



**Celebrating Our 30th Anniversary
Sixth Annual PAC Member Show
April 27 – June 1, 2023**

EXHIBITION:

Prairie Arts Council's invites current PAC member artists of **all ages** to submit up to three works of art for our annual member art show. All 2D and 3D media are welcome within the specifications listed below.

SPECIAL 30th ANNIVERSARY EXHIBITION THEME:

To celebrate our 30th Anniversary, we are highlighting the work and life of artist Lilian Fendig, our gallery's namesake. We are encouraging (*but not requiring*) artists to create work inspired by the life and work of Lilian. You are invited to submit one or more works with a "Fendig Theme". Special awards will be selected for the best works. You can learn about Lilian and see [information about her work here](#) with [examples here](#) or contact us for more details.

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GOAL:

The purpose of this show is to give PAC artists of all ages, working in all media, an annual opportunity to exhibit their original art in a professional setting, at the Lilian Fendig Gallery. The theme will be open with an emphasis on exhibiting your **very best original art created in the past three years or specifically with a Fendig theme.**

DATES & DEADLINES

April 18, 20: DELIVERY

- Delivery of artwork, application, and fees during gallery hours to the Carnegie Center:
Tuesday April 18, Noon to 4:00 PM or Thursdays April 20, 2:00 to 6:00 PM.
- Or make other arrangements by emailing pacrensselaer@gmail.com. Work must be received no later than Thursday April 20 at 6:00 PM.

April 27- June 1: EXHIBITION OPEN

- Exhibition open to the public during gallery hours or by special appointment by emailing 48 hours in advance: pacrensselaer@gmail.com

April 28: RECEPTION 6:30 to 8:00 PM

- AWARD CEREMONY AT 7:00 PM
- Open to artists, families, friends, and PAC members.

June 1: ART PICK UP

- Artist must pick up their artwork at the Carnegie Center:
Thursday June 1, 4:00 and 6:00 PM or Saturday June 3, 9:00 AM and Noon.
- The gallery must be cleared for the next exhibition.

ENTRY FORM & FEE

- NEW: \$5 entry fee for one, two, or three works.
- Your completed entry form and fees (cash, check, or credit card) must be submitted and paid when you deliver your artwork.

ELIGIBILITY

- **This exhibition is open exclusively to PAC member artists of all ages.**
- Membership must be paid through June 2023. We will verify your membership status when you deliver your work and entry forms.
- New members are welcome and encouraged. You may renew or become a new member when dropping off entries.

New or renewal membership fees:

- Student membership: \$10
- Individual membership: \$25
- Family membership: \$35

SPECIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS

- The exhibition will consist of two and three-dimensional artwork in all media, except for ceiling installed work and no video.
- All work must be framed or have a professional looking presentation. FYI: Inexpensive frames can be purchased at Walmart, the Dollar stores, Jasper Junction and Amazon.
- Wall pieces *must* have a **secure** hanging system, wired is preferred.
- Any unstable hanging systems will be rejected. For example, string hot glued on the back is NOT acceptable.
- Free-standing 3-D pieces must be stable and weigh no more than 50 lbs.

Work that is not ready for hanging/presentation will NOT be accepted.

- All Media are eligible including but not limited to Drawing, Painting, Photography, Printmaking, Sculpture, Ceramics, Fiber, Collage, Mixed Media, Metals, etc.
- All work must be the original conception and execution of the artist within the last three years.
NO COPY WORK.

DELIVERY & PICK UP OF ARTWORK

The artist is responsible for the hand delivery of materials and picking up their materials on the scheduled days unless other arrangements are made at least 24 hours in advance by emailing pacrensselaer@gmail.com.

INSURANCE AND SALE OF ARTWORK

All artwork is insured for its declared value from the time it is received through the time it is picked up. PAC will take a 20% commission on all exhibition sales. Sales are encouraged but not required.

PHOTOGRAPHY WAIVER

By submitting your artwork, you give PAC permission to use images of you or your artwork for purposes of promotion in connection with PAC.

AWARDS: PEOPLES CHOICE AWARDS and BEST FENDIG INSPIRED WORK

Throughout the duration of the show, visitors will be encouraged to vote for their favorite work of art. The top three artists will be given a complimentary PAC membership for 2023. The Best Fendig Inspired work will be awarded at the opening reception with a ribbon and small cash prize.



MEMBER ART SHOW 2023 ENTRY FORM:

(Please fill out completely and submit to PAC with your entry fee when you deliver your artwork)

Member Contact Information:

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: (____) _____ - _____ Office Check Membership Status: New Renew Current

Show Fee:

Cash: Credit: Check: Checks made out to **Prairie Arts Council** Entry fee: \$5.00

If your membership is not current, then you must also include your membership dues to enter the show.

Membership Dues (Fill out Membership form at gallery): New? Renew? Dues: \$ _____

Student: \$10, Individual: \$25, Family: \$35

Total Payment: \$ _____

ARTWORK INFORMATION:

(You may show 1-3 works. **PLEASE FILL IN ALL BLANKS**)

(PAC retains 20% commission, take that into account when pricing items for sale)

#1 Title: _____ For Sale? Value: \$ _____

Medium: _____ Year Created: _____ Fendig Inspired?

#2 Title: _____ For Sale? Value: \$ _____

Medium: _____ Year Created: _____ Fendig Inspired?

#3 Title: _____ For Sale? Value: \$ _____

Medium: _____ Year Created: _____ Fendig Inspired?

Artwork label tags are on the next page.

ARTWORK TAGS

(cut out tags and attach securely to the back of 2D artwork, or to the bottom of 3D artwork)

Artist Name: _____
#1 Title: _____
Medium: _____
Value: \$ _____
For Sale or NFS (circle one)

Artist Name: _____
#2 Title: _____
Medium: _____
Value: \$ _____
For Sale or NFS (circle one)

Artist Name: _____
#3 Title: _____
Medium: _____
Value: \$ _____
For Sale or NFS (circle one)