53rd Annual MEA/MAEA Exhibit

Purpose of the Exhibit

The Michigan Education Association (MEA) and the Michigan Art Education Association (MAEA) announce their annual purchase exhibit to acquire artwork to enhance the MEA headquarters in East Lansing and MEA regional and UniServ offices throughout the state. This exhibit provides an opportunity to showcase the artwork of our members.

Eligibility

Any member in good standing of MEA, MAEA or MEA-Retired is eligible to submit artwork (this includes ESP and student members in good standing and MEA-Retired members with life membership dues paid in full). Proof of membership is necessary. No entry fee required.

Paintings, drawings, prints, ceramics, jewelry, metal work, enamels, mosaics, wood, fibers, stained glass, photographs, experimental media and sculptures are all eligible. All artwork submitted must be original work. Artwork deemed not original by the juror will not be accepted. Each artist may submit up to two works. Works not for sale will not be accepted.

Requirements for Hanging-IMPORTANT

All work meant to be hung **MUST** be framed and rigged with picture hanging wire or it will be rejected. The wire must be firmly attached to the frame. Artwork over 25 lbs. cannot be hung. (HANGING CLIPS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE SINCE S HOOKS ARE USED TO DISPLAY FROM CHAINS.) Provide any preferred display accessories.

Entry Forms/Catalog Card

Entry forms and catalog card must accompany artwork. Attach one entry form to the back of each piece and submit catalog card with artwork. It is important to include your email address on the entry information for future art show announcements, programs and notification of whether work is accepted.

The price of the artwork must be indicated on the entry form. Please consider the budget limitations of the committee when pricing your artwork. Pieces priced under \$800 are more likely to be purchased. Works that are purchased will become part of MEA's permanent collection. Works sold are not subject to a commission.

Delivery of Work

Between February 20 and March 4, hand carry work to MEA headquarters, 1216 Kendale Blvd., East Lansing. Works will be accepted from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. on weekdays and from 9 a.m.-noon on Saturday, March 4.

Juror

Linda Sattler taught elementary to college-level classes in Toledo, Ohio, retiring after 36 vears. For five additional years, she supervised student teachers at Bowling Green State University, Mrs. Sattler is an artist and educator, traveler and student. Over the years she and her husband have hosted 36 foreign exchange students, which has opened her views and continues to enrich her experiences.

Mrs. Sattler enjoys creating in a variety of media, with color and design remaining a constant theme. Her favorites include clay, glass, photography, painting and drawing. With many years organizing local and regional art shows, she continues to exhibit, volunteer, offer workshops, and advocate for the arts. Mrs. Sattler holds a B.A. and M.A. in Art Education from the University of Toledo, as well as a secondary education specialist degree.

Awards/Recognition

The juror determines whether each artwork entry is accepted or rejected into the exhibit. Acceptance into the show does not guarantee purchase. The committee then notifies the artist by email. Awards are as follows: 1) Juror's award; 2) MEA purchase awards; 3) MAEA purchase award: 4) Best of Show: 5) Honorable Mention.

Exhibit

The exhibit opens at MEA headquarters in East Lansing on March 6 and continues through April 19, 2017. Work accepted for the annual exhibit may not be withdrawn before the close of the exhibit on May 4. The public is invited and encouraged to attend. Artwork will also be displayed on MEA's website: www.mea.org/awards/art.

Calendar

Delivery of works	. February 20-March 3 (MonFri.: 8 a.m5 p.m.) March 4 (Sat.: 9 a.mnoon)
Notification of acceptance by e-mail	. by March 7
Pick up works not accepted	. March 4, 4–5 p.m. (Sat; after jurying completed) March 6-17 (Mon.–Fri.: 8 a.m.–5 p.m.)
Exhibit	. March 6-April 19 (excluding April 14)
Pick up accepted work exhibited	. April 20-May 12 (MonFri.: 8 a.m5 p.m.) May 13 (Sat.: 10 a.mnoon)

Pick Up Information

You may contact us to have your artwork ready for pick up at 800-292-1934, ext. 5488. Work not picked up by May 13, 2017, becomes the property of MEA.

Liability

MEA reserves the right to reproduce any accepted piece of artwork on the program cover, in any news release, and on the MEA or a related website concerning the promotion of the MEA Purchase Exhibition. By submitting the artwork, the entrant hereby authorizes MEA to reproduce the artwork as set forth above and the entrant waives any and all claims that the entrant may have against the MEA, its officers, members, employees, agents, and affiliates arising out of the use of the artwork.

It is understood and agreed by all entrants that artwork is submitted at the entrant's own risk. All due care will be exercised in handling work, but MEA will not be responsible for loss or damage. Artists are advised to carry their own insurance. Submission of artwork constitutes agreement by the artist to abide by the rules of the exhibit

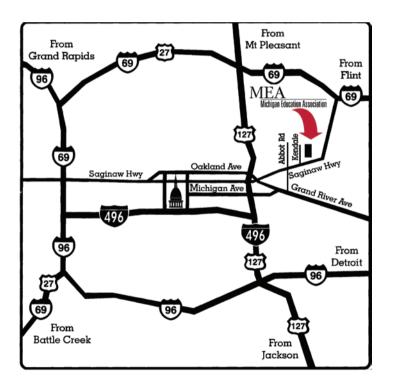
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by visiting mea.org and selecting the "Members Only Login" link

**MAEA member IDs are listed on your NAEA/MAEA membership card, issued by NAEA. You can also request your number by visiting miarted.org and selecting the "Membership Access" link in the top right corner.

53rd Annual MEA/MAEA Art Acquisitions Purchase Exhibition 2017

To view the accepted entries for the 2016 exhibit, please visit www.mea.org/Art. The 2017 accepted entries will be posted by April 1.



Map to MEA Headquarters

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