

Clearwater Jazz Holiday is proud to announce the First Annual Clearwater Jazz 'N Art Walk in downtown Clearwater, October 18th and 19th from 10AM – 5PM.

Each year more than 50,000 visitors come to Coachman Park in downtown Clearwater to enjoy 4 days & nights of FREE Jazz by some of today's greats.

An added dimension to this year's event, the Clearwater Jazz Holiday Foundation is producing an art show on the 400 block of Cleveland St. from Ft. Harrison to Osceola. Fine art of different mediums will be on display and for sale to the general public. Space is limited to the first 25 artists this year. Deadline for application submissions is May 31.

The Clearwater Jazz 'N Art Walk will offer a \$5000 total purse for the top 3 artists selected by a panel of judges. Also, one winning artist will be offered the opportunity to create the 30th Annual Clearwater Jazz Holiday poster for 2009. The Clearwater Jazz Holiday poster is featured throughout the marketing promotion as well as featuring the artist at select events throughout the year including the Jazz Holiday itself.

For more information and to receive an application, visit www.clearwaterjazz.com, e-mail at Michelle@clearwaterjazz.com or call Michelle at the Clearwater Jazz Holiday office, 727-461-5200.

ART WALK RULES:

Please read these rules carefully. Artists exhibiting their works who violate these rules will be asked to leave the show.

- Only producers of fine art displaying their own original work may participate. No proxy exhibitors will be allowed. Photo ID will be required at check-in.
- All artwork must have been produced since January 1, 2005.
- All artwork must be for sale.
- Judging will be based on the overall quality of all artwork exhibited.
- In the event of inclement weather, each artist will be required to select three pieces of his/her art to be judged at a specific, covered location – that being said, it NEVER rains on Jazz Holiday!!!
- Your artwork will be viewed by the Viewing Committee during the show. This committee shall have the sole discretion to require the removal of artwork which violates any of these rules. The Viewing Committee will refer to the artwork submitted for application in the event of any rule infraction. The artist will be required to comply with the orders of the Viewing Committee.
- Mechanical reproductions of your art may not be framed and must be labeled as such. Such reproductions may only occupy one small bin in your booth space.

- No machine made or mass produced works are accepted.
- Photographs must have been reproduced from the original negative and properly supervised by the artists. Prints must be signed and numbered.
- If more than one piece of the same design is displayed, both must be signed.
- All paintings should be appropriately matted and framed. Unframed works may be displayed in bins or portfolios.

PROHIBITED:

- Artwork created prior to January 1, 2005
- Works created from crocheting, knitting, millinery, picture frames, velvet paintings, kites, dolls, wind chimes, manufactured or kit jewelry, t-shirts, decoupage, candles, manufactured beads, novelty shell craft, manufactured hanging glass ornaments, manufactured toys, etc.
- Artist postcards, note cards, books and posters.
- CD, cassette or other musical recordings
- Buy and sell items.
- Active solicitation of the public, in any manner.

EXHIBIT SPACE:

- Artists will not be limited to a maximum number of artworks.
- Exhibit spaces measure approximately 10 ft x 10 ft
- Spaces may not be shared
- Allocation of spaces will be at the discretion of the Clearwater Jazz 'N Art Walk Committee
- Each artist must provide an appropriate and substantial display for outdoor exhibition.
- Requests for specific space will be honored where possible.
- Each artist must provide their own canopy/tent not to exceed 10 ft x 10 ft
- Work exhibited must be contained in the assigned space unless the artist has paid for additional space. Additional space may be secured for \$200 each, space permitting.

TAX:

Each artist is responsible for collecting Florida state sales tax (7%) and remitting it to The Florida Department of Revenue, Tallahassee, Florida (Call 1-800-352-3671 for additional sales tax information.)

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:

COMMITMENT:

A completed application is a commitment by the originating artist to show your work, to remain for the entire event and to abide by festival rules. There will be no exhibitor fee refund made for cancellation after August 1, 2008. To be eligible for the grand prize, the artist must exhibit during the show hours for the entire festival.

FEES:

Please send two checks with each application submitted. Make checks payable to Clearwater Jazz Holiday and mail to PO Box 7278, Clearwater, FL 33758-7278.

- \$25.00 non-refundable application fee
- \$175 non-refundable after August 1, 2008 entry fee

There will be a \$25 charge for all returned checks.

PHOTOS:

- Artists are required to submit four photos of their artwork to be exhibited. If the photos are not included, the application will be disqualified. Photos submitted must be representative of the quality and proportionally represent the current type of the artist's work to be exhibited and sold.
- Each photo must have the artist/applicant's name.
- Photos will be returned to the artists at the art show.
- Clearwater Jazz Holiday is not responsible for photos lost or damaged in transit.

DEADLINE:

Applications must be received by May 31, 2008.

RETURN ENVELOPE:

All applicants must include a self-addressed #10 size business envelope (with sufficient postage and proper packing for photos) with application, fees and photos. The committee will not be responsible for responding in any manner to any applicant who fails to provide this return envelope package.

ACCEPTANCE:

The selection of 2008 participating artists is by committee and selections are final. Accepted artist list will be posted to the Clearwater Jazz Holiday website two weeks after the postmark deadline.

MAILING ADDRESS:

Application, four required photos, check and return envelope for each artist should be mailed to:

Clearwater Jazz Holiday; PO Box 7278, Clearwater, FL 33758-7278

AGREEMENT:

I hereby forever discharge and release Clearwater Jazz Holiday Foundation Board; Clearwater Jazz Force; Clearwater Jazz Holiday Inc.; the City of Clearwater and all other participating and sponsoring organizations from any and all manner of actions, suits, damages of claims whatsoever arising from any loss or damage to the person or property of the signed applicant while exhibiting at the Clearwater Jazz 'N Art Walk.

I hereby consent to the enforcement of the Clearwater Jazz 'N Art Walk rules as set out in this application and in the letter of instruction to be mailed to each accepted artist.

If accepted, Clearwater Jazz 'N Art Walk has my permission to publish photographs or video taken of me, my booth and my work before and after the Art Walk for purposes related to promotion of the event(s).

I understand that by applying to exhibit I agree to remain for the entire event and to abide by the festival rules.

I understand that there will be no exhibitor fee refund made after August 1, 2008.

I understand that to be eligible for any award, I must exhibit during show hours for the entire festival.

I have read all the rules and agree to abide by said rules.

Signature

Date

Printed Name