. Works improperly framed or wired will not be allowed in the Exhibition. All work should be labeled with title of work, artist's name and contact information if possible.

Digital Images: (send all digital images to winfred.artsrevive@gmail.com with the following)

1. Title your email with the attached images "Roots and Wings Entry_NAME"
example: Roots and Wings Entry_David Sparks
2. All digital images must be properly named: "Artist Name"_"Title of Work"
example: David Sparks_The Sun Does Shine.jpg
3. All images must be
a.) jpeg **b.)** 300dpi **c.)** no larger than 2100 pixels on the longest side

Need more information: call Becky Youngblood at 334.410.2302
or email winfred.artsrevive@gmail.com

Fees

There is a non-refundable entry fee of \$45 per artist for the first three (3) submissions. Entry fee for pieces 4-9 is \$5 per piece. All entries include an ArtsRevive individual membership. Payment may be made by check payable to ArtsRevive. To pay by credit card call Gallery 905 at 334-878-1905, Tuesday-Friday, 11am-4pm.

Submission Specifications

- The entry form must be filled out completely and clearly. Please print legibly.
Application must be received by March 12, 2022
- **Mail entry form to ArtsRevive PO Box 2548 Selma, AL 36702-2548** (if not submitted online)
- **All entries must be properly labeled** (See Submission Specifications).
- **Entry fee must be included with Entry Form.**
Make checks payable to ArtsRevive, 2021 Art Show, PO Box 2548, Selma, AL 36702-2548.

To pay with a credit card

call 334-878-1905 (Tuesday-Friday 11am-4pm)

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Roots and Wings Entry Form (FILL OUT COMPLETELY)

Neither ArtsRevive nor its officers, nor any receiving or leasing agent will be liable for loss or damage to any work of art submitted to this exhibition. Insurance, if desired for shipping, exhibition or any other reason, is the responsibility of the individual artist. Images of selected work may be used for publicity. By submitting work to this exhibition the artist agrees to the conditions set forth on this entry form.

Entry form must be mailed with check by March 12 to ArtsRevive Selma, AL, PO Box 2548

- I hereby agree to the above liability clause and to abide by all the rules and regulations set forth in the prospectus of ArtsRevive.
- I give permission for photographs of my work to be used by ArtsRevive for publicity purposes only. I understand that I will be given credit for this artwork and that ArtsRevive will receive no financial benefit from the use of this photograph.

Artist Name: _____

Artist Signature: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

- **Artwork Description**

If your description/artist statement does not fit within the space provided, Please email to winfred.artsrevive@gmail.com

Please title your email "Roots and Wings_NAME_description"
example: Rootes and Wings_Davis Sparks_description

The email body copy should read as follows

1. artist name
2. title of artwork
3. description

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Entry #1

Name _____ Title _____

Size _____ Price _____ year created _____ 3D Drawing Painting

Mixed Media Photography Printmaking

Description _____

Entry #2

Name _____ Title _____

Size _____ Price _____ year created _____ 3D Drawing Painting

Mixed Media Photography Printmaking

Description _____

Entry #3

Name _____ Title _____

Size _____ Price _____ year created _____ 3D Drawing Painting

Mixed Media Photography Printmaking

Description _____

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Entry #4

Name _____ Title _____

Size _____ Price _____ year created _____ 3D Drawing Painting

Mixed Media Photography Printmaking

Description _____

Entry #5

Name _____ Title _____

Size _____ Price _____ year created _____ 3D Drawing Painting

Mixed Media Photography Printmaking

Description _____

Entry #6

Name _____ Title _____

Size _____ Price _____ year created _____ 3D Drawing Painting

Mixed Media Photography Printmaking

Description _____

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Entry #7

Name _____ Title _____

Size _____ Price _____ year created _____ 3D Drawing Painting

Mixed Media Photography Printmaking

Description _____

Entry #8

Name _____ Title _____

Size _____ Price _____ year created _____ 3D Drawing Painting

Mixed Media Photography Printmaking

Description _____

Entry #9

Name _____ Title _____

Size _____ Price _____ year created _____ 3D Drawing Painting

Mixed Media Photography Printmaking

Description _____
