



Fine Arts & Photography See the Best Art and Photography in all of Fresno County!

Stroll through the vast collections of paintings, sculptures, photography and more on display in the Fine Arts & Photography building from both amateur and professional photographers and artists. Here's a sneak peek at what exciting displays will be featured and which contests will be taking place at the 2023 Big Fresno Fair.

Fine Arts classes include: Oil Paint, Acrylic Paint, Watercolor, Gouache/Tempera, Graphics, Pastels, Sculpture, Ceramic Painting, Ceramics, Beading, Jewelry, Fiber Art, Glass, Stained Glass, Digital Arts / Digital Graphics, Mixed Media 2D and Mixed Media 3D. **Photography** classes include: Landscape & Waterscape, Sunrises / Sunsets, Architecture, Animals, Agriculture, Flowers, Plants & Trees, Humans, Transportation, Photojournalism, Macro, Still Life and Photographer's Choice.

Blossom Trail Art Contest

This contest is to draw awareness and an appreciation for the beauty of the Blossom Trail and the agricultural landscape of the San Joaquin Valley. The first-place winner takes home \$700, while their artwork becomes the 2023 Blossom Trail Poster.

"Picture Yourself Here!" Competition

This art competition calls on the best original artwork to depict the 2023 Big Fresno Fair's competitive exhibit's theme "Picture Yourself Here!". Entries can be in any medium and is open to any interested artist – both beginner and professional. Come showcase your artistic talent and show the judges what the Fair theme means to you!

High School Chalk Art Competition sponsored by Allards

A favorite of Fairgoers, come watch these talented young artists create masterpieces around the Pavilion and then all art pieces will be up for auction to raise money for the schools' art programs. The High School Chalk Art Competition, sponsored by Allards, will take place in the Pavilion Area on Thursday, October 12 from 8 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Muralist Megan Mendes

Come see local muralist Megan Mendes in action during the 2023 Big Fresno Fair.

Cindy Williams Ceramics Classes

Ceramicist, Cindy Williams will teach small classes in the Fine Arts & Photography building throughout the 2023 Big Fresno Fair! Check out the schedule of events below for class times:
Thursday, Oct 5 and Friday, Oct 6.....10:30 a.m. Monster Class; 3:30 p.m. Victorian Ornaments
Saturday, Oct 7 & Sunday, Oct 8.....11:00 a.m. Trinket Trays; 3:30 p.m. Fall Garland
Monday, Oct 9.....11:00 a.m. & 3:30 p.m. Victorian Ornaments



Tuesday, Oct 10 and Wednesday, Oct 11...11:00 a.m. Painting Sugar Skull Ornaments; 3:30 p.m. Decorative Wall Pocket

Thursday, Oct 12 & Friday, Oct 13.....10:30 a.m. Monster Class; 3:30 p.m. Holiday Garland

Saturday, Oct 14.....10:30 a.m. Painting Sugar Skulls