

Arts for All Festival
Lawton, Oklahoma
May 11, 12 & 13 2012
Application Deadline - February 18, 2012

ABOUT THE FESTIVAL

For over 37 years, the Arts for All Festival has been Southwest Oklahoma's largest and most popular cultural event, drawing people from Oklahoma and Texas for a weekend filled with art, entertainment and tantalizing foods. The festival is a cooperative effort of businesses, civic organizations and hundreds of volunteers who support and encourage the arts. All profits are contributed to the participating arts organization of Arts for All Inc.

DATES AND TIMES

Friday, May 11 th	4:00 pm – 8:00pm
Saturday, May 12 th	10:00am – 8:00pm
Sunday May 13 th	11:00am - 5:00pm

LOCATION

The Festival will be held outdoors in beautiful Shepler Park, near downtown Lawton, Oklahoma. The park is located on Gore Boulevard between 4th and 5th Streets. All artists booths are on grass among the trees.

QUESTIONS AND FURTHER INFORMATION

Arts for All, Inc
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Lawton, Ok 73502
Bobbi Matchette, AFA Executive Director 580-248-5384
Kris Gill, Festival Artist Chairman 580-355-3303
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GENERAL INFORMATION - Fees and Exhibition Space

Class A Booths: \$210 Single - \$375 Double Corner Space – Add \$30.00

A booth space consists of 100 sq. ft. (10 x 10) of ground space. Artists will provide his or her own equipment and cover. We will attempt to leave extra room for storage whenever possible. There is no electricity. Tents must be properly staked down.

Class B Booths: \$340 Single - \$650 Double

A booth space consists of 100 sq. ft. (10 x 10) of ground space and is located under rented festival tents. These tents do not have sides provided. Artist's provides his or her own equipment. There is no electricity.

JURY FEE- A separate \$15 non-refundable jury fee must accompany each application.

ELIGIBILITY

The 2012 Arts for All Festival is open to all Artists who meet the criteria. Approximately 90 booth spaces will be available for Artists. The jury committee will be looking for the following criteria.

- 1: Artist will be expected to exhibit technical skill and originality in work. No commercial work will be allowed.
- 2: The Festival will accept work of an original design. NOT acceptable are commercial or mass produced works using a purchased mold or pattern.
- 3: Three (3) images of current artwork and one image of your booth must be enclosed with the entry form. Please send these images on a CD. Artists who wish to exhibit work in more than one medium must submit three (3) images for each medium. Please label with name and media.
- 4: Jurors will be looking for a diverse cross section in order to include all media in the Festival.

CANCELLATION

Booth fee will be refunded ONLY if notice of cancellation is received by April 3rd, 2012

SECURITY INFORMATION

There is a 24 hour professional security on the grounds. The Arts for All Festival CANNOT assume any liability for art or equipment. Please check with your insurance agent regarding coverage.

CALENDAR

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| February 18 th | - All entries must be postmarked by this date. Late entries may be considered for the waitlist. |
| Early March | -Acceptance letters mailed and checks deposited. |
| April 1 st th | -Deadline for cancellation with a refund. |
| May 10 th | - Check-in and Set-up begins 12:00 noon – 8:00pm |

May 11th

-Artists check-in and set-up beginning at 8:00am and finishing up no later than 4:00pm.

EQUIPMENT

Screens, tables, dolly and protective covering are the responsibility of the Artist. A dolly is strongly recommended.

THE FOLLOWING RULES WILL BE ENFORCED DURING THE FESTIVAL

- 1: Artist may exhibit only work consistent with that represented by the slides originally juried into the show
- 2: All offset reproductions must be labeled as such.
- 3: All work must be attractively displayed in a professional manner.
- 4: Booth must remain open for the duration of the Festival. The Festival committee will provide a volunteer to "Booth Sit" in order for you to take breaks.
- 5: Arts for All reserves the right to request any artist not following our rules to leave.

OKLAHOMA HOSPITALITY

We are proud of our Southwest Oklahoma hospitality. We provide an Artist's Hospitality Tent, with free beverages and snacks and a Sunday morning artist's complimentary breakfast served on site.

ENTRY PROCEDURE CHECKLIST

Please include all listed items:

- Completed Entry Form, filled in entirely
- Three images of current art work for each medium and one image of your booth on a CD
- One self-addressed, stamped envelope for acceptance notification and return of CD.
- Checks: Entry Fee-\$210 single / \$375.00 double
If renting a tent - \$340.00 single / \$650.00 double
Corner Space - \$30.00 (this must be a separate check)
Juror's Fee-\$15.00 (not refundable)

Entry Fee checks will be held until after acceptance letters are mailed out. Juror's Fee \$15.00 will be cashed upon receipt. Failure to adhere to the above entry procedures will nullify the applications. Thank you for recommending us to other artists.

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Artist Name: _____

Business Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip _____

Day Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Evening: _____

Email: _____ Web Site _____

Ok Sales Tax # _____

MEDIA CATEGORY

Ceramics	Drawing/Pastel	Fibers	Furniture	Glass	Jewelry	Metal
Mixed Media	Digital	Painting	Photography	Print Making	Sculpture	Watercolor
Wood	Other _____					

Description of Technique and materials (to be read by jurors)

Booth Space-circle you choice

Class A \$210.00 Single \$375.00 Double Corner – 30.00

Class B \$340.00 Single \$650.00 Double Corner – 30.00

Please enclose a separate check in the amount of \$15.00 for the jury fee.

Special Request (Booth location/Neighbor)

I would be interested in staying with a Host Family _____

I have read and will comply with all rules.

Signature _____ Date _____

Mail to: Arts for All Festival PO Box 592 Lawton OK 73502

Questions: Kris Gill drgill3303@sbcglobal.net 580-355-3303 (be patient, this is my work #)

