



4th Annual Downtown Fine Art Festival

Owensboro, KY



Artists are invited to participate in the *4th Annual Downtown Fine Art Festival*, presented by Fetta Specialty Pizza & Spirits and Owensboro Art Guild.

Date: Saturday July 13, 2024 • **Time:** 10 a.m. — 5 p.m.

Location: 118 Saint Ann Street, Downtown Owensboro

Application Deadline: Friday, June 28, 2024

Set up time: 7-10 a.m. • **Break down time:** not before 5 p.m.

Eligibility: Artists must be 18 years and over.

Entry Fee: Non-refundable fee of \$35.00 for Owensboro Art Guild members, \$45.00 for non-members. Booth space is 10 x 10. You may share a booth space with one other artist and split the entry fee. Judging is done on the entire display. In the event a shared space receives an award, the artists will have to determine how they plan to share it.

Booth Space is limited and is assigned on a first come first served basis. Please apply early if you have special requests for spacing or assistance.

Setup begins at 7 am and you must be finished setting up by 10 am. If you show up late and cannot complete set up by 10 am, you will not be allowed to participate. Judging begins at 10 am.

Cash Awards will be presented. \$175 First Place, \$125 Second Place and \$100 Third Place. Two judges will be selected at a later date. Judges will be knowledgeable in all mediums.

Categories include but are not limited to: painting, watercolor, mixed media, wood, clay, collage, digital art, drawing and graphics, fiber, glass, jewelry, photography, metal and sculpture.

Coffee and Donuts will be available for artists during setup.

This is a *fine art show*, no art supplies, kit made items, assemblages, no commercial patterns or works cast in commercial molds, no manufactured or buy-sell items are allowed. Artist will be asked to leave if they break this rule.

This is a juried show. All artists must submit 3 photos of their art in their selected medium. Artists sharing a space will have to submit 3 photos for each artist. Artists who took a first, second or third place award at the 2023 Downtown Fine Art Show do not need to submit images of their work and will be automatically accepted. We may use your photos to promote your art and the Downtown Fine Art Show. The jury process is ongoing and artists will be notified as soon as possible but **no later than July 3, 2024.**

Exhibitor responsibility: All artwork must be created by the participating artists. Artists are responsible for their own display including set up and taking down, sales tax, hanging art work,

bringing their own signage, tables, tent and chairs. Everything must be kept in your space and not set up in the walkways. Please let us know in advance if you need extra assistance with set-up.

There will be no commissions charged on your sales.

Please plan for inclement weather. No refunds will be given.

Artist assumes all liability for their art and displays. Fetta Pizza and Owensboro Art Guild will assume no liability for loss or damage. Remember this is a family friendly function.

Participating artist will have one piece of art on display at Independence Bank through the month of July. Drop off date will be announced to all participants.

Direct all contact and questions to **Leeza Dukes at: 270-313-4168.**

Owensboro Art Guild is a non-profit organization (organized by artists and volunteers) with all show proceeds and donations going to support programs and other events that support and promote art in our community.

Music will be provided during this festival by ***Beyond Blu***, a local blues band.

Downtown Art Show sponsored by Fetta Pizza. Please Print Clearly.

Send digital images to leezadukesexpo@gmail.com Make sure your name and contact info are included on your email.

Name: _____

Shared Space 2nd Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State and Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____

Email address: _____

What is your medium/category: _____

Check one: Member \$35.00 Non-member \$45

I have read and agree to the rules.

Checks payable to: Owensboro Art Guild

Mail check and application to: Owensboro Art Guild

PO Box 743

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Due to limited space, applications are due no later than Friday, June 28, 2023.