

Grand County Public Library Art Exhibit
Call for Submissions

The Nature of Water: An art show exploring the complex relationship between the desert and water. Express your perspective through your art and share your vision with the Moab community. The Grand County Public Library Art Committee, in cooperation with the Library Board of Directors, invites artists and collectors to submit works of art for the Nature of Water Art Show.

Eligibility: Open to all regional artists working in sculpture or any original two-dimensional or wall-hung medium: painting, photography, drawing, fiber art, wall-mounted ceramics, hand-pulled prints. Collectors with works in these media may also submit entries for consideration.

Method of Entry: Complete the entry form and submit up to two pieces of original art which are durable and suitable for display in the public library (non-museum) setting. All entries must be suitably framed and wired for hanging (no “sawtooth” hangers). Attach a label to the back of each piece stating artist name, collector (if applicable), address, telephone number, title of piece, and medium. Also include price of work if the Library elects to purchase the piece for the permanent collection (price information and donation offers will be kept in confidence). **Works will be accepted between Monday, September 20 and Friday, September 24, 9 am to 5pm.** Pieces that are oversized will be considered, but please call in advance.

Notification: Works will be selected according to artistic appropriateness, the number of submissions, and available space. Selected works will be on display from October 1 to October 30, 2010. Artists with work that is not selected will be notified by telephone the week of September 27 and will need to retrieve their work no later than 5pm on Friday, October 1, 2010.

Sales: The Library Board may elect to purchase pieces for the Library’s permanent collection. The Board may also accept donations in keeping with the Library’s art acquisition policy. Exhibited artwork may be for sale, but prices may not be displayed. Artist contact information and piece title may be presented on a business card-sized label along with the art. Interested buyers will contact the artist directly.

Liability: Artwork will be handled with the utmost care. However, neither the Grand County Public Library nor any agent will be responsible for damage or loss to any work of art submitted.

Calendar:

- September 20-24..... Deliver up to two pieces of art to the library
(257 East Center Street)**

- September 27-30..... Artists will be notified to pick up work NOT
ACCEPTED for the exhibition**

- October 1..... The Nature of Water Art Show opens**

- October 2..... Artist show and discussion**

- October 30..... Exhibition closes**

- November 5..... Deadline to retrieve all artwork**

Contact the Grand County Public Library (259-1111) with questions.

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Entry Form

Statement of Liability: Artwork will be handled with the utmost care; however, neither Grand County Public Library nor any agent will be responsible for damage or loss to any work of art submitted.

ENTRY FORM (PLEASE PRINT)

Name: _____ Address: _____

Phone: _____ Alternate Phone: _____

Title 1: (Please include a brief artist statement about the relationship between the artwork and the show theme.)

Title 2: (Please include a brief artist statement about the relationship between the artwork and the show theme.)

I agree to the statement of liability above, and all other rules and stipulations set forth in the Grand County Public Library Art Exhibit Call for Submissions.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

----- DO NOT FILL OUT UNTIL RETURN TO PICK UP ARTWORK FROM LIBRARY -----

I acknowledge the receipt and return of artwork listed above.

Signed: _____ Date: _____