

2021 Carnegie Center Art Competition



The Jasper Newton Foundation wants to showcase amazing artists by hosting an inaugural Carnegie Center Art Competition. This contest will allow local and regional artists to submit an original creation representing our historic Carnegie Center.

Guidelines:

- a. This competition is open to anyone that is interested.
- b. Registration for this competition is free.
- c. No more than one entry per participant.
- d. The artwork should be a constructed, deconstructed, literal, or abstract visual representation of the historic Carnegie Center building in Rensselaer.
- e. The artwork may be created using multiple artistic techniques including but not limited to: sketching, painting, watercolor, digital art, fabric designs, etc.
- f. The artwork is required to be on an 8 x 10, 2D, flat, canvas, or paper. Fabrics should be flat and not bulkier than a 8 x 10 canvas wrap.
- g. Your artwork must be your original concept and not a copy of anyone else's copyrighted material.
- h. Artwork will be submitted as a digital image through a Google Form. Please take a clear and well-lit image of your artwork, this will be used for the first round of judging.
- i. Artwork will be judged by a well-respected individual who resides in Indiana with an interest in historical buildings.
- j. On the back of your artwork, please write or affix your name and contact number.
- k. By entering into the Carnegie Center Art Competition, you are granting the Jasper Newton Foundation a non-exclusive perpetual license to reproduce images of your artwork for thank you notes, newspapers, websites, with artists credited in print.
- i. Have some fun and love where you live!

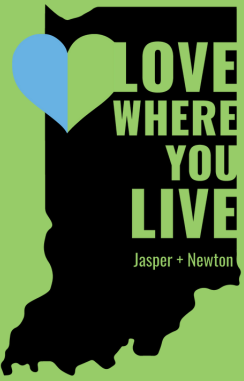
Judging

Artwork will be judged on artistic merit, originality, creativity, and how well the essence of the Carnegie Center (located at 301 N. Van Rensselaer Street, Rensselaer IN) is conveyed.

Timeline

- Please submit the digital image of your piece and information on the google form by Friday, September 3rd at 5 PM CST.
 - Click [HERE](#) for link.





- The first round of judging will take place Friday, September 3rd to Monday, September 6th.
- Artists chosen from the first round of judging will be notified by September 7th and be invited to the Jasper Newton Foundation's Window Sash Bash on September 19th where art will be displayed.
- Selected artwork will need to be dropped off at the Jasper Newton Foundation from 8 AM to 4 PM CST on September 13th and 14th. 8 x 10 mat boards will be provided for the final display of the top 20 pieces. Please follow the requirement in guideline **f**.
- The top 5 prizes will be awarded on September 19th and be on display until November 13th.

Prizes

The top 20 overall pieces will be showcased at the Window Sash Bash event. There will be a \$500 purchase prize for the overall Best of Show. There will also be a \$100 purchase prize for the top four Judges' Choice Awards. All five pieces of artwork will be auctioned at the Jasper Newton Foundation's Annual Gala to help raise money for community grant programs at Jasper Newton Foundation.

Art Returns

Artwork will be available for pickup after November 13th. If interested, please consider donating your artwork to the Jasper Newton Foundation, as it would go to the auction along with the winners to raise money for community grant programming in the Jasper and Newton County communities.



