



HotWorks.org 12th
Sarasota Open Air Fine Art Show™
February 11 & 12, 2023
At Phillippi Estate Park, Sarasota, FL
Youth Art Competition Application
Ages 5-13 or Grades K-8
Deadline to Apply January 30, 2023
Copies of this application are acceptable



Call for Youth Artists! As part of our commitment to bring art education into the community, the Sarasota Open Air Fine Art Show being held outdoors at Phillippi Estate Park on February 11 & 12, 2023 integrates a Youth Art Competition. Sponsored by **Institute for the Arts & Education**, the associated 501c3 non-profit organization that fosters art education among youth, students in grades K-8 or ages 5-13 are encouraged to enter his/her original and personally handmade art. All categories of discipline are open; all entries will be publicly displayed during the art show. Young artists have the opportunity to win one of four awards: one \$100 “Best of Youth Art”; and three \$50 “Youth Art Awards of Excellence”. Each winner also receives a beautiful two-foot long ribbon. Be imaginative and creative as you begin to learn the rules of being part of a professional art show. Please read the “Rules” below.

Artist/Student Name(s): _____ Age _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Telephone(s): _____ Email: _____
 School Name: _____ School Phone #: _____
 Name of Parent, Legal Guardian or Art Teacher: _____

Rules:

- To enter, you must be in grades Kindergarten through 8, or ages 5 through 13 – note your age is as of the closing date of the competition, which is January 30, 2023. You may enter up to two pieces of artwork. Entry fee is \$3 per entry. Please make check payable to “Institute for the Arts & Education, Inc.” and include with application to PO Box 1425, Sarasota, FL 34230. Please mail **all together**: the application, the \$3 fee per entry, and a photograph of your artwork, with size dimensions clearly labeled.
- Please print legibly when completing this application. Copies of this application are accepted.
- Your entry must be certified as original and unaided. Accepted discipline of artwork includes:
 Painting Clay Glass Printmaking Drawing Metal Mixed-Media
 Jewelry Fiber Wood Photography Sculpture Digital Other
- Framing is optional; however, paintings, drawings, photography, and other flat artwork must be ready to hang with a wire attached approximately 1/3 from the top, whether framed or not.**
- Works of art must be exhibited for the entire event, until 3pm on Sunday. Early removal of artwork is not permitted.
- There are four Youth Art Competition Awards totaling \$250: \$100 best of youth art; and three \$50 youth art awards of excellence. Awards are given at judges’ discretion. If your entry reaches the final judging stage and is being considered for an award, you may be asked to submit your birth certificate. You do not need to be present to win. Awards will be paid at event or immediately following event.
- All winners will be photographed with their artwork which will be posted on the event website,
www.HotWorks.org.
- The person signing below acknowledges and authorizes the Sarasota Open Air Fine Art Show; Hot Works, LLC; Institute for the Arts & Education, Inc.; our sponsors or licensees to use the youth art images for promotional purposes for past or future events.
- The Sarasota Open Air Fine Art Show, Hot Works, LLC, or Institute for the Arts & Education, Inc. cannot be held responsible for plagiarism in student artwork.
- Artwork is to be delivered to the event site at Phillippi Estate Park on Friday, February 10, between 10am-4pm. Please take your artwork to the check-in area. Include your name and telephone number, plus title of entry, if any, on the back of your artwork.
- When artwork is delivered, you will receive a family pass to return to the art show at no charge.
- Winners will be announced, and the awards distributed on Sunday, February 12, 2023 at 3pm. Winners need not be present to win however, we would appreciate it if you could be there. Artwork may be picked up on Sunday any time after 3pm until 5pm, when the show closes.
- Artwork not picked up becomes the property of the Sarasota Open Air Fine Art Show. We cannot store artwork and are not responsible for any artwork not picked up during the designated pick-up time.
- The rules of the Competition may not be changed or modified and will be strictly applied.
- The Institute for the Arts & Education, Inc.; the Sarasota Open Air Fine Art Show; and Hot Works, LLC will use best efforts to take utmost care of artwork. However, neither can be made responsible for any damage to work.
- The student and parents assume all responsibility for insurance coverage of all artwork entered in the Sarasota Open Air Fine Art Show.
- Sarasota County School District or any of its associated schools are neither endorsing nor sponsoring this event, product or service nor endorsing the views of the sponsoring organizations.**
- Parent, legal guardian or art teacher: by signing this agreement, you accept the rules listed in this application, as well as additional rules of the event. In addition, you agree to hold harmless and indemnify the Institute for the Arts & Education, Inc.; Sarasota Open Air Fine Art Show; Hot Works, LLC; Phillippi Estate Park; Sarasota County; Sarasota County Schools; and their agents and employees for damage from any cause.
- THE CLOSING & POST MARK DATE FOR THE COMPETITION IS JANUARY 30, 2023.**
- By signing below, I have read and will abide to all the rules listed above.**



Sarasota Open Air Fine Art Show
February 12 & 13, 2022
Adam Oszlanczi, Painting, Age 6
Youth Artist Award of Excellence

 Youth Artist’s Signature Parent, Legal Guardian or Art Teacher’s Signature Date