

Division 21 – FINE ARTS

Chairperson: Beverlee McLeod (250) 748-4492

2018 Exhibition Theme: “150 Years of Growing”

2018 Colour Challenge: Gold & Silver

Entry Fee: \$1 per entry

Register between July 16th and Aug. 25th. Last day to register: August 25th, by 5 pm.

Delivery of Exhibits: Entries for the Fine Arts Division are due on **Tuesday, Sept. 4th** between 10 am and 6 pm. This delivery date will give our Fine Arts committee more time to sort and hang the show prior to judging. Bring your exhibits to Mellor Hall.

Pick Up of Exhibits: Sunday, Sept. 9th – after 4 pm.

If unable to collect your exhibit(s) by 6 pm that day, the Exhibition is open the following week from 9 am to 5 pm.

Prize Money: 1st - \$5, 2nd - \$3, 3rd - ribbon only.

Pick up prize money and special awards from the Exhibition Office during the week of Sept. 24th to 28th – 9 am to 5 pm.

Rules:

- One entry per exhibitor per class.
- All pictures must be suitably framed and ready to hang (attach wire to the back of the frame).
- Size limit: 36” x 26” (92cm x 66cm).
- With the exception of the theme and colour challenge classes #13, #14 and #15, images may be any subject.
- All work must have been finished within the last year.
- Exhibitor’s Pass:** exhibitors may purchase a 3-day pass for \$17. The regular gate fee for adults is \$10-\$12/day.

SPECIAL AWARD:

SHIRLEY McGUINNESS AWARD
for an Outstanding Exhibit
Station Street Gallery & Frame Shop
\$50 merchandise award



**Don't be late
for this
Very Important Date!**

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Section 1: Open Fine Arts

Class

- Print – original print, made by hand. **Special prize: \$20 cash award - Printmakers Only Group.**
- Oils

- Acrylics
- Watercolour
- Pastels or Chalk
- Pencil or Pen & Ink Drawing
- Cartoon – framed and presented as fine art
- Calligraphic Art – applicable techniques include Celtic knot work, watercolour, and embossing. **Special prize: \$20 cash award - Warmland Calligraphers.**
- Mixed Media – 2D artwork combining different materials such as ink, pastel, paint, collage
- Computer Art – framed and presented as fine art
- Book Making – bookbinding, artist’s book
- Sculpture
- 2018 Theme: “150 Years of Growing”. Any medium. **Special prize: \$50 merchandise award - Excellent Frameworks.**
- Colour Challenge: Gold & Silver – any medium
- Design a Stamp! Be inspired by the Exhibition’s 2018 theme: “150 Years of Growing” and colour challenge: Gold & Silver. Create artwork with the following features: country Canada, face value \$5, with a border to look like typical stamp perforations, maximum frame size 8.5” x 11”. **Special prize: \$20 cash award - Cowichan Valley Stamp Club.**



**We're looking for a good theme
for next year's fair!**

*Let us know your brilliant idea by August 31, 2018
and you could win a 3-day Family Pass
to this year's Cowichan Exhibition.*

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