

JANUARY Newsletter

January 4, 2023

RENEW MEMBERSHIP FOR 2023

It's that time of year again! 2023 Membership Renewal forms are now available. While there is no deadline for membership renewal, we will remove you from the ACF contact list if you do not renew your membership by the 3rd Wednesday of February. So, if you don't want to miss out on future newsletters and other membership benefits, make sure you renew your membership right away.

Membership Renewal forms can be returned in lots of different ways:

- you can mail them to PO Box 1684, Kalispell, 59903
- You can email them to Info@artistsandcraftsmen.org
- You can deliver them at the January General Meeting (1/18/2023)
- Or you can complete the online form [here: https://artistsandcraftsmen.org/products/2023-membership-renewal](https://artistsandcraftsmen.org/products/2023-membership-renewal)

We will have extra printed copies of the form available for pick up at the January General Meeting. Also, if you'd like us to mail you a copy, just ask and we'd be happy to do so.

ACF MISSION STATEMENT

To promote interest in arts and crafts, to maintain a friendly relationship among artists and craftsmen, to encourage the highest possible quality of work by members, and to participate in art exhibitions, displays and sales.

2023 HANDBOOK AVAILABLE

After the Motions vote in November 2022, there were some big changes to the ACF Bylaws, General Rules and Show Rules. Please make sure you review the 2023 Handbook carefully. If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to ask.

We will have lots of extra copies of the 2023 Handbook available for you to pick up at the January General Meeting. You can also request that we mail you a copy.

Online version can also be viewed and/or downloaded from the ACF Website.

Next General Meeting

January 18, 2023

7:00 PM

Country Kitchen Building
at Flathead County Fairgrounds

CONSIDER JOINING A COMMITTEE

ACF is always in need of great helpers for various events, fundraising, workshops and other organization needs. Please consider joining a committee this year. You can learn more about each committee in the 2023 Handbook. Plus, for each committee meeting you attend, you'll receive 2 credits toward your membership tiers.

POSTER DESIGN CONTEST

Don't forget you can submit your artwork for our 2023 Summer Show Poster design. Design submissions can be photography, painting, drawings or any other form of graphic design.

We will gift 1 credit to each person that submits one or more designs for the poster contest. Winner will get 2 credits.

Members will vote on the design winner which will then be used for our 2023 Summer Show poster and all associated advertising and promotions materials.

Send your designs by email to info@artistsandcraftsmen.org, or you can submit them online here: <https://artistsandcraftsmen.org/page/s/photo-drop>

