

The 26th Annual Lake Mary HEATHROW

FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS
SATURDAY & SUNDAY – NOVEMBER 3 & 4, 2012

WELCOME ...

You are cordially invited to attend the 26th Annual festival of the Arts. This festival is recognized as a premiere juried art show that combines first class entertainment with world class art and craft exhibits.

Located at Oval Park between Daytona Beach and Orlando off I-4, take the Exit for Heathrow (West) to International Parkway, head south to the intersection of International Parkway and Business Center Drive and look for the signs. The venue features the sophistication and excitement of a cosmopolitan avenue.

The Festival is designed to inspire an appreciation for quality art forms and award scholarships to local students desiring higher education. The Festival is underwritten and supported by the Lake Mary Heathrow Festival of the Arts Committee and local business concerns.

PARTNERS IN SCHOLARSHIPS

Each year the festival provides funds for scholarships for graduating High School seniors. In addition we are proud of the fact that since the beginning of the festival in 1987 the proceeds have assisted the community in educating, entertaining and promoting goodwill as well as supporting fine arts.

PROFESSIONAL JURIED ARTIST TOTAL PRIZE MONEY – \$20,000

BEST OF SHOW	\$3,500
TONY SENADOR AWARD	\$2,500
AWARD OF EXCELLENCE	\$1,000
AWARDS OF DISTINCTION (10)	\$800
AWARDS OF COMMENDATION (5)	\$600
JUDGES CHOICE AWARDS (10)	\$200

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: August 20, 2011 (if mailed must be postmarked by this date)
NOTIFICATION OF ACCEPTANCE/NON-ACCEPTANCE BY : SEPT. 31, 2011

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. **DEADLINE FOR ENTRY IS AUGUST 20, 2012. ALL ENTRIES WILL BE JURIED.** Entrants are required to submit four (4) photos of their artwork, one of their booth and displays and resume. Artists may enter in more than 1 category, however, application, photos and fees must be submitted for each category and a separate booth required. Each photo must have applicant's name thereon. Artists must submit application, 5 photos, \$25 jury fee, \$200 application fee (\$400.00 for double booth spaces) and a self-addressed stamped envelope to the Lake Mary-Heathrow Festival of the Arts post office box address. The Festival staff is not responsible for returning any photos or the acceptance/rejection letter if the self addressed stamped envelope is not included. **EXHIBITED WORK MUST BE REPRESENTATIVE OF IMAGES SUBMITTED FOR JURY.**
3. Award winners from the 2012 Lake Mary-Heathrow Festival of the Arts need not send photos and jury fee if applying in the same category as the previous year's award. Only the application, \$200.00 (or \$400 double booth) application fee, and self-addressed stamped envelope should be submitted to the Lake Mary-Heathrow Festival of the Arts post office box address. Artist's checks returned for insufficient funds will be charged a \$30.00 fee.
4. All entrants will be notified of their acceptance or rejection no later than Sept. 31, 2012. Once accepted, an artist is committed to the show. **NO REFUNDS will be made due to cancellation by the Artist, inclement weather or other acts of man or nature that the Festival has no control over. The risk and/or loss from shall be borne by the exhibitor.**
5. **NO art supplies, picture frames, commercial photography, kits, commercial patterns, coin jewelry, or works cast in commercial molds, mass produced items, imports or buy/resell may be displayed. NO EXCEPTIONS!!**
6. Artist will be assigned 12'x12' exhibit spaces. The Artist must stay within the allotted space. No tarps or awnings are permitted beyond the booth space. Artists are required to use a substantial display that can withstand wind, crowds and rain. Water resistant coverings are highly recommended and if used, must include weights. Electricity and water will not be provided to any artist. No generators allowed. Bring your own sandbags or stakes.
7. All exhibitors must check in at Registration to obtain a booth ID card before they set up their exhibit. **A booth identification card must be attached to the upper left front corner of the display space at all times during the show.** Artist must provide booth frames, tents, and/or support structures. Booth assignments are at the sole discretion of the festival staff.
8. BOOTH SETUP time will be allowed on **Friday** before the festival from **9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M only.** This will be the only time artists will be allowed vehicular access to their booth space to unload. Registration will close promptly at 4:00 PM – there will be NO ONE PRESENT for late registration. Saturday setup is allowed between **6:00 A.M. and 8:30 A.M. only. Minimal vehicular access will be permitted for Saturday set up hours. NO VEHICLES WILL BE ALLOWED ON THE GROUNDS WHILE THE FESTIVAL IS IN PROGRESS DUE TO SAFETY REGULATIONS.** Artists will be allowed vehicular access to their booth space on Sunday **after** the festival ends in order to breakdown and load their art and displays.
9. SECURITY WILL BE PROVIDED FOR THE BOOTH SPACE ON FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND SUNDAY. SECURITY IS NOT PROVIDED FOR ARTWORK.
10. WITHOUT EXCEPTION: ARTIST'S VEHICLES WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON SITE FOR THE DURATION OF THE FESTIVAL AFTER 6:00 pm ON FRIDAY. County/City regulations prohibit overnight parking on the premises.
11. The Festival will not be cancelled or shortened due to inclement weather unless the City of Lake Mary declares a State of Emergency (i.e. hurricane, tornado, etc.). Any artist attempting to close up their booth space and/or remove artwork without Festival authorization shall relinquish ALL rights to prize money and continued participation in the current and future festivals.
11. All artwork must be set up by 8:30 A.M. on Saturday and Sunday. Artists who are not set up in their spaces by 8:30 A.M. will lose their spaces to alternates. No Shows must inform the Festival Committee on or before Friday, November 2, 2012. Failure to do so will disqualify them from being accepted in to any future LMH Arts Festivals. Any person closing their space before 4:00 P.M. Sunday will also be disqualified from future shows and will relinquish all rights to prize money.
12. **ARTIST MUST BE PRESENT. No Stand-in Exhibitors, Dealers, Agents or Wholesalers.** The Committee reserves the right to ask any exhibitor for identification. There will be only one artist permitted to exhibit in a space. All work must be attributed solely to the displaying artist. All works must be for sale or available for commission. **NO DISPLAYS CONTAINING MANUFACTURED – BUY/RESELL ITEMS. NO IMPORTS.**
13. Displays will be viewed by the Viewing Committee at intervals throughout the Festival. The viewing Committee shall have the sole discretion to require the removal of work which violates Festival rules. Artists violating any Festival rule must remove their exhibit immediately. No Fees will be refunded to the artist.
14. Collection of the 7% Sales Tax on all sales is the sole responsibility of each exhibitor.
15. Regulations prohibit pets on the Festival site. ABSOLUTELY NO PETS.