



2024 CALL FOR ENTRIES
24th Annual
Stampede Western Art Exhibition & Sale
June 26-July 7, 2024

WHAT:

Calling all artists to exhibit western fine art: the western art theme can be western landscape, wildlife, and people as in cowboys, Native Americans, Mexican heritage, and their artifacts. Media includes:

- paintings
- mixed media
- dry media (pastel, graphite, colored pencil, scratchboard, drawings)
- 3-Dimensional art (sculpture, pottery, fine western craft)

The Greeley Stampede is a 2-week celebration featuring world renowned rodeos, concerts, parades, carnival, western art, vendors and attracts over 250,000 visitors from around the world. The art show has sold over \$1,000,000 of art and raised funds for scholarships and future emerging artists.

WHY:

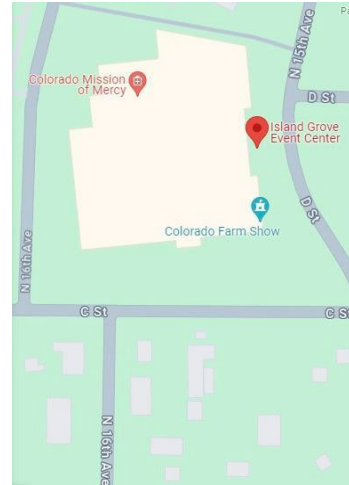
- Celebrate the western way of life.
- Percentage of proceeds of artwork sales go directly to scholarships in Weld County for students through the Stampede Foundation and youth art awards.
- Art sales support artists.
- Education to future artists, art collectors, future art collectors, networking.
- Unique opportunity to combine well known artists with emerging youth artists.
- To have FUN!

WHEN: (All dates for 2024)

May 5	Final entries due to www.greeleystampede.org/p/family-fun/artshow
June 10-14 (Monday- Friday)	Arrival window for shipped art to the Greeley Stampede office (address below).
June 17 and 18 (Mon. Tues.)	Hand delivered art to the Island Grove Event Center 9:00 AM to 12:00 noon both days
June 25 (Tuesday)	Kick-off Opening Reception (free parking)
June 26 (Wednesday)	Stampede starts – daily parking and park fees required
July 7 (Sunday)	Last day for celebration
July 8 (Monday)	Pick up art at Island Grove Event Center 9:00 AM to 12:00 noon (address below)

ART SHOW EXHIBIT LOCATION:

Island Grove Event Center
421 North 15th Avenue
Greeley, CO 80631



Eligibility and Requirements:

- Works must be original and not have been entered in this show previously.
- Art must be for sale.
- A 30% commission on sales. 70% of the sale price goes to the artist.
- Two-dimensional entries must be framed, dry and wired for hanging (no saw tooth hangers or exposed glass edges). Finished gallery wrap canvas with wire hanger is acceptable.
- Entry size is limited to 36" x 44" framed (outside frame), or 78 united inches (length plus width)
- Sculptors are responsible for installation of their pieces. Pedestals available at show.
 - *It is recommended that sculptures are hand delivered on designated setup days to avoid any potential shipping damage.
- No early removal of artwork.
- Submission is permission to use art for promotion.

JURY/JUDGE:

An independent juror will jury the show to 150 pieces. The Stampede is a family friendly event. No art will be accepted that is controversial: human nudity, political, AI generated or digitally produced.

ENTRY:

A nonrefundable entry fee (per artist) of \$50.00 for up to 3 juried pieces. You may also have up to 5 unframed artworks (no additional charge) in the bin area. Unframed art should be protected in clear bags. Maximum bin size 16" x 20." Prints are allowed. You may donate an additional piece to the kick-off reception live auction.

YOUTH AWARDS: Art Show Awards & Stampede Foundation Scholarships

- All Weld County high school students (9-12th grade) are invited to enter the art show. Art show youth will be juried to **top 8** submissions to display at the exhibition with no entry fee. Art awards will be given as follows: 1st: \$500, 2nd & 3rd: \$250 each, and then \$100 for remaining submissions. Additionally, all students will receive gift baskets with art supplies. Art must be for sale and art commissions apply.
- All Weld County youth are encouraged to apply for a \$2,500 Stampede scholarship. Applications are due March 15th by midnight. Go to: www.greeleystampede.org/p/get-involved1/scholarships.

RECEPTION:

The Art Show Kickoff Opening Reception will be held **June 25, 2024 (Tuesday) 5:00-7:00 PM.**

Live auction will happen at 6:00 PM. Artists will be given one ticket to the reception. Additional tickets may be purchased for \$25 (+fees) at www.greeleystampede.org/p/buytix

SHIPPING ADDRESS:

Artists are welcome to ship completed works to the Greeley Stampede office. Shipped art can only arrive between June 10th - 14th to ensure that we can properly collect your work and inspect it for any shipping damage before placing it in the show hall.

****Do not ship to the event center where the show will be held****

Ship to:

Greeley Stampede
c/o Western Art Show
600 N 14th Ave. Greeley, CO 80631

DELIVERY:

Work that is not shipped must be hand delivered to Island Grove Event Center, Monday, June 17 and Tuesday, June 18, 2024, 9:15 AM-12:00 noon.

****No late artwork will be accepted.**

****Please provide prepaid return shipping labels.**

Unsold Entries:

Pick up unsold entries on **July 8, 2024 (Monday)** 9:00 AM to 12:00 noon at the Island Grove Event Center.

Liability:

Extremely fragile work and work not properly presented will not be accepted. Although every precaution will be taken to assure protection of entries, neither the GAA or the Stampede will assume responsibility for loss or damage of any work.

Sales: A 30% commission will be charged on all artwork sales. Purchased artwork will remain in the show until the designated pick-up date and time.

Questions:

Any questions concerning this show please contact:

artshow@greelevstampede.org



Artist registration form:

Please submit your registration [here](https://form.123formbuilder.Testcom/6586971/2024-artist-registration-form): <https://form.123formbuilder.Testcom/6586971/2024-artist-registration-form>