



Marvels: Art Contest Rules

1. Age Requirement:

This Juried Art Competition is open to all Levelland area artists 21 years of age and older.

2. The Work Must Be Original:

No artwork is allowed to be shipped, all art must be submitted in person to the Main Street office at 1709 Ave H, Levelland, TX 79336. You must be the creator of the art and/or image you or your approved representative submit to the competition. Your art must be your own original concept and not a copy of anyone else's copyrighted material. (If your image infringes upon another's copyright it will be disqualified.) Upon submitting your work, to this competition, you are solely responsible for any infringement on copyrighted materials.

3. Entry Fees:

There is \$5 submission fee per piece. Payable by cash or check to the Levelland Main Street Program (mail P.O. Box 1010 or bring to the Main Street office at 1709 Ave H). This fee is non-refundable, whether or not your submission is selected as a final entry for the contest.

4. Multiple Entries:

There is no restriction on the number of pieces you can submit, however this is a Juried Art Contest. The Main Street Program is not obligated to select all entries.

5. Copyright:

The artist retains all copyrights to their artwork without exception.

6. Non-exclusive Permissions:

By entering this art competition, you are granting us a non-exclusive perpetual license to reproduce images of your artwork for Main Street purposes, including but not limited to marketing of the art competition, and images of the art on our website and social media outlets. All selected original artworks will be displayed during the month of May for Preservation Month Activities and again during the Levelland Sip & Swirl on June 8, 2018 at the Wallace Theater. By entering this competition, you are also agreeing to allow your original artworks to be available for purchase by the public during the Levelland Sip & Swirl and agree to donate 25% of your sale to the Levelland Main Street Program.

7. The Entry Process:

- **Step 1.** Choose a building in the Levelland Main Street area (map attached). Fill out the attached form and email it to mpassmore@levellandtexas.org.
- **Step 2.** Conduct your own research about the history of that building and create a piece of art (*Painting, Photography, 3D or Sculptures, Digital work, such as graphic designs, and Drawings*) that reflects that buildings history through your eyes. Keep in mind you must also submit proof of research. A typed summary of your research with references of where you found the information, i.e. if you say a building was built in 1929 and the first business was a shoe store tell me how you found that out. Examples: If you interviewed someone include their full name and contact number (if possible), if you saw an ad in a high school yearbook, reference which yearbook. Your references can be bullet pointed at the bottom of your summary.
- **Step 3.** Submit your work with research summary. See #10 for submission deadlines.

- **Step 3. If your work is selected: you will be notified by email or text on Monday, April 30.**
 1. Original pieces must be delivered to the Wallace no later than 5:00pm **Wednesday, May 2nd**.
 2. All work must be presented ready-to-hang, preferably with a wire attached to the frame between one-third and one-quarter of the way down the sides of the piece. Stainless steel braided picture wire works best for smooth hanging. Do not use saw tooth hangers.
 3. Selected pieces will be displayed at the Wallace Theater from May 7th - June 27th
 4. **The winner of the contest will be announced on Monday, May 21** and will be notified directly.
 5. All unsold art must be picked up from the Wallace Theater by 5pm July 2. Any artwork that is not picked up will be considered a donation to the Main Street Program.

8. Judging Criteria:

- Levelland students will be viewing the art during class field trips to learn about local history. Students will be asked to vote for their favorite art piece. The winner of the contest will be determined by who receives the most votes from students.

9. Original Work:

We reserve the right to request proof that your entry is your original artwork created solely by you. Non-compliance to this rule will be a disqualification of your entry.

10. Submission Deadlines:

There are two deadlines for this contest:

1. To submit work for consideration, you must submit a picture of the piece(s) with entry form, submission fee (\$5 per piece), and summary of research no later than **5pm April 27**. Pictures may be submitted via email mpassmore@levellandtexas.org, by mail P.O. Box 1010 Attention: Main Street, or in person at 1709 Ave H.
2. **Selected pieces** must be delivered to the Wallace Theater no later than 5pm May 2.

11. Prize:

The winner of the art contest will receive two VIP tickets to the Levelland Sip & Swirl on June 8. Tickets may not be transferred and are not redeemable for cash.

12. Taxes:

You shall be solely responsible for all federal, state, and local taxes for any prizes and the sale of any artwork.

13. VOID WHERE PROHIBITED BY LAW.