

## JUROR/JUDGE

Luann Houser was born in and raised surrounded by the Midwest farm country of Ohio. She has loved both animals and art since early childhood and began drawing at an early age. Luann earned a BFA from the Columbus College of Art and Design. She has enjoyed a long artistic career in the graphic design industry as an Illustrator, Graphic Designer and Photo Retoucher. Her fascination with history provides inspiration for many of Luann's oil paintings. Friends and family members are often asked to pose for future paintings. Dedicated research and annual trips to the West, and to Historical reenactments and rendezvous are used to gather reference materials for future paintings.

Luann has painted professionally for over 40 years. She has earned numerous awards in juried National and International Miniature art shows. Her most recent accomplishment was having work accepted into the Royal Miniature Society, and her painting "Aleighna" was awarded the Mundy Sovereign Portrait Award, (2018).

In 2017, Luann was recognized for her quality in miniature art by being voted in as a signature member to the prestigious Miniature Artist of America (MAA).

She currently resides in rural Indiana with her fiancée and equine, canine and feline companions.

## SALES

All art must be for sale and remain at the gallery until the show closes. A 35% commission fee is retained by Seaside Art Gallery on all sales. In the event artwork is sold, a check or credit card refund will be issued for any return shipping fees. **\*Please let us know if PayPal is a payment option for you.**

## RETURN OF ARTWORK

Unsold artwork will be returned **COD** via **UPS**, unless return postage & handling is prepaid: **\$15.00 (UPS or USPS)**. \*If paying by check, this amount can be included with entry fees. SAG will insure up to \$100.00 for shipping loss. If additional insurance desired, the cost is \$1/\$100 coverage.

**\*PLEASE NOTE:** After close of the show, unsold artwork will be returned to artist as soon as possible (30 days maximum).

**(NO POSTAGE STAMPS ACCEPTED)**



# 28<sup>th</sup> INTERNATIONAL MINIATURE ART SHOW

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**SEASIDE ART GALLERY**  
**Nags Head, NC**  
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## CALENDAR

May 4 - June 1, 2019 - Exhibition Dates

April 22, 2019 - Deadline for receipt of all art

May 25, 2019 - Awards reception (7PM-9PM)

## CASH AWARDS

\$500	1st Place
\$350	2nd Place
\$250	3rd Place
\$100	Best Watercolor/Opaque
\$100	Best Watercolor/Trans
\$100	Best Oil
\$100	Best Acrylic
\$100	Best Pastel
\$100	Best Etch/Eng/Etc
\$100	Best Drawing
\$100	Best Sculpture/Metal
\$100	Best Sculpture/Other
\$100	Best Mixed/Enc/Collage
\$100	Best Abstract
\$100	Peoples Choice
\$2300	Total Awards

## ENTRY FEES

Nonrefundable entry fees are \$20.00 for the first entry and \$15.00 for each additional entry, with a maximum of 3 entries per artist. Payment in the form of check, money order or credit card must accompany entry, which is due on or before April 22, 2019. We accept MC, Visa, Am Ex, Discover, or **PayPal**. \*If paying by check, please combine entry fees with return postage, we do not need two separate checks!

## RULES

**All art must be original!** Judging will be done on original artwork only. Competition is open to all artists. Art may be in any media **except:** photography or computer generated imagery. Copies of other artist's work or published photographs shall not be accepted. Works must be properly framed with a secure hanging fixture (**no saw tooth hangers**).

For purposes of this show, miniature means artwork that is no more than 3 1/2 inches deep, front to back. Outside dimensions of frame cannot exceed 42 sq. inches. **To get square inches measure outer edge of frame length x height.**

Sculptures should have no dimension greater than 6 inches including the base. **Note:** Entries not meeting all rules shall be rejected before jurying. Art inaccurately represented shall be withheld from the exhibition at the juror's discretion.

## LIABILITY

Entries submitted will receive careful handling, but Seaside Art Gallery is not responsible for any loss or damage. Sending any entry to the competition shall imply agreement on the part of the artist to all listed conditions. Seaside Art Gallery reserves the right to photograph any entry for the news media.

**\*Visit...<http://seasideart.com> to view the complete show online. Oversized art will not be included!**

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Email: [info@seasideart.com](mailto:info@seasideart.com)  
<http://seasideart.com>  
Owner: Melanie Smith

Each entry must have a label securely attached.

***\*Artist is responsible for attaching the correct label with the corresponding artwork. This is the information we use when logging entries! Gallery inventory number is assigned to each piece of art upon arrival.***

### Entry # 1

Artist: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Media: \_\_\_\_\_

Price:\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Gallery Inv# \_\_\_\_\_

### Entry # 2

Artist: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Media: \_\_\_\_\_

Price:\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Gallery Inv# \_\_\_\_\_

### Entry # 3

Artist: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Media: \_\_\_\_\_

Price:\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Gallery Inv# \_\_\_\_\_

## SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS

Please pack art in a sturdy corrugated box, allowing for plenty of room for packing material (Styrofoam pellets, balled-up newspaper, etc.) Never use a box that is exactly the size of the art. It is better to have a box too large than too small. Art is returned in this same box that it arrives in.

In box with art place your entry fees; return postage fees (**no postage stamps accepted** & if you include your return label for UPS make sure it is filled out correctly, (**no prepaid FEDEX return labels accepted**), inventory of art and any extra return instructions. **If you are a new artist**, please include biography, also legible email address, we will use email to confirm arrival of art and assign inventory numbers whenever possible.

## FOREIGN ENTRIES

**MUST INCLUDE** required entry fees plus paid return postage and handling of **\$25.00 USD**. In the event artwork is sold, a refund check for the shipping fees will be issued. Payment in the form of **PayPal**, credit card or international money order is the preferred payment methods.

**\*Please include instructions for duty free returns of your artwork, unless you want it shipped to an alternative USA address.**

## SHIPPING ADDRESS

We prefer **UPS** or **Fed. Ex.**, please ship to:

Seaside Art Gallery  
2716 Virginia Dare Trail So.  
Nags Head, NC 27959 USA

Or **US Mail**, ship to:

Seaside Art Gallery  
P. O. Box 1  
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