

Local Call for Entry

FRAMED: The Beauty That Surrounds Us

EXHIBITION: July 5 – August 5, 2017

FRAME SELECTION/PICK-UP: June 7-24, 2017

ENTRY DEADLINE: Saturday, July 1 (6:00pm EST)

Mayflower Arts Center Lobby Gallery

9 West Main Street

Troy, Ohio, 45373

Gallery hours during the exhibition are Tues-Thu 10-4:30pm; Fri-Sat 10-6pm

Opening Reception: Saturday, July 8, 6:00-8:00pm

Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and look around once in a while, you could miss it.

- Ferris Bueller

We often go about our days so quickly, that we overlook the everyday beauty that surrounds us. We miss the beauty in the simple things. It's everywhere...if we only stop and take the time to look. Look up. Look down. Look at each other. *FRAMED* is an exhibition of 2D framed photographic work. The work will be on display in the Mayflower Arts Center's Lobby Gallery, July 5 – August 5, 2017.

Take time to find beauty in the things that surround you - in nature, in people, flowers, buildings around town, graffiti, garbage... *ANYWHERE!* **Anyone can unleash their inner artist through this project!** Beauty is how you see it.

PROCESS:

1. Visit Gallery and select a frame between June 7-24 during regular hours*.
2. Pay \$5 entry fee/frame and provide contact information on signup sheet.
3. Walk around town and use frame as a viewfinder to capture beauty.
4. Find beauty.
5. Capture it in a photograph.
6. Print the photo (see printing suggestions below).
7. Put photo in frame.
8. Complete the inventory tag on back of frame.
9. Return it to Gallery before 6pm on July 1*.

PRINTING SUGGESTIONS

At-home photo quality printing is acceptable. Meijer, Walmart, CVS also have photo centers for cost-effective printing options.

Submission deadline is July 1 at 6:00pm

Entry Fee: \$5.00 (non-refundable)

REQUIREMENTS

Photographic Media

Images - Maximum: **1**

Total Media - Maximum: **1**

SUBMISSION DETAILS

- All 2D photography media accepted (no audio or video files will be accepted). 2D works must be framed using the pre-selected frame provided by the Gallery and delivered ready to install. *Any work not properly prepared will not be included in the exhibit.*
- The Mayflower Arts Center is a family-friendly arts center. Work depicting gratuitous nudity, profanity, or obscenities cannot be accepted. If you have a question about the acceptability of your art, please contact us before submitting.

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- Participants may display multiple works for a \$5 non-refundable entry fee/photo. *Artwork submitted without payment will not be considered.*
- All artwork must be original.
- Participants will be required to return the frame with the photograph to the Gallery. The artist's name, website, and information about the work will be displayed alongside the work.
- All artwork must either be for sale or marked NFS (Not For Sale). All artwork sold during the exhibition will be priced at \$10. If sold, the \$5 entry fee will be returned.
- You must select your frame no later than June 24 in order to have enough time to photograph, print and return your artwork.
- Exhibiting artists will be required to deliver artwork to the Mayflower Arts Center by **no later than July 1**. Work shipped **must include return postage. No packing peanuts please.** *Any artwork received after 6:00pm on July 1 may not be included in the exhibit.*
- By submitting artwork to *Framed* you grant the Mayflower Arts Center the right to use and publish images of your artwork for promotional purposes. Artist retains all other rights to the artwork.
- If you have a question about the acceptability of your art, please contact us by email at MayflowerArtsCenter@gmail.com before submitting.

PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD

People's Choice Awards will be based on votes received by exhibition visitors during July 8-August 4. The artist with the most votes will receive the People's Choice Award, and artists receiving the second and third most number of votes will receive Honorable Mention recognition.

THE MAYFLOWER ARTS CENTER

The Mayflower Arts Center provides a community-friendly environment to create art, and enlighten and inspire a deeper appreciation of art among artists and patrons. Located prominently on the vibrant downtown square of Troy, Ohio—in the historic 1928 Mayflower Theater building—the Mayflower Arts Center offers gallery and exhibit spaces, classes and workshops, indie/art films, fine art retail, art lectures, performances and concerts. The Lobby Gallery presents work from local, regional, and national artists throughout the year.

IMPORTANT DATES (all times reflect EST)

June 7-24: Frames Available for Pick-Up*

July 1 (6:00pm): Submission/Delivery Deadline*

July 1- 5: Curation/Installation

July 5 - August 5: Exhibition Dates*

July 8: Opening Reception / Public Voting Begins

July 8 - August 4: Public Voting*

August 4 (6:00pm): Voting Closes

August 5 (6:00-8:00pm): People's Choice Award Ceremony & Art Pick-Up

August 5-12: Art Pick-up*

*Summer Gallery Hours are Tue-Thu 10-4:30pm; Fri-Sat 10-6pm